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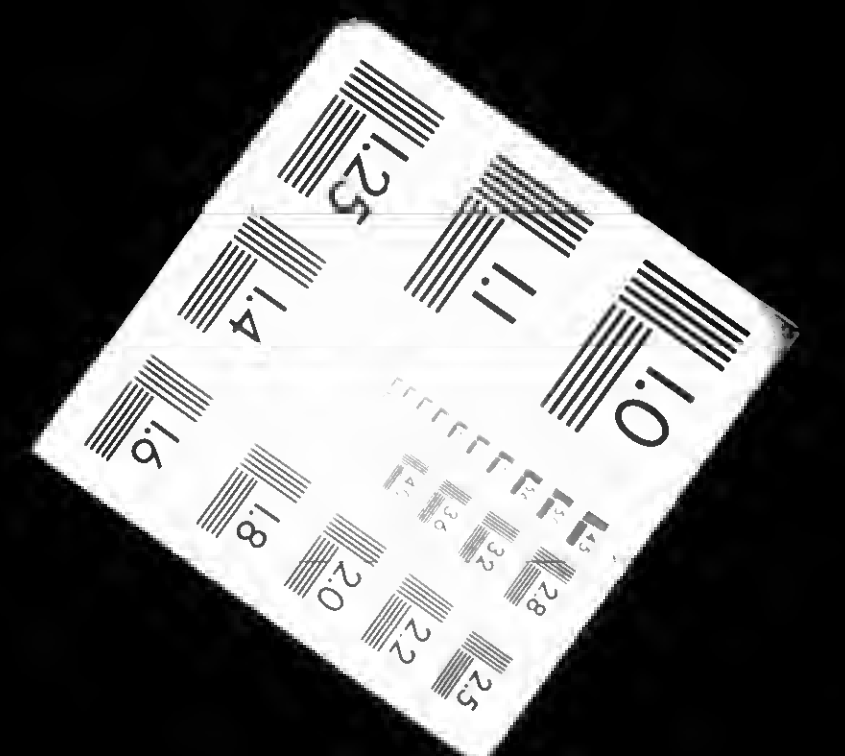
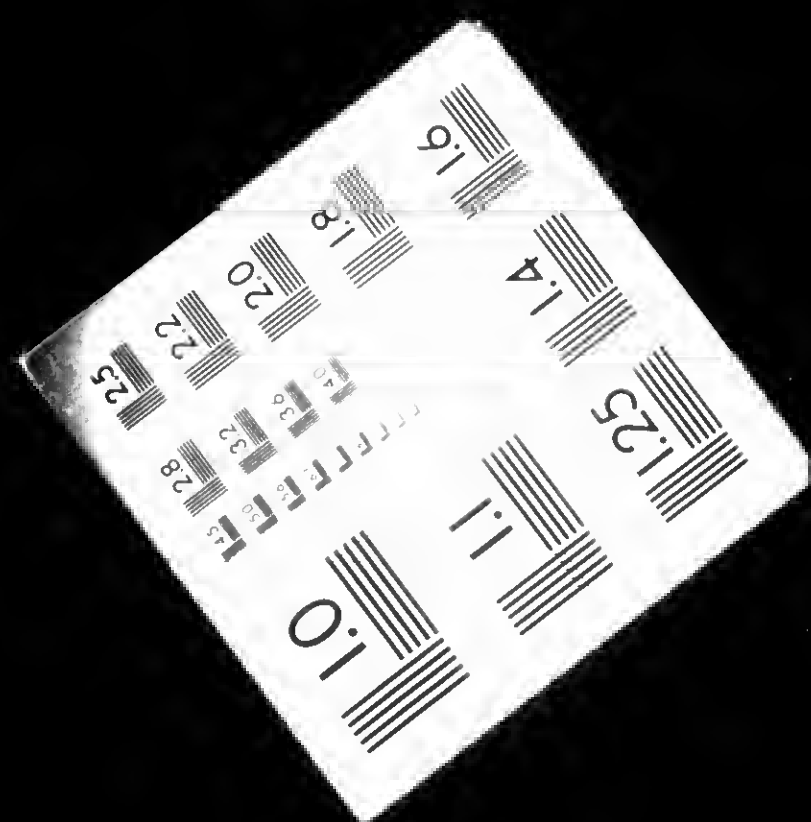
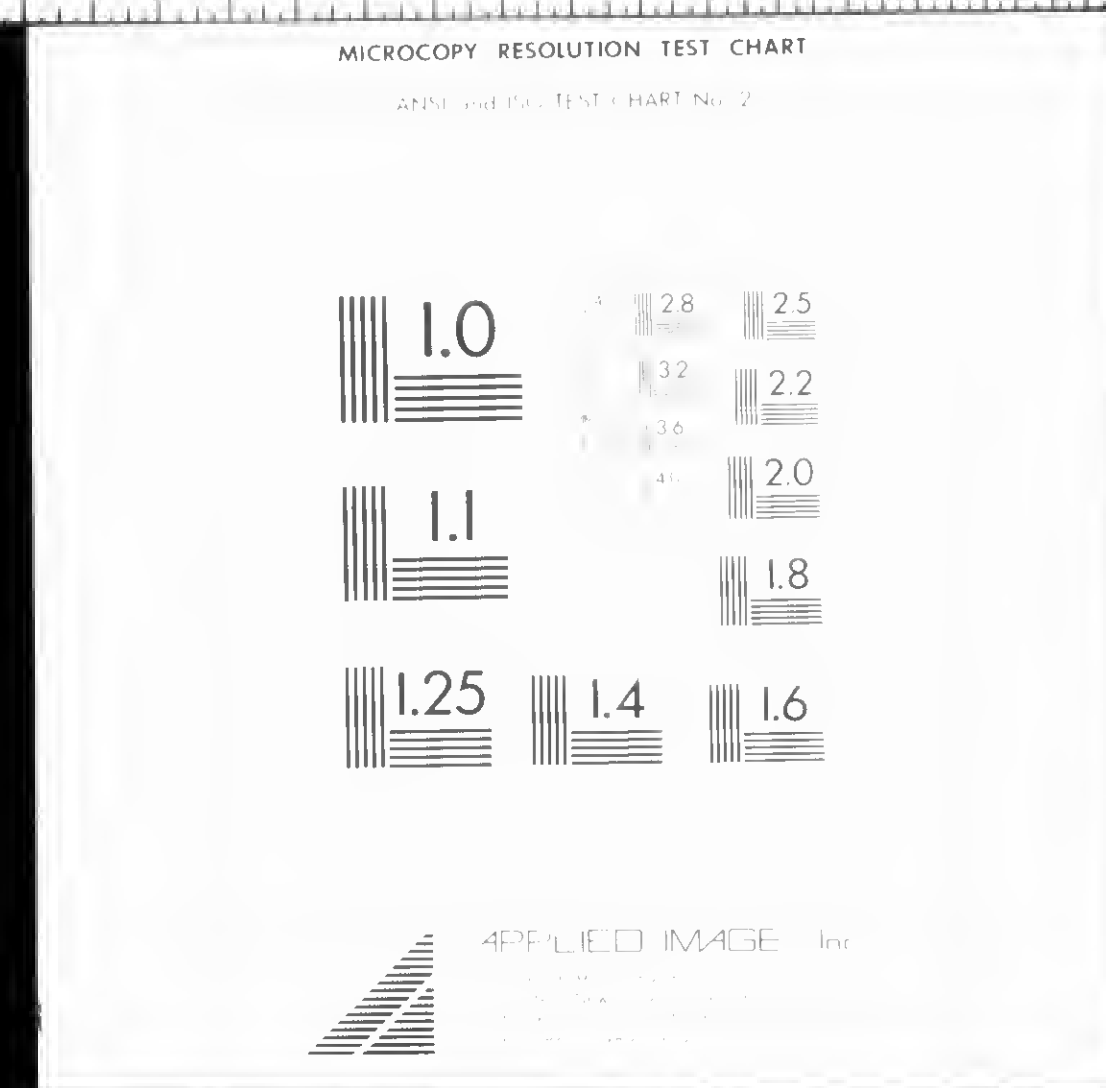
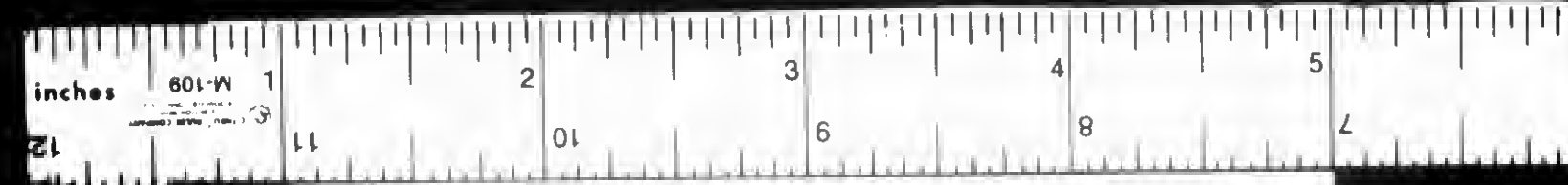
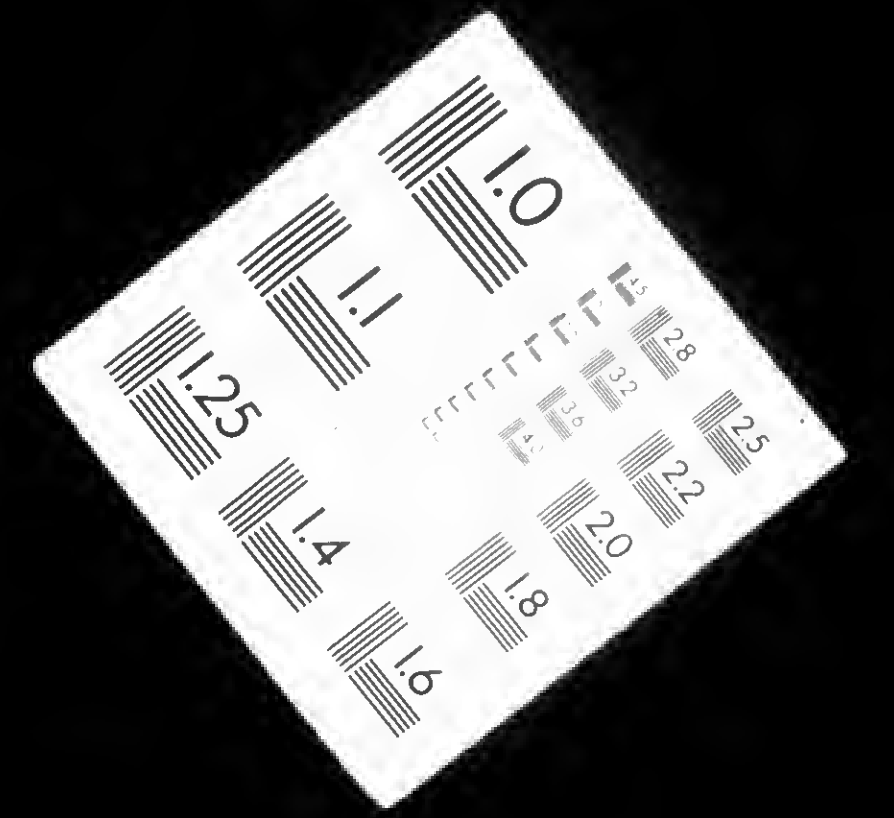
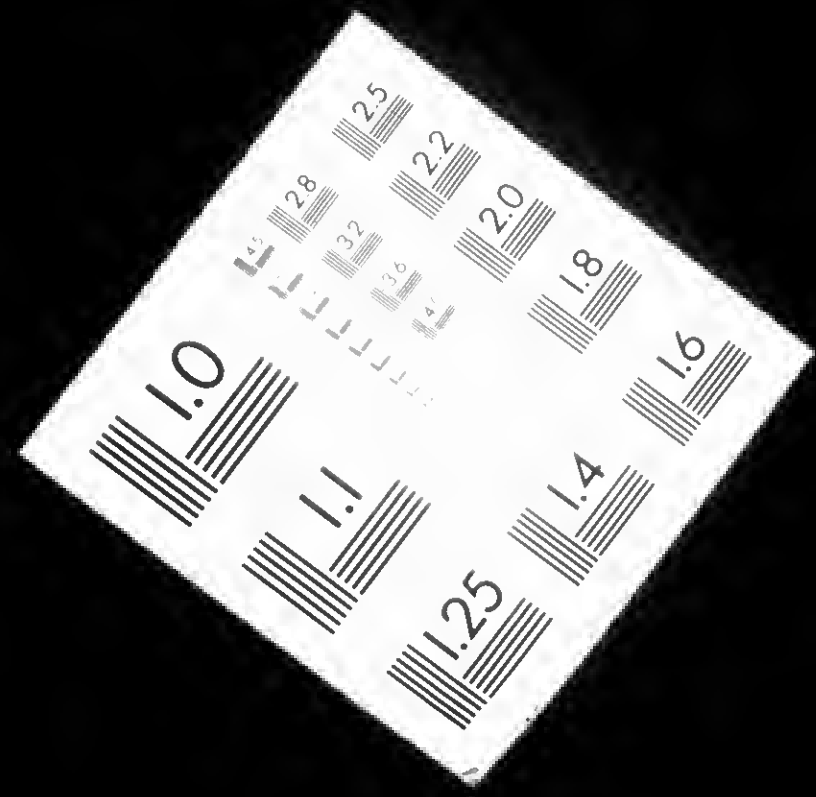
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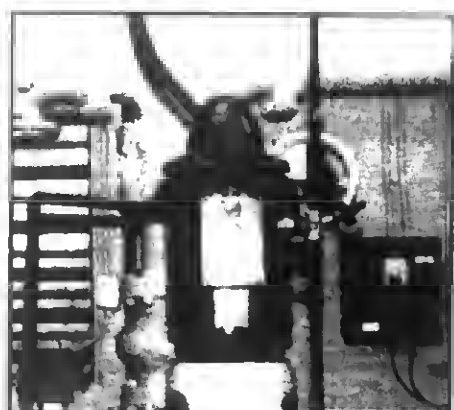
Vandalism



Vandals destroyed many antique items inside the Star School recently.

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Some of the recycling bins in Charlevoix are a little too popular for their size.

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Happy New Year!

A new millennium in Charlevoix



About 200 Charlevoix residents braved freezing temperatures and gathered in East Park Dec. 2 for this Charlevoix Courier New Year's photo. (Photo by Jeremy McBain, with assistance by G. Randall Goss)

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Star School targeted by vandals

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Sometime around Dec. 23, someone broke into and destroyed much of the interior of the Star School House, a community building in Eveline Township located at the corner of Wern Road and Loomis Road. "If they (the perpetrators) have this much hatred I would hate to see what they would do to an animal or a child," a comment Gail Farley reiterated that she had heard following the incident.

The school house was ravaged — currently, the windows are boarded as the vandals broke all but one. Piles of glass litter the floor and broken tables, chairs and clocks lay in pieces about the room.

The hardwood floor of the small bathroom located to the right of the entrance, that once housed the school's original toilet from the 1800s, is now covered in shards of the toilet's broken porcelain.

The perpetrators did not stop there, they also attacked the original blackboard that lined the wall students and later a church congregation used to face.

The vandals attempted to take a hammer to the blackboard, but when they found the old style board does not shatter they lost interest and moved along to ruining other relics, Farley said.

Farley is a member of The Star



Vandals smashed the original toilet in the Star School. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

School House Historical Society, a committee that worked to further renovate the facility and to coordinate on-site events.

As temperatures reached only 11 degrees on Wednesday the Farley family walked around the cold room with looks of anguish in their eyes. And as other members of the society

filed into the school house for the first time since the incident tears came to their eyes.

One member stood by the shattered, hand-carved, antique piano and explained that she and her husband of 28 years had first held hands around this very piano.

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On the record

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Jordan Valley Floral, 401 Water Street, East Jordan, by Anita L. Shepard

Clay's Semi-Sorta Almost Amish Bakery and Produce, 13594 Clark Road, Charlevoix, by Clayton J. Berry

Caster's, 622 River Ridge, Boyne City, by Scott Hall Jr.

Villa Moderne Motel, 1415 South Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by D & L Rich, L.L.C., a Michigan limited

liability company

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Charles Terry Foster Jr., 40, Boyne Falls and Catherine Margaret Bruske, 39, Boyne Falls

Births

Bryna Lyn Houghton, born to Roger and Trina Houghton of Charlevoix on Dec. 24 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Snow
Dec. 26	24	18	2"
Dec. 27	24	17	6"
Dec. 28	19	6	2"
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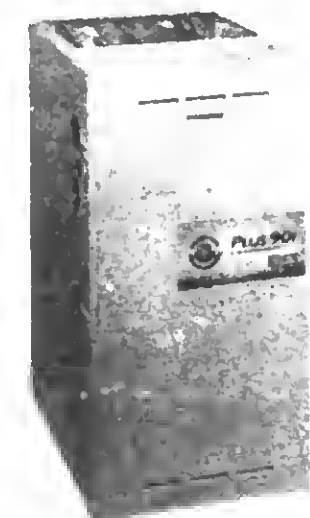
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City water supply claimed to be cleaner than bottled

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

In the last few years, many people have been seen toting bottles of water from springs around the world for reasons ranging from convenience to safety. But they may not have to.

According to City of Charlevoix Superintendent of Water and Waste Water Sam Creswell, Charlevoix residents need not pay the extra cash for clean drinking water, the free flowing tap water in the city is as clean as it comes.

"We have excellent water, I would rate it a 10 (scale 1 unsuited for drinking - 10 excellent)," Creswell said.

The City of Charlevoix is home to one of few area water treatment plants. The only other similar plants in the area are located in Traverse City, Alpena and St. Ignace.

The plant siphons approximately half a million gallons of treated Lake Michigan water per day into city, and some Charlevoix Township, homes. This figure rises from one to two million gallons per day during busy summer months. The plant's capacity is three million gallons.

Plant lead operator Jim Caldwell said that should the community require the capacity amount, the plant would have to ration water. Which would mean less lawn watering.

However, Creswell does not see water rationing as an issue in Charlevoix.

"We feel we are in good shape for the foreseeable future," he said.

The plant currently operates eight hours per day. If the number of gallons needed by the community rises, so too would the hours of operation.

The treatment plant, adjoining Michigan Beach off of Park Avenue was built in 1986.

Prior to the treatment plant having been built, city residents were consuming a mixed water source that was a combination of lake water and ground water. Because of ground water's greater potential for contamination, the new plant uses

only lake water.

Creswell said that when ground water was being used, traces of a solvent based degreaser were found. Apparently someone had spilled the hazardous material and low levels of it found their way into the aquifer.

Currently, water quality testing is done each day in the plant's laboratory.

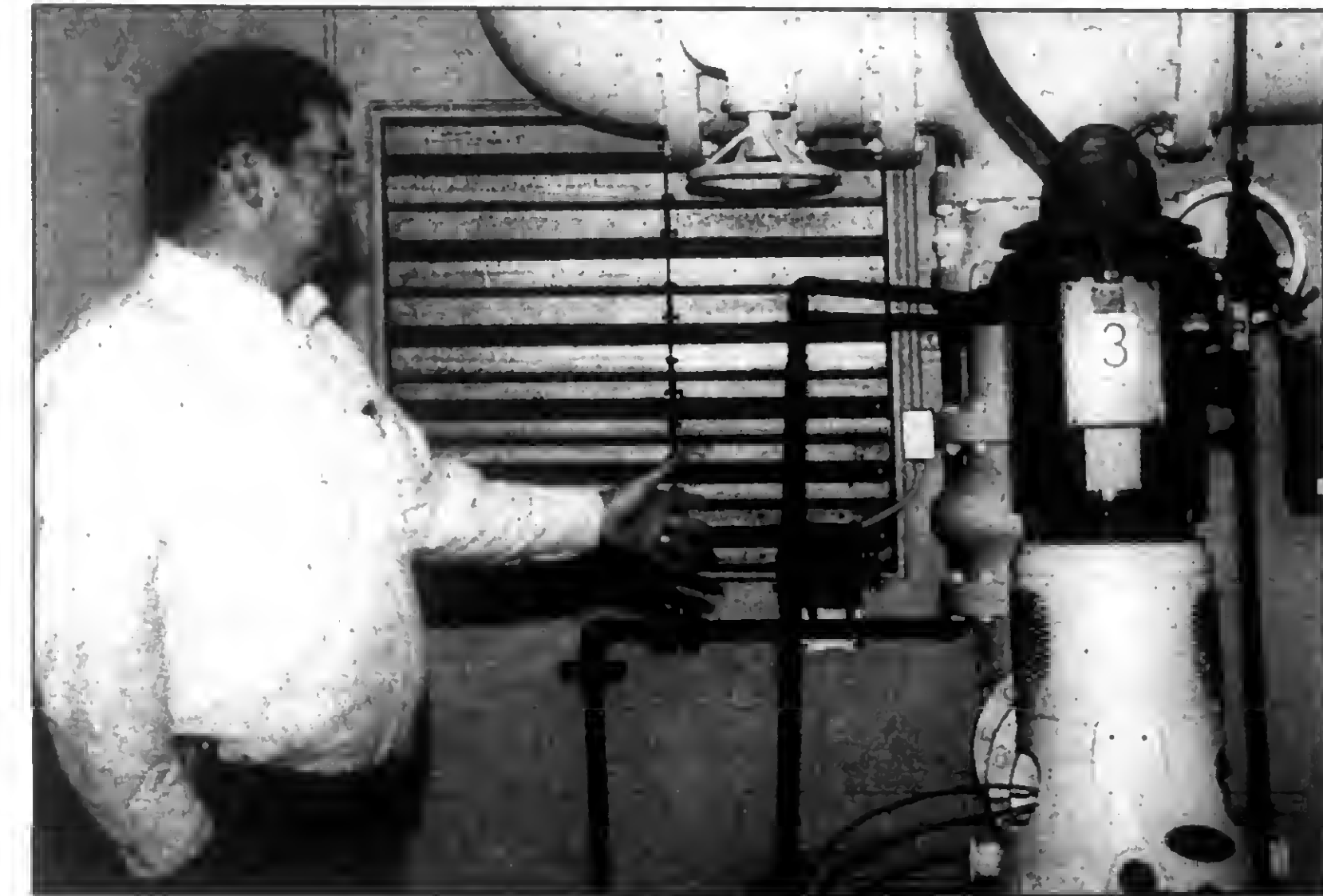
In the new system, the water comes in through the plant's pump located beneath the sandy bottom of Lake Michigan. This setup is called a buried intake. Creswell said the pump location offers residents a unique dual filtration — the sand acts as a pre-filter and, once inside the plant itself, a second treatment is administered.

However, the old, combination water source did not require chlorine treatment. Creswell said that the chlorine was a change for some people in town who claim they can taste its presence.

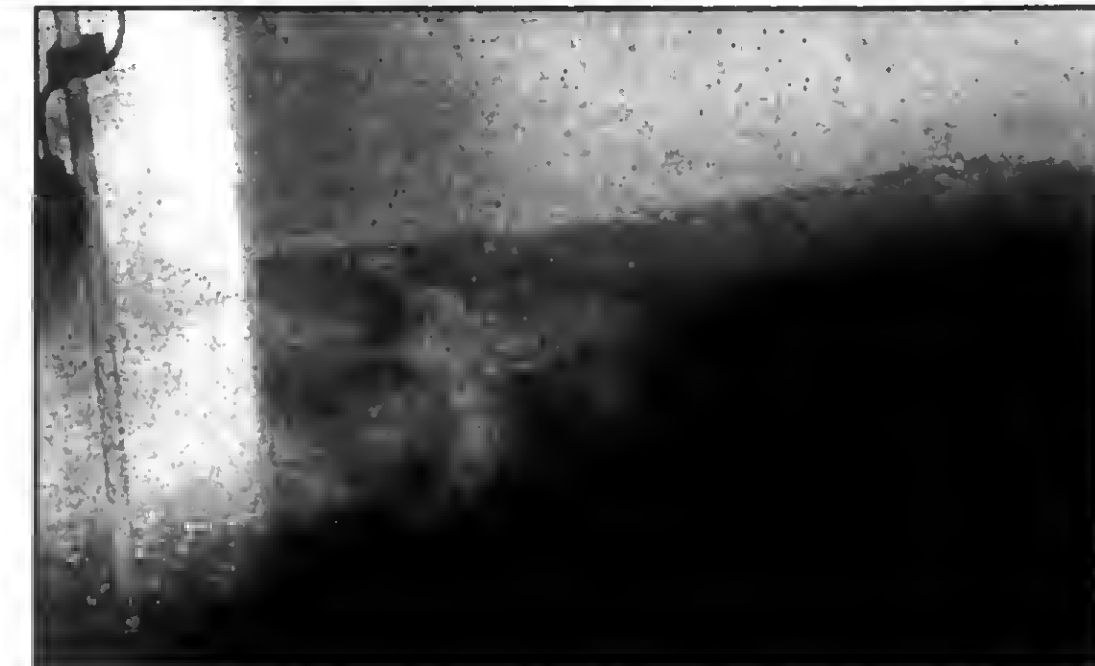
"State regulation said that surface water (Lake Michigan) has to be chlorinated. We feed no more than we have to. The chlorine is used to kill bacteria. The water in Lake Michigan is quite clean to start with, it doesn't need a lot of chlorine," he said.

While some complain about the presence of chlorine in the water claiming it may harm them and they can taste it, Creswell said the low levels, usually around .3 milligrams per liter, are not a threat to tap water drinkers.

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(Above) Sam Creswell, Charlevoix Water Superintendent, shows the intake pipes bringing water from Lake Michigan into the treatment plant. (Right) Water in the plant awaits treatment so it can be put into the city water supply. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



Correction

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, there was an error in the story titled "What equals the legal limit?" on page 3.

In the confusion of dealing with the volunteers, Editor Jeremy McBain mixed up the weights of Julie Musilek and Shirley Gibson

in his notes and, thus, reported them wrong. McBain was not taking part in the experiment other than as a reporter.

The story should have said Musilek weighs 115 pounds and Gibson weighs 135 pounds.

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OPINIONS

It is officially the new millennium



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

Happy new year and happy new millennium!

That's right, it is officially a new millennium. Unlike what some people may believe — like every seller of commemorative millennium merchandise last year — the official start of the new millennium was Jan. 1, 2001, which was Monday.

I got a kick out of all the millennium hoopla last New Year's Eve. Everywhere I turned, I saw people not realizing that the millennium didn't start for another year. People were having millennium parties, buying millennium mugs and attending millennium sales at local

stores, not knowing they were being duped into believing a false-hood.

The main culprit behind this — I believe — was television. Newscasters filled their shows with stories about the new millennium and what it means to the world, CNN even had a series on the matter. This provided me further proof for my belief that television newscasters are more concerned with "flashy news" rather than the facts.

But, a year later, here it officially is; the new millennium along with a new year.

With all new years there are two similar traits: celebration and change. People are always excited about what will happen in a new year, creating a celebratory mood and a desire to change certain aspects about their lives — these are called new year's resolutions.

What do you do with a new millennium? It seems so much bigger than just a new year. It would seem the celebrations would be bigger and the changes bigger with a new

millennium.

But, people are somewhat parted out this year after last and it is too early to really tell what the big changes will be. However, we decided to get into the celebratory mood at the Charlevoix Courier, while also respecting the aspect of change.

This week you will notice a special front page photo of the community. This picture was taken during a cold morning on Dec. 2 by me, with the help of G. Randall Goss of the Petoskey News-Review, from the small bucket of a "cherry picker."

Goss and I were crammed into this bucket and raised high into the air over the crowd, who waited patiently for us in the cold weather as we tried to reassure ourselves that we would not fall out. Luckily, if we had, there were people on the ground with cameras that could take pictures of us for the next weeks' edition of the paper. I even had a headline already written in my

mind: "Editor hospitalized after falling out of bucket truck. Lands on Petoskey News-Review photographer."

But, I didn't fall and the picture turned out great.

I would like to give out some thanks: First to Goss for his help with the picture. He provided some great tips and a needed back-up. I would also like to thank Ivan Witthoef of Charlevoix Electric Service for allowing us to use his truck and — while we ended up not using it — I would like to thank the McCarthy family for the use of the roof of the Wharfside building. Lastly, I would like to thank the community members who came out for the picture, their images will make a fine record of what Charlevoix was like at the turn of the new millennium.

Some people have asked me if this community picture will be a yearly event. At this time, I am not sure. I originally envisioned it as a one-time event marking the beginning of the new millennium, but it

would make a great yearly tradition for Charlevoix.

I still have a year to think about it.

Additionally, along with the idea of change in a new year, you may have noticed a couple of changes in the way this week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier looks, specifically the headlines to our On the record, Beacons of Blessing and Obituaries sections. These are just a few of the style changes you will see in the Courier over the coming months in an effort to give the newspaper a "fresh" look.

Feel free to let us know what you think of these changes or offer some of your own ideas.

I hope everyone has a fun, safe and prosperous new year and new millennium.

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Hunting season does more than just thin a herd



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

Someone once described ecology as the study of how everything is connected to everything else.

As the definition suggests, ecology is an extremely complicated thing. Only in the last few years have ecologists begun to learn some of the complex truths about how the natural world works.

What has been most interesting to me about those complex truths is that they seem to fly in the face of what we are likely to call common sense. Our common sense about the natural world is often what we wish it were, rather than

what it is.

By making careful measurements of what happens in the world of plants and animals we can and have learned some pretty important things that are not yet widely understood and that seem to defy common sense.

For example, would you believe that caterpillars and other insects eating the leaves of trees could cause those trees to grow faster? In an ordinary forest with a number of different kinds of trees, the effect that leaf eating insects have on tree growth is not simple, but the truth in the first sentence of this paragraph is genuinely incontestable.

Reliable people have made careful measurements and when insects eat up to one quarter of the total leaf surface on forest trees, the forest actually grows faster and the whole forest produces more wood.

Of course that doesn't mean that the caterpillars eating the leaves of a tree growing in your

yard are helping that tree. It only works in a forest with a multitude of different trees and other kinds of living things that are there.

What this uncommon sense means in practical terms is that while you may help the tree in your yard by spraying to control the caterpillars, you may actually hurt the whole forest and reduce the amount of wood products that might come from it.

Almost as difficult to believe is the effect that large predators can have on the natural communities they are part of. There is sound evidence from careful measurements that when you remove coyotes from some of our western grasslands, the amount of plant matter produced and the number of kinds of different plants actually go down.

There is equally good evidence that removing large predators like wolves and mountain lions, which used to live in all of Michigan, causes a dramatic drop in the number of different kinds

of birds, plants and small animals.

The exact reasons for these strange changes are not always clear, but the careful measurement and counting of kinds of creatures in many parts of the world have established — without much fear of contradiction — that removing large predators — which we humans have been very good at doing — causes remarkably important changes in almost everything else that lived where the predators did.

With the wolves just beginning to return and mountain lions completely gone from Michigan, we are the only large predators left and we need to perform the job of those predators if we wish to live in a biologically complex world.

There is a connection between the number of deer killed each fall in Michigan and how many kinds of small songbirds we have. Fewer deer means more songbirds and even more wild-

flowers; not because the deer are injuring the songbirds or even eating the wildflowers, but because all those creatures are a part of an extraordinarily complex system that we are beginning to understand.

Anyone professing some love for nature and its multitude of diverse kinds of creatures should be happy to have an effective hunting season for deer in Michigan. If we can't or won't let the wolves and mountain lions do it, then we had better take responsibility.

Act like a predator, make the world a richer place. Do your part for birds and wildflowers by supporting deer hunting in Michigan.

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Recycling such a success, the bins are overflowing

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Recycling has been a big hit in Charlevoix, but some residents are saying maybe the program has mushroomed beyond its capacity.

"Things have been going along very well. From the very beginning we have had a good response," recycling committee member Shirley Roloff said.

However, the positive response from residential recyclers has also led to bins located at the site of the county jail to reach capacity and in some cases overflow, turning potential recyclers away.

According to recycling committee member Larry Levengood, cardboard has most commonly been the first bin to fill. Both he and Roloff agreed that the increased rate at which the cardboard bin is filling, as opposed to the others, probably reflects use of the site by businesses.

"Businesses may be using the cardboard bin, but the site is for residential use only. We hope they (businesses) would call their own hauler and get their own contract," Roloff said.

Roloff added that the committee expected to see increased volumes of recyclables following the holiday season.

Both said that the bins are checked on a daily basis and when a full bin is located Waste Management, the contracted hauler, is contacted. Waste Management then has 24 hours to respond.

However, there were procedural differences that apply to cardboard pickup. Until about a week ago, Waste Management would only pickup cardboard on Mondays and

Wednesdays.

This stipulation was changed and now the cardboard, like the other bins, will be picked up after 24 hour notice. Levengood hopes that the procedural change will help keep the bin accessible to area residents.

Problems associated with cardboard recycling are the most common. Upon starting up the program here in Charlevoix the management team at the Emmet County Transfer Station warned the recycling committee not to have cardboard capabilities right away.

The Charlevoix station heeded the warning, but according to Levengood they may have added the cardboard bin too quickly. When it comes to cardboard the new location in Boyne City is realizing the same problems as the local recycling station.

Recyclers can help create more room for their cardboard and lessen the time lapse between pickups by crushing boxes they put into the bin. Levengood said a crushed box requires much less capacity than one that is intact.

In terms of other bins like plastic, tin or paper products being full Levengood urges recyclers to check the other compartment. There are two compartments allotted to each material.

In relation to bins reaching capacity, Roloff explained the trend she has seen. She said that cardboard fills the most quickly, while newspapers, magazines and catalogs are the second most commonly used bin, then plastics and lastly tin.

Roloff expects to have a pickup of hazardous materials some time in the spring, summer or fall.



The recycling bin at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department overflows with cardboard boxes. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Four new year resolutions that will enrich your life

By FR. JIM GUNN, RECTOR
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Beacons of Blessing

Whenever Dec. 31 looms on the chronological horizon, we start to hear talk about "New Year's Resolutions."

Many people start off seeing the transition from one year to another as an opportunity to somehow start over, to "turn over a new leaf." However, those resolutions that were adopted with so much enthusiasm and motivation tend to get shipwrecked, often before the end of January!

I would like to quote to you a verse from the Bible which points to the possibility of four resolutions and I will guarantee that your life will be enriched if you can keep these resolutions throughout the year of 2001.

The verse is Acts 2:42 and, in the New International Version, it says, "They devoted themselves to the apostle's teaching and to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer."

By my reading that verse speaks of the early Christians dedicating their lives to four things: Reading the Bible, meeting with others, worshipping and praying.

To devote yourself to the apostles' teaching is to seek to know what believers have come to understand about God and His will. The most complete repository for that knowledge is the Holy Bible.

To read God's Word is to invite

Him to instruct our minds and our spirits in His ways. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 describes the nature and purpose of the Bible: "All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."

To come together with others in fellowship is far, far more than a few minutes over coffee after church on Sunday. It is sharing our lives and encouraging and upbuilding the lives of others so that we may be better servants of God.

One of the most prominent images for the Church in the New Testament is the Body of Christ — it doesn't make much sense to think of a body that is spread all over the place!

The breaking of bread is not another way of talking about early church potluck suppers; it is often used in the New Testament to speak of Holy Communion and I would say that, in general, it can refer to coming together for worship.

There are more benefits and reasons for that than can be touched on in a brief piece like this. Let me just mention what is found in He-

brews 10:24-25: "And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds. Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another — and all the more as you see the Day approaching."

Finally we come to the point of prayer. I preached a series of sermons during the Advent Season on "Four Qualities of Christians Preparing for the Coming King."

One of those qualities was prayerfulness and I cannot stress too strongly the importance of our communication with God. Earlier this year I taught a nine week course on prayer and I still believe that is only scratching the surface.

Again, let me hold up just one brief word from scripture: "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:6-7, NIV)

In conclusion, let me say that, as good as those four resolutions are, you can keep them all on a regular basis and your life will not truly be enriched unless you first and foremost devote yourself to an even more basic resolution.

It is my prayer that each and every one of us make and keep the resolution to come to know Jesus better during the course of 2001.

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Damage estimated around \$10,000 inside Star School VANDALS

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She said that it had been there as long as she could remember.

The vandals took an ax to the piano's keys. Farley believes the damage caused is irreparable, but they will attempt to have the keys redone and will some day hear the piano's melodies again.

Those on-scene explained that the school house recently hosted a community Christmas play and commonly would have school children come to experience an afternoon in an old school house. The society members' chalk Christmas greeting was still printed on the chalkboard.

Prior to this incident, members of the Eveline Township community had come together to restore the school house as closely as possible to its original appearance and had since been utilizing the location as somewhat of a community

meeting place.

Farley added that her mother was once a student at the school house and the destruction caused by the vandals had really hit home.

"They destroyed everything except for the picture of Jesus. They broke every piece of glass in the building. They did not take anything, they just destroyed everything. We figure the damages are close to \$10,000. We have no insurance; this is a little community building," Farley said.

Community members have gathered to help board the windows and a donor came forward with \$1,000 to kick-start the cleanup. The Charlevoix County Sheriff's office is offering a \$500 reward for information leading to the arrest of the responsible person or persons.

Citizens with information have been asked to contact Sheriff Lasater or Detective/Sergeant Rex Behling at (231) 547-4461.



The antique piano at the Star School was not spared by vandals Dec. 23 when they broke into the building. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Water treatment plant keeps supply pollution-free

WATER

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Creswell added that the plant is currently looking to make a transition from the pure chlorine gas they are currently using to an alternative he called, "a type of hypo-chloride."

He said that the hypo-chloride is

safer to handle and does not require the hazardous containment of the pure chlorine gas. The gas is currently housed separate from the building.

The plant also adds fluoride to the water — fluoride strengthens teeth and occurs naturally at low levels in water.

It also has a contained room holding a third substance, ammo-

nia, but Creswell said that the plant has never had to use ammonia. They would only have to put in the chemical if the water was heavily polluted.

When looking out of the plant's laboratory window a visitor has a view of Lake Michigan with the lighthouse to the right and Southdown to the left. When asked if this heavy industrial site located

close to the intake valve poses a threat to water quality Creswell replied it is not an immediate threat.

Creswell said that this concern has been raised by local environmental group WATCH. The group sees the presence of two remaining covered kiln dust piles at the Southdown site as potential pollutants, he added.

In order to respond to these concerns, the treatment plant has made plans to do additional water quality testing to ensure leaching from the two piles has not occurred. The Department of Environmental Quality has told Creswell that the additional testing would be adequate to cover the threat.

Bloodmobile to be in Charlevoix on Jan. 18

The American Red Cross will be in Charlevoix on Jan. 18. The bloodmobile will be from 1 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church located on the corner of US-31 North and Meech Street. Please call 347-5984 for an appointment, or just drop in.

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Obituaries

Nellie Marie Holmes: June 9, 1913 - Dec. 22, 2000

Nellie Marie Holmes, 87, of Dryden, died Dec. 22 at St. Joseph's West in Clinton Township.

She was born Nellie Marie Vunt on June 9, 1913 in Detroit. Mrs. Holmes married Clifton W. Holmes on March 1, 1935 in Detroit.

She was a member of the Cedarville Sportsman's Club, the Cedarville Senior Citizens and the

Cedarville Red Cross Auxiliary. Mrs. Holmes also worked for over 50 years at Reliance Insurance Company as a Dictaphone Operator and Typist.

She is survived by her daughters, Judith E. (Eugene) Reynolds of Almont and Suzanne M. (David) Sopfe of China Township; son, Michael C. (Barbara) Holmes of Charlevoix; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and broth-

ers, Midge Vunt, Vic Vunt and Orville Vunt.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifton, in 1985; her parents, Carl and Marie Vunt and sisters, Margaret Huff, Dorothy Vincelle and Ann Gardner.

Funeral services took place on Dec. 27 at Muir Brothers Funeral Home in Imlay City with the Father Wayne Ureel officiating burial at Acacia Park in Southfield.

Ways to keep those resolutions

For many, making New Year's resolutions is the easy part of the New Year. Keeping those resolutions is much more difficult.

University of Michigan psychology Prof. Christopher Peterson gives suggestions on how to make resolutions so that they are easier to keep, and tips on how to keep them:

1) Choose a habit to change that is not so deeply ingrained that it is impossible to dent it.

2) Take stock of the bad habit so you know what you are up against: What is it; how often do

you do it; what are the circumstances?

3) Have a specific (concrete) goal in mind: "Losing 15 pounds" is a better goal than "getting into better shape."

4) Acknowledge intermediate steps and avoid black-white thinking in evaluating your progress.

5) Make a public declaration of your intent: Shame and humiliation can be powerful motivators.

6) Find a partner in change: Misery loves miserable company.

7) Cultivate a replacement activity: It is easier to say no to one

thing while also saying yes to another.

8) Try to change your routine and surroundings; this will help dislodge the habit.

9) Don't resort to bizarre strategies (like grapefruit and vodka diets to lose weight) that you cannot sustain for the rest of your life.

10) The best advice is just to forget about it all: Learn to love yourself the way you are.

For more information, contact Peterson at (734) 764-6567 or chrispet@umich.edu.

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How a simple conversation can lead to injury



F. James Stewart, M.D.

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We hear them in restaurants, theaters and airports, and even watch people shopping while talking on the phone. Now we find people driving their cars while talking on the phone — cellular phones have become an integral part of our daily experiences.

Since their introduction in 1983, the market for cellular phones has expanded as they have become more compact, easier to use and so utilitarian that we are taught to believe that we shouldn't be without one.

A study in 1988 found that 85 percent of cell phone users admitted that they used them occasionally while driving their auto-

mobile. With an estimated 80 million users, this becomes a significant number.

Is this a safe practice? Can we recommend this? Nope. There is one thing that everyone looking at driving and cell phone use agrees on: Talking on the phone does not make you a safe driver.

One study found that talking on the phone quadruples your risk of becoming involved in a collision. This represents the same risk level as driving with a blood alcohol content of 80 milligrams percent. We can go to jail, pay big fines and spend lots of quality time with parole officers when we drink and drive.

Phoning and driving is associated with all varieties of careless roadwork, from driving on the wrong side of the road, speeding, striking fixed objects, running off the road and overturning the vehicle.

It appears to be the inattention or distraction provided by the phone that causes our driving to suffer. Studies indicate that the average cell phone call consumes about 2 minutes and 30 seconds.

You can create a lot of mischief in two-and-a-half minutes of careless driving.

Carrying on a social conversation on a cell phone while driving at 50 miles per hour adds six car lengths or 96 feet to your stopping distance over non-phone driving.

One study of cell phone accidents found that as many as one-third of the drivers did not respond to the impending collision at all, but continued to talk until the point of impact.

In 1996, the Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association conducted a large study that concluded that cell phone use in cars produced a 34 percent higher risk of having an accident. Repeated studies have confirmed the early report and now lawmakers are beginning to take notice.

Australia, Brazil and Italy now have strict laws against cell phone use while driving, and in this country many townships and county boards are writing laws against the use of cell phones while operating a motor vehicle.

Washington State has written a

motor vehicle code that permits the use of "hands-free" communication only, such as speaker phones or headphones. Since the law was written, several large studies have shown that even these phones are dangerous and distracting.

It's the conversation and the distraction of communicating with someone outside of the vehicle that creates the danger that it does.

But Santa just brought you a new cell phone and you are probably going to use it someday while you are driving. Here are some tips about how to use it:

- Get to know your phone. Learn to use speed dial and redial. Learn to memorize the phone keypad so you can use the speed dial function without taking your attention from the road.

- Position your phone within easy reach. Be certain that you can reach it without taking your attention off the road. If there is an incoming call, let the voice mail answer it for you.

- Suspend conversation during hazardous driving. Let the person

you are speaking with know that you are behind the wheel, and stop talking if the driving becomes more difficult.

- Remember, as a driver your first responsibility is to pay attention to the road. Don't read from notes or an address book while driving.

- Plan to make your calls before entering traffic.

- Don't engage in stressful or emotional conversations that will be distracting. They can be the most dangerous of all. Be certain to inform the person you're conversing with that you are in traffic. It will likely change the tone of the conversation.

- Use your phone to call for help, if needed and use it to help others if necessary.

Cell phones are here to stay with an estimated 40,000 new users buying one each day. It would help if everyone learned to use them in a responsible way. Be careful.

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City may appoint planner for marina project soon

By **JULIE MUSILEK**
Staff Writer

The city was recently awarded a grant to fund the local share of the Wharfside acquisition and demolition, part of the shore-side renovation planned for downtown parks, but the marina expansion specifics are still undecided.

In a recent interview City Manager Mike Weisner said that the city may appoint a planning official to integrate the public's ideas and concerns surrounding the project.

Public hearings will also be planned in order to coordinate project plans and community desires.

Downtown Development Authority Chairman Hugh Mason said that the appointment of a planning individual to oversee the project's progression will most likely be discussed at the group's January meeting.

WATCH is one group that plans to comment on the dock expansion plan for the project. WATCH director, Jerry Puhl said that the environmental group does not agree with the

extent of the proposed marina changes.

"Our organization is against the project especially to the extent that the city has proposed to do it. The marina expansion encroaches on the beauty of the lake and downgrades the natural, pristine beauty of the area. It's the lake that makes Charlevoix what it is," Puhl said.

While Puhl does agree with plans to integrate a system of floating docks, he doesn't agree with the extent they are planned to reach. He said the environmental group feels that the proposed 100 feet the docks will extend is beyond what is necessary.

"The proposed floating docks are going out too far, they undermine the beauty of the area. They have spots for 100 foot boats, all you will be able to see is boats and nothing past them," he said.

The meeting of the Downtown Development Authority, where the park project planner may be appointed, will take place at 5:30 p.m. Jan. 10 in city council chambers at city hall.

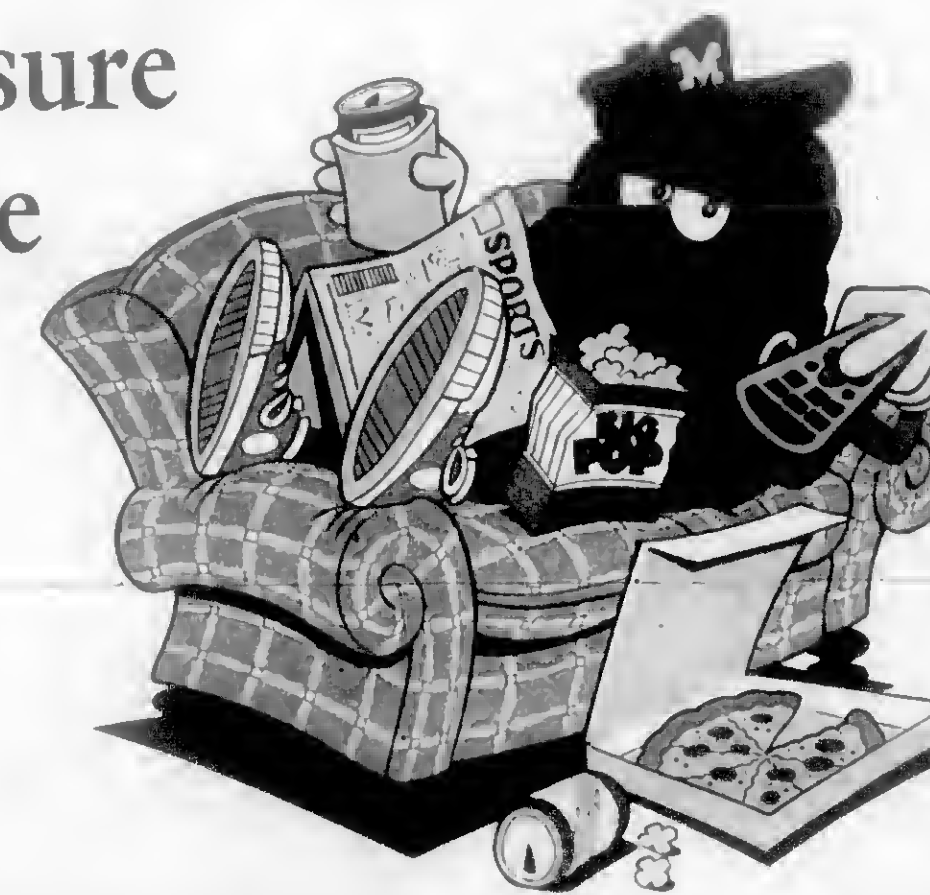


Downhill fun

Mt. McSaubia in Charlevoix has been seeing a lot of activity thanks to the recent snow.

(Above) Brock Yenglin, 9, of Charlevoix, snowboards down Mt. McSaubia on Dec. 28. (Left) A group of children hold onto the tow rope as tight as they can as they are pulled up Mt. McSaubia for another run down the hill. (Photos by Julie Musilek) —

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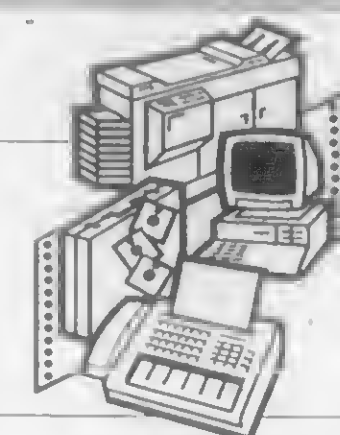
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Community health joins hospice coalition

A coalition of four area hospices has recently formed.

The coalition includes a combined service area of six counties, which are: Charlevoix County Hospice/Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, Hospice of Little Traverse Bay, Hospice of the Straits and Hospice of Sunrise Shore — together providing supportive care to patients and their families at the end of their lives.

The coalition's goal is to improve the quality of life for people at the end of life so that they may take life's final jour-

ney with dignity and respect. It hopes to do this by increasing awareness of local hospice programs, providing outreach and educational material to churches, service clubs and community groups on end of life issues and facilitating discussions about the needs of area residents at the end of life.

Each hospice in the coalition will celebrate 20 years of service to the communities they serve. As non-profit organizations, they are lead by local community boards of directors, staffed by community residents and supported through local

contributions.

"Our goal for the coalition is to address the needs of area residents through our agencies," Margaret Lasater of Charlevoix County Hospice/Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency said.

"The various hospice agencies have worked together in the past, but never within the context of a formal coalition. This is exciting for us and our communities as we build our relationships and provide more consistent care to the patients in our area."

Charlevoix County Hospice and Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency work in partnership with each other to provide skilled hospice nursing, social work support, volunteer and bereavement services to Charlevoix, Emmet and Antrim counties, as well as Otsego County on a case-by-case basis.

"Individuals who need support for grief and loss issues are welcome to contact us," Lasater said.

Fran Hilal, Hospice Supervisor with Charlevoix County Hospice and Northwest Michi-

gan Community Health Agency, said, "The purpose of the coalition is to share our expertise and resources in order to better serve our communities."

For more information about hospice care contact one of the following:

- Charlevoix County Hospice/Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency at (231) 547-6092.
- Hospice of Little Traverse Bay at (231) 487-4825.
- Hospice of the Straits at (231) 627-4774.
- Hospice of the Sunrise Shore at (517) 385-1156.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. Call 547-2920 for more information.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Av-

enue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373 and leave a message.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information about the Garden Club call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet at 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 to 4:15 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., located at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State St.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the American Legion Hall.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility, East Jordan.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Barnard Grange meet at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the

month at the grange hall.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. All people with food problems welcome. For further information call Phyllis at (231) 599-2866.

Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday for a breakfast meeting at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For information regarding the Auxiliary call 547-6670.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For information contact Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7:00 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building, 15144 Bell's Bay Rd. Call 547-3589 for information.

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group will meet at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. All chamber members are encouraged to attend. For more information call the chamber at 547-2101.

Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 9 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

FRIDAY

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to

12:30 p.m.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

VFW hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For information call 547-9384.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meet at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For information call 547-1817.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

SATURDAY

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim from 1-4 p.m.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

SUNDAY

Alateen Meeting at 7 p.m. located at the Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 1-4 p.m.

Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

American Legion hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

SCRAPBOOK

Five lives lost in boat blast

Editor's note: This article originally ran in the Jan. 6, 1937 edition of the Charlevoix Courier. It was submitted by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Public Library. It has been edited for content and size.

New Year's Day, traditionally hailed as the beginning of another year with its possibilities for happier and better things, brought to Beaver Island, and Charlevoix as well, the most tragic marine disaster in many years.

Five lives were lost in an explosion which riddled the Charlevoix-Beaver Island mail boat Marold II while engaged in salvaging gasoline from the tanker J. Oswald Boyd, abandoned on Simmons Reef, where it grounded in a storm early in November.

The victims were Capt. L.L. Hill, 83, captain of the Marold II, his son, Leon H., 50, the engineer, and Everett Cole, 35, his brother, Raymond, 30, and Bruce McDonough, 33, CO-owners of the Beaver Island Transit Co., operators of the ill-fated vessel.

The Marold II, replacing the freighter Rambler, which had made 24 salvaging trips, left this port at 8:15 Friday morning on its second trip to the tanker. That the ship and its crew had met possible disaster was ascertained here when, at 5:30 Friday afternoon, the coast guard lookout reported smoke arising from the vicinity of the Boyd. This report and an account of the coast guard participation in the subsequent investigation is detailed in the following report of Commander Oscar Smith of the Charlevoix coast guard unit, which follows:

"At 5:30 p.m. the station lookout report columns of smoke as from a steamer or from fire on board a steamer had appeared suddenly to the north and apparently a long distance away. Called the officer in charge, Beaver Island station, who verified the direction and location of the wreck of the steamer J. Oswald Boyd, on Simmons Reef. It was also ascer-

tain that the Marold II had left Charlevoix in the early morning hours to go to the wreck to load gasoline. On the possibility that an accident may have occurred in connection with the loading of gasoline by the Marold II, the station lifeboat was launched and the officer in charge and three men set out for Simmons Reef, 42 miles north of Charlevoix.

"Considerable ice was encountered in the trip which delayed the time of arrival at the scene of the accident. Arrived there about 11:30 p.m. Found the Mackinac Island and Beaver Island lifeboats had already arrived and were cruising about in the vicinity.

"On getting near the wreck, it was found that the Marold II had blown up and burned. The entire metal deck, the funnel, and other metal parts from the Marold II were thrown across the deck of the Boyd. Both boats were still burning. On the Marold II the fire was from a couple of oil barrels resting on the part of the stern projecting a little above water, while on the Boyd there was considerable fire from amidships to the bow. As there was no fire on the Boyd from amidships to the stern, there was a possibility that there might still be life on board that part of the ship. Surfman Fred Looze and Surfman Fred Clayton managed to get on board and reach the after deck of the Boyd, but were unable to accomplish a through search on account of the intense heat, fumes and smoke blown from the burning forward part to the after deck by a strong easterly wind. Took the men off the burning ship and pulled away with the lifeboat to await daylight.

"Shortly after midnight, sent the Beaver Island lifeboat back to their station to report to the district commander what had happened and what steps were being taken. The Mackinac Island lifeboat cruised to the westward looking for any small boats that may have gotten away before the explosion took place.

"As the Charlevoix lifeboat pulled away from the burning wrecks to join the other lifeboat, a heavy explosion took place in the wrecks, followed shortly afterwards by another loud ex-

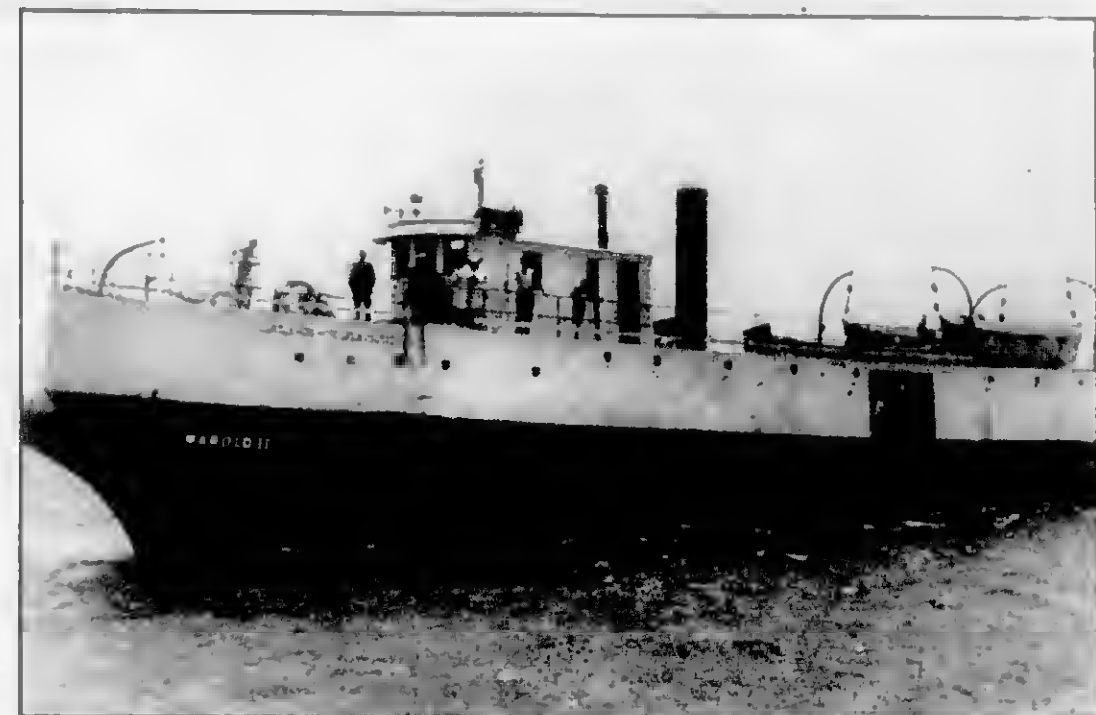
plosion which had the effect of diminishing the intensity of the fires. Cruised about in search of smaller boats until daylight and then returned to the burning boats. During the night we were joined by the freighter Rambler from Charlevoix.

"On approaching the wrecks after daylight, it was found that the fire on the Marold II was apparently out, but the Boyd was still burning amidships and near the bow. To the leeward of the wrecks the surface of the water was covered by oil from which with broken ice fields to make conditions for contact with the wrecks by lifeboat very bad. When contact was made, put two men, Quentin R. Duham and Fred Looze, on board the Boyd. The men searched the ship from bow to stern, finding two badly burned and charred bodies and several pieces of bodies. While searching for and loading the burned bodies into the lifeboat, the freighter Rambler, with Archie Cross, Joe Sendenberg, Ulysses McCann, Emil Pischner and Buddy White aboard, came up within hailing distance and offered to stand by to give aid in case of explosion taking place.

"From finding the bodies along with the wreckage of the decks, funnel, davits and other metal parts from the Marold II blown on top of the Boyd, it left little doubt but that all on the ship had been killed by the explosion and resultant fire. On account of heavy sea running and the fast driving ice floes and fields, a search of the lake bottom around the wrecks for bodies by grappling was not possible.

"We arrived back at Charlevoix station at 3:45 p.m. on January 2."

The bodies brought by coast



The Marold II before it was destroyed in an explosion in 1937. (Courtesy photo)

guards, were identified Sunday as Everett and Raymond Cole by Dr. D.S. Nettleton, dentist. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon from the Methodist church and burial was at Brookside cemetery. Both men are survived by their widows and Raymond a small son, in addition to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Garret Cole, of Nomad, Beaver Island, and other relatives.

Bruce McDonough is survived by his young widow and an infant daughter, besides his parents, brothers and sisters and other relatives. Capt. Hill, who at one time owned the Hill Steamboat Co., of Kenosha, Wis., had been operating the Marold II on the Beaver Island run for several years. He at one time was also part

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owner of the Hill-White Transit Co., of Milwaukee, Wis. His company operated the freighters Sheboygan, Waukegan, Kenosha, City of Marquette, and other boats between Chicago, Milwaukee, and upper Lake Michigan points. The company went out of business in 1928. Hill is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Mark Kindt, Mrs. Ruby Wons, wife of Tony Wons, Chicago radio entertainer, of Kenosha, Wis.; and Mrs. John Hazel, of Prescott, Ariz.; also a son, W.E. Hill, of Grand Haven.

Everett Cole, recognized as one of Beaver Island's most prominent and aggressive business men, owned the Strang Hotel and a garage at St. James, besides other large real estate holdings. He was a majority stockholder in the Beaver Island Transit Co., and associated with him were his brother, Raymond, Bruce McDonough and brother, Lloyd. The interest of Nels Lafreniere had been but recently acquired. The organization owned the freighter Rambler and was purchasing the Marold II from the Hills. An airplane acquired last winter furnished transportation of mail and passengers when ice tied up boat navigation. Cole held a four-year government contract to carry the island mail. Only last week he had established and office here to carry on his numerous business enterprises.

The transit company had been salvaging gasoline from the tanker Boyd for about six weeks. Until last week the operations were carried on by the Rambler, which is understood to have made 24 trips, carrying 9,000 gallons each trip. With ice threatening to stop operations, the Marold, regularly assigned to mail and freight service between Charlevoix and St. James, was transferred to the job because of its steel hull and larger capacity. The Marold had made one trip, carrying and estimated load of 17,000 gallons. The gasoline was being sold locally and in adjoining counties, and other

consignments were taken as far as Cleveland, O., by truck.

Early reports following explosion of the Marold II were to the effect that several local persons were aboard the boat. Later investigation proved them false, although revealing that perhaps fate alone saved at least a half dozen Charlevoixians from death. New Year's being a holiday, several had planned to accompany the Marold on a sight-seeing trip. That they failed to be at the ship for its early departure proved a happy coincidence.

That Charlevoix was fortunate in still another respect is gained through the report of a Brevort resident named Gustafsen on the force of the explosion which destroyed the Marold. Gustafsen claimed to have witnessed the tragedy from the north shore mainland, a distance of 10 miles. Stated the blast shook the ground at that point. Looked at from this angle, it is not hard to picture what might have happened if the explosion had occurred when the Marold was unloading gas at the foot of Mason street.

Investigation by the federal marine inspection service was an aftermath of the tragedy.

License of the freighter Rambler, which was to replace the Marold II on the Beaver Island run, was suspended by Inspectors Bernie Gellick and Hugh Mulligan, of Grand Haven, until the boat is steamed out to remove traces of gasoline accumulated in the salvage operations. The inspectors found the Rambler's hold saturated with gasoline which, due to its content of lubricating oil, was said to be slow in evaporating. Until the Rambler passes inspection, fish boats will be used for transportation between the mainland and Beaver Island.

In regards to the Marold II, the inspectors were quoted as having stated that while criminal negligence was apparent due to the fact operators of the Marold failed to observe even the most ordinary precautions in handling the gasoline, no charges would follow.

Charlevoix schools' lunch menu

Charlevoix Public Schools lunch schedule for the month of January is as follows:

- Jan. 3-Chicken noodle soup with grilled cheese.
- Jan. 4-Ravioli.
- Jan. 5-Chicken nuggets.
- Jan. 8-Shepherd's pie.
- Jan. 9-Chicken sandwich.
- Jan. 10-Hot dog with macaroni and cheese.
- Jan. 11-Cheeseburgers.
- Jan. 12-Cook's choice.

- Jan. 15-Nachos with meat and cheese.
- Jan. 16-Corn dogs.
- Jan. 17-Spaghetti.
- Jan. 18-Chicken casserole.
- Jan. 19-No lunch.
- Jan. 22-Hot ham and cheese.
- Jan. 23-Quesadillas.
- Jan. 24-Chili with macaroni and cheese.
- Jan. 25-Subs.
- Jan. 26-Chicken nuggets.

- Jan. 29-Tacos.
- Jan. 30-Hot turkey with mashed potatoes.
- Jan. 31-Chicken sandwich.

A la carte: Chef salad, pizza, chicken salad, French fries, breadsticks, nachos chips with cheese, soup, cheeseburgers.

Breakfast: Cereal, yogurt, egg, sausage, muffins, pop tarts, bagels with cream cheese, fruit, milk and juice.

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Inside...

Winter swim

A couple of snowmobilers went through the ice on Lake Charlevoix last week. They were ok, but their rented snowmobile had to be pulled out, which is usually a pretty costly job.

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Little anglers



Several Charlevoix children are learning they do not have to put away their fishing equipment in the winter.

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A look back



Charlevoix resident Clayton Smith will soon be contributing to the Scrapbook section of the newspaper.

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Two killed in US-31 accident

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor and
By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Icy roads caused a four vehicle accident that claimed the life of a 11-year-old Charlevoix boy and a 67-year-old Bay View woman and sent two others to the hospital with serious injuries around 9 p.m. Saturday on US-31, just north of Burgess Road.

According to the Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater, the accident occurred when a Dodge Caravan driven by Elijah R. Pace,

16, of Charlevoix, lost control on icy roads, crossed the centerline and was struck by a Jeep Wrangler driven by Brian J. Hater, 19, of Ironton, traveling in the opposite lane.

Hater's vehicle left the roadway and struck a snowbank.

The Caravan was then hit broadside by a Toyota Camry driven by Gaylor Jones, 68, of Bay View. Gaylor's passenger, Joyce Bailey Jones, 67, of Bay View, was killed and pronounced dead at the scene.

The Caravan was struck a third time by a Ford Taurus driven by Nicholas L. Dennison, 18, of Walloon Lake.

Luke T. Pace, 11, of Charlevoix and a Northwest Academy student, was pronounced dead at the scene. He was a passenger in Elijah's vehicle.

As of Monday, Elijah and Gaylor were both in intensive care at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey with multiple injuries, including closed-head injuries.

None of the occupants in the Hater or Dennison vehicles were injured.

According to Lasater, all of the victims were wearing their seatbelts at the time of the accident.

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Luke T. Pace in his fishing gear. (Courtesy photo)

Local man dies in automobile accident Jan. 3

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

A traffic accident around noon on Jan. 3 near the intersection of Boyne City and Charlevoix roads claimed the life of a 92-year-old Hayes Township man and sent two women to the hospital.



Stewart Boal

Stewart Boal was killed after he lost control of his vehicle on snowy roads and it slid into the path of another vehicle driven by Gwen Rauch of Hayes Township.

Gwen and Shawna Rauch, a passenger in the vehicle, were taken to Charlevoix Area Hospital, treated and released. However, Shawna was pregnant at the time of the accident and gave birth shortly after. Her baby was sent to Northern Michigan Hospital.

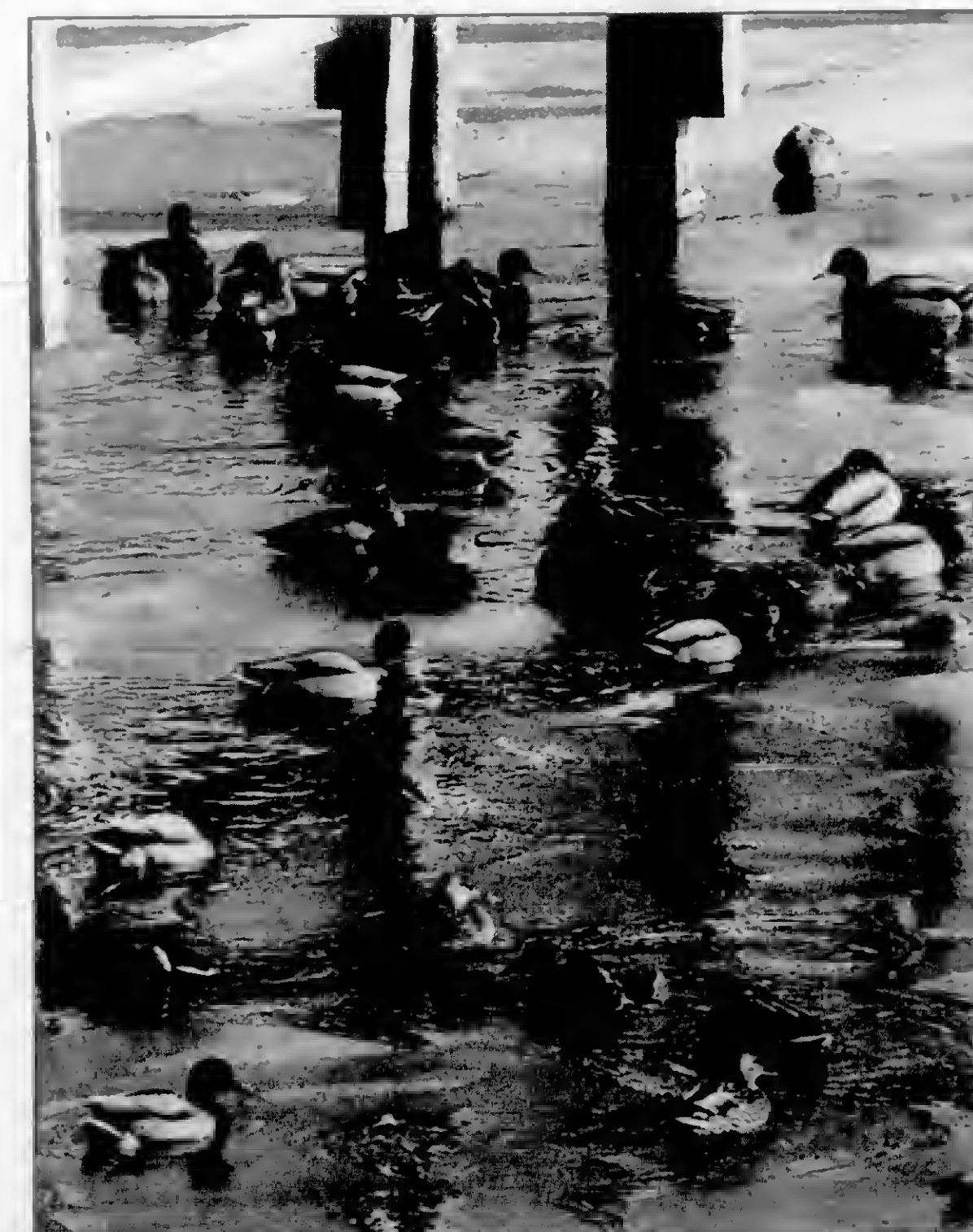
According to Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater, the accident was similar in many ways to one that killed a 26-year-old Charlevoix Township woman just before Christmas on US-31. In both accidents, the cause was attributed to road conditions and the person killed was the driver of the vehicle that lost control.

"No one was doing anything wrong. There was no excessive speed or no bad driving," Lasater said. "In both of the accidents, as I responded to them, even I was doing some sliding."

Everyone involved in this crash was wearing their seatbelts at the time.

Lasater said these two accidents show unless your travel is urgent, it is best to wait for the road conditions to improve before venturing out.

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Frozen fowl

As Round Lake starts to freeze over, these ducks near the city marina may be discovering it's harder to swim in the water when it is ice. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Hunter Newton Kirby, 19, Flagstaff, Ariz. Minor operating a vehicle with blood alcohol content of .02-.07 percent. Six months probation; 60 hours of community service work; \$395 in fines and costs.

Michael Jason Peck, 22, East Jordan. Disturbing the peace. Fines and costs totaling \$200.

David Thomas Matz, 46, Boyne Falls. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Stacy Lynn Skippergosh, 17, Charlevoix. Larceny, less than \$200. Six months probation; \$231.50 in fines and costs.

Kobie Marshall Solomon, 23, Bloomfield Hills. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$685.

Kevin Robert Kleaver, 37, Walloon Lake. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 37 days held in abeyance; \$965 in fines and costs.

Nathan William Zukowski, 17, Charlevoix. Delivering and manufacturing of a controlled substance, marijuana. Bound over to circuit court.

James Paul Powell, 28, Houghton Lake Heights. Assault with a dangerous weapon; and receiving and concealing stolen property more than \$1,000, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

Foster Dennis Boshans, 27, Saginaw. Second degree criminal sexual conduct-relationship. Bound over to circuit court.

Sherwyn Anthony Williams, 33, Kewadin. Disorderly and obscene conduct. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Warning

Open water maintained around dock on the shore of Lake Charlevoix between Pine Point and Oyster Bay.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Snow
Jan. 2	25	17	—
Jan. 3	28	21	1.5"
Jan. 4	28	21	1.5"
Jan. 5	37	26	2"
Jan. 6	37	25	trace
Jan. 7	28	22	1.5"
Jan. 8	22	3	3"

Ben D. Clendening III, 19, Indianapolis, Ind. Minor in possession of alcohol. Thirty hours of community service work; \$180 in fines and costs.

Daniel Edward Manes, 26, Boyne City. First degree home invasion; and assault, bodily harm, less than murder. Bound over to circuit court.

Jeffrey Bryan Hart, 20, East Jordan. Unlawful use of a motor vehicle; driving while license suspended; and larceny, less than \$200. Bound over to circuit court.

Joseph Gregory Bernson, 37, Highland. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Geraldine Lynn Zaremski, 45, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 46 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$915 in fines and costs.

Joseph William Wingo was born to William and Oneda Wingo of Charlevoix on Dec. 29 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Joseph weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces at birth.

Madalene Marie Stoops was born to Michael and Monica Stoops of Charlevoix on Jan. 5 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Madalene weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce at birth.

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Patrick John Gibbons, eight pounds, 13 ounces, 22 inches long, was born Dec. 28 in Grand Rapids to Christopher M. and Kay Lynn Gibbons. Grandparents are Norbert and Alvina Scharenbroch of Charlevoix, C. Marilyn Gibbons of Charlevoix and the late Michael A. Gibbons.

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Births

Emmet Karl Morgridge was born to Jeffrey and Lenore Morgridge of Charlevoix on Dec. 30 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Emmet weighed 5 pounds, 12 ounces at birth.

Kyle Rion Rauch was born to Michael and Shawna Rauch of Bronson on Jan. 3 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Kyle weighed 4 pounds, 10 ounces at birth.

Emma Ann, was born Dec. 20 to Randall and Elizabeth Smith of Kentwood. Emma weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces and was 20 inches long. Grandparents are Clayton and Kay Smith of Charlevoix and Charles and Thelma Smith of Eastley, S.C.

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First baby of the new year in Charlevoix

The first baby to be born at Charlevoix Area Hospital in 2001 was a boy named Skyler Maurice Spangler.

Skyler was born at 3:52 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2001, in Charlevoix Area Hospital's single-room birthing center. His parents are Amy Hunter of East Jordan and Jim Spangler of Ellsworth.

Their son, Skyler Maurice, weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces and measured 21 inches long. He is the couple's first baby.

The baby's maternal grandparents are Susan and Kim Hunter, and paternal grandparents are Sandy and James Spangler.



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To help the couple celebrate the birth of their child in the new millennium, the hospital gave the family a gift basket full of donated items from the hospital and area businesses. (Above) The proud parents pose with their new baby and a basket of gifts. (Courtesy photo)

Correction

In the Jan. 3 edition of the Charlevoix Courier, the story about the marina project on page 11 should have read, "Puhl said the environmental group feels that the proposed 440 feet the docks will extend is beyond what is necessary."

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Star School case one of a string of crimes

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A recent incident of property destruction in Eveline Township spurred an investigation that lead to the arrest of four East Jordan area males who will be charged not only with the ransacking of the school house, but also with a laundry list of other crimes.

The most recent incident the "young adult" perpetrators were involved in was at the Star School House, a community facility on the corner of Wern Road and Loomis Road where they inflicted an estimated \$10,000 in damage.

However, according to Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater over New Year's weekend deputies heard confessions from all the men involved, including the mention of their role in multiple other incidents reported within the last six months.

The men were caught as a result of evidence, confessions and tips from outside sources.

A press release printed by the sheriff's department, records uncovering of the men's involvement in five home invasions, eight breakings and enterings, 24 larcenies, seven mailbox bombings and malicious destruction of property to

traffic signs/lights and several deer poachings.

Deputies seized a sawed off rifle, seven pipe bombs and a quantity of commercial high explosives as well as recovering approximately \$5,000 in property taken from the home invasions, breaking and enterings and larcenies.

Suspects also confessed to eight home invasions on Drummond Island and the malicious destruction of a vehicle on M-134 near Cedarville, the sheriff's department said.

The suspects were arrested Sunday and were formerly charged with the aforementioned crimes

yesterday.

The three felony charges carry heavy maximum sentences. The charge of using explosives to damage property carries a maximum 20 year sentence. The home invasion charge is punishable by a 15 year maximum sentence and the breaking and entering charges may result in a 10 year maximum sentence.

Gene Farley, a member of the Star School House Historical Society said that he was glad to hear the incident at the community building was their "stumbling block."

"The Star School happened to be their downfall. If that's what it took to catch them and get them off the

street then you have to look at the flip side of the coin, they were caught before someone got hurt. That seemed to be the direction they were headed in," Farley said.

Lasater said he would like to recognize the stalwart efforts of Deputy Sheriff Rex Behling, Deputy Sheriff Sherry Sproul and Detective Sergeant Don Sproul who were involved in this investigation.

"The citizens of Charlevoix County should be very proud of these officers who worked diligently for several days to solve these crimes, even working beyond their duty hours," he added.

Snowmobilers go through the ice near Ironton launch

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Father and son snowmobilers ventured out onto Lake Charlevoix near the Ironton boat launch off of Fifth Street and learned the hard way that the ice was not thick enough to sustain their weight.

"It is most definitely too early to be out on the ice," Fire Department Shift Commander and incident rescue responder Lyle Gennett said.

The Charlevoix Fire Department received a call from William H. Klingbeil at 11:42 a.m. Dec. 31. Klingbeil said that he and his son Fred Klingbeil of Cleveland, Ohio together riding one rented snow machine, had recently fallen through the ice but both were ok.

According to Gennett, Klingbeil was concerned because his helmet was left beside the hole where they had gone through — he didn't want anyone to get the wrong idea.

William Klingbeil said that he and his son had rented the machine earlier that morning and were riding along the shoreline for approximately five miles when they ventured out a little further and the ice gave.

He said that they had seen ice shanties about a mile and a half out and thought that if the ice was thick enough to sustain the weight of the shanty it would hold the snow machine, him and his son.

"This was the first time I had been swimming in Lake Charlevoix in four years," Klingbeil said.

He added that he was very thankful to be riding with his son who was able to pull him out. The two then crawled across the ice, back to shore, where a fisherman who had seen them go through was waiting to help.

The fire department arrived on scene and marked the hole where the sled had gone through. Gennett said they do this to warn others of the hole.

Gennett added that the ice in this particular incident had cracked and split beyond the initial hole and the area itself was extremely unstable and not suited for walking on.

He said that the practice of marking the hole with trees may be changed in the near future. A colorful flag is more easily distinguished, he said. In the past, from far away people have confused the tree itself as being a snowmobile.

The 1998 rented Ski-Doo was submerged in 40 feet of water until a recovery team arrived Thursday and pulled it out.

"It looked expensive," Klingbeil said of the machine's appearance after being recovered.

He said that two divers arrived with a truck. One diver went down and attached "balloons" to the machine which subsequently surfaced. They then attached a long rope to



the snowmobile and pulled it out using a truck.

Klingbeil will be returning to Florida for the rest of the winter but will be back in Charlevoix this summer, he has summered here for 60 years.

"In my opinion people should not be out on the ice with them (snowmobiles) hardly at all. When out on the water you don't know what you could be getting into. There is a lot of land around to ride on. They shouldn't have to ride on the water," Gennett said.

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We couldn't have done it without you! We would also like to thank all of the people who made donations for the event and to those who supported us by attending. May you all have a safe and happy new year.

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OPINIONS

Filling spot on council too easy

You have to love how easy it is for the Charlevoix City Council to replace an outgoing member.

They don't seem to have to ask if anyone would like to apply for the position, give a little time to accept applicants, carefully study them and nominate a person they feel would be willing to assume the responsibilities of a vacated elected office.

All this council has to do is appoint someone they know is interested in a position on council at the same meeting the seat opens up. As for the ward represented by the seat, there is no need to have any others living in it apply for the position, because City Council doesn't need applications or input from voters to decide.

What we are talking about is the recent appointment of Charlevoix resident Bernie DeVries to the city council seat originally held by Valerie Barnes. Barnes, who ran unopposed for the seat in November, had to resign at the last council meeting because she will be moving outside the ward she represents.

DeVries, a former city council member who also had to resign when he moved out of his former ward, was appointed to the seat the same night Barnes vacated it. According to Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell, he knew DeVries was

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interested in another position and when Barnes' seat opened up, it happened to be in a ward DeVries lives in. So Russell asked him if he would like it.

Now, DeVries is known to have been a pretty good council member in the past and may even be great in his newly appointed seat on council. That is not the problem.

The problem is, what about the other voters in that ward? Recently, a council seat was vacant in Traverse City, but that council did not just appoint someone to the seat as soon as it opened up. That council asked for applications from residents interested in this open seat and decided how to fill it from there.

Charlevoix voters in the ward formerly represented by Barnes were not given that opportunity. They were not even given the opportunity to voice their opinion on who they would like as representation.

The decision was made for them and in the matter of one meeting they had a new representative on city council.

This leaves us wondering, "Why the rush?"

It also leaves a city ward with a representative they did not vote into office for the next two years and had no other say on.

Letters to the editor

Downtown not accessible to the handicap

Editor:
Growing up in Charlevoix, I remember a woman by the name of Fran Martin who was confined to a wheelchair. Many will remember her as well.

Fran used to go everywhere in her electric wheelchair; well almost everywhere.

On many occasions when a rain would pop in, Fran would be sitting under the awning of one of the downtown businesses. As a child I used to think she must just enjoy sitting outside and watching the rain come down.

Now many years later I see things much clearer. I have multiple sclerosis and much of the time I'm in a wheelchair.

We were downtown many times last summer. There are very few stores wheelchair accessible. At one point I came out of a store I was able to go in but upon exiting my chair got caught in a loose area of the exit and I went on my face.

The park rest room that the blue

wheelchair access sign is not meant for those truly handicapped. The slope on the accesses crossing streets at the lights is not really safe.

I would like to see the city council men take an afternoon this spring, sit in wheelchairs and spend the day using the main streets of Charlevoix, try to shop or use the restrooms as a handicapped person.

Charlevoix is worried about tearing down buildings for park space. Let's first bring the town up to date and make it truly wheelchair accessible.

Patricia L. Bruce
Ellsworth

Thank you

Editor:
We wish to thank the many individuals, businesses and their employees for their most generous response to the Marine Corps Reserve program, Toys for Tots. Due to your generosity many children, from babies to 18 years old, had an enjoyable Christmas.

The toys were sorted and bags

filled for local distribution from lists we had obtained from local sources. The overage was then forwarded to the Petoskey Salvation Army for distribution among their lists of children.

This year's program was a huge success. Thanks to you, who donated presents, money and time.

Charlie Butcher
Marine Corps League
Northern Michigan Detachment

Thank you

Editor:
Now that golf season is on the horizon for 2001; and in considering the impact that local players and community sponsors have had supporting familiar causes, I'd like to offer heart-felt applause to all those who for 25 years have facilitated the annual "Always Open" which benefits the Bergmann Center.

With continued enthusiasm our toumey will go on and on. An honorable mention goes to Frank Mowrey, Jerry Battle and Lee Stadt.

Warren W. Belding
Charlevoix

Local meetings

Charlevoix City Council meets the first and third Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at City Hall.

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners meets for regular sessions on the second Wednesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. and on the fourth Wednesday monthly at 7 p.m. in the County Building Annex.

Charlevoix Township Board meets the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, 107 Waller Rd., Charlevoix.

Eveline Township Board meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, Ferry Road in East Jordan.

Hayes Township Board meets the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, N. Old US 31 Highway, Bay Shore.

Marion Township Board meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, Marion Center Rd., Charlevoix.

Norwood Township Board meets the third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, 19759 Lake St., Charlevoix.

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Snow accumulation already over last year's total in area

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

From October through half of the first week in the new year the local weather station recorded that Charlevoix had already been dumped on by more snow than all of last winter combined.

According to a database maintained by the Water Treatment Plant, as of Jan. 4 Charlevoix had seen 88 inches of snowfall while during the previous season, October 1999 through April 2000, 85.4 inches of snow fell total.

The average snowfall for Charlevoix in December is 26.6 inches. This year that statistic was blown out of the water — Charlevoix recorded 67.2 inches in December.

The current December numbers are just shy of the month's maximum of 68.1 inches that fell in December of 1989 (statistics tabulated from 1955 to the present.)

The winter of 1989-1990 recorded a total snow fall of 151.3 inches. However, Sam Creswell, cooperative weather observer for the National Weather Service for Charlevoix, said that similar December numbers do not dictate the course snowfall will take for the rest of this winter.

"I wouldn't even guess. It

(the snow) could stop and clear up, that's what happened last year, or it could snow clear into April. If I've learned anything over the years it's that you just don't know what the weather is going to do," he said.

While we are currently seeing snow fall in larger quantities than we are used to Creswell said winters around here are more mild than they were 10-12 years ago.

"I don't feel we've really had as severe winters as 12 years ago. I can't say why. We have had some good snow fall but not a lot of wind. We can handle 10, 12 even 14 inches of snow, but it takes quite a bit to bring everything to a halt," he said.

Some people have said that these "mild winters" may be the cause of low lake levels so, will this season's snow bring our lake water levels back up?

Creswell replied, "Probably not; that would take a lot of snow."

He explained that snow, especially the light and fluffy flakes we have been blanketed in, is not rich in water. He said that in six to seven inches of snow there is approximately 2.2 inches of water.

"There are a lot of inches of snow in an inch of water, but the lake level goes up and down. I'm sure it (the lake lev-

el) will start up again," Creswell said.

Creswell pointed out the winter from 1982-1983 when Charlevoix recorded only 39.6 inches of snow. This was the low from 1955 to present.

Creswell maintains that "mild" winters like that from 1982-83, coupled with the augmented efficiency of the street department, may lead drivers and residents to feel the harsh effects of winter a little less.

Creswell also explained that throughout different months during the season various townships will be hit harder, the mystical phenomenon commonly referred to as "lake effect."

However, he added that as winter wears on and the lake fills with snow and ice the shoreline will get more snow.

Wind direction also plays a role.

Creswell gave the example where the wind direction will cause Hayes Township to see mass snow accumulation and the city will have barely any. He said you can see drastic differences in snow conditions in just five miles.

Each day at the Water Treatment Plant a reading is taken of the high and low temperature, precipitation and snowfall. This information is reported to the National Weather Service once a month.



Strange light

On Tuesday morning a Charlevoix resident reported seeing an explosion south of Beaver Island. After a search of the area, the Coast Guard determined the sight was caused by the moon or another natural phenomenon. (Above) A county sheriff deputy watches the lake for any signs of the explosion. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Official Notice

NOTICE

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their last regular meeting for the year on December 28, 2000, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours. Their Organizational meeting for 2001 has been scheduled for January 13, 2001, at 9:30 a.m.

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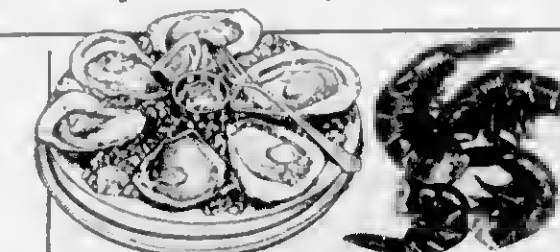
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11-year-old and 67-year-old killed on US-31

ACCIDENT

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"It was really bad (Saturday). I couldn't even travel to the accident scene over 35 mph myself," Lasater said. He stressed alcohol was not a factor in the accident.

According to Luke's mother, Paula Pace, the small boy — who would say he was 4 feet, 11 inches "STILL" — would make up for his size by being big in every other way.

"He was very confident in who he was," Paula said.

She said he was a passionate child who loved his big brothers, animals and music. Of the animals, Luke was a natural horseman who, until he enrolled at Northwest Academy, was "moving to Montana, where he would work on a ranch, drive at 14, fly fish and play his trumpet," Paula said.

Luke was called the grain-boy in the horse barn, where he knew everything that the horses needed.

"He had everything under control

in the barn," Paula said. "He was one with the (horses). We have photos of him actually running with the horses."

Paula spoke of one time when Luke climbed into the middle of a round hay stack and laid down singing, while horses surrounded the stack and ate.

Counselors were on hand Monday at Northwest Academy as students mourned the loss of Luke.

Northwest Academy Principal Steve Bennett said news of the death hit the charter school's close-knit community hard.

As an administrator he has watched Luke grow and has had the honor of in some way shaping that growth, Bennett said. He added that to have lost him was like losing part of the Northwest family.

"In my opinion, he was flawless. He was an excellent student with a neat, spontaneous personality — he was very witty and fun," Bennett said.

Luke's mother enrolled him at Northwest in the fall of 2000. Ac-

cording to Bennett he had since established himself as an accomplished trumpet player and student.

Bennett struggled to hold back tears as he recalled Luke's impeccable solo performance at the Northwest jazz band's Christmas concert.

He stressed the significance of his musical gift and said that Luke's high level of performance was to soon be honored by a transition from the seventh grade band to a coveted chair in the advanced band.

Paula said Luke was fascinated by music, at 11 years old, he could talk about great jazz artists and folk artists.

She said she took him to a Lyle Lovett concert at Interlochen Arts Academy recently and he was "blown away."

"He had never seen a person use their voice and instruments like that," Paula said. "He said, 'Mom, that was so cool.'"

Paula added, while Luke may be gone, he is helping others as his corns and heart valves have been donated to another child.

While Luke's brother Elijah is currently listed in critical condition, Paula believes he will recover.

"I am more concerned about him emotionally," she said.

High school principal Gary Grundman described Elijah as a good kid — a member of both the cross country and track teams and also a member of the band.

"It has been a real challenge this morning (Jan. 8.) It's been a bad year," Grundman said of his difficulty in coping with the reality of the accident and of the other losses the Charlevoix community has endured due to harsh weather conditions.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department was assisted at the scene of the accident by the Charlevoix City



Luke Pace poses with his beloved dog. (Courtesy photo)

Police, Charlevoix City Fire/Rescue, Charlevoix Township Fire Department, Michigan State Police and the Little Traverse Band of Odawa Police.

Paula would like to recognize her son's love for music and animals by having memorial contributions be made to the Northwest Academy Theater Fund or to the Charlevoix County Humane Society.

Boal remembered as energetic, full of ideas

BOAL

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The sheriff's department was assisted at the scene of the Jan. 3 accident by the Charlevoix Township Fire Department, Charlevoix EMS and the Michigan State Police.

Lasater, who knew Boal, said Boal was a very quiet person who was very supportive of the community and always had a nice greeting.

"He was a good solid citizen and a good neighbor. I have never heard anyone say anything bad about him," Lasater said.

Boal's son, Ellis Boal, said his father was very energetic and active. He said, even at 92 years old, Boal was on his way to work when the accident occurred.

"He had a million ideas. He was very merry and everybody loved him. He also really cared about his family," Ellis said.

Boal was a well known businessman in Charlevoix and was the CEO of Pointes North in Charlevoix. He was also known for his athletic feats, one of which was when he won the 100 meter dash at the Michigan USA Track and Field Championships for his age group at 90 years old.

He born on Feb. 21, 1908 in

Winnetka, Ill. When he was 6, he began spending his summers in Charlevoix with his family and worked on a farm.

Boal graduated from North Shore Country Day School in Winnetka, Ill. in 1925 and married his wife Susan (Ballard) in 1938.

In 1940, Boal started his first business, Randolph Laboratories, where he made fire extinguishers and he was the half-owner of a gold mine in Alaska.

Boal bought a farm house in Hayes Township in 1950, where he spend his summers. His winters were spent in Chicago, Ill. He also acquired his father's farm and raised sheep for a while.

In the 1970s, Boal turned the farm into the Windmill Farm Campground and moved to Charlevoix as a permanent resident in 1980. He later sold the land, which is now the Dunmaglas Golf Course.

Boal is survived by his wife, Susan, his sons, Stewart Boal Jr. and his wife Susan, Ellis Boal and his wife Marilyn; his daughter, Nina Duryee Boal and grandsons, Christopher Randall Boal and Stewart "Scott" McKendree Boal.

A memorial service will be given at 4 p.m. Feb. 17 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix.

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Engagement



VanGuilder — Martin

Jessica Ruth VanGuilder and Nathan John-Jacob Martin, both of Charlevoix, recently became engaged to be married.

Jessica is the daughter of Dennis and Dianne VanGuilder of Charlevoix. Nathan is the son of Sherry and Don Sproul of Charlevoix and the late Larry Martin of Cheboygan.

The couple are planning a wedding for Aug. 18 at the Belvedere Club on Lake Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be currently attends Calvin College in Grand Rapids where she is working toward a teaching degree in elementary education. The groom-to-be also attends Calvin College, where he majors in biology while working toward a teaching degree in secondary education.

Official Notice

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS January 02, 2001 - 8:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present. A.J. Witthoef was reappointed as Deputy Mayor.

The resignation of Valerie Barnes from City Council was announced. Council appointed Bernie De Vries to fill the vacancy. The resignation of Kim Van Meter from the Board of Review was announced.

Council reappointed Gary Anderson and June Cross to the Board of Appeals. Council members Bill Bellows and Gabe Campbell will serve again on the Board of Review. Robert Mettler was also reappointed to the Board of Review. Robert Timms was appointed to fill the vacancy on the Board of Review.

Mayor Russell reappointed Hal Hill to the Compensation Commission and Roger Knutson to the Shade Tree Commission.

Adoption of the Resolution authorizing the Mayor and City Clerk to execute an agreement of sale between the City of Charlevoix and Edward and Joan Buday for purchase of property adjacent to Marion Center Road approved unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

Cable upgrades another three weeks off in town

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Many Charlevoix residents south of the bridge who were told they were getting new cable channels by Dec. 1, 2000, are finding they must wait a little longer.

Last fall, Charter Communications, the cable provider in Charlevoix, informed its customers that they would be getting 12 new channels at the beginning of December.

However, at that time, only residents north of the bridge in Charlevoix received the channels. Residents on the south side of the bridge were told they must wait until Dec. 31.

Now, according to Charter

spokesperson Heidi Argue, that wait has been extended for three more weeks due to weather and contractor delays.

She said in order for the cable company to provide the new channels to its customers, the cable system in Charlevoix had to be completely rebuilt. While it has been rebuilt on the northside of town, the southside has not.

"Contractors are working on a daily basis to get the system rebuilt," she said.

Argue added, as contractors complete sections of the system, some southside residents may see the new channels before others.

"This has been a very long time coming and is long overdue," she said.

Additionally, Argue said she is not aware of any price increases in the Charlevoix area related to these improvements in cable service yet.

Once the new system is installed, Charter customers in Charlevoix will receive The Outdoor Life Network, CNBC, Odyssey, Court TV, HGTV, Sci-Fi Channel, Animal Planet, Ewin, Speedvision, Bravo, The Travel Channel and Soapnet.

Channels are chosen according to consumer requests and what is available to the cable company in the area, Argue said. She added the company tries to balance the type of channels in order to provide something for all of their customers.

For more information on the new channels or the service, call Charter at (800) 545-0994.

Snowmobile ride-in to be this Saturday

The Charlevoix Snowmobile Club will sponsor the second annual Snowmobile Ride-in from noon to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

The ride-in participants will rendezvous at the Ferry Avenue beach/boat launch parking lot.

All riders are invited to warm up by the bonfire and enjoy free hot dogs, chili, hot chocolate

and coffee. There will be drawings throughout the afternoon for door prizes donated by area merchants.

The Convention and Visitors Bureau will also be giving away a \$50 gift certificate, good for lodging at any bureau member's lodging facility.

For any further information,

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Obituaries

Stewart Boal: Feb. 21, 1908 - Jan. 3, 2001

Stewart Boal, 92, died in a car crash on a snowy Charlevoix-Boyne City Road Wednesday morning, Jan. 3, 2001 on his way to work.

He was born in Winnetka, Ill., on Feb. 21, 1908. When 6 years old he began spending summers in Charlevoix at family property on the north side of Lake Charlevoix (then called Pine Lake.) With his brothers and sister he worked on the farm across the road for half a day and the rest of the day swam and boated on our beautiful lake. He worked hard, played hard and learned a lot.

He graduated from North Shore Country Day School in Winnetka in 1925. While a senior, he with a friend and a couple of guides, climbed Mount Edith Cavell, one of the highest on our continent. His Harvard class was 1929. He then was a "man about town" in Chicago until his marriage to Susan Ballard on April 20, 1938.

He started his own company in 1940, Randolph Laboratories, where a variety of fire extinguishers were made. The company prospered during World War II (a fire extinguisher in every tank) and the family grew with two sons and a daughter.

For a year and a half in the '40s he co-owned a gold mine in Candle, Alaska.

In 1950 his father, Ayres Boal, divided the lakefront property among his four children. At that time Stewart bought an old farm house built by a Methodist minister around 1880. It was situated high on a hill, across the road about a mile away. With energy and persistence he arranged to have

the house moved and brought to its present location, surrounded by cedars, spruce and pines, with its beautiful view of the lake, especially the sunsets. They named it "Stewart's Folie."

Early in his Chicago career he started the Snow Chase Club, having become enamored of skiing during one high school year in Switzerland. The club was a smash hit with all of the Midwest wannabe skiers, and made many trips to LaCrosse, Wis., where Stewart had built the first rope tow in the Midwest.

Meanwhile, he and Susan were riding avidly to the hounds (drag hunt style) in outlying Chicago meadows and forests in the fall. In Charlevoix in the summers they had horses for the growing number of cousins who spent their summers in beautiful Hayes Township. For more fun and games, they had a lovely 27-foot sloop, Mimosa, to enjoy on local waters and even up to the North Channel.

Stewart acquired his father's farm (his choice) where he raised sheep in growing numbers, but alas kept losing money. So, the sheep were sold and in the '70s Windmill Farm Campground was inaugurated. The Boals ran it for 10 years with varying degrees of success. They had never camped a day or night in their lives, and so had to start from scratch. Meanwhile, Stewart and Susan had moved to Charlevoix as permanent residents in 1980.

Finally getting too old for the heavy-duty life, the farm property was sold, and it has now become

Dunmaglas Golf Course.

Stewart's last major sporting adventure was at 90 years old, running the 100m dash for athletes aged 90 plus at the Michigan USA Track and Field Championships. He won!

His last business venture was the Pointes North Inn in Charlevoix. A few years ago Stewart and Susan went there thinking of buying a unit to use in the wintertime, where they would be out of the woods and into civilization. What happened? He bought one unit, then another, and another, until finally he became the CEO of his new venture. And what happened to the Boals? They still lived at Stewart's Folie in the woods and happily so.

Stewart is survived by his wife of 62 years, Susan Ballard Boal; two sons, Stewart Boal, Jr., and his wife, Susan Hutchins, and Ellis Ballard Boal and his wife, Marilyn Morehead; a daughter, Nina Duryee Boal; and two grandchildren, Christopher Randall Boal and Stewart (Scott) McKendree Boal.

For those who wish to give a gift in his memory, please consider Planned Parenthood, 1003 Spring Street, Petoskey, MI 49770; First Congregational Church, 101 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720; Crooked Tree Arts Council, 461 East Mitchell, Petoskey, MI 49770.

A memorial service will be at 4 p.m. Feb. 17 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix, with supper to follow at 5 p.m.

On March 17 the interment will take place at Christ Church in Winnetka, Ill.

Donald D. Miller: Died Dec. 26, 2000

Donald D. Miller, 70, of East Jordan died Tuesday, Dec. 26, 2000 in Leesburg, Fla.

Funeral services were on Jan. 4 at the First Baptist Church in Charlevoix. Pastor Michael Dennis will officiate. Interment will be in Sunset Hill Cemetery, East Jordan.

He was born in Ripon, Wisconsin, the son of Otto and Bertha (Duehring) Miller. He served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict. He was married 46 years to Jeanette. They moved to Charlevoix in 1978 and then to East Jordan in 1990.

Donald was the founder of the Ben Franklin Stores in Charlevoix, Mancelona and East Jordan. He was the current owner of the True Value Store in East Jordan.

He attended the First Baptist Church in Charlevoix. He enjoyed woodworking and fishing.

Donald is survived by his wife, Jeanette Miller of East Jordan; two sons, Daniel (Faye) Miller of East Jordan and Dale (Kaye) Miller of Charlevoix; four grandchildren, David Miller, Julie Miller, Sara Miller and Donald D. Miller, II; one great grandchild, Shayleigh

Kaye Miller; three brothers, Earl (Norma) Miller of Leesburg, Fla., Gordon (Marge) Miller of Cape Coral, Fla., and Milton (Ruth) Miller of Green Lake, Wis.; three sisters, Ethel Kolehmainen of Leesburg, Florida, Eileen (John) Radke of Leesburg, Florida, and Bette (Don) Lazono of Woodland Hills, Calif.; as well as many nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the First Baptist Church Ministry Center in Charlevoix or the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Betty Lou Walker: April 22, 1928 - Jan. 2, 2001

Betty Lou Walker, 72, of East Jordan died Jan. 2, 2001 at Grandview Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

Funeral services were on Jan. 6, 2001 at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan. Reverend E. James Gunn of the Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix officiated. Interment will be in the Sunset Hill Cemetery in East Jordan.

She was born on April 22, 1928 in Fort Wayne, Ind., the daughter of Leo B. and Wilma M. (Dickinson) Wilcox. On Dec. 1, 1956 in Charlotte, she married Burl Walker. He preceded her in death on July 14,

1969.

Mrs. Walker taught first grade at the East Jordan Public Schools from 1967 until her retirement in 1991. She had received an associate degree in business from Albion College and later received her B.A. from Michigan State University in the early 1970s.

Mrs. Walker was active at Raven Hill Discovery Center in East Jordan since its inception and in the Rainbow Shoppe in Charlevoix. She was a member of the Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix and Michigan Education Association. She was also

the president of the regional unit of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel (MARSF) She enjoyed crafts and gardening.

She is survived by two children, Martin (Kathy) Walker of Ironton and Mary Jo (John) Antaya, both of Charlevoix; one brother, Robert Wilcox of Owosso; one sister, Harriett (Glenn) Kardel of Salinas, Calif.; as well as several nephews. She was also preceded in death by her parents.

Memorials may be given to the Raven Hill Discovery Center, 4503 Fuller Road, East Jordan, MI 49727.

Make Time to Worship

Charlevoix Area Church Services

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Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.	Sunday School	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121 or -9765
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
BAIRD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Baikard at Klosser Road		FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAY SHORE US 31 North	
Church School	8:45 a.m.	Worship & Children's Worship	9:00 a.m.
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Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	547-5269		
BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 1407 Bridge Street		FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST State St. at Park Ave.	
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Sunday Worship	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study	10:30 a.m.	(winter)	11:00 a.m.
Pastor: Michael Teuscher		Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
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Worship Service	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Service	10:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Pastor: Rev. Cosie Allen	547-9501 or -7916
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DeVries named to Barnes' former council seat

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Bernie DeVries, 55, of Charlevoix will be replacing Valerie Barnes, in representing the first ward in the Charlevoix City Council.

"I feel honored that the mayor and council thought enough of me to appoint me to serve the remainder of the term," DeVries said. He was appointed after Barnes resigned from her seat on council due to her pending marriage that will take her out of the ward.

Barnes said that she knew she

may have to resign when she got engaged in August but was hoping that she and her fiancée would be able to find a home in the city. But she said they "couldn't work it out."

She formally let her decision be known Jan. 2.

Barnes handed her letter of resignation to each member of council just before the Jan. 2 council meeting got underway. DeVries was appointed to the first ward seat by the end of the meeting.

Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell said that Barnes had contacted him the morning of Jan. 2 to inform him that she had planned to submit her

resignation at that evening's meeting.

Russell said that DeVries had already served on council, representing the third ward, but had relocated to the first ward. DeVries said that after the move he was still interested in serving on council but liked first ward representatives, Barnes and Norman "Boogie" Carlson.

He said he was content to wait for a spot to open.

Russell said that he knew of DeVries' interest in the position and called him after speaking with Barnes. Russell added that DeVries' experience played a major role in the council's decision to appoint him and Barnes agreed.

"I'm happy with Bernie. It was easier to resign knowing that Bernie would be taking my place," Barnes said.

While waiting for an opportunity to serve again on council DeVries joined the planning commission. After accepting the first ward council seat, he had to resign from his post on the planning commission. Barnes was reelected in the November primary and DeVries will be completing the two years remaining in her term.

"I look forward to getting more done on the Michigan Beach project," DeVries said.

When asked whether or not he is in support of the city's plan to build a viewing platform at the site of the old water tower DeVries responded, "I'll see what the city has planned, maybe there will be enough contention to shelf it. There is no use putting something in if the people don't want it."

DeVries was sworn in at Charlevoix City Hall on Jan. 4.



Bernie DeVries takes the oath of public office. He is filling the former council member Valerie Barnes seat on the Charlevoix City Council. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Alice Marie Skeberdis: Dec. 20, 1912 - Dec. 21, 2000

Alice Marie Skeberdis, 88, died Dec. 21, 2000 at Lapeer Regional Hospital.

She was born Dec. 20, 1912 in Sleeping Bear, the daughter of Pearl (Egle) and Captain Francis C. Partridge, USCG, and raised in Charlevoix.

In 1934, she graduated from Central Michigan Teachers College (University). In the 1960s she received her Masters of Education from Michigan State University.

On June 12, 1936 she married Peter Skeberdis in Charlevoix. Living at first in Lapeer, they moved to Imlay City in 1942.

Alice was a Past Worthy Matron of the Imlay City Friendship Chap-

ter of Eastern Star, a member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ, a life member of National Science Teachers Association, a life member of the Alumni Associations of Central Michigan University and Michigan State University, a life member of Michigan Retired Teachers and a member of the Michigan Education Association. She taught at Borland Road Elementary School in Imlay City, retiring in the spring of 1978.

Surviving family members are her six children, Peter (Janet) Skeberdis of Fremont, Alice (Dr. J.S.) Kim of Ann Arbor, Margaret (Bob) Gittel of Lapeer, Alexandra (Dennis) Geniac of East Tawas, Esther

(Dr. Peter) Pawlowicz of Johnson City, Tenn., and David Skeberdis of Aurora, Ill.; 10 grandchildren: Peter Ned (Jeanette) Skeberdis, John Skeberdis, Alice Kim, Margaret Kim, Ann Kim, Chris (Gemma) Nilsen, Peter Nilsen, Carl Nilsen, Glen Nilsen and Susan Nilsen; five great-grandchildren; brother, Rev. Francis Partridge of Boyne City and sister Dorothy Hinckley of Kalamazoo.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Peter Skeberdis; a grandson, Jimmy Gittel, and her sister, Marj Smith.

A funeral service was given on Dec. 28 at Muir Brothers Funeral Home in Imlay City.

Rachel Jean Veenstra: July 16, 1917 - Jan. 5, 2001

Rachel Jean Veenstra, 83, a lifetime resident of Charlevoix died Jan. 5, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Funeral service was 11 a.m., Jan. 8 at the Charlevoix Community Church of God. The Rev. Neil Turner and the Rev. Larry Grooters officiated. A burial will take place in Brookside Cemetery.

Rachel was born on July 16, 1917, the daughter of Ray and Alice (Wyman) Whitley. She attended Charlevoix Area High School graduating in 1934.

She met Minert (Mike) Veenstra at the Ellsworth Church in 1935 and later was married on July 17, 1937 in Traverse City. The couple lived in Ellsworth for a time,

returning to Charlevoix in 1962.

Rachel worked for American Mold for 18 years retiring in 1972, and some of her fondest memories are of her coworkers.

She was a member of the Community Church of God, where she taught Sunday School for 30 plus years and was loved and adored for her Sunday School parties. She was a member of the Church of God Women's Missionary Society and served as the Chaplain to the Charlevoix Area Hospital where she left her imprint on many peoples lives.

Survivors include her husband, Mike of Charlevoix; two sons, Miner "Mick" and his wife Kathleen of South Lyon,

Al and his wife Nancy of Jonesville; one daughter, Myrna Boss and her husband Ken of Charlevoix.

She cherished and lived for her seven grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

She is also survived by two brothers, Jim Whitley Sr. and Ray Whitley both of Charlevoix.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Hilda Landis; a brother, Jerry Whitley; and a nephew Jigs Whitley.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Community Church of God. Envelopes are available at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix where the family received friends Jan. 7.

15-year-old injured in Marion Center accident

A 15-year-old Charlevoix girl was treated for minor injuries following a one vehicle crash around 12 p.m. Jan. 7 on Marion Center Road, approximately one quarter mile south of Clark Road.

Samantha Joseph, of Charlevoix, was traveling south in a 1996 Dodge Caravan when she lost control as she entered a curve.

The van left the roadway and struck a large tree head on. The van bounced off the tree and slid backwards across Marion Center before coming to rest on the opposite shoulder.

Both airbags deployed upon impact, but Joseph complained of head pain. She was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital by a Charlevoix City Ambulance where she was treated and released.

Her passenger Steven Closs, 31, also of Charlevoix, refused treatment. The van was totaled.

Investigation determined it was one of Joseph's first experiences in driving on snowy/icy roads.

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Young anglers to be out on the ice this winter

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

This winter, ice fisherman will be joined on area lakes by a class of young anglers in pursuit of finned feasts.

The Charlevoix Elementary School has added the outdoor sport of ice fishing to its line-up of enrichment classes for students ages six to 12.

The junior ice anglers started in Nov. 2 and according to their leader, Executive Petty Officer Brad Adams of the United States Coast Guard, the students have since blossomed into well informed anglers.

"We are providing a platform to get kids in the outdoors, cold as it may be. Our ultimate goal is to turn kids into better fishermen than their parents are," Adams said.

Since November the group of 15-20 kids have met at the Coast Guard Station bi-weekly on Wednesdays. During these sessions the students learn important aspects of ice fishing including ice safety.

Department of Natural Resources marine biologist Jori Jonas also attends meetings and talks about a different species of fish; offering tips on everything from what they like to munch on to how you can

identify them if you hook one.

A special meeting took place on Jan. 4 when the young anglers learned from special guest marine biologist Tim Smigielski about crappies, the sessions featured fish and also had a crash course in rigging equipment.

At the meeting kids curiously turned containers of live bait, closely inspecting their contents while seasoned anglers demonstrated knot tying tactics.

Everybody was gearing up for Saturday's big trip. They were supposed to head out on Susan Lake Saturday for their first of four, three hour afternoon outings on the ice. The trip was canceled due to ice conditions but, ice-permitting, was re-scheduled for Jan. 13.

Adams stressed that Coast Guardsmen went out on the lake first to check ice conditions and drill holes for the students. They will be conducting this safety test before each excursion.

Students are offered all of this information and guidance free of charge. Adams pointed out that the only expense beyond equipment costs is the elective for students to purchase the course hat.

"I say that there is zero cost be-



Joey Cates learns the ins-and-outs of a fisherman's great ice weapon, the tip-up, at the Jan. 4 meeting of the junior ice anglers. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

cause if the kids want to participate but they can't afford the equipment there is plenty to share. We can always come up with a pole," Adams said.

Adams added that other students are welcome to join. The only thing

they would have missed is ice safety which is a point that is stressed at each meeting.

The program is scheduled to be completed in February and may not be offered again next year.

After two and a half years in

Charlevoix, Adams will be relocating to Alpena this spring and leaving next year's junior ice anglers program in need of a new leader.

"I'm hoping that a parent involved will pick up the torch next year when I leave," Adams said.

Library to have Children's Winter Activity Hour

The Charlevoix Public Library will have another year of the Children's Winter Activity Hour.

The activity hour takes place every year on Saturdays at the library in the lower level meeting room from 11 a.m. to noon.

It all begins Jan. 13 with an hour of "Fun with Music" with Marina LaBlance.

The next event is Jan. 20 with Erika Chamberlain from Harbor Health doing "Exercise and Fitness."

Jan. 27 will feature "Friends for Life," an hour of cute pets and how to care for them by Humane Educator Carole Heubotter.

In February when kids are complaining that they are bored and have nothing to do, bring them down to the library where on Feb. 3, it will have a real fire truck supplied by Lyle Gennett.

On Feb. 10 the library will have snow machines. This afternoon will showcase real snowmobiles that the Charlevoix Sheriff's Department

has agreed to bring down to show the kids.

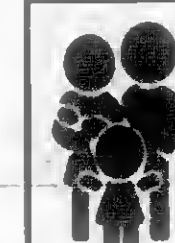
Officers will talk a little bit about winter safety. Kids should dress warmly and be sure to bring questions.

On Feb. 17 we will round out the program with Greg McMasters from TV 7 & 4 presenting a program on "Weather."

Preschool story hour meets on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the lower level of the library. Story hour fol-

lows the school's calendar.

If school is canceled due to snow, so is story hour.



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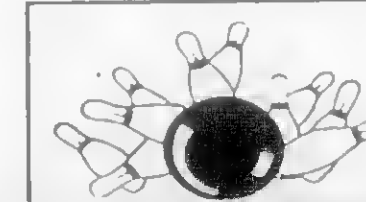
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Charlevoix Area Hospital gives large amount of food

Charlevoix Area Hospital donated over 1,110 pounds of food and other staples to area food banks and agencies as part of the 2000 Michigan Harvest Gathering — a statewide program that distributes emergency food to those in need.

Charlevoix Area Hospital and the other hospitals and health care systems that are part of the North Central Council (NCC) of the Michigan

Health & Hospital Association (MHA) combined to donate 23,406 pounds of food and other staples to area food banks and other agencies.

Kathy Johnson of Charlevoix Area Hospital said hospital employees, medical staff and volunteers collected the food during a two-week drive in October.

Donations also came from employees at the Boyne Area Medical

Center and Boyne Area Rehab Services. The fund drive was coordinated by HERO (Hospital Employees Reaching Out) Club, a large group of employees who help support hospital projects.

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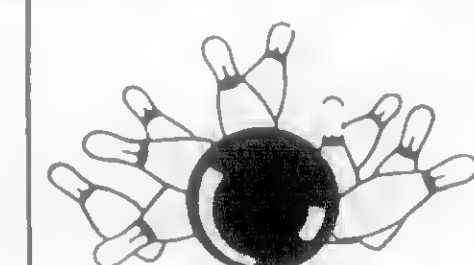
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SPORTS

Varsity basketball team having a winning streak

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix Rayder's varsity basketball team is on a roll.

While they started out a little rocky early this season, the team has improved its play and put several wins under their belts. The latest were two shellackings dished out last week against Harbor Springs and East Jordan.

"They are really playing well and they are starting to believe in themselves," Coach Keith Haske said.

Charlevoix beat Harbor Springs Jan. 3, 91-60, and beat East Jordan Jan. 5, 100-58.

At the Harbor Springs game, Haske said he was particularly pleased with the Rayders defensive game.

"It was a great team effort. Everyone scored except one kid," Haske added.

Leaders for the team were: Scott

"They are really playing well and they are starting to believe in themselves."

Keith Haske,
Varsity basketball coach

Parrish with 22 points, 11 rebounds and three blocks; Jim Shepherd with 19 points; Jeremiah Teuscher with 10 points; Keith Daly with nine points and Rob Boss with eight points and 10 rebounds.

At the East Jordan game, Haske attributed the wide margin between the scores to a rebuilding year for their opponents. He said East Jordan is a very young team and the Rayders just caught them at a starting point in this process.

In this game, several Charlevoix players scored double figures.

Leaders for the game were: Parrish with 19 points, 11 rebounds, four assists and two blocks; Shep-

herd with 14 points; Teuscher with 14 points; Doug Rieck with 12 points; Daly with 12 points; Patrick Gowell with 10 points and eight assists and Boss with eight points and 10 rebounds.

Haske said the real test for the Rayders skills came last night with a game against St. Ignace, a team ranked number one in the state for Class C.

"We'll see what we are made of," Haske said in an interview Monday. (The game against St. Ignace) will tell us a lot. It is a big game and it is on the road. It will be important to play well."

The results of that game were not known before press time.



Charlevoix's Keith Daly attempts to block a shot being taken by a Harbor Springs player at their game Jan. 3. The Rayders beat Harbor Springs 91-60. (Photo courtesy of the Petoskey News-Review.)

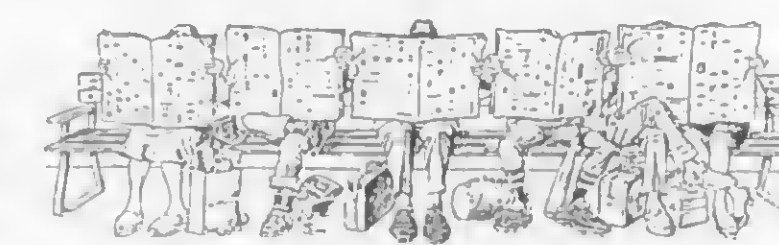
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Friday Night Ladies December 22, 2000				Young at Hearts December 28, 2000				Monday Madness December 28, 2000			
Snowbirds	36	28		W	L			W	L		
Central Drug Store	33	31		W	L			W	L		
Easton Electric	39	25		W	L			W	L		
Frames & Photos	35	29		W	L			W	L		
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Melissa Archey	452	194		W	L			W	L		
Lynette Webb	482	173		W	L			W	L		
Wendy Sloan	175			W	L			W	L		
Carla Spencer	433			W	L			W	L		
Gutter Girls December 21, 2000				Church League January 3, 2001				Early Birds Mixed December 10, 2000			
Mary & Jane	206	112		W	L			W	L		
Connie & Bernie	174	146		W	L			W	L		
Sharon & Susie	158	162		W	L			W	L		
Trina & Karen	164	156		W	L			W	L		
Teresa & Julie	121	175		W	L			W	L		
Barb & Sheri	129	191		W	L			W	L		
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Jane Pittman	577	210		W	L			W	L		
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Our entire family greatly appreciated your thoughts, hugs, kind words, special choir and mass, luncheon, extra food, plants, flowers and memorials that you gave us when we lost Roger. Love, Connie Pischner, children and grandchildren.

(1-10-1-070)

SPECIAL NOTICES 076

This is to inform Don Abbey, last known address: 06953 US 31 North, Charlevoix, MI 49720, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #24. A brief description would be a table, trunk, couch, beds, golf clubs, tools and fishing poles/nets. You have until February 9, 2001 to re-claim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US 31 Highway S., Charlevoix, MI 49720, 231-547-5838.

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PART-TIME HELP WANTED 087

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WANT TO LOCATE artwork by M.V. BREITMAYER, Jackson artist circa 1910-1960 for exhibit. Edward Bentley, (517) 393-0041.

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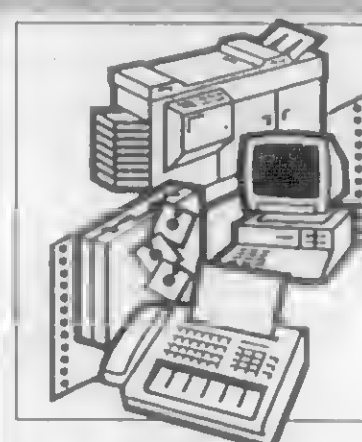
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About these coming events....

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Blood drive

The American Red Cross will be in Charlevoix on Jan. 18. The bloodmobile will be here from 1 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church located on the corner of US-31 North and Meech Street. Please call 347-5984 for an appointment or just drop in.

Up North Big Band

The Up North Big Band will perform in the sanctuary of the "brand new" First Congregational Church

at 101 State Street in Charlevoix at 4 p.m. on Jan. 21. The public is invited to enjoy the music and see the renovated historic church at the ongoing "Sundays at 4" concert series. There is no admission charged; donations are accepted at the door. Refreshments will be served immediately after the program.

Dance cancelled

The BASES Jan. 12 sixth grade dance has been postponed to a later date.

Cribbage tournament

The Cabin Fever Cribbage Tournament is at 7 p.m. on Thursdays through March 15 at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Sewing guild to meet

The Northern Michigan Sewing Guild meeting will meet Thursday at the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix. The lending library will open at 6:30 p.m. and the meeting will begin at 7 p.m. We welcome anyone who loves to sew. For more information call Pat at 582-3548.

Orthodox church meeting

Father Michael Varlamos, from The Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church in Plymouth, will make a pastoral visit to Traverse City on Jan. 27. He will celebrate the Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. (Orthros at 9:30 a.m.) at Grace Episcopal Church, which is located at 341 Washington Street, across from the courthouse, in Traverse City. A social gathering will follow. All are invited to attend the service. For additional information please call (231)932-6868.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. Call 547-2920 for more information.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the

second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373 and leave a message.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information about the Garden Club call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet at 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 to 4:15 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. at the high school band room.

Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., located at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility, East Jordan.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

FRIDAY

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street

Barnard Grange meet at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the grange hall.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. All people with food problems welcome. For further information call Merilee 547-2104.

Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday for a breakfast meeting at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For information regarding the Auxiliary call 547-6670.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For information contact Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7:00 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building, 15144 Bell's Bay Rd. Call 547-3589 for information.

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group will meet at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weathervane. All chamber members are encouraged to attend. For more information call the chamber at 547-2101.

Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1-4 p.m. and 5-9 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

(smoking).

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

VFW hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For information call 547-9384.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meet at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For information call 547-1817.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

SATURDAY

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim from 1-4 p.m.

SUNDAY

Alateen Meeting at 7 p.m. located at the Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 1-4 p.m.

Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

American Legion hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

Charlevoix resident strives to keep area's history alive

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Charlevoix's Clayt Smith loves to share his stories, and with 85 years on earth under his belt, he has many.

In his life he has been a trapper, hunter, farmer, Civilian Conservation Corps worker and traveling fruit salesman, as well as having hitch-hiked throughout the United States during the early part of his life.

To share his stories, the Charlevoix resident wrote a book in 1991 titled "Seventy-Five Years with a Country Boy" and has spent countless hours documenting the lives of various other "old-timers" in Charlevoix for another planned book. Smith also constructed a replica trappers cabin from the early 1900s on his US-31 property just south of town he lovingly calls, "Smiths' Little Acres."

"I always read a lot of books and I had all these stories that I had accumulated," Smith said of his decision to write a book on his life.

The second book came about because of his desire to keep the memories of Charlevoix's history alive. To do it, he interviewed 30 of the "old-timers" about their lives and paid to have them published.

"Those people had some interesting stories. It was kind of a fun thing to do," Smith said.

However, the book was too expensive to print in bulk, so very few copies of it exist. But, each time one of the people he inter-

viewed passes away, Smith prints out a copy of his interview with them and gives it to their family. It was his way of giving their family a lasting memory of a loved one.

As for the cabin, Smith built it in 1982 as a tribute to his trapping-partner, friend and brother-in-law Art Stool. Stool and Smith trapped animals throughout northern Michigan, until he was accidentally killed in an accident on Beaver Island in 1954.

Now, in an effort to help keep Charlevoix's past alive, Smith will be contributing various historical articles on Charlevoix to the Scrapbook section of the Charlevoix Courier. The articles will appear at various times throughout the year.

Smith was born on Nov. 1, 1915 in his parents' farmhouse near Barnard, five miles south of the city of Charlevoix. He spent his boyhood on the classic farm; working with teams of horses for plowing and travel, using cows for fresh milk, a couple of pigs and a few chickens to eat in the cold winters and various acres of crops.

In the 1936, Smith joined the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC), a program started by President Franklin D. Roosevelt in an effort to help bring the country out of depression. The CCC's primary job was to clean-up and replant forest land.

"I probably enjoyed myself as much in the CCC as anything else. Anybody that was in the CCC in the 30s have sort of a fellowship with one another," Smith said.



Clayt Smith stands next to an outdoor wooden sculpture he made representing some of the woodland creatures around Charlevoix. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

While in the CCC, Smith planted 1,000 trees a day to help rebuild forest land near the Au Sable River 30 miles from East Tawas.

Throughout his life as a young adult, Smith also hitch-hiked throughout western United States. "That is how we got around then," he said.

His biggest trip was to California to see relatives. The trip took Smith onto the famed Route 66,

where he met various characters and even experienced what it was like to shoot jackrabbits from a moving vehicle in the panhandle of Texas.

At the age of 33, Smith started to settle down and married his love, Kay. He soon had four kids, Debbie, Randy, Linda and Gail.

To provide for his family, Smith started peddling fruit throughout the Upper Peninsula, where he fur-

ther learned of life in northern Michigan.

"They depended on me for their fruit and I depended on them. I still know an awful lot of people in the country," he said.

To learn more about life in northern Michigan during the early part of this century, keep an eye on the Scrapbook page in the Charlevoix Courier throughout the year for articles by Smith.

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A photo of Smith in his younger years with a jackrabbit he had just shot. This is just one of the many pictures he has. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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YOUR CHAMBER MONTHLY

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Celebrate! Come to the annual awards evening on January 18th

The Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting will be held on Thursday, January 18th, 2001 at the Argonne Supper Club. This event is going to take on a new look this year with the addition of entertainment and dinner. Also, the awards segment is being completely revamped to condense the program. Sean Ryan will be the featured entertainment, and for the first time this will be a dinner meeting. The evening will begin with a cash bar cocktail hour at 5:30 PM, followed by dinner at 6:30 PM.



Sean Ryan

Outgoing Chairman Cheri Hoffman will officially hand over the gavel of leadership to incoming Chairman of the Board Roger Nesburg. The Chamber's most prestigious awards are also presented to honor persons who have given to their community: Ambassador Award, Chairman's Award and Outstanding Citizen.

The cost is \$25 per person. Members and their guests are invited to this fun event to celebrate the past and present. For reservations or further information, please call the chamber office at 547-2101.

Our next First Friday Business Breakfast

will be held on Friday, February 2, 7:30 AM at the Grey Gables. The speaker will be Scott Kelly from B.A.S.E.S. (Bay Area Substance Education Services). Join us for a good program and a "Great Grey Gables Breakfast"!

Business Briefs

Congratulations Elizabeth and Dale Rich!

Elizabeth and Dale Rich are the new owners of the Villa Maderne Motel on Bridge Street. They have lived in the area for a little over two years. Elizabeth is also a realtor with Charlevoix Properties, and Dale is an engineer at Southdown. Elizabeth is planning to also open an office for Charlevoix Properties in the motel. We wish you well in your new endeavors. WELCOME!

Attention public service organizations

The Chamber of Commerce is in the process of preparing the Charlevoix County Calendar of Events for 2001.

This calendar is perhaps the most requested item of information we publish.

Any organization wishing to have its event listed on our calendar may send us the information, either by mail (408 Bridge Street), fax (547-6633), or e-mail (info@charlevoix.org). Please include the name and phone number of a contact person and brief description of your event.

Charlevoix Snowmobile Club Ride-In January 13, 2001

The Charlevoix Snowmobile Club will sponsor the second annual Snowmobile Ride-In on Saturday, January 13th from 12:00 Noon to 5:00 pm. The ride-in participants will rendezvous at the Ferry Avenue beach/boat launch parking lot.

Enjoy a longer ride with the extension of the Charlevoix Snowmobile Trail, which connects Charlevoix to the Northern Michigan Snowmobile trail network. Also take advantage of the new trail that gives snowmobilers access to downtown Charlevoix. The trail to downtown is open from 7:00 am to 11:00 pm.

Warm up by the bonfire and enjoy free hot dogs, chili, hot chocolate and coffee. There will be drawings throughout the afternoon for door prizes donated by area merchants. The Convention and Visitors Bureau will also be giving

away a \$50 gift certificate, good for lodging at any Convention & Visitors Bureau member lodging facility.

We congratulate the Snowmobile Club and the Convention and Visitors Bureau for sponsoring this event, and we especially express our appreciation to John Ferguson and Valinda Turner of the Charlevoix Snowmobile Club for their efforts toward making it successful.

For any further information, please contact John Ferguson at (231)547-6882 or Valinda Turner at (231)582-6738.



FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

The next Retail Committee Meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15, 9:00 AM at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant. Come and have coffee and share your ideas.



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Inside...

Lost elders

Charlevoix lost three of its movers-and-shakers in politics and business recently. They were responsible for many of the helpful amenities Charlevoix currently has. They were: Ralph McRae, Bill Fochtman and Ed Heise.

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Name the snow



Charlevoix Courier Columnist Roger Knutson is hosting a "Name the Snow" contest this winter. Results will be posted in the Courier.

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Set the ball



The Charlevoix Raiders' volleyball team is showing a little improvement on the court.

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Charlevoix students to attend Jan. 20 inauguration

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

While some of us watch the inauguration from home, two junior and 12 senior Charlevoix High School students will witness this historical event first-hand.

"The trip will hopefully ignite an interest in politics among the students. (Washington) D.C. is a fun city," Ann Marie Conway, twelfth grade government teacher and inaugural trip coordinator said.

In lieu of the nationwide controversy surrounding the presidential election it may seem that possible protests at the event would cause school officials to be hesitant to have students attend.

Conway, who will be escorting the students to the inauguration for the second time, doesn't see this prospect as a threat. She took students to the inauguration of President Bill Clinton four years ago.

"I'm actually excited about the protests. Last time we attended the inauguration a lot of Right to Life protesters were there. It's an exciting time. That's America — the right to free speech. It shows that democratic values are alive and well," Conway said.

Students participating in the event agreed with Conway. They said that the mirage of debate and confusion following the election makes their inclusion in the inauguration all the more exciting.

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A little warm up

After riding the trails around Charlevoix Saturday, snowmobilers were treated to a warm bonfire, food and drinks at the Second Annual Charlevoix Snowmobile Ride-In at Ferry Beach. (Above, from left) Bob Alexander, Robert Russell and John Fiedorek, all of Charlevoix, enjoy the warmth of the fire. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

How do citizens contact a city council member?

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix City Council makes administrative decisions that shape the city of Charlevoix and at many council meetings public attendance is low, so how do citizens voice their concerns to these elected officials?

To determine this, the *Charlevoix Courier* called all seven of the elected Charlevoix City Council members, including the mayor. Six of the seven returned the newspaper's telephone calls.

Of those, they all said that they consider themselves to be accessible to the public and gave tips on how the public can contact them.

First ward council member Norman "Boogie" Carlson personally visited the Courier office to talk about the matter only five minutes after receiving a telephone call.

Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell answered his home phone which is also used as the business phone for Charlevoix Towing and was responsive to questions.

Gabe Campbell (second ward) also

responded to questions immediately after the newspaper called his home phone. Sperm Chamberlain (third ward) took time out of his work schedule to field a phone call and answer questions.

"Track me down any place. Call me at my business or at home. I usually walk home for lunch and people grab hold of me. Constituents from any ward can let me know what their concerns are and I'll see what I can do to take care of the problem," Chamberlain said.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Ryan Anthony Delagrang, 20, Woodburn, Ind. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$60 in fines and costs.

John Franklin Yell, 51, Petoskey. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Brian Kelly Ronayne, 26, Ypsilanti. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

John Ervin Murphy, 43, East Jordan. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Derek William Price, 20, Boyne City. Minor using fraudulent identification to purchase. Attend BASES

classes; \$210 in fines and costs.

Georgia Lee Turnbull, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend IMPACT panel; \$60 in fines and costs.

Mark William Fanfalone, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Robert Jordan Johnson, 17, Midland. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$180 in fines and costs.

Charles Leroy McClure, 30, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$670 in fines and costs.

Nicholas Afan Matelski, 21, Boyne Falls. Driving while im-

paired. Nine months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 88 days held in abeyance; \$820 in fines and costs.

Kevin Ross Jones, 25, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 82 days held in abeyance; \$970 in fines and costs.

Brent Michael Bixby, 22, Charlevoix. Allowing a minor to consume drugs and/or alcohol on premises. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Donald Salvatore Bisest, 22, Charlevoix. Allowing a minor to consume drugs and/or alcohol on premises. Fines and costs totaling

\$315.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Jerome Bryan Haneckow, 37, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol — occupant less than 16. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license suspended for five years; 12 months in jail with credit for one day, to serve 60 days; 60 days of community service work; \$1,060 in fines and costs.

Dwight David Carson, 23, Charlevoix. Two counts of breaking and entering a building with intent. Five years probation; 12 months in jail with credit for 108 days, to serve 12 months; \$10,512.83 in fines, costs and restitution.

Joseph Albert Huston, 36, Augusta. Driving while under the in-

fluence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license revoked for five years; 11 months in jail with credit for 80 days, to serve 11 months; \$500 in fines and costs.

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Melissa Lynn Manes vs. Daniel Edward Manes

David S. Robinson vs. Linda J. Robinson

William A. Lenau vs. Connie Lynn Lenau

Katherine R. Stennett vs. David L. Stennett

Bradley Jacobson vs. Jessica Jacobson

Michael W. Harper vs. Katherine L. Harper

Beware of thin ice

Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater is warning the citizens and visitors of Charlevoix County that the warmer temperatures and especially the fluctuation in temperatures can cause ice to weaken on the lakes.

Ice can form in several different conditions, and some are more perilous than others.

Clear ice is the strongest, formed by a long hard freeze, and can vary in color from green, blue and black depending on the water color beneath the ice.

Snow ice is milky looking and is formed from re-frozen melted snow. Snow ice is low in density and is very weak.

Layered ice is just that, many layers of frozen and re-frozen snow, giving it a striped appearance.

Lasater also said the notion that ice thickness is the only factor in determining ice strength should be discarded once and for all.

Because ice seldom freezes at the same rate in the same body of water, it is not uniformly thick from one location to another, he said. Ice can be one foot thick in one location, and only one inch thick just ten feet away.

If you do break through the ice, there are some things you can do to avoid serious injury or death.

First, try not to panic and thrash

about. The air in your clothes will help you float. Yell for help. Turn toward the direction that you came from. The ice is likely to be stronger there. Place your arms on the edge of the solid ice.

Keys, a pocket knife, ice pick, or a belt buckle will help you grip the ice. Once you've got a grip on the ice, kick your legs hard and pull yourself up on the ice.

If the ice breaks, move forward and try again. When you're out, do not stand up, but roll away from the break and stand only when you've reached solid ice.

Go to a place of shelter and warm up immediately.

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Open water maintained around dock on the shore of Lake Charlevoix between Pine Point and Oyster Bay.

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Former mayor, traveler, McRae, dies Jan. 15

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Many of us move into new homes or use local services like those provided at Boulder Park Terrace or the Pine River Place and never ask ourselves, "How did this come to be?"



Ralph McRae

Most of what we enjoy in Charlevoix is the work of someone that came before us, a piece in the puzzle of history. That is exactly the story the life of Ralph McRae tells, part of Charlevoix's history.

All those who knew McRae referred to him as a visionary: a man who knew no limits and stopped at nothing on his quest toward community progress.

McRae was born Jan. 23, 1906 and died Jan. 15, 2001. In his 94 years here on earth he did it all — from circumnavigating the globe, to serving as mayor, to being a Charlevoix Courier guest writer, to responding to the needs of the local elderly population.

McRae grew up in Pellston. He graduated from Pellston High School and then went on to Albion. He attended Albion for two years.

McRae's nephew Dave Norton pointed out that his uncle showed his ambition early — attending college at that time was a big step. It was not common for people from Pellston to pursue their studies beyond high school.

After college, he married his wife Dorothy, and the couple lived in Chicago for a while.

Once again McRae chose the path that was anything but normal. When World War II started, he volunteered for the service. It may seem that many men did

choose to fight in World War II, but at this time McRae was in his mid-thirties and he didn't have to go but he wanted to.

After the war he returned to Michigan and ran the family business, the McRae Lumber Company in Pellston, for a number of years.

After McRae sold the lumber company he became a contractor, building homes in the Charlevoix area. McRae Construction was a result of the combined efforts of McRae, who did all the estimating and his partner Ray Borowiak who specialized in carpentry.

The duo built over 100 homes in the Charlevoix area. Many remember not only his excellent craftsmanship, but also his generosity. Charlevoix resident and president of the Alano Club, Howard Horton, claims that McRae "saved his life."

Horton was in the process of building his home; he had it framed but had come to a standstill. McRae stepped in and finished the project that on the surface appeared impossible.

McRae was also a strong political force who envisioned huge projects and made sure they became a reality. In addition to serving on Charlevoix City Council in 1986, at the age of 80, McRae became mayor of Charlevoix. City Manager Mike Weisner remembers McRae well.

"(McRae) certainly cared about the community. He worked very hard as mayor. (McRae) was instrumental in the construction of the band shell and was a force behind senior housing in Charlevoix. He was always concerned about the city. When (McRae) made up his mind to develop a project, he stayed the course," Weisner said.

His energy also took him outside of city hall as he set his course outside of the United States.

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Alano Club founder dies

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

the kitchen and his father's workhorse mentality cushioned the economic hardships of the time.



Ed Heise

Some referred to him as the Godfather, others as Doonie and his daughter Lorraine Warner called him Takunka "The Great Buffalo" — friends and family of Edward C. Heise hail him a man of many titles and many accomplishments.

Ed was born Feb. 24, 1917 at 226 Antrim Street. His parents were pioneers in Charlevoix and like his parents, Ed left his mark on the city.

Lorraine said he had a "wonderful childhood." He told Lorraine that he never felt the hardships of the Depression; his mom's handiwork in

ease from the fever and died at 16.

Ed was a curious young adult who during his junior or senior year in college traveled the rails and sat around campfires where he learned first-hand of the life of hobos.

Lorraine said that one evening in a box car one of his fellow travelers asked him if he had a family and a home. Ed responded "yes," and the man said, "Then you are lucky, go home."

Ed returned home and completed his college education at Western Michigan University, but he didn't stay planted for long. He joined the army during World War II.

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Fochtman, businessman and former mayor dies

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

William "Bill" Fochtman, a well known Charlevoix businessman, former city council member and former mayor died Jan. 13 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

Fochtman owned Fochtman Chevy Buick in Charlevoix, which was later called Crown Motors after he sold the business to retire. However, Fochtman was soon back at work at Crown Motors, where he stayed for several years before working for Wernig Chevrolet in Gaylord.

He was also known for his commit-

ment to the city of Charlevoix through his governmental service. Fochtman had served as a city council member before becoming the mayor in 1966, a post he had for five years.

During this time he was responsible for the development of the Charlevoix Water Treatment Plant, Ferry Beach, the tennis courts and airport improvements, among others.

Tom Hanna, Charlevoix city manager during Fochtman's tenure, remembered him as a mayor who would put the needs of the city ahead of his business.

"He would drop everything to at-



Bill Fochtman

tend to city business," Hanna said. "He was dedicated and someone you could count on or trust."

But, it was Fochtman's dedication to the city that sticks out most in Han-

na's mind.

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OPINIONS

Some random thoughts in the winter



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

The winter doldrums have gotten to me lately and I have been spending too much time watching television, therefore eroding my attention span.

Because of this, my thoughts have been in the form of small snippets, almost like a machine gun firing off. Some of them are serious thoughts while others are a little light-hearted.

Here are just a few of them:

The curse

I think I have been cursed. This little curse, as I call it, is my inability

to write a story involving Charlevoix Courier Staff Writer Julie Musilek without getting some sort of fact wrong.

It started when Musilek was hired and I wrote an introductory story about her. I gave the wrong name for her soon-to-be-fiancé and spelled her father's name wrong. The curse lasted into the next story I wrote when she announced her engagement; I put in the wrong date for her wedding.

The latest attack of the curse came when I wrote a story about the effects of alcohol on the body. Musilek was a volunteer in this test and had to give me her weight to publish. I, of course, messed up and wrote the wrong weight down in my notes. It was 20 pounds more than what she actually weighed.

She was quick to point out the error — and continued to point it out several times throughout the week.

With each of the errors I have published a correction, as I do with every error that is reported to me.

But, any error ever made in this newspaper drives me insane. When it is something I wrote and it is about our staff writer, well that makes me madder than ever at myself.

It is easy to say nobody is perfect; it is hard to admit it when you fall in that category. Especially when your error is seen by over 2,000 people.

The curse continues to haunt me.

How available are officials?

In this week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, we have published a story telling readers how accessible Charlevoix City Council members are and what is the best way for their constituents to contact them.

I found the mayor's comments a little humorous when he said he felt he was very accessible. We have been trying to contact him for an interview about the future of the city for four weeks, but he has not been able to meet with us.

I guess accessibility does not include meeting with the local newspaper to share your thoughts on Charlevoix with the readers — many of whom are constituents.

I have to admit, at least he answered our questions about his accessibility. I should also point out, most city council members returned our calls or met with our staff writer, Musilek, pretty quickly.

But, one city council member, Bill Bellows, has not returned our calls on this matter. As of Monday, Musilek had left messages at his home four times in a one week period to find out how accessible to the public he is.

It kind of makes me wonder how the voters in his ward can contact him, especially since the local newspaper can't.

Chew me out

Recently, I was informed that a lot of people disagreed with my editorial opposing the demolition of the Wharfside building. However, I

haven't received any letters stating this.

Folks, feel free to send in a letter to the editor when you disagree — or even agree — with my editorials. That is why I write them.

I am trying to start a dialogue on the subject and trying to get people to express themselves in the newspaper. I want people to prove me wrong when I write an editorial, and I want to be able to publish them proving me wrong.

I hate it when people call me up or stop me on the street to tell me why they disagree with an editorial I wrote. Write down your opinion — in 450 words or less — send it in and let the community know you think I am wrong or right.

I am not afraid to put my opinion in print on this page each week, so why are you?

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com.

Announcing the 'name that snow' contest



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

I've been thinking a lot about snow lately, or I've been thinking about a lot of snow lately.

Either way our winter landscaping medium has had my attention. The snow that must be pushed off the driveway on a daily basis, the snow to be cleared off the porch, the snow to be scraped off the roof, all receive some sort of contemplation. I think about the snow when I am pushing it around and get not only the usual winter exercise program, but also some more or less useful thoughts.

I have read for years how the

aboriginal people who lived in the far reaches of the arctic had dozens of names for the many kinds of snow that they encountered in their daily lives. I am beginning to wonder why it is that those of us blessed with much more than the usual amount of the white stuff haven't followed the lead — of what we called Eskimos when I was in grade school — and developed a variety of names for all those different sorts of winter precipitation.

Some days four new inches of that stuff on the driveway will have almost no weight at all and can be pushed around like a load of feathers, and other days even two inches is enough to get the heart pumping and the arms aching. Sometimes it packs together and other times it resists compression like a box of Styrofoam peanuts. Yet each day when I visit with a neighbor or relative about it, all we can say is that it snowed again.

Wouldn't life be more interesting if we could specifically name the nature of the snow that had just arrived or was still hanging around? Would winter seem less boring if we had multiple words for snow? I believe it would. What to do?

Therefore, I propose the first annual snow-phase naming competition.

The English language has more than enough adjectives that modify the noun snow, but very few nouns distinguishing determinably different types of snow. The problem might already be solved by words that I have not yet encountered, but I am aware of only one new noun for a distinct snow type.

At our former home in Iowa, the product of strong northwest winds across fall-plowed fields and the snows of winter was a substance called "Snirt," with a color and texture midway between snow and dirt, piled up around corners and in road

ditches in amounts that required a new word. In the spirit of the Iowa word-makers, let me suggest a few names as a goad to those who might enjoy making new language that would be useful here in our lake-effect snow ridden corner of Michigan.

I just now finished moving a driveway's worth of very light, feathery snow. The 15 minutes of contemplation associated with that activity suggested that the word "frowl" might fit.

Feathery, light, reflective substance that falls gently from the sky is way too complicated. If I could tell people there was a frowlfall last night, they would know immediately that they needn't worry about a heart attack when removing it.

We also benefit from a word for that combination of salt, snow, ice and slush that accumulates under car fenders this time or year. How about "snish." It's short, to the point and sounds almost as ugly as what it names.

The rules for the first annual snow-phase naming competition are as follows: No adjectives — No gd-snow no f-snow: nouns only, with six or fewer letters. They should be new words, not words used for other purposes.

Send your entries to 408 Burns Street in Charlevoix. I am hoping that before winter leaves us we can publish a list of new snow words and definitions.

Who knows, the contest may be more fun than snowshoeing, and certainly warmer. First prize is a broken shovel I have in the garage that would be useful for moving any of the types we might name.

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Letters to the editor

Has the editor changed his mind?

Editor:

In your editorial of Sept. 15, concerning the new high school development, you said: "There's no question that a building the size of the proposed school will have some impact on the existing farming community. However, we don't foresee this to be all negative. And, we're confident the sprawl issue can be addressed with careful thought and long-range planning by everyone affected."

In your editorial of Dec. 13, concerning the demolition of the Wharfside Building you said: "What the city is wanting to do is buy a currently occupied building in the downtown business district, remove the occupants and demolish the building — which probably has historic significance. This will create less room for business in the business district, thereby creating sprawl. There are many people in this area very concerned about sprawl, just look at the debate surrounding the new school on Marion Center Road. Now the city wants to create sprawl for a scenic view? Less business in the downtown district also means less jobs for residents and fewer shops for visitors to spend their money at. So, the city will have a really nice park, but fewer places for locals to make a living at. On its face, the plan to

purchase and demolish the Wharfside building just seems silly. The loss of a building in the downtown district means less space for business, less space for jobs and fewer places for visitors to spend money. The city needs to come up with a solid plan to address these problems before spending money on this project."

Which is it then? Substitute "school" for "Wharfside building" and it seems you are in favor of both sides of the sprawl issue. Why is sprawl a good thing in Marion Center and not inside the city limits? How is it possible to have both sides of an opinion on the same subject? Either you are for something 100 percent or you are against it. Is this to say that you have recanted your earlier position on the new school construction? Hopefully so, since you seem to now acknowledge some of the earlier arguments against unrestricted sprawl.

A local television station recently reported on local communities. I quote them in saying "the school is the heart of the community." Since our new school is to be located outside our community, does that mean that we have torn the heart out of this town? It is not too late to stop before the damage is complete.

Joseph F. Seidel
U.S. Army Retired
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Pine River Place just one legacy

McRae

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"He took a trip around the world at 80. He headed out with some credit cards and had no plans," Norton said.

On Nov. 17, 1987, McRae headed west from Detroit aboard an American Airlines jet. Seven weeks later he was back in Michigan having traveled in 12 countries, boarded 13 airplanes and logged 50 hours in the air. He came home with 888 photos.

McRae's life is chock full of multicultural experiences. He had no children of his own, but housed two exchange students. Ria Groen was closest to him. She was an exchange student to Charlevoix from the Netherlands in 1964, but has stayed in close contact with McRae over the years.

McRae not only visited other countries, but he tried to bring cul-

tural awareness to Charlevoix.

In 1989 he formed the Charlevoix International Club, a local chapter of "People to People International." His aim was to increase international understanding.

The group offered home stays to international visitors from chapters overseas, organized community missions for travel overseas, introduced foreign students to our culture and us to theirs. McRae coordinated one such visit in 1989, when two Soviet men and two Soviet women spent some time in Charlevoix.

What many remember of McRae were what Norton referred to as his two biggest accomplishments: senior housing and a community swimming pool.

"(McRae) was a visionary, he could see things that had to be done. He did Pine River Place. He laid the ground work on the Pine River Place. He went down to the

legislature and met with senators. He also laid the ground work for Boulder Park Terrace. McRae donated money for the land to get the option to build," Norton said.

Charlevoix resident Edith Gilbert added, "He was a wonderful man. I think that the Pine River Place is a monument to him. He put that through almost single-handedly. Nobody ever thought of it in those days. He researched it himself and got it rolling. He was a very giving person, so kind and gentle."

He also thought that at one time Charlevoix should have a swimming pool. He was the beginning drive behind Charlevoix eventually getting a swimming pool.

"If there was anything worthwhile or beneficial to the community, he was part of it," Charlevoix pool board member Bruce McArthur said.

McRae passed away at Boulder Park Terrace.

Fochtman just couldn't retire

FOCHTMAN

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"There were times when I know it hurt his business, because he would jump in a car and head to Lansing with me to work on a grant," Hanna said.

Bob Gill, former city council member when Fochtman was mayor, also said Fochtman was a good mayor.

"He made good judgments, firm judgments, judgments that weren't wishy-washy," Gill said.

Gill, who has known Fochtman for many years, said he was also a great friend and he always enjoyed his

companionship. He added, Fochtman and him seemed to be spending more time together seeing other old friends off at the funeral home lately.

"Now I don't know who will join me," Gill said.

According to his daughter, Nancy Reinert, who now lives in the Chicago area, Fochtman loved Charlevoix and his family.

"He was a great man. There was always a story about dad (Fochtman)," Reinert said. "He was up on a huge pedestal. We couldn't imagine anyone like our dad."

In addition to his many achievements for the city, Reinert added Fochtman was also a driving force

behind Mt. McSaubia in the 1950s. She remembers him taking an old truck to the ski hill, with a table on back and a rope hooked to it as the original tow rope.

Overall, she said, Fochtman was a man that will be missed by many people.

"He loved people. He was charming. He could walk into a room and get along with everybody. People were drawn to him," Reinert said.

A funeral service was given yesterday at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Philip G. Scharbaum officiated. A burial followed in Brookside Cemetery.



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Board opts to participate in state technology program

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix School Board has opted to participate in the Teacher Technology Initiative (TTI) which will put advanced technology in the hands of eligible teachers in Michigan.

"The goal of the program (TTI) is to provide teachers with access to technology and also to provide them with some training. As a result of teachers learning to use technology, the long-term result may be improved student learning. Teachers who learn to use the technology can better utilize it in teaching students," technology coordinator for Charlevoix Public Schools Scott Mays said.

Last January Governor John Engler announced the vision behind the TTI program in his State of the State Address. In this speech Engler asked Michigan Virtual University (MVU) to help with the administration of the project.

The university has since added a link to their web site, www.mivu.org that lists commonly asked questions about the program and teacher eligibility criterion.

The site states that to reach En-

gler's aim of enhancing the learning environment of Michigan school districts, "Teachers will be provided with a personal computer, software, remote Internet access (dial-up) and Web-based professional development."

With the conceptual side of the program under his belt, Engler pushed forward and in July of 2000 funding for the state-wide project was planned for — he signed legislation approving the State School Aid Act which provides for \$110 million dollars in project funding.

Recently, the Charlevoix School Board passed a resolution recognizing some of the program requirements and opening the district's doors to these technological advantages offered by the state.

This resolution also showed the state that the district has agreed to the long-term (three year) loan to the staff.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools John Sturock said the district has already done an "awful lot" in terms of integrating technology into the schools, but the program does offer the schools an opportunity to advance further.

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Getting to know the trail

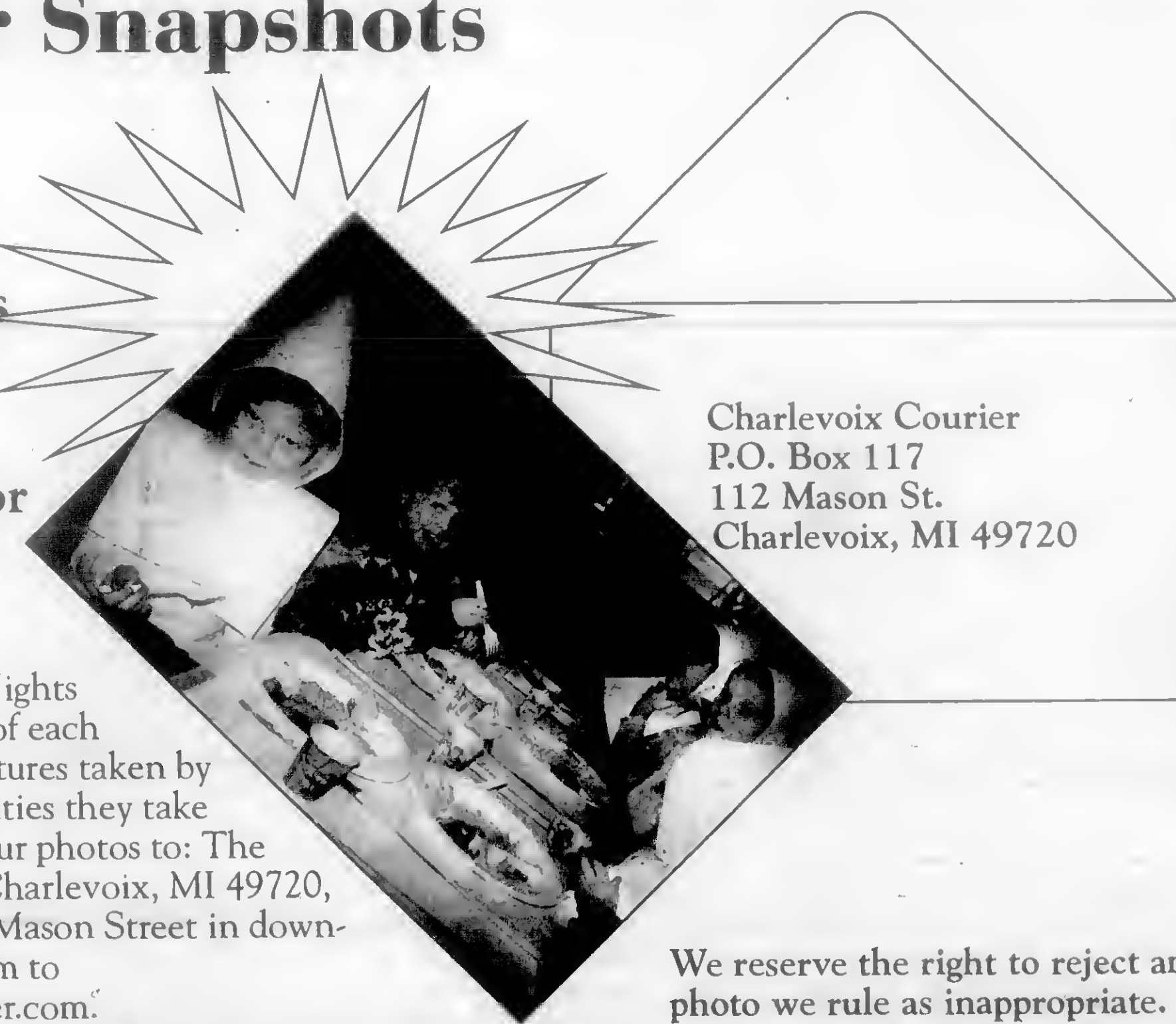
Charlevoix Snowmobile Club President Don Schoof points out some of the trails around Charlevoix to a snowmobiler Saturday at the Second Annual Snowmobile Ride-In at Ferry Beach. Snowmobilers were treated to a warm fire, food and drinks in addition to information about safety and area trails. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Teachers to get updated technology for classroom

COMPUTERS

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"The state is putting a lot of money into this program. Any time the district is given extra dollars to help with technology, we are given a great tool to supplement students education," Sturock said.

Like Sturock, Mays recognizes the benefits of the program but says there are still some kinks that need to be worked out.

For instance the machines will be under full warranty. But if something is to go wrong, who is responsible, the vendor or the school district?

"I wasn't really excited about 75 laptops, they are tough to maintain," Mays said.

Questions have also been raised concerning the quality of the laptops. At \$1,200 a piece, some have questioned how high power and technologically advanced the computers will be.

Mays doesn't see their quality as too much of an issue. "When you are buying 70,000 computers, you get a pretty good price on them," he said.

"The positives are additional access to technology. It is extremely difficult to keep up with fast paced changes in technology. We are doing a good job trying to keep up but it's nice to get new technology in our

hands. We have to do what we can do to benefit the students. I think this program will ultimately benefit the students."

Each "eligible" teacher will be given \$1,200 to work with. The district then decides on the technology the schools will receive on a building by building basis.

The school district has not yet met building-by-building and the state has not yet finalized contracts with the five vendors they plan to use. Vendor choices are scheduled to be made by the end of January.

Mays said that there is no need to react immediately, the \$1,200 per eligible educator does not have to be spent until June 30, 2002.

Singers to perform for loved ones

Wouldn't you be surprised if four penguins showed up on your doorstep singing "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" or "I Love You Truly?" Well, not quite penguins, but four men in tuxedos, and there are other songs that might be sung.

This is what the Windjammers Barbershop Quartet Singers are preparing to do for Valentines Day. For five years now, the group has been singing Valentines for many

surprised ladies (and some men) and presenting a flower on behalf of a sentimental admirer.

You may have also seen some of the fellows singing Christmas Carols in the shops and restaurants downtown on the day of the Charlevoix Christmas Open House. You may even remember seeing the quartets sing on the street before the Venetian Parade last year.

The organization sings for the fun of it as quartets and in mass as the Windjammer Chorus.

They also make charitable contributions to the HeartSpring Foundation to aid speech impaired persons.

The group meets at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays in the Methodist Church on State Street; all men and boys are invited. Call 237-9392 for more information.

Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Lake Forest dean's list

Laura Frey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Frey of Charlevoix, was named to the Dean's List for the 1999-2000 academic year at Lake Forest College, in Lake Forest, Ill.

The Dean's List recognizes students who have achieved distinguished academic records. It is compiled at the end of each academic year. To be selected for this honor, a student must have received during the year at least six graded course credits and must have attained a grade point average of at least 3.60.

Aquinas College dean's list

Aquinas College has named Abigail Paterka of Charlevoix to its dean's list for the fall 2000 semester. To earn dean's list honors, students must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 or higher, while carrying at least 12 hours of credit. Abigail is the daughter of Steve and Kathleen Paterka of Charlevoix, and a 1999 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

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Obituaries

Nancy Jean Russell: Feb. 4, 1947 - Jan. 15, 2001

Nancy Jean Russell, 53, of Charlevoix, died Jan. 15, 2001 at Emmet County Medical Care Facility in Harbor Springs.

A funeral service will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, at the Community Church of God in Charlevoix. The Rev. Neil Turner will officiate. Burial will take place in Brookside Cemetery.

Nancy was born on February 4, 1947 in Charlevoix, the daughter of

James T. and Bessie Faye (Skeel) Whitley. She attended Charlevoix School graduating in 1966.

On August 19, 1967 Nancy married Gordon T. Russell in Charlevoix. During the late 1960's the couple traveled the country living in Texas, Kentucky and Alabama, before returning to Charlevoix.

She spent her life doing what she enjoyed most, being a mother, wife, and care-giver to children.

Nancy was a Sunday school teacher at the Community Church of God, and a member of the Church of God Women's Missionary. She was also a Girl Scout leader for nine years.

Survivors include two daughters, Stacey L. Kucharek, of Atwood, and Amber E. Russell of Charlevoix; three sons, Rick of Elmira, James of Charlevoix, and Kyle of Gaylord; three grandchildren, Johnathan, Makenna and Joshua Dixon; her fa-

ther, James T. Whitley of Charlevoix; nine brothers and sisters, Edward (Cindy) Whitley, James Whitley Jr., Mary (Edward) Nac-hazel, Faye (Larry) Whitley Feindt, John (Cindy) Whitley, Kathryn (Allen) Lawson, Carlson (Tamar) Whitley, Sally Whitley, Michael (Tina) Whitley; father-in-law, Garland Russell; brother-in-law, Raymond (Cathy) Russell; sister-in-law, Charlotte (William) McArthur; nu-

merous nieces and nephews.

Nancy was preceded in death by her mother, Bessie.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Diabetes Association. Envelopes are available at the Community Church of God where friends may call from 4-6 p.m. today.

The family was served by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

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NOTICE

The Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Board will hold its scheduled monthly meeting on Thursday, January 18th, at 3:30 pm in the Board Conference Room, Second Floor, One MacDonald Drive, Petoskey MI 49770. Anyone who has special needs or information to be brought before the NMCMH Board should contact Joan Booth at (231)347-7890.

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NOTICE

Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners
Meeting Schedule for 2001

Regular Board meetings

2nd Wed., monthly, 9:30 am
4th Wed., monthly, 7:00 pm

Committee of the Whole

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Public Safety/Judicial/Building & Grounds

1st Wed., monthly, 9:00 am

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Charlevoix grapplers make strong individual showings



Charlevoix's Jenny Miller waits to set the ball in the Jan. 11 game. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Volleyball team has mixed week, notes improvement

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix High School varsity volleyball team was beaten by Elk Rapids Jan. 11 at home, 10-15 and 12-15.

However, Coach Carolyn Loper said considering Elk Rapids is undefeated in the conference, the Rayders did very well against them.

"I am seeing them playing much better, team-wise. We were playing right up with them as far as talent and potential," Loper said.

Charlevoix's top players for this match-up were: Kelly Reid as a server, Jenny Miller on the offense and Molly Arnold on the defense.

The team was back on the court on Saturday at a tournament at Inland Lakes.

The Rayders won the first match-up against Bellaire, 15-8 and 15-6. However, they lost the next two against Pellston and Rudyard, 6-15,

7-15 and 8-15, 6-15 respectively.

Since Charlevoix did win its first match-up against Bellaire, the Rayders moved on in the tournament to bronze medal play.

In the first match they faced Forest Area and lost 10-15 and 8-15. They split the second match with East Jordan 15-12 and 13-15.

Loper said she was very happy with the team, stating they faced some tough competition at the tournament.

"I think the girls are gaining confidence and realizing they can win if they play together," she said.

Loper commended Reid, Kelly Dreyer and Libby Withrow for their serving in the tournament. She also congratulated Kate Madison, Krista Swenor, Jenny Miller and Lisa Miller on their abilities in the front row.

She added everyone did a great job in the back row, particularly Taryn Drost, Amber Parsons and Katie Swenor.

The Charlevoix High School varsity wrestling team has been busy over the past few weeks collecting individual wins at various meets.

Most recently, the team faced Traverse City West and Mancelona Jan. 11. The Rayders beat Traverse City 48-30, but lost to Mancelona 24-56. Individually, the team collected several wins.

Individual results from the matches against Traverse City were: At 103 pounds, Danny Hedrick won by forfeit; at 119 pounds, Heather Probert won by forfeit; at 130 pounds, Tim Daining pinned Traverse City's Tim Norman in 2 minutes, 57 seconds; at 140 pounds, Peter Gorkiewicz pinned Aaron Schaub in 27 seconds; at 145 pounds, Brett Probert won by forfeit; at 152 pounds, Bo Moore was pinned by Traverse City's Josh Jarosz in 3 minutes, 38 seconds; at 160 pounds, Ryan Novotny pinned Traverse City's Pete Bectold in 4 minutes, 25 seconds; at 171 pounds, Chris Lahr pinned Traverse City's Carter Kioging in 1 minute, 40 seconds and at 215 pounds, Chris Loper pinned Traverse City's Will Heirholzer in 3 minutes, 27 seconds.

Individual results from the matches against Mancelona were: At 103 pounds, Hedrick won by forfeit; at 119 pounds, Heather Probert won by forfeit; at 130 pounds, Tim Daining went 2-1 and received a second place finish in the tournament; at 152 pounds, Moore went 1-2; at 160 pounds, Novotny went 3-1 and received a third place finish; at 171 pounds, Lahr went 1-2 and received a fourth place finish; at 189 pounds, Potter went 1-1, but dislocated his elbow and at 215 pounds, Loper went 2-1 and received a second place finish.

On Jan. 4 the Rayders met Kalkaska and Pine River. They beat Kalkaska 36-30, but lost to Pine River, 9-68.

Individuals results from the matches against Kalkaska were: At 103 pounds, Hedrick won by forfeit; at 130 pounds, Daining was pinned by

Underwood in 2 minutes, 59 seconds; at 140 pounds, Gorkiewicz was pinned by Mancelona's Justin Mehler in 5 minutes, 24 seconds; at 152 pounds, Moore pinned Mancelona's Josh Siiko in 1 minute, 49 seconds; at 160 pounds, Lahr won by forfeit; at 171 pounds, Novotny pinned Mancelona's Jake Beotcher in 2 minutes, 30 seconds and at 215 pounds, Loper lost in overtime to Mancelona's Jim Udell, 4-5.

Charlevoix also took part in the Frankfort Invitational tournament on Jan. 6.

According to Coach Gary Probert, the team did very well overall.

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Kalkaska's Drew Gillespie in 30 seconds; at 140 pounds, Gorkiewicz pinned Kalkaska's Will Hilmert in 42 seconds; at 145 pounds, Probert was pinned by Kalkaska's Brandon O'Mansin in 56 seconds; at 152 pounds, Moore was pinned by Kalkaska's Pete Gillespie in 31 seconds; at 160 pounds, Novotny won by forfeit; at 171 pounds, Lahr pinned Kalkaska's Justin Krogel in 3 minutes, 56 seconds; at 189 pounds, Will Potter won by forfeit and at 215 pounds, Loper pinned Kalkaska's Allyn Strause in 20 seconds.

Individual results from the matches against Pine River were: At 103 pounds, Hedrick was pinned by Pine River's Colton Keeler in 50 seconds; at 130 pounds, Daining was pinned by Pine River's Matt Crawford in 2 minutes, 52 seconds; at 140 pounds, Gorkiewicz lost to Pine River's John Suchecki, 10-21; at 145 pounds, Probert was pinned by Pine River's Keith Stewart in 1 minute, 1 second; at 152 pounds, Moore beat Pine River's Matt Nelson, 11-6; at 160 pounds, Novotny was pinned by Pine River's Nick Pepper in 2 minutes, 47 seconds; at 171 pounds, Lahr was pinned by Pine River's Terry Martin in 3 minutes, 47 seconds; at 189 pounds, Potter pinned Pine River's Bryce Ericson in 1 minute, 29 seconds and at 215 pounds, Loper lost to Pine River's Eric Wanstead, 2-12.

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

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Argonne Supper Club				28	72	Ron Chapman				602		January 9, 2001				Central Drug Store	0	4	Bill Herriman	483		
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Sheryl Denny				765	230	W				L	Top Rank Disposal	7	5	Rita Oliver	462	W	L	Wanda & Mary	20	0		
Jeanne Bogart				717		Ferguson & Chamberlain				101	49	Paul Bunyan Lanes	6	6	Corby Kavo	459	167	Rebecca & Barb	16	4		
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Men's Senior League January 6, 2001				Lutherans				76	74	Belles Beauty Shoppe	3	9	Young at Hearts	10	2	January 11, 2001	Teresa & Julie	0	20			
				Town House Bar				74	76	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES	W				L	Team 6	8					
				Paul Bunyan Lanes				65	85	Series Game	Has Beens				10	2	Series Game					
State Farm				41	23	R & C Roofing				65	85	Jane Pittman	573	248	Spartan	8	4	Series Game				
Wickham Lumber				39.5	24.5	Howard's Optical				55	95	Paul Bunyan Lanes	65	85	Alley Cats	6	6	Jane Pittman	595	177		
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Basketball team loses one, wins one last week

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix Rayders varsity basketball team continues to thrill their fans with some fine skills on the court.

The team faced the number one ranked St. Ignace team Jan. 9 and played a league game against Elk Rapids on Jan. 12 in away games. They lost to St. Ignace in a hard-fought game, 89-81, but beat Elk Rapids, 65-45.

Coach Keith Haske said he was very proud of the way his team played against St. Ignace, especially considering their opponents' high ranking and the fact Charlevoix was on St. Ignace's home turf.

"I liked our intensity. I was very pleased how we came out to play against them," Haske said.

Since the next time Charlevoix will meet St. Ignace would be in the quarterfinals and on a neutral court, Haske said he and the Rayders are confident they could beat them.

"It is something that is pretty encouraging," Haske said.

Leaders for the game were: Scott Parrish with 33 points and 10 rebounds; Jim Shepherd with 18 points; Rob Boss with 13 points and 13 rebounds and Patrick Gowell with nine points and eight assists.

In the Elk Rapids game, Haske said he thought the team played very good defense, but had a few problems in other areas to work on.

"It wasn't one of the better games we played. We were sloppy at times, but our defense carried us," Haske said. Specifically, he said the Rayders were having some problems passing and scoring.

Leaders for the game were Parrish with 20 points and 15 rebounds and Shepherd with 16 points.

As of Monday, Charlevoix's overall record is 5-3 and its league record is 3-0.

Skiers start season showing their skills

By LAURIE LOUNSBURY
Skiing writer

With two major ski meets under their belts, members of the Charlevoix High School Ski Team have shown that they are a solid team with strong potential.

The high school ski season officially started with the Harbor-Petoskey Invitational meet, hosted at Boyne Highlands Jan. 2. Thirteen schools, including four class A schools, competed in the meet. Charlevoix finished in seventh place overall.

The Charlevoix boys' team was in

sixth place after the giant slalom event.

Freshman York Smith finished eleventh in GS, followed by Chad Johnson, another freshman, seventeenth; Roscoe Serrels, twentieth; Lexi Wilson, forty-seventh; freshman Taylor Fisher, forty-ninth; and freshman Anna Kate Trubilowicz, sixty-fifth.

In a field of 77 racers, Charlevoix boasted the only two women racers competing among the men. Wilson and Trubilowicz are skiing on the boys' team since Charlevoix didn't have enough female racers to field a

girls' team.

The team ran into some trouble in the slalom event, when both Smith and Serrels had to hike. Standings in slalom were: Johnson, twenty-eighth; Fisher, thirty-fourth; Wilson, forty-fourth; Smith, fifty-eighth; Serrels, sixty-third; and Trubilowicz, sixty-fifth.

"If we can keep everybody healthy, and everyone finishes the races without hiking, we'll be a really competitive team this year," said Coach Sue Miller.

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Welcome Our New Physician
Vern J. Campbell, MD
OPHTHALMOLOGY

Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey is pleased to welcome Vern J. Campbell, MD, to our medical staff. Dr. Campbell, a board certified ophthalmologist from the Detroit area, joins Timothy Van Every, MD, of North Bay Ophthalmology in Petoskey.

Dr. Campbell most recently practiced general ophthalmology in southeast Michigan, and was an attending physician at the Beaumont Eye Institute Laser/LASIK Center. He is certified in VISX Laser surgery and LASIK (Laser In-situ Keratomileusis). He is a Fellow of the American Academy of Ophthalmology and a member of the Michigan State Medical Society.

Dr. Campbell sees patients by appointment in Petoskey and at a satellite office in St. Ignace. To schedule an appointment with Dr. Campbell, please call North Bay Ophthalmology at 231-487-2370.

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Annual Drinking Water Quality Report of the
City of Charlevoix Water Supply

January 2001

Here is this year's Annual Quality Water Report. It is designed to inform you about the quality drinking water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water. The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Our water comes from Lake Michigan, considered *surface water*. The State will be performing an assessment of our source water by the year 2003; we will inform you on how to get a copy when it is available.

We are pleased to report that your drinking water is safe and meets all State and Federal requirements...

This report is a snapshot of the quality of the water we provided to you in the year 2000. Included are details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and State of Michigan standards.

If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Sam Creswell at the Charlevoix Water Treatment Plant, (231) 547-3256, or Ed Whitley at the Charlevoix Water Department, (231) 547-3278. We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. The City of Charlevoix Water Supply routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to *Federal and State Laws*.

This report shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1 thru December 31, 2000. All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some constituents. It's important to remember that the presence of these constituents does not necessarily pose a health risk.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.

Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals which can be naturally occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.

Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture and residential uses.

Radioactive contaminants, which are naturally occurring.

Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems.

The State of Michigan and Environmental Protection Agency require us to test our water on a regular basis to ensure its safety.

We met all the monitoring requirements for the year 2000 with the exception of Lead and Copper sampling by the September 30th deadline. These samples were taken on November 15, 2000, and results indicated no health concerns.

Charlevoix Water Treatment Plant and Distribution System personnel sampled and tested for over 100 contaminants that were NOT detected in our water supply. The following constituents were detected at low, but safe levels, well below the MCL (Maximum Contaminant Level).

In the following tables you will find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these terms we've provided the following definitions:

Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l) - one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter - one part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person.

Action Level (AL) - the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Treatment Technique (TT) - A treatment technique is a required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) - is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

n/a: not applicable *nd*: not detectable at testing limit

TEST RESULTS

Contaminant (units)	Violation Y/N	Charlevoix water	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Microbiological Contaminants					
Turbidity* (NTU)	no	0.03	TT	n/a	Soil runoff
Range detected - (see note below)		.01-.03			
Inorganic Contaminants					
Fluoride (ppm)	no	0.9	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits; water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories

Contaminant (units)	Violation Y/N	Charlevoix water	MCLG	MCL	Likely Source of Contamination
Copper** (ppm) (customer taps)	no	.026	1.3	1.3	Erosion of natural deposits; discharge from refineries and factories; runoff from landfills; runoff from cropland
Range detected - (see note below)		.010-.063			
Volatile Organic Contaminants					
THM (ppb) (Total Trihalomethanes)	no	11.6	0	100	By-product of drinking water chlorination

NOTES:

*Turbidity - turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of the water. We monitor it because it is an indicator of our filtration system.

**Lead and Copper - Lead and copper testing is on a three (3) year schedule, test results reported here are from the 1997 year; next round of testing is year 2003. (No lead was detected).

Unregulated contaminants are those for which the EPA has not established drinking water standards. The purpose of unregulated contaminant monitoring is to assist EPA in determining the occurrence of unregulated contaminants in drinking water and whether future regulation is warranted.

Contaminant (units)	Charlevoix Water	MCLG	MCL	Likely source of contamination
Unregulated Contaminants				
Sodium (ppm)	6	n/a	n/a	Erosion of natural deposits
Sulfate (ppm)	28	n/a	n/a	Erosion of natural deposits
Chloroform (ppb)	4.0	n/a	n/a	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Bromoform (ppb)	0.25	n/a	n/a	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Chlorodibromomethane (ppb)	2.9	n/a	n/a	By-product of drinking water chlorination
Dichlorobromomethane (ppb)	3.9	n/a	n/a	By-product of drinking water chlorination

We're proud that your drinking water meets or exceeds all Federal and State requirements. We have learned through our monitoring and testing that some constituents have been detected. The EPA has determined that your water IS SAFE at these levels.

All sources of drinking water are subject to potential contamination by substances that are naturally occurring or man made. All drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Please, call us if you have any questions.

We ask that all our customers help us protect our water resources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life, and our children's future.

About our system - The City of Charlevoix operates a Direct Filtration Water Treatment Facility which uses water from Lake Michigan. With a capacity of approximately 3 million gallons per day, water enters the plant through a submerged intake structure. Storage includes a one million gallon above ground reservoir at the plant, and a 300,000 gallon elevated tank (water tower) on Charlevoix's north side. The City has approximately 32 miles of distribution lines serving approximately 5,000 customers in the City of Charlevoix and areas of adjoining Charlevoix Township, as well as the influx of summer visitors to the area. Present flow rates vary from around 400,000 gallons per day in the winter to as much as 2.5 million gallons per day in the summer. In service since 1987, it is a modern, efficient facility staffed by licensed, well trained operators. Charlevoix is continually improving its distribution system, and is close to achieving its goal of a totally "looped" system, assuring fresh water and adequate pressure throughout our entire service area. An electrical generator at the Water Plant assures normal operation at full capacity in the event of loss of electrical power. We at the Charlevoix Water Treatment Plant and Distribution system work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap.

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The 1998 Michigan Safe Drinking Water Act, (1976 PS 399, as amended) requires all Community Water Supplies to provide to its customers Consumer Confidence Reports as required by title XIV of the Public Health Service Act, chapter 373, 88 Stat. 1660, popularly known as the Safe Drinking Water Act.

This report is provided to the customers of the City of Charlevoix Water Supply, and covers the reporting period of calendar year 2000. It is not being mailed to individual mailing addresses. The report is available at the following locations: City of Charlevoix City Hall, Charlevoix Public Library, Water Treatment Plant at 97 Grant Street, Charlevoix Electric & Water Department at 401 Carpenter Ave. Copies are available by mail from the City Manager's Office, 210 State Street, Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720. This report will also be available on the City's internet web page at www.ci.charlevoix.mi.us

Ski season starts for high school SKIING

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Class A powerhouse Marquette took first place in the invitational meet, followed by Traverse City West, another class A school and in third place was Petoskey. Sutton's Bay claimed fourth place and the Boyne City boys finished fifth, followed by class A Traverse City Central.

The Charlevoix team faced off against its biggest competitors in northern Michigan Thursday, Jan. 11, at Boyne Mountain. At the meet were Petoskey, Charlevoix, East Jordan, Boyne City and Harbor Springs.

Charlevoix was in second place after the giant slalom event, trailing Petoskey by a mere eight points.

GS finishes were: Serrels, second; Smith, fifth; Johnson, ninth; Fisher, seventeenth; Wilson, twenty-second; and freshman Mike Dupuis, twenty-third. The top racer for Charlevoix, Serrels, again had trouble in the slalom event.

Serrels was in second place after his first slalom run, but had to hike on his second run, moving him back to a twenty-sixth place finish. Slalom finishes were: Smith, second; Johnson, thirteenth; Fisher, fourteenth; Wilson, nineteenth; Serrels, twenty-sixth; and



Charlevoix's Roscoe Serrels cuts his way down the mountain in the opening meet. (Photo courtesy of Laurie Lounsbury)

Dupuis, twenty-seventh. The Charlevoix team finished in third place overall.

"We're skiing really well in GS, now we just need to work on getting

some strong finishes in slalom," Miller said.

Charlevoix's next race will be at 5 p.m. Jan. 25 at Nub's Nob. The event will be a conference meet.

Buday acquires city land to give customers more access

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Ed Buday, owner of Buday's Sound Advice on US-31 south, recently acquired a piece of city-owned property that he said permits the business' customers and employees to access the store more "easily and safely."

Buday said that when the new Marion Center Road was installed, access to his business was limited. He added that acquiring the city owned land parcel, which abuts the site of his Charlevoix business, has alleviated this accessibility issue.

"We could get in OK but getting out was hard without it," Buday explained.

City Manager Mike Weisner said that the city purchased the parcel about two years ago to facilitate construction of the new intersection of US-31 and Marion Center Road.

The property Buday purchased from the city was what remained after the road project had been completed.

The parcel is small, .32 of an acre, and is shaped like a piece of pie making it awkward and not well-suited for development, but ideal for access.

Part of the agreement made between Buday and the city was that the Michigan Department of Transportation would step in and build the entrance and exit.

"I think it is a safer entrance and exit. The business had limited on-site parking. With the new parcel he has

some parking area," Weisner said.

Buday explained that with the additional land and the new driveway right off of Marion Center Road the business location is safer. Before he had purchased the land people were turning off of US-31 into the Buday business while drivers turned out of nearby Marion Center Road.

Buday foresaw this as a possible hazard and is pleased with the outcome, as he has seen it benefit both his customers and his employees.

Weisner added that there remains a larger city-owned land parcel, three quarters of an acre, located across the street from Buday's that was used as a temporary retention pond for the Marion Center project. He said that the city is looking to fill the pond this spring and will thereafter look to sell the property which he considers to be "more usable" than the Buday piece.

As of this year, Buday's Sound Advice has been in operation for 25 years. The business recently opened a new location in Petoskey. Buday said that his hope down the road is to expand the Charlevoix location.

There is currently a residence owned by Buday located behind the business in a commercial district. There is a lifelong lease on the property extended to the lessee.

Buday hopes to eventually incorporate this adjoining piece and enlarge the Charlevoix store.

Buday said that his sons Doug and Dan who are currently helping manage the operation will eventually take over the reigns of the entire business.

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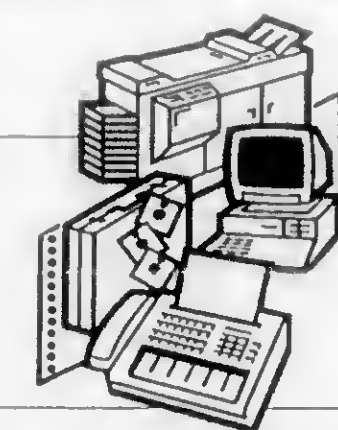
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EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public.

Winterfest

The Charlevoix High School annual Winterfest celebration is Feb.

16. The community is invited to attend the Winterfest Assembly at 1 p.m. on Feb. 16 and also to attend half-time ceremonies of the Rayder basketball game, when the new Winterfest Royalty will be crowned. Alumni are also invited to the Winterfest Dance on Feb. 17. Student Spirit activities will take place throughout the preceding week. Questions can be directed to Gail Cherry at 547-3165.

Firefighters' Ball

Tickets are available for the second Annual Charlevoix Volunteer Firefighters' Associations Firefighters' Ball. This year's

event will take place at 8 p.m. on Feb. 17 at The Charlevoix Country Club. Tickets are \$25 each. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, a chance at a door prize and entertainment by D.J. the D.J. There will also be a silent auction and a cash bar. To purchase tickets contact a City of Charlevoix firefighter or Shari Kline at 547-8495.

Blood drive

The American Red Cross will be in Charlevoix from 1 to 6:45 p.m. Jan. 18. at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church on the corner of US-31 North and

Meech Street. Please call 347-5984 for an appointment or just drop in.

Big band concert

As part of the "Sundays at 4" concert series The Up North Big Band will perform at 4 p.m. on Jan. 21, in the sanctuary of the First Congregational Church at 101 State Street in Charlevoix. The public is invited to attend. There is no admission charged. Refreshments will be served immediately after the program.

Cribbage tournament

The Cabin Fever Cribbage Tour-

namment takes place at 7 p.m. Thursdays through March 15 at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Orthodox service

Father Michael Varlamos, from The Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church in Plymouth, will make a pastoral visit to Traverse City. He will celebrate the Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. (Orthos at 9:30 a.m.) Jan. 27 at Grace Episcopal Church, located at 341 Washington Street, across from the courthouse, in Traverse City. A social gathering will follow. All are invited to attend the service. For information call (231)932-6868.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information about the evening garden club please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. Call 547-2920 for more information.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunch-

es served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373 and leave a message.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information about the Garden Club call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses

from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., located at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building, 15144 Bell's Bay Rd. Call 547-3589 for information.

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group will meet at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weathervane. All chamber members are encouraged to attend. For more information call the chamber at 547-2101.

Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1-4 p.m. and 5-9 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

FRIDAY

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30

to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

SATURDAY

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 1-4 p.m.

SUNDAY

Alateen Meeting at 7 p.m., located at the Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 1-4 p.m.

Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

American Legion hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

SCRAPBOOK

The politics of being a Charlevoix post master



Marilyn Boss
'Days gone by'

In years gone by, the job of postmaster was a politically appointed one. Then in 1951, Peter Timmer was appointed to the post, and this ended the trend.

He served as postmaster for 13 years, and resigned in 1964. This began a time of debate as to how to appoint the next postmaster. During his tenure at the post office, Timmer sorted and delivered mail. He told how life was definitely keyed to a tempo that would seem strange to people living in the 1960s.

Timmer recalled in an editorial at the time, that the bulk of the mail

came in on trains, in the morning and the evening. During the summer the resort trains carried so much mail, that the post office worked two shifts. Postal savings were also a big thing. At one time the Charlevoix Post Office had \$200,000 in postal savings on deposit.

Glenn Sheppard, the editor of the Courier at the time, lauded Timmer for his work in making Charlevoix's Post Office one of the town's best liked institutions. He spoke of how summer visitors were awed by the congenial service they received, and how the townspeople enjoyed going to the post office twice a day.

Timmer was the last person to claim any of the credit for this. He said, "It's the guys...they've been wonderful to work with."

Sheppard also said, "It would be sheer blindness to ignore the fact that the post office's not being a center for political pork barrel has

been a major factor in its unique atmosphere. The Courier feels it is to all of Charlevoix's benefit to maintain a non-political post office."

The postmaster's job was generally considered a political plum and was usually administered as such. Timmer was the most qualified man for the job in 1951, so the outgoing postmaster recommended him for it...even though it meant crossing party lines. In maintaining a non-political post office, it would mean that Assistant Postmaster Dan Geneit would be promoted to postmaster.

Timmer, in a letter to the editor of the Courier, said, "The statement that the Postmaster's job is deliberately designed to be a reward for service to a political party is open to serious question. Serious attempts have been made to take it from the grasp of politicians and the practice is odious to the general public. The practice undercuts the morale of postal employees and outrages the

sense of justice of the average citizen. The promotion of a postal employee to the position of Postmaster is relatively simple...in fact much simpler than appointing one from the outside. This proves that you don't need to be an ardent politician to get the job and also that the job isn't designed ONLY to be a reward for political service."

The heading in the next Courier read: POSTMASTER ROW BOILS.

The Charlevoix County Democratic Committee met after the announcement of Timmer's resignation and several participants said it was "as good a show as the Republican convention on TV."

County Democratic Chairman George LaBlance staunchly denied reports of a "split" in the party. LaBlance admitted that there was a "lot of heated tempers" at the meeting.

He also said he had no comment regarding rumors that he was per-

sonally interested in getting the job. The leaders were split on whether the postmaster's appointment should be made on the basis of political patronage or qualification for the job.

Dan Geneit, assistant postmaster was favored by Timmer for the job. Martha Tunison was a former County Democratic Chairman and had long been active in party activities. LaBlance said there was "no opposition to Geneit as far as the party was concerned, but this is a patronage appointment. Tunison has worked very hard for the party."

Due to a parliamentary disagreement, the meeting never got around to voting on the appointment.

LaBlance arbitrarily adjourned the meeting when debate got out of control. It eventually came about that Dan Geneit was appointed postmaster and he served Charlevoix well.

It was gratifying to the populace that control was in local hands.

Heise helped many maintain sobriety

HEISE

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After the war, his father, Edward Heise Sr., died, but Ed Jr. did not choose to continue the family plumbing and heating business. Instead Ed became a jack-of-all trades.

His work included opening army/navy surplus stores here in Charlevoix in the early 1950s, opening antique stores and also working at Hess Furniture.

While working at the Hess business, Ed fell down an elevator shaft. He lived to tell the tale but the fall had disabled him.

Following the accident he let his artistic spirit soar. He climbed out of his wheelchair and mounted himself on a pair of crutches and eventually walked with a cane. This cane took him down to local beaches where gathered Petoskey stones that he crafted into jewelry and he sold at a store in Lansing that featured crafts of the disabled.

While he discovered various trades and raised a family, from the mid 1920s on, he battled his greatest foe,

alcoholism.

Lorraine explained that at that time there were no meetings in the area for alcoholics so he would travel with his best friend Jerry Whitley to Mackinac Island and Alpena to attend.

When his mother died unexpectedly in 1961, Ed lost his will to stay sober.

In 1963 he married his second wife Jane Bishaw. The couple parented two children, Edward Jeffrey and William Thomas.

1963 was the same year that Ed reunited with his sobriety. Ed would have celebrated his thirty-seventh year of sobriety on May 4, 2001.

"His greatest joy in life was knowing he was sober," Lorraine said.

He lived at 104 Mason for many years and was a founding father of the Alano Club that was started at the site in 1986. Lorraine said that in 1986, Ed's career began.

"His second greatest joy was being of any assistance to anyone who walked through the door. He had been at every low and high point. Helping others with drug and alcohol problems humbled him so much. He knew he walked in their shoes and he never gave up on anyone," she added.

According to Norm Lawson, Ed Heise was one of the founders of the Serenity House. His long-term sobriety gave others hope. Lawson said his commitment to the program showed others "it wasn't the end of the world."

Ed's passion for sobriety and helping others overcome addiction was closely matched by his political savvy.

"My dad was a strong, strong Democrat. A few years ago he was honored as one of the oldest Democrats in Charlevoix County. He

was given a flag that had flown at the capital. He would defend his political beliefs to the end," Lorraine said.

Heise family members and Serenity House friends said that in his 83 years, Ed lived through five wars and 11 presidents, he traveled extensively, raised three children and told stories that would put you right in the moment.

Funeral services for Edward Heise will take place at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church.

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Students to see swearing in of next U.S. president

STUDENTS

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All of those students involved in the trip that were interviewed said this inauguration carries special significance and will most likely mark the first step in a rocky term for president elect George W. Bush.

The interest of local students involved that were interviewed ranges from political curiosity to a disdain for politicians to the excitement of being a part of history.

"I've witnessed the inauguration on TV many times but being able to see it in person will be an unbelievable experience," 17-year-old senior Lisa Miller said.

The group said that they look forward to attending not only the inauguration, but also two Kennedy Center performances and checking out both the Smithsonian and Georgetown's campus while in Washington D.C.

Tickets to the inauguration were provided by Congressman Bart Stupak. Students were asked to bring their own spending money for the other afternoon and evening outings.

The students, along with four adult chaperones, will depart from the high school at 3 p.m. Jan. 17. They will be traveling in three rented vans.

The D.C. bound group is scheduled to return Jan. 22, but this arrival date depends on the weather.



These Charlevoix students will witness the presidential inauguration first-hand. They are: (from left) Katie Romig, Will Wright, Shannon Nystrom, Corey Bascom and Katie Romig. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

The best way to contact your elected city official

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In addition, both August "AJ" Witthoef (third ward) and newly appointed Bernie DeVries (first ward) returned messages left on their answering machines within 24 hours.

However, the Courier left four messages on the answering machine of second ward council member Bill Bellows over a period of one week about his accessibility. He has yet to respond.

City council is made up of individuals that create policy that governs

the City of Charlevoix. In many cases their accessibility is the difference between constituents of a given ward being represented or not.

Each member of council that responded, said that they do hear about ward concerns from ward residents.

"Most of them aren't shy in telling you what the problems are. Most of my constituents have the same concerns that I do. I have a few regulars

that contact me," Carlson said.

None of the council members interviewed have regular office hours nor is there an office in city hall for council members to meet with city residents.

Both Campbell and Carlson said the lack of a designated office in city hall may reflect the chain of command in Charlevoix's government. Charlevoix is administratively struc-

ture as a "city manager government." This is a setup where power and responsibility lie mainly in the hands of City Manager Mike Weisner.

Weisner is in charge of the day-to-day operations of the city, but policy is still being set by council.

"Most questions can be answered through my office. I would like to think the quickest avenue is to call us and see what we can do for them," Weisner said.

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Harsch: No meeting just for marina

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

According to City Planner Gerry Harsch, after a project planner is appointed for shore-side renovations planned for East Park, the public will be invited to meet with this individual to provide a vision of park changes, but no public meetings are being planned to specifically discuss the marina expansion.

"At some point there will be discussion heard about the whole project. This doesn't inhibit people

"This doesn't inhibit people who want to comment....At any public meeting there is opportunity for the public to be heard."

Gerry Harsch,
City planner

who want to comment. There is a plan out there with proposals as to how the marina will work. Proposal plans have been published. At any public meeting there is an opportunity for the public to be heard," Harsch said.

The Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority (DDA) recently decided that the city will be ready to appoint a project planner for East Park renovations in March.

City Manager Mike Weisner re-

ferred to East Park as a multiple use area and said that the city is looking to hire a planning firm that is, "used to doing things like that and guiding us along."

"In my opinion this is the most important piece of property that the city owns. The feeling is, you want someone that will come in and through community input will define what the community wants to accomplish and will give the community ideas on how to accomplish these wants," Weisner added.

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Commission already spends over \$400,000 for this winter

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Winter weather conditions have resulted in treacherous Charlevoix roads and the county road commission has felt the impact.

"So far to date (Jan. 17) we have spent \$417,950.92. This includes labor, equipment and materials for winter maintenance," Charlevoix County Road Commission Manager Pat Harmon said.

Harmon added that the total road maintenance expenditure for the 1999-2000 winter was \$573,142.35.

However, according to Harmon the commission is still within its budget and he is not concerned about depleting their funds. He said that each year he plans ahead

and allocates one third or \$1 million of the road commission's budget to winter road maintenance.

"We'll be fine. I don't know what January, February and March will bring. If it is like a normal winter you will see the figure of \$417,950.92 at least double," he said.

They may be able to financially sustain efficient maintenance, but at the rate plow drivers are moving there is a chance of burn-out.

Harmon said that since the first of January road commission workers are averaging 28 to 30 hours of overtime weekly. He added that the thaw last week gave them a much needed break.

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Bellows found on Florida vacation, editor apologizes

Following the publication of last week's article on how to contact Charlevoix City Council members, the Charlevoix Courier discovered the whereabouts of Council Member Bill Bellows.

A neighbor of Bellows called to report he had been vacationing in Florida since early January and would be returning around Feb. 14. The Courier placed a telephone call to Bellows in Florida and confirmed this information.

Bellows said he is very accessible to the public and the best way for his constituents to contact him is simply

by calling him. His home phone number is 547-6263.

He further stated he informed the administrative assistant to the Charlevoix City Manager, Linda Weller, that he would be in Florida and when he would return.

Charlevoix Courier Editor Jeremy McBain apologizes for calling him inaccessible in an editorial last week.

His whereabouts were listed as unknown by the Charlevoix Courier at press-time for last week's story based on conversations Staff Writer Julie Musilek had with a city council member.



Canadian Charlevoix

Charlevoix Courier General Manager Ken Winter points out a sign marking a ski run named "Charlevoix" in the Charlevoix region of Quebec. Winter visited the area recently. For more on this Canadian Charlevoix see page 3. (Photo courtesy of Ken Winter)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Mary Helen Saxton, 23, Elmira. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.08.

Thomas Lee Morgenstern Jr., 19, Waterford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$180 in fines and costs.

Christopher Armand Carpinelli, 19, Waterford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$180 in fines and costs.

Milfred James Ormsbee, 32, Vandervilt. Malicious destruction of trees, shrubs, grass, turf; less than \$200. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Jean Marie Johnson, 35, Traverse City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Six months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$670 in fines and costs.

Kapuakela Analu Kipapa, 25, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, to serve nine days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days on electronic monitor, 43 days held in abeyance; attend IMPACT weekend; \$865 in fines and costs.

David Michael Johnson, 20, Columbiaville. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Sixty hours of community service work; \$220 in fines and costs.

Thomas Okronley, 59, East Jordan. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for two days, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 29 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Rodney Gene Harris, 38, Canton. Driving while impaired-snowmobile. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for two days, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 29 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Danny Lee Russell, 39, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$685 in fines and costs.

James Joseph Anderson, 22, Boyne City. Aggravated assault. One year probation; 365 days in jail with credit for two days, 60 days on electronic monitor, 303 days held in abeyance; \$940 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the

Charlevoix County Clerk's office: ZAGER, 112 East Upright Street, Charlevoix, by Brian Watros, B.K. Morrison, 416 Hemlock, Boyne City, by Brian K. Morrison, Crain Well Drilling, 125A Stewart Street, Boyne City, by Elmer Crain

A+ Cleaning Company, P.O. Box 1014, East Jordan, by Daniel William Tison

Boyne Valley Lions Club-National Morel Mushroom Festival, P.O. Box 452, Boyne City, by Edward Hennessey, David Peck, Sherry Gillett and Yolanda Pethers

Charlevoix Handyman, 5890 M-66 North, Charlevoix, by Donald A. Monteith

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Marriages
Robert Dale Ingram, 39, Boyne City and Patricia Grace Hardy, 35, Boyne City

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Joshua Dean Koch was born to Eric and Amy Koch of Charlevoix on Jan. 17 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Joshua weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces at birth.

Ellie Naomi, was born to Mike and Nikki Louise of Charlevoix on Jan. 12 at Northern Michigan Hospital. Ellie weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces and measured 19 inches long at birth. Her brother is Mason, age 2. Grandparents are Chet and

Marlene Drenth of Ellsworth and Tom and Dolly Louise of Norwood.

Angela Marie Rowbotham was born Jan. 13 to Mark and Rebecca Rowbotham at Charlevoix Area Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds, 5 ounces and 21.5 inches in length. Her sisters are Debbie, 8, and Katie, 2. Angela's grandparents are Mary Ann Warden of East Jordan and Joyce and Andy Rowbotham of Bayshore.

Isis Victoria Ruhling was born to Martin and Donna Ruhling of East Jordan on Jan. 19 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Isis weighed 7 pounds, 3 ounces. She is joined at home by her brother Jake. Grandparents are Jim and Karen Bowman of Charlevoix and Martin and Joyce Ruhling of East Jordan.

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Courier general manager finds Canada's Charlevoix



**Ken
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BAIE-SAINT-PAUL, Quebec — Sylvain Desmeules smiled as he looked at a recent issue of the *Charlevoix Courier* that had a color picture of the townspeople on the front page.

The Canadian journalist was laughing because the newspaper had a similar name as his weekly newspaper, the *Charlevoisien*, and the people came from a similar region called "Charlevoix."

Desmeules is one of two reporters who work at the *L'Hebdo Charlevoisien*, a weekly newspaper started in 1995 to serve the people living in Quebec's Charlevoix region, a 3,600-square-mile area located northeast of Quebec.

While the weekly newspaper is five times larger than our weekly *Charlevoix Courier*, it serves a very similar readership of resort and year-round residents. However, people in Michigan might have a difficult time reading the *Charlevoisien*, because it's written in French.

Both newspapers are tabloids using

a lot of color on their front pages and with a lot of similar content. While the *Courier* circulates primarily in the city of Charlevoix and Charlevoix County, the *Charlevoisien* covers some 14 towns and villages that comprise what is known as the Charlevoix region.

The weekly Canadian newspaper has offices in the region's two largest communities — Baie-Saint-Paul and La Malbaie. It has a combined staff of six, which handles news and advertising.

Charlevoix Courier publisher Kirk Schaller and I recently met with the staff of Quebec's *Charlevoisien* to exchange newspapers and ideas. We were curious about the region that shares the name of Charlevoix.

Jean-Francois Neron, a reporter and editor who works at the newspaper's main office in La Malbaie, said the newspaper serves several important functions of providing readers not only with what is happening in their communities, but what local government is doing to serve its residents. High taxes are the biggest concern.

Like the *Charlevoix Courier*, Neron finds himself particularly busy during the summer covering the many activities related to its large summer resort and tourism trade.

The Quebec region hosts many summer festivals, as well as attracts many painters and writers who operate studios and shops in many of the area's quaint villages and towns.

As in Michigan's Charlevoix County, Quebec's Charlevoix region offers many similar recreational activities, ranging from boating in the St. Lawrence River, golfing, camping and hiking, to winter downhill and cross-country skiing, snowmobiling and snowshoeing.

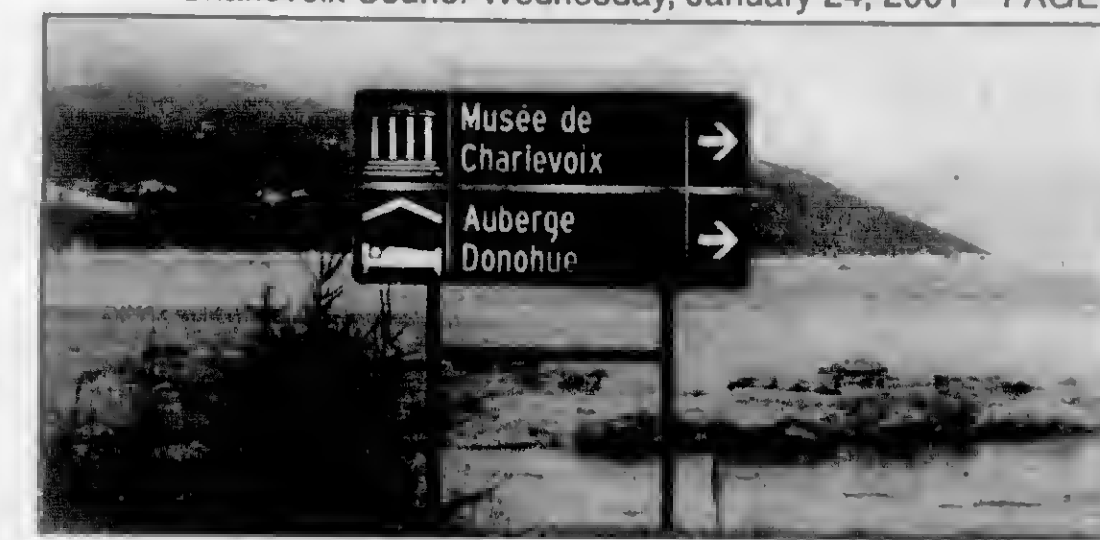
Just as there's ferry service to Beaver Island, there is boat service to a nearby island in the St. Lawrence called, Ile Aux Coudres, where there are both summer and year-round residents.

Both communities are also named after the same French Jesuit priest and historian, Father Pierre Francis Xavier De Charlevoix, born in 1682 during the reign of Louis XIV.

Charlevoix first left France at age 23 to teach grammar at a college in Quebec for four years. He then went back to Paris in 1709, where he continued to study history.

In 1721, he was sent back to Montreal to find a trade route to the Pacific. Traveling with a small group in two canoes, he travelled along the St. Lawrence River past Niagara and eventually to Detroit. From Detroit's Fort Ponchartrain, he traveled to Michilimackinac. Unsuccessful at finding a route, Charlevoix eventually went through the Great Lakes to the Mississippi and eventually back to France.

While there is no proof that he actually set foot in Charlevoix, he did travel past its shore.



Highway 138 winds along the St. Lawrence River north of Quebec and looks very similar to the drive on US-31 along Lake Michigan, except for the Laurentian Mountains in the heart of the Charlevoix region. (Photo by Ken Winter)



Charlevoix Courier General Manager Ken Winter exchanges newspapers with Sylvain Desmeules of Quebec's *Charlevoisien* during a recent visit to the weekly newspaper. (Photo courtesy of Ken Winter)

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OPINIONS

Some drivers need to go back to school

Northern Michigan winters bring not only beautiful weather for outdoor sports activities, but they are also a time of caution for those traveling on the roads.

In addition to the roads being slippery in the winter, when the snow flies or even when the sun creates blinding glares, visibility worsens. Both of these can create dangerous conditions for drivers.

In a period of about three weeks, Charlevoix has mourned the loss of three people to traffic accidents on the road. Fortunately, these accidents were the results of poor road conditions and not poor driving ability.

But, they just as easily could have been.

Many people understand this danger and change their driving habits accordingly. They slow down, turn on their headlights and practice other good defensive driving skills.

However, there are still a few drivers out there who need some lessons on winter driving in northern Michigan.

While out pursuing stories in the past few weeks, Charlevoix Courier staff members have noted the following

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EDITORIAL

dangerous driving violations on roads in and around Charlevoix during times of dangerous winter weather: Passing on double-yellow lines (many times when an oncoming vehicle was within 100 yards), passing on the snow-covered shoulder of the road, tail-gating, speeding, driving without their headlights on in low visibility, failing to use a blinker when turning and talking on a cellular phone while driving.

These were not seen once or twice by staff members, but as regular events on the roads. It is plain and simple — people committing these acts are putting their lives and the lives of other drivers on the road in jeopardy.

Why do some people insist on putting others in danger with their driving? Is whatever they are hurrying to that important? How did these people get a license?

If you are a driver who commonly commits one of the acts listed above, ask yourself this, "What will you say to the family of the other driver you just killed?"

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Road to a picture-perfect wedding, pothole ridden



Julie Musilek
Staff writer

After being engaged for a couple of months I think I have gained a better understanding of why the tradition is for the individual delivering the proposal to be down on one knee — they are asking for the grace of God to be with the couple over the next couple months of planning.

Bare in mind my fiancé and I had originally planned to be married on a beach in Jamaica with a couple of friends and immediate family members.

This simple plan of attack has since ballooned into an outdoor, summer wedding with 200 guests and there is absolutely nothing simple about it.

Brides-to-be, and those battle scarred wives who have made it

through, know that there are a sea of options out there and everybody has an opinion.

It's either the bridesmaid who says she doesn't like the way she looks in strapless dresses or another who is planning a trip to Japan arriving just a day before the wedding, banking on "Northwest's" reliability.

Then comes the ever-dreaded logistics, like choosing invitations.

All who receive an invitation open up a laundry list of paper products, from the reception card to the replies to the thank you cards. And bless the government for hiking up the postal rate, as each invitation sent requires postage to get to its destination and another stamp so the reply will find its way back.

Then you dive into the madness of American consumerist culture, that has given us so many choices that you are ready to be admitted to the loony bin — what would you like your cake to look like, hot or cold hors d'oeuvres, live music or a DJ, where does one rent tents and chairs and how does one gather all the addresses of everyone they know?

I'm still in the thick of it all and am enjoying myself and the time it has allowed me to spend with my mom, my sister and maid of honor, my grandmother and even my fiancé who has stepped up to the plate and helped make hard decisions.

But come August, I'll be the one racing down the aisle and grinning ear to ear as I pack my bags for the Caribbean.

I salute brave brides around the world who have entered into the abyss of wedding coordinating. You quickly learn that nothing pleases everyone and that your dream day doesn't come as easily as buying a pair of glass slippers and heading off in a pumpkin carriage.

You also begin to not sweat the little stuff because, after all, the significance of the day doesn't lie in the tangible aspects of the wedding itself but in celebrating the future that lies ahead with those you love.

Julie Musilek is the staff writer of the Charlevoix Courier. She can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoix-courier@charlevoixcourier.com.

Letters to the editor

Rebuttal on editorials

Editor:

Sorry you regret not receiving letters opposing your positions on 1: the Wharfside building, 2: the quick appointment to fill a Council vacancy or 3: your failed attempt to convince us all to agree with your view of the timing of the start of the millennium. May I be of help on all but the latter?

Studies by the city (including its staff, council, mayor and the subsidiaries, such as the Downtown Development Authority) concluded that the concept of the removal of the Parkside and Wharfside buildings offered benefits that far outweighed the negatives, although both were given in-depth consideration. To pre-design details of the after-removal land use would have required public input years before any implementation would be possible. The proper time for such studies is

when the resulting actions can be undertaken in the near future. That time is now.

The action of the mayor to nominate (and the council to consent to) a replacement on the same day a vacancy is created should be complimented, not criticized. Because of that action I, a first ward resident, had proper council representation without interruption. None were waiting in the wings to be called on — if they were they should have filed last May. None but incumbents did, neither for any council seat nor for other city office!

The analysis of availability of city officials leaves much to be desired. Our charter states that mayor is CEO of the city and president of the council. He, and the council, may be as strong as they care to be when it comes to guiding the city and setting its policies. Still, com-

munications on all routine matters, gripes and comments should be directed to the office of the city manager (547-3270) and not to the mayor or members of council. The city staff is full time; it runs the day-to-day operations of the city and is paid appropriately. The mayor and council are part-time. They are compensated for meetings, planning, budget work and preparation time. They are definitely not on call!

Your sister publication (Petoskey News-Review) gives the impression that a Round Lake summer resident feels that that lake is losing some of its charm.

Could it be that some residents had the moored yachts banned and that he now misses that pleasing portion of the scenery?

Josh Barnes
Charlevoix

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Elbert Kaiser honored as Citizen of the Year

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Calling him a man who has "made a significant positive impact on our community," the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce honored Charlevoix resident Elbert W. Kaiser as its Outstanding Citizen of the Year on Jan. 18 at its annual meeting.

Kaiser said he was very surprised by the award.

"I didn't think I had done anything," he said. "It is a compliment. It is nice to be recognized for the things that I have done, but there are many people in Charlevoix just as deserving as I am."

In a speech at the meeting, new Chamber Chairman of the Board Roger Nesburg said Kaiser has a "quiet, friendly way of getting big jobs done with little or no fanfare, and possesses that quiet confidence that needs no personal recognition."

Kaiser, a Dearborn High School graduate and a 1950 graduate of the University of Michigan, has led a busy life in Charlevoix.

He is an active member of the American Legion Leslie T. Shapton Post 226 and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1153, a member of the Charlevoix Lions Club since 1930 and served on the board of directors of the Charlevoix United Way, Charlevoix Area Hospital, Northwest Industrial Association and

"It is nice to be recognized for the things that I have done, but there are many people in Charlevoix just as deserving as I am."

Elbert Kaiser,
Outstanding Citizen of the Year

the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

Kaiser was also instrumental in the Charlevoix Bicentennial Cherry Pie Project, which gained international publicity and a world record in the Guinness Book of Records, Nesburg said.

In the Lions Club, Kaiser was the first to bring a circus to town and for a period he was responsible for the club's Venetian Festival activities. He also served as "King Lion," the club's name for president.

Nesburg added Kaiser was very active in the chamber. He wrote the mission statement for the Industrial Development Committee and worked with the bylaws committee, fund-raising committee, membership committee, Venetian Festival committee and fishing committee.

Kaiser, who was the plant manager of Medusa cement company before it was called Southdown, used his connections with the company to bring the ship "Medusa Challenger" into Round Lake on Memorial Day weekend in 1980 to raise funds for the high

school band and he convinced the company to enter one of its large quarry trucks in the Venetian Street Parade.

"I have heard it said that if you had an army that was going into battle, this is the man that you would want to be your general, your leader," Nesburg said.

Kaiser was not present at the Jan. 18 meeting, because he was spending the winter at his retirement home in Florida, a fact the chamber didn't realize until a few days before giving the award.

He said he was contacted the day before the chamber meeting by Chamber President Jacqueline Merta. Kaiser has been spending time at his home in Florida during winters for the last eight years, but is still a legal resident in Charlevoix and comes back every summer.

He and his wife, Bev, have three children, Linda, Bill and Paul.

Letters to the editor

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Thank you

Editor:

The Charlevoix Community Christmas Project would like to thank churches, organizations, businesses and individuals who contributed food, gifts or money to make it possible for us to make Christmas 2000 brighter for many families.

The project furnished 109 families with groceries and Christmas

dinner. 175 children received gifts of a toy, clothing, mittens, socks and a book.

Grateful thanks to the many volunteers who wrapped gifts, packed groceries and delivered them to shut-ins. Youth groups prepared double bags and later carried bags to the clients' cars on Dec. 23.

We hope it made Christmas better for you because you helped someone who needed and appreciated your kindness. Please know we are grateful to you.

Cynthia Garland and Kay Smith
Coordinators

Keep Charlevoix Beautiful annual meeting to be Jan. 25

Keep Charlevoix Beautiful will have its annual meeting Jan. 25, at the banquet room at the Grey Gables Inn restaurant starting at 5:15 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Keep Charlevoix Beautiful is a non-profit organization whose mission is "dedicated to enhancing the beauty of the city of Charlevoix".

Incoming officers are: Joanne Curtis, President; Judy Corley, Vice-president; Vicky Greyerbiehl and Katie Glenn, Secretaries; and Robert Hoffman, Treasurer.

Keep Charlevoix Beautiful is responsible for purchasing and

watering five miles of petunias in Charlevoix, plus coordinating the annual planting by the community and the picnic following. It also sponsors the annual residential Christmas decorating contest.

This year Keep Charlevoix Beautiful is purchasing a new watering truck to replace the 15-year-old truck that is used to water the petunias early every morning.

Any donations toward the new truck or to purchase the petunias are always appreciated. They can be mailed to P.O. Box 1, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Television star

Kristen Lignell, formerly of Charlevoix and daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Lignell of Charlevoix will be featured skiing on a glacier in Kenya on television at 9 p.m. tonight on the Adventure Channel (Charter Cable channel 21) in a program titled "Destination Kenya."

Adrian dean's list

Emily K. Martinus, a 1999 Charlevoix High School graduate, was named to the Adrian College dean's list recently. To be named to this list, students must maintain a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and carry at least 12 credit hours. Martinus is a sophomore majoring in art at the college located in Adrian. She is the daughter of Stephen and Jennie Martinus.

Calvin dean's list

Three graduates from Charlevoix High School were recently named to the Calvin College dean's list. They, their grade and major, are:

- Darrell W. Lawson, a sophomore majoring in classical civilization.
- Candice M. Vandergriff, a junior majoring in physical education.
- Jessica R. VanGuilder, a senior majoring in elementary education.

To be named to this list, a student must maintain a 3.5 grade point average for the semester and have a 3.3 cumulative grade point average. Calvin College is located in Grand Rapids.

Hope dean's list

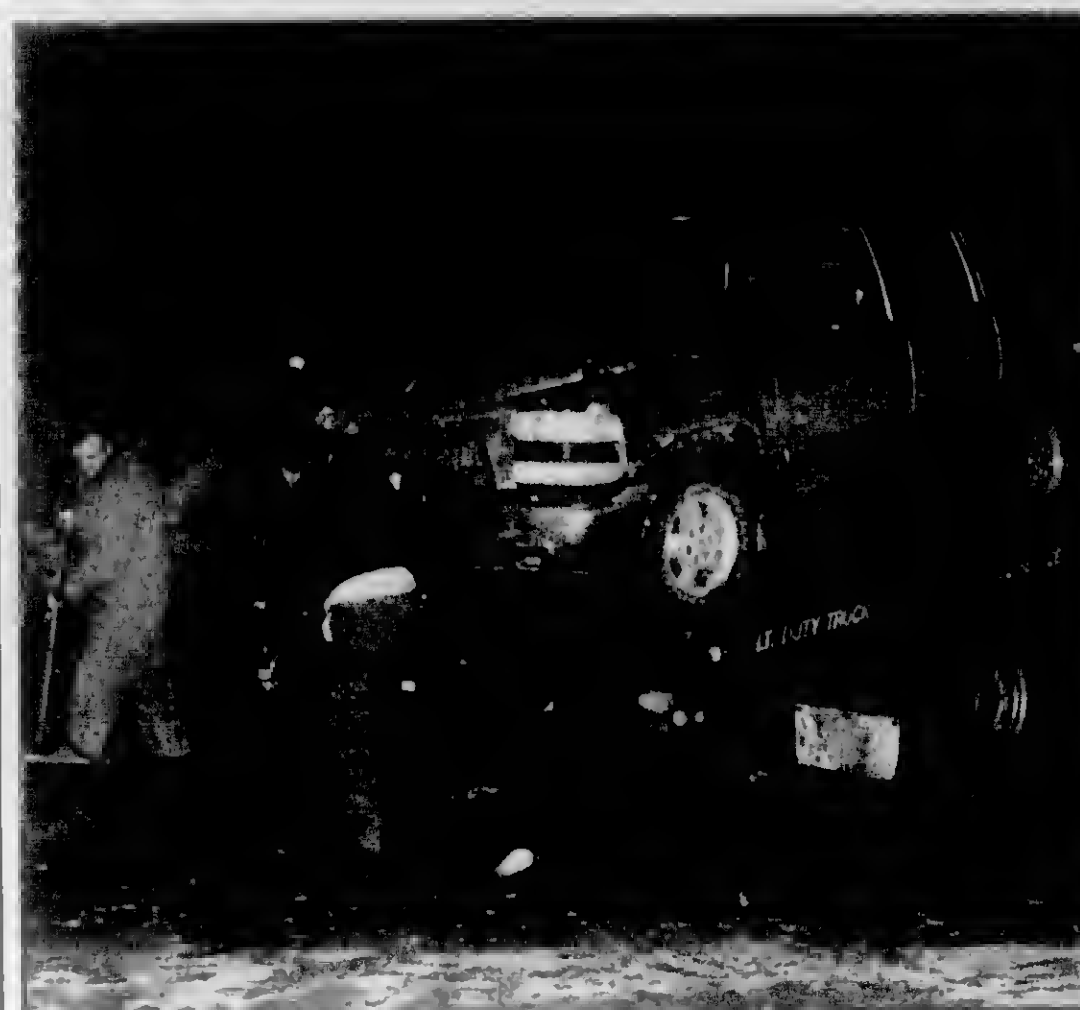
Kari Boss, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the Hope College dean's list for the first semester of the 2000-2001 school year. To be named to the list, a student must have a minimum 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. Boss is a senior at the college, which is located in Holland.

Madonna graduate

Derek E. Johnson, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from Madonna University in Livonia. He majored in social work.

Madonna dean's list

Machele M. Faith and Derek E. Johnson, both of Charlevoix, were recently named to the Madonna University dean's list. Madonna University is located in Livonia.



One injured in accident

A 30-year-old woman from Scotland was treated for minor injuries sustained in a two vehicle accident around 9 p.m. Jan. 18 near the intersection of Petoskey and Mercer avenues.

The accident occurred when a vehicle driven by Wendy Elizabeth Papp on Mercer Avenue, crossed the intersection of Petoskey Avenue. Papp did not see the vehicle driven by Dawn Marie Gotshall, 30, of Charlevoix, traveling toward the intersection on Petoskey Avenue.

Gotshall's vehicle struck Papp's. Papp was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital by the Charlevoix City Police. There were no other injuries.

Left, workers remove one of the vehicles from the road. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Kern named chamber Ambassador of the Year

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix resident of 20 years, Bob Kern, was appointed the Eleventh Ambassador of the Year at the annual Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce meeting Jan. 18.

"The award (Ambassador of the Year) recognizes an individual who promotes the spirit of the Charlevoix community and the Chamber of Commerce and its programs," Roger Nesbitt, Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce board chairman said.

A speech delivered at the meeting by Chamber President Jacqueline Merta outlined the ways in which Kern exemplified "the spirit of Charlevoix."

Included in Kern's recognized accomplishments that promote the Charlevoix community were his seven years of service on the Charlevoix Board of Appeals, his three years of service on the Zoning Board of Appeals, his 13 year membership with the Industrial Development Committee and his work in the 1985 founding of the Charlevoix Rotary Club.

"He (Kern) has been instrumental in working with industries that are interested in relocating to our community, which has made a significant impact on the growth of Charlevoix's industrial base," Merta said.

Merta continued by pinpoint-

ing the many ways in which Kern has also served the chamber. She said his service to the chamber included; four years as chamber director, one year as chamber second vice president, two years as chamber president and one year as past president.

She highlighted his integral role in the Downtown Action Agenda aimed at strengthening the economic health of Charlevoix's downtown business sector which was instituted during his tenure as chamber president.

"The plan is divided into a number of aims: To support and improve downtown stores; to improve the looks and comfort of the downtown shopping district; to provide ample, affordable parking; attract more customers; relieve traffic congestion; and develop organization and funding sources for downtown action," Merta said.

Kern and his wife Joyce have five children and three grandchildren. He has been in the real estate business for 30 years and is currently working at the Charlevoix branch of Real Estate One.

Kern said that the award recognizing his service to the community took him by surprise.

"I am ecstatic, I had no idea. It was very nice. Charlevoix is a great town and the Chamber of Commerce is a great organization," he said.



Bob Kern, Ambassador of the Year and Chamber President Jacqueline Merta celebrate after Kern accepted the award at the Annual Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce meeting Jan. 18. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Writer argues: why worry?

By TOM WELSCOTT
Chaplin, Workplace Ministries

"Why Worry?" That's a silly question. Everyone knows that life is packed full of things to worry about. From the minute we get up until the minute we drop off to sleep they never end.

Even after we do finally doze off, our unconscious often works overtime. That's life in 2001, do we have any other options?

We have no control over how fast the world around us tries to live, but we can take charge of how we choose to live. Endless demands give us little time for reflection, but God reminds us that He is there in the midst of it all.

No we will never be able to arrange a luncheon rendezvous with God, but He repeatedly reminds us in the Bible that we don't need one. Psalms 46:1 says, "God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble." Even though we can't see Him, he is always with us.

Beacons of Blessing

When do we seek refuge or shelter? If we are caught outside in a violent thunderstorm a long way from home. Then in desperation we seek refuge under anything that will provide a little shelter from the storm. We seek refuge if we are in an unbearable living arrangement. The place of shelter and refuge must be a place that will be free from those fears.

In a spiritual sense it's impossible to see that shelter or identify exactly where we would go to find it. All who have entered a relationship with God by welcoming His Son, Jesus, have the wonderful gift of His presence today and throughout all time. When that has happened we don't have to go looking for it anymore. That relationship offers a ready made

shelter wherever we go.

Not only is God our refuge and strength, it also says in the Bible that we can "Throw all our worries and cares on Jesus for He cares about us." Of course, like any other aspect of relating to an invisible God we are not implying that is something we can see.

It happens within us, it is something that we sense, but can never pin down. If we try to write a formula or write a computer program to explain how it works we will never find it.

Faith is the essential ingredient. Faith that there is a God, and he does care about me. Then in some unexplainable way I can experience Jesus taking all my worries. When that faith is present, then and only then can I sense something of His presence. At that point He becomes a refuge from the endless barrage of things I am being induced to worry about.

Your God who cares says, "Throw all your worries and cares on Me for I care about you."

Obituaries

Floyd E. Genia: March 31, 1917 - Jan. 15, 2001

Floyd E. Genia, Sr., 83, of Charlevoix, died Jan. 15, at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

A Mass of the Resurrection was Jan. 19, at Saint Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Thomas Neis will officiate and burial will be in Saint Mary's Cemetery.

Floyd was born March 31, 1917, in Charlevoix, the son of Jim and Clara (Shananaquet) Genia and grew up in the Bay Shore area.

On Sept. 1, 1939, he married the former Katherine Rose Tookalo in Charlevoix, and she preceded him in death on Oct. 14, 1995.

Floyd served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was a highly respected master auto body

repairman. He enjoyed gardening, enjoying nature and spending time with his grandchildren.

Floyd was a member of Saint Mary's Church in Charlevoix and the Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians.

On Oct. 19, 1996, he married Angeline Sineway of East Jordan, and she survives.

Floyd is also survived by his sons, Floyd, Jr. of Charlevoix, and Tony (Ann) of Lauderdale, Minn.; his daughter, Carol (Dave) Prior of Holland; 13 grandchildren; many great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; mother-in-law, Rose Howe; sisters-in-law, Martina Starr and Dorothy Dyer; brother-in-law,

Calvin Peters, all of Charlevoix; step-children, Virginia (Patrick) Wabanimkee, Patricia (Claudio) Castaneda and Douglas (Sherry) Sineway, all of East Jordan, Phyllis (Thomas) John of Kewadin, Anthony Sineway, Jr. of Traverse City and Charles (Colleen) Sineway of Waukegan, Ill.; 25 step grandchildren; 33 step great-grandchildren.

Floyd was also preceded in death by his daughter, Claire Schmidt, and infant son, Leslie.

Memorial contributions may be made to Saint Mary's Church Building Fund.

Envelopes for contributions are available at the Winchester Funeral Home.

Stephen J. McCann: Oct. 5, 1944 - Jan. 14, 2001

Stephen J. McCann passed away on Jan. 14, 2001 in the Veterans Home in Grand Rapids.

Steve was born in Tonapah, Nev. on Oct. 5, 1944, the first child of Lt. Col. John G. McCann and Dorothy R. McCann from Beaver Island.

Raised in a military family, he grew up in Charlevoix; Omaha, Neb.; Westover Air Force Base, Mass.; Levittown, Pa.; and Goose Bay, Labrador.

He graduated from Cathedral High

School in Springfield, Mass. in 1962.

In 1965, he joined the Army and was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Army Corps of Engineers and served in Vietnam from 1966-1967. After leaving the army, Steve returned to school and became an electrician and lived in Indianapolis, Ind. and then in Jackson.

He was a devoted son and cared for his parents over the past 20 years with a selfless spirit that will always be remembered.

He was a day-care provider. She is survived by her husband, Scott; sons, Tyler and Desmond Morgan of Grant; parents, Cecil and Jeanne Wynkoop of Charlevoix; brothers, Lawrence A. (Christine) Wynkoop of Charlevoix and LeRoy A. (Cindee) Wynkoop of Ellsworth; sisters, Valery J. (Don) Frosty of Ellsworth and Marci L. (Tim) Balogh of Kentwood; grandpar-

ents, Chellas Wynkoop of Norwood and Marie M. Herbert Mitchell of Charlevoix in addition to several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. today at Safe Harbor Baptist Church in Charlevoix. The Pastor Joe Norris officiated. Burial was in Norwood Township Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Grant Athletic Boosters or Safe Harbor Baptist Church.

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Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis.....	547-4121
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.	or -9765	
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Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan.....	547-5269	FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH State St. at Park Ave.	
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Pastor Michael Teuscher		Pastor: Phillip G. Schairbaum.....	547-9122
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Pastor: James Green.....	547-4390	GREENSKY HILL INDIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Old U.S. 31 North	
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Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	10:15 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Eugene Baughan	
Wednesday Service	7:00 p.m.	SAFE HARBOR SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH US-31 & Old US-31	
Pastor: Duane Nelson.....	547-5711	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD 202 W. Hurlbut		Worship	11:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Interim Pastor: Joe Norris.....	547-6283
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH South Bridge Street	
Reverend: Neil Turner		Saturday Night Mass	5:30 p.m.
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Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.	Father Tom Neis.....	547-6652
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Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	FAMILY OF FAITH MINISTRIES 203 E. Upright	
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FAMILY OF FAITH MINISTRIES 203 E. Upright		Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.
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Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Parsonage.....	547-3852
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Boys' vacation turns into manatee rescue

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

A January vacation in Florida turned into a rescue mission for three Charlevoix boys.

The boys, Ryan Amick, 10, Mitchell Crandall, 11, and Ray Jones were boating with their family on the Peace River — near Port Charlotte, Fla. — when an officer from the Florida Wildlife and Conservation Department approached them and asked for their help in saving a baby Manatee seen swimming nearby.

Unlike other baby animals, usually thought of as small and cuddly-looking, this one was 250 pounds and 4 feet long. According to the boys, the wildlife officer was concerned about a wound on the animal.

The animal had also become separated from its mother and was swimming in cold water, which could have killed it.

"I didn't even know what it was. It just looked like a big pile of something," Crandall said. "I've seen one on tv, but not in real life."

Amick said he thought the animal looked like "a seal, but much fatter."

The boys, along with three others, helped the officer lift the manatee from the water and onto a boat. It was later taken to a biology resource center where it was treated for a wound inflicted by a speed-boat's propeller.

Crandall said the wound looked like a huge cut and the animal seemed like it was in pain.

However, Amick added the animal still acted very gentle and calm.

"He was cool," Amick said. Manatees, also called "Sea Cows," are listed as an endangered species. They have been known to grow up to 13 feet long, weigh up to 1,000 pounds and live up to 50 years.



The wildlife officer and the Charlevoix boys pose after saving the baby manatee. The boys are, from left to right: Mitchell Crandall, Ray Jones and Ryan Amick. (Courtesy photo)

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Tip of the Mitt compiles inventory on Lake Charlevoix

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council is taking great strides to ensure the future health of one of Charlevoix's greatest features, Lake Charlevoix.

"We are working to develop a strategy to reduce existing pollution and to prevent future pollution," watershed council staff member Ann Baughman said.

Each year fishermen, boaters, swimmers and jet skiers head out on the lake and enjoy its 17,000 acres of water and fresh bounty but rarely ask how daily actions impact the lake's water quality and ecosystem.

Since June of 1999 the Tip of the Mitt staff has been conducting inventories and identifying sources of pollution threatening the lake's water quality.

They divided the Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project into two areas of focus, point source and nonpoint source pollution.

Baughman explained that point source pollution comes from a pipe, like a waste water treatment plant. She said that two point source pollution sites were included in their study, the Boyne City Waste Water Treatment Plant and the East Jordan Iron

Works.

The Iron Works uses Lake Charlevoix water to cool machinery and then pumps the water, which after use has reached a warmer temperature, back into the lake.

Nonpoint source pollution includes all pollution that comes from the land. Nonpoint source examples are rain water carrying contaminated soil particles, bacteria from animal waste and toxic chemicals from the road.

Baughman said that the salt used on slick winter roads can be a problem but the council has not found any specific locations where this is currently a serious problem. She commended the road commission for their mixing of sand and salt to avoid water contamination.

The environmental group examined numerous road crossings from which other pollutants or toxins may have filtered into streams or rivers below that connect to the lake. They will then identify areas that need improvements and make recommendations as to how the site could be more

environmentally sensitive.

They also looked closely at areas where agricultural activity is prevalent. Baughman said the group plans to work with individuals to help educate them in ways to safely use pesticides including the implementation of natural buffers.

The council advocates the use of natural buffers for lakefront home owners also.

Baughman cited instances where lakefront homeowners use fertilizers on their lawn which then wash into the lake. The environmental group encourages land owners to keep the natural landscape intact. Trees and shrubs have root systems that will filter the majority of the contaminants out before they reach the water.

The council met at the Charlevoix County Building on Jan. 9 to discuss the agricultural, forestry, recreation and shoreline assessments.

They prioritized the cases and decided to send a summary of shoreline inventory results to all shoreline residents. They also plan to follow up in

areas where they found shoreline algae, to determine the cause and to help in reducing its presence.

They are looking for ways to help create better interaction between shoreline builders and the lake by possibly implementing development guidelines.

In terms of recreation they found areas of erosion from canoeists and anglers. The environmental group looks to restore these sites and to educate outdoor enthusiasts about water quality.

Thirdly, they went over the impact of agriculture on the lake. The group plans to work with farms that are close to major tributaries in an effort to install "best management practices."

Lastly, they looked at forestry study results which revealed a need

for information among large property owners. Baughman said if grant money allows, they may be able to do some cost sharing with the property owner in the future.

The Jan. 30 meeting will take place in the county building and the group will discuss the remaining inventories, including: zoning, road crossings, sensitive area land protection and storm water. The meeting will be followed by a land-use assessment.

With the inventory in final stages of completion the council has already applied for grants from the Environmental Protection Agency and the Department of Environmental Quality which will help implement their key recommendations.

Baughman added correcting the issues they discovered, will be challenging.

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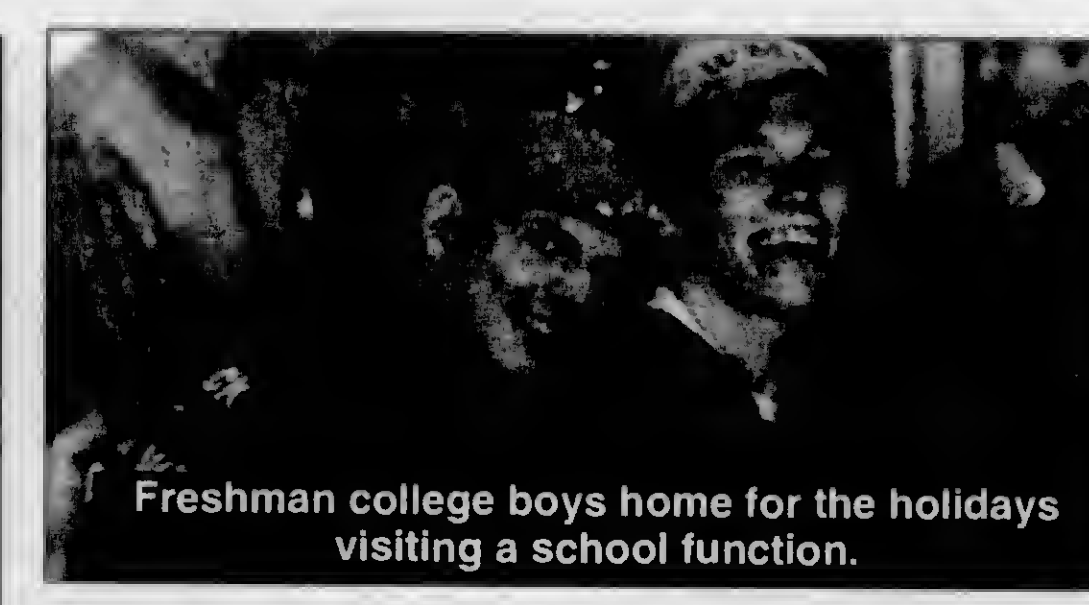
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A couple enjoy the Historical Society's New Year's festivities.



More revelers at the Historical Society's party.



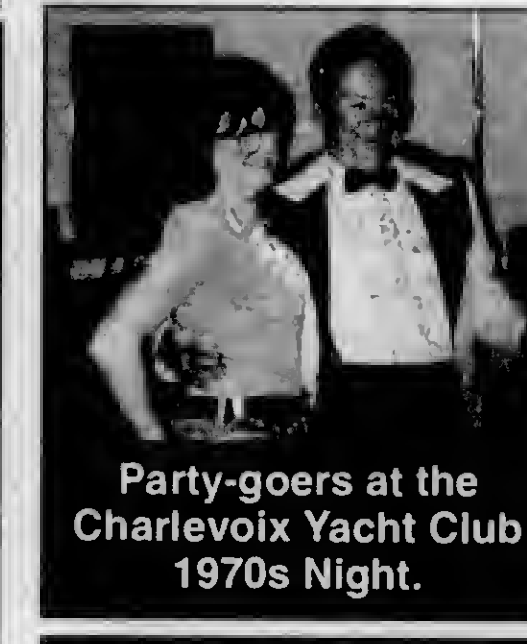
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Harmon explained that local road systems throughout the townships are always last.

"We have to have the main roads cleared and passable. The main roads connect businesses and cities throughout the county," he

said.

With the road commission budget steadily rising and the uncertain path the weather will take in the remaining months of winter, Harmon said the impact the harsh 2000-2001 winter will have is hard to tell.

"If the rest of the winter is bad we will have to adjust. There may be things that might not be able to happen this summer, but it is too early to tell. We could have a spring like last year when the snow melted in February," he said.

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SPORTS

Boys varsity basketball adds more wins to record

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

Scott Parrish didn't touch the ball on offense for the first seven minutes of the game, and he didn't score until there were two seconds left in the first quarter. He made up for lost time, though, scoring 21 points and grabbing 10 rebounds, leading Charlevoix to a 91-59 home win over Boyne City last Friday night.

The Rayders and Ramblers traded baskets much of the first quarter, with each team leading by as many as three. For Charlevoix, Doug Rieck hit two three-pointers early and Rob Boss cleaned up inside, scoring five in the period. Parrish's put-back just before the buzzer sent the Rayders off with an 18-17 advantage.

Boyne scored the first second quarter basket but then Patrick Gowell and Parrish each scored four in an 8-0 run which gave Charlevoix a 26-19 lead. The Rayders never trailed again. Charlevoix's pressure defense and offensive firepower keyed

the blitz that saw the lead expand to 43-27 at the half.

The second half provided more of the same as Parrish hit a short jumper only six seconds out of the locker room and followed it with a pretty driving layup to run the Rayder lead to twenty at 47-27. Parrish and Boss combined for the first 18 points of the third quarter, relentlessly pounding the ball inside against the over-matched Ramblers.

Boss and Parrish each ended up with 10 points in the frame. Charlevoix carried a 69-37 lead into the fourth quarter.

In the middle quarters, Charlevoix outscored Boyne 51-20 led by Parrish's 19 points and Boss's 14.

Charlevoix Coach Keith Haske emptied the bench early in the fourth and as a result, 11 of the 12 Rayder players scored and all got significant playing time.

The Rayder lead grew to as much as 37 at 80-43 midway through the fourth stanza.

For the game, in addition to Parrish's contributions, Boss — playing "one of his best games of the season," according to

Haske — had 19 points and 10 boards. Rieck and Jim Shepherd each scored nine points. Keith Daly netted five points and grabbed eight rebounds. Dave Hall led Boyne City's scorers with 14.

Haske termed the game a "team effort" and praised his defense, especially Gowell (six points, four assists, four steals), Ryan Rafacz and Jeremiah Teuscher.

"I thought Boyne City played well early on but our pressure eventually wore them down. You could feel things start to shift when our defense got going," Haske said.

With the win, the Rayders ran their record to 7-3 overall and a perfect 4-0 in the conference. After traveling to take on fellow unbeaten conference rival Kalkaska on Tuesday, the Rayders play at Traverse City Saint Francis on Friday.

The Charlevoix junior varsity also was victorious, beating Boyne City, 69-50. Todd Carey led a balanced attack with 12 points while Nate Teuscher and Donovan each had 11.

Varsity volleyball team still searching for wins

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix High School Varsity Volleyball team dropped another meet Monday night when they faced Kalkaska.

Coach Carolyn Loper said the Rayders just were not in the game. "I had ten players that weren't there to play volleyball. They had no focus," she said.

Loper said there was a total breakdown in fundamental playing ability. She added the team will be having some hard practices this week to get their minds back in the game.

"They are a better team than they played (Monday)," Loper said. She did praise Kate Madison for her attempted rally in the second match with her serving.

Like the varsity team, the junior varsity team lost when it faced Kalkaska Monday night, dropping two out of three games.

Top servers for the game were Natasha Kleiber and Krystal Meredith. Top offensive players were Kleiber and Becca Kanine. Top defensive players were Kelly Zimmerman and Shayna Drost.

While the JV and varsity teams took losses, the freshman team did not follow. They beat Kalkaska in their face-off.

Top servers for the game were Erika Stone, Maggie Romig and Lauren Eldredge. Top offensive players were Andrea Ruhlman, Britany Pizzura and Erika Stone. Top defensive players were Amanda Boss, Jessica Pettis and Maggie Beemon.

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EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public.

Cribbage tournament

The Cabin Fever Cribbage Tour-

nament takes place at 7 p.m. Thursdays through March 15 at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Pastoral visit

Father Michael Varlamos, from The Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church in Plymouth, will make a pastoral visit to Traverse City. He will celebrate the Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. (Orthros at 9:30 a.m.) Jan. 27 at Grace Episcopal Church, located at 341 Washington Street, across from the courthouse, in Traverse City. A social gathering will follow. All are invited to attend

the service. For information call (231)932-6868.

Caregiver training

Satellite training to caregivers of the elderly is being offered from 1 to 4:30 p.m. on Jan. 31 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. The cost is \$12. For more information contact the MSU Extension office at 582-6232.

Firefighter's ball

Tickets are available for the second annual Charlevoix Volunteer Firefighters Association's

Firefighters Ball. This year's event will take place at 8 p.m. on Feb. 17 at The Charlevoix County Club. Tickets are \$25 each. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, a chance at a door prize and entertainment by D.J. the D.J. There will also be a silent auction and a cash bar. To purchase tickets contact a City of Charlevoix firefighter or Shari Kline at 547-8495.

Zonta fellowship

The Zonta Club of Charlevoix is looking for applicants for its

Amelia Earhardt Fellowship Award.

The award is the club's largest and oldest international service program that has provided financial support to women in aeronautics.

The award provides grants for women pursuing degrees in aerospace related fields. Those reviewing the applications are women who were past fellows and practitioners in the field in addition to being Zontians.

For more information, contact Debbie Meier of the Zonta Club at 347-8399.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information about the evening garden club please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. Call 547-2920 for more information.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center

lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373 and leave a message.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information about the Garden Club call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet at 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., located at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility, East Jordan.

BASES Teen Center is open

2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Barnard Grange meet at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the grange hall.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. All people with food problems welcome. For further information call Merrilee 547-2104.

Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday for a breakfast meeting at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For information regarding the Auxiliary call 547-6670.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For information contact Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building, 15144 Bell's Bay Rd. Call 547-3589 for information.

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group will meet at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. All chamber members are encouraged to attend. For more information call the chamber at 547-2101.

Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1-4 p.m. and 5-9 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

FRIDAY

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m.,

Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. It is located at 103 State Street.

VFW hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For information call 547-9384.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meet at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For information call 547-1817.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim from 1-4 p.m.

SUNDAY

Alateen Meeting at 7 p.m., located at the Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

A.A. meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 1-4 p.m.

Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sunday, weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

American Legion hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

WINTER QUEEN CONTEST FRIDAY NIGHT

THIRTEEN GIRLS TO COMPETE AT GYM FOR HONOR

Following completion of plans by various committees of the Charlevoix Polar Bear Winter Sports Club, Charlevoix's first winter sports activity will take place Friday evening, January 8.

The first event will be the winter queen contest, to be held at 8 o'clock at the school gymnasium. E.J. Edwards, chairman of the committee for selection of candidates, has announced that 13 girls have consented to enter the competition. The winner will represent this city in the regional contest for Michigan Winter Queen at Petoskey on January 19. Those competing are: Esther O'Neill, Helen Gallagher, Ernestine Chew, Alice Meyer, Marjorie Miller, Mildred LaBlanc, Esther Lou Fochtman, Luella Cun-

ningham, Mildred Withers, Esther West, Beth Heise, Margaret McRae and Frances Withers.

At the queen's contest the group will appear in a tableau. The King of the Realm of Snow, Ice and the Tempests decides to abdicate his throne in favor of a member of the fair sex. The King believes that his subjects (members of the audience) should choose his successor by a majority vote. Two Heralds, the Duke of Ice and the Earl of Snow, aid the king as the Princesses of the Realm appear in two short skits, one an indoor scene, the second an outdoor scene. Harry Bingham is chairman of the committee in charge of this feature, and is being assisted by Freda McMillan and Helen Anthony.

The program will be very similar to that carried out a year ago.

Admission tickets for adults, to cost 15 cents, will be accompanied by two ballots. Following presentation of the candidates, the first ballot will be taken, eliminating all but three. The contestant receiving the highest vote among the three sur-



The 1937 winter queen contestants. (Courtesy photo)

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vivors on the second ballot will be honored as winter queen. The two runners-up will act as maids of honor. Selection will be by popular vote of the assemblage, based on personality and poise of the contestants.

Other features of the evening's program will include music by the city band and several winter sports and comic movie reels.

An active campaign to sell memberships in the Charlevoix Polar

Bear Winter Sports Club is now under way, directed by William Fessenden, chairman of the membership committee. A white polar bear mounted on a green arm band is being given with each membership. Funds raised in the campaign will be used to defray expenses of various activities in connection with winter sports.

The coronation ceremony, also to be held in the gymnasium, will be conducted Friday evening, January

15. The crowning will be followed by the Winter Queen's Ball and for the coronation and entertainment, winter queens, their escorts and chaperones from several neighboring cities will be guests of the Charlevoix winter sports committee. Music for the evening will be furnished by the Wexstaff's orchestra. The throne committee is making preparations for a beautiful setting for the ceremony.

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Marina to be included in shore-side hearings

MARINA

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Before being hired, the perspective planner will need to be interviewed by a "review committee" made up of the mayor, a council member and a DDA member.

After the review committee makes its decision, Harsch said the planner will pinpoint meeting dates at which time he/she will come together with the community to discuss shore-side renovations.

Harsch added that he estimates the planner meeting with the community will be 60 to 90 days after being hired. The product of the meetings will materialize in the drafting of a preliminary plan.

Weisner said, "I think that with proper planning we can achieve what the community wants in that park. It will be a win-win for everybody. Everyone can be satisfied; so many times Charlevoix has argued with itself. People can still have art fairs, band performances and restrooms plus more."

Weisner said the marina services one thing and the park services

many. Therefore, the park requires a lot of input from the community.

"From my standpoint, with the marina we are trying to lay out boat slips, but on the shore-side we are trying to accomplish a whole bunch of things from band performances, to art fairs, to fish ponds," Weisner said.

He added that for the shore-side renovations all the facts are in front of the community.

Before hearing community comments on the marina Weisner feels the city should be equipped to respond to community concerns. One such concern that many residents have voiced is that of increased traffic volumes.

The city and the highway department are currently conducting a study that will gauge the effect the preliminary plans for the marina expansion would have on the bridge.

Weisner also highlighted the fact that the city has yet to conduct a financial feasibility plan which will answer the question, "Is a marina expansion financially a good business decision?"

The city has already applied for grants which will generate project

funds for the Wharfside acquisition and demolition. Weisner said that there is not yet a set project budget and the budget will be decided after the city finalizes plans for what it will entail.

He foresees after the shore-side analysis and preliminary shore-side

plan are completed, and all the facts surrounding the marina expansion are gathered, there will be discussion of how far the docks will extend, what impact the expansion will have on the Venetian boat parade and the Venetian fireworks and whether or not high traf-

fic volumes from increased bridge activity will be an issue.

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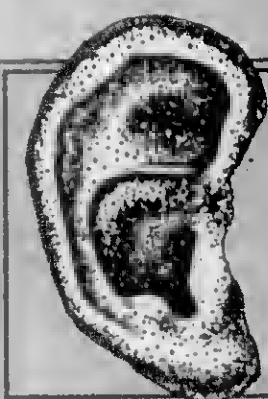
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Charlevoix was home to the man that accepted the surrender of Sitting Bull and many other notable accomplishments.

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New truck purchased to water petunias

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Every morning for the past 19 years from May 25 until one week after Labor Day, Dale Boss climbs out of bed at 4:15 a.m. and fires up the petunia truck — he is on the road by 4:30 a.m. watering five miles of flowers that line Bridge Street in downtown Charlevoix.

Boss said he uses five tanks or 2,500 gallons of water every day.

"It takes a lot of attention you just don't let them go," he said. For the past 19 years he has watered for 100 days straight and has never missed a day.

Boss sees Operation Petunia as one way that he can give back to the community that has given him so much and he grinned from ear to ear as the garage door lifted revealing the souped up 2001 Chevy truck that will be Charlevoix's latest "toy."

However, Operation Petunia hasn't always been so high tech, Boss explained the bumpy road he traveled to get the program where it is today.

He started out in 1982 using his son's one ton flatbed truck with two open livestock tanks on the rear that he borrowed from the Kiwanis Club.



(Above) Standing next to the new petunia truck are from left to right, Operation Petunia founder Dale Boss and welders Ken Meadows and Dave Arnold of Marlon Township. Arnold built the water tank on the rear of the truck. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

His wife Marilyn rode on the back too. He said that every time he started and stopped she would get drenched.

"I tried to be careful but those tanks were 12 feet long with open tops," he said.

The next year Charlevoix County State Bank (the forerunner to Citizens Bank) gave Boss an old gasoline truck that they used for four years.

He removed the door from the passenger side of the gasoline truck and Marilyn would sit with her feet on the running board out in the cold. She pushed a contraption to release the water.

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City proposes budget for 2001-2002

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

According to a proposed 2001-2002 city budget recently released, almost half of the city of Charlevoix budget will be used for capital projects.

"Things are just coming together all at once," City Manager Mike Wiesner said of the reason for the large amount of capital projects slated for this coming year.

The city has a total budget of \$14.25 million budget for 2001-2002 and about 49 percent of it will be used for long-term capital projects. These projects, and their costs, include: Wharfside property purchase for \$1,240,000, an electric substation construction for

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- Police and fire — 26.64 percent
- Recreation and culture — 26.36 percent
- Infrastructure improvements — 17.47 percent
- General government — 12.84 percent
- Public works — 4.91 percent
- Health and welfare — 4.9 percent
- Local street/recreation subsidy — 3.25 percent
- Other — 2.14 percent
- Legislative functions — 1.49 percent

These figures do not include revenues that may be generated to city funds by some of these areas.

\$1,200,000, a Belvedere Avenue infrastructure project for \$436,100, Lake Michigan Beach improvements for \$425,000 and a sewer on Marion Center to the new high school for \$400,000.

Also included in the capital improvements section are renovations to city hall, with \$1,431,971 budgeted. However, Wiesner said the cost of this project will probably be more than this and the city may be

forced to have a bond sale. He said in the next two months the city will get an estimate on the project from an architect, but the city may still not know if it will need a bond sale until the project goes out for bids.

Revenue for the city, making up the \$14 million budget, comes from a variety of sources. They, and their amounts in 2000-2001 are:

- Taxes — \$1,833,600
- Licenses and permits — \$800
- State grants — \$2,005,400
- Charges for services — \$6,875,632
- Fines and forfeits — \$59,398
- Interest and rents — \$535,300
- Fund transfers — \$755,000
- Appropriation — \$1,975,246

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Jennifer Joann Staph, 22, Charlevoix. Disturbing the peace. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Letitia Lynn Harrington, 18, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Keith Lyle Pattenau, 53, East Jordan. Second degree criminal sexual conduct-multiple variables. Bound over to circuit court.

Gary Steven McSawby, 47, Escanaba. Third degree retail fraud. Jail for six days with credit for six days; \$218 in fines and costs.

Sarah Kelly Dunham, 40, Wolverine. Two counts of driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$330.

Quintin Allen Walker II, 32, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 30 days, 45 days on electronic monitor, 62 days held in abeyance; \$1,115 in fines and costs.

Paul Robert White, 41, Boyne City. Possession of weapons by felon; and delivering and manufacturing of marijuana; and possession of a non-narcotic controlled substance; and possession of LSD. Bound over to circuit court.

John William Cruse, 45, Petoskey. Malicious destruction of a building, over \$200, under \$1,000. One year probation; 180 days in jail, serve 20 days, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 140 days held in abeyance; \$2,390.20 in fines and costs.

Erika Ann Scott, 24, Boyne City. Making a false police report. Five days of community service work; \$535 in fines and costs.

Robert Sean McGarva, 30, Oden. Possession of a controlled substance-marijuana. One year probation; 180 days in jail, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 170 days held in abeyance; \$940 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Nathan Charles Cleary, 18, Charlevoix. Fourth degree criminal sexual conduct-victim between the ages of 13 and 16. Two years probation; jail for six months with credit for one day, serve two months; \$860 in fines and costs.

James Paul Powell, 28, St. Helen. Receiving and concealing stolen property more than \$1,000, less than \$20,000. Two years probation; jail for a minimum of 24 months and a maximum of 48 months, sentence to be served consecutively to the sentence the defendant is now serving for Home Invasion; \$2,135 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Classic Auto & Truck Sales, 214 Ray Street, Boyne City, by Dana Josef Dvoracek and Mark Anthony Dvoracek

Radle Construction, 06454 Red Pine Trails, Charlevoix, by Alton Radle

J & J Transport L.L.C., 04556 Lakeshore Road, Boyne City, by James Raveau and Joyce Raveau

North Country Home Inspections, 3620 Roberts Road, East Jordan, by Andrew E. Voss

"The Chair Dr.", 3730 Vandermark Road, Bellaire, by Judd W. Fuller

Lyon, Ingleson and Donoghue, Attorneys at Law, 2604 Sunnyside Drive, Cadillac, by Jeffrey T. Lyon, Harry Ingleson II and William J. Donoghue Jr.

Les Jardins Design & Maintenance, 10598 Old US-31 North, Charlevoix, by Linda Purdy and Janine Warner

Eternity Arts, 107 Grace Lane, Boyne City, by Matthew Kaden Bowman

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Joel William Gray, 25, Boyne City and Melissa Marie Conkline-Matz, 24, Boyne City

Ty Riley Wagner, 31, Charlevoix and Maureen Elizabeth Oleksy, 24, Charlevoix

Mark David Snyder, 33, Charlevoix and Valerie Kay Barnes,

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Kirk Kresin Wilson vs. Shelly Kay Wilson
Julie Shivley vs. James Shivley
Sherri Moore vs. Joseph Moore
Daniel Lewis vs. Tonia Lewis

Michael Clark vs. Danette Clark
Deborah Kinner vs. Kevin Kinner
Mark E. Murray vs. Suellen Murray
Laura D. Broman vs. Harold Broman Jr.

Scott Lyman Elzinga vs. Tina Janal Elzinga

Births

Nicolas Jon Archambault was born to Jon and Jennifer Archambault of Charlevoix on Jan. 25 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Nicolas weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces at birth.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Snow
Jan. 23	34	28	—
Jan. 24	34	29	trace
Jan. 25	29	24	.5"
Jan. 26	31	24	trace
Jan. 27	32	20	2"
Jan. 28	30	19	—
Jan. 29	30	28	—

Two injured in US-31 rollover

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department investigated a Jan. 28 one vehicle rollover crash that injured two Charlevoix men.

The Sheriff's Department received a call at 9:33 a.m. Sunday morning from a motorist who had passed the crash site and had seen the vehicle off the roadside near US-31 at Boyne City Charlevoix Road.

Officers arrived at the scene and found no one in the vehicle. Further investigation determined that Cody L. Backus, 21, of Petoskey was traveling southbound on US-31 in a 1986 Honda at around 6 a.m. when she fell asleep. The vehicle drifted off the road, slid sideways and rolled down into the embankment.

Donald Bisesi, 22, of Charlevoix was treated for head and back injuries at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Brent Bixby, 22, also of Charlevoix sought treatment for a head injury and a hand laceration.

The Honda was totaled and Backus has been cited for careless driving and failure to report a personal injury traffic crash.

The Sheriff's Department was assisted at the scene by the Charlevoix City Police Department and the Michigan State Police.

Nuptial forms available at Charlevoix Courier

Forms to report weddings and engagement are available at the Charlevoix Courier, 112 Mason St., Charlevoix or call 547-6558.

Omission



The names of the women in this photo, published in last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier on the Scrapbook page, were omitted. They are: (from left) Frances Withers, Luella Cunningham, Mildred LaBlanc, Helen Gallagher, Marjorie Miller, Alice Meyer, Esther Fochtman, Mildred Withers. (Courtesy photo)

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Potholes create havoc for drivers this winter, spring

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

This winter, drivers commuting around Charlevoix are dodging quite a few potholes and some are claiming the holes in the road are worse than ever.

Ari Adler, communications manager for the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT), said that during both mild and harsh winters potholes are bound to occur but during heavy winters, like this year, potholes in roadways are more difficult to maintain, leading to the perception that the problem is "worse than ever."

"Our first priority is making sure that snow and ice on the roads is cleared. Once that has been achieved, we can concentrate on the potholes," Adler said.

Adler said that during heavy winters, those that maintain the roadways are forced to dump more salt on the roads. The salt then creates an artificial freeze/thaw cycle.

It is this freeze/thaw cycle that creates the ever-dreaded pothole. As moisture gets into the ground and freezes, the soil expands and is pushed to the surface of the roadway. When the ground thaws, the soil recedes but the pavement stays lifted. Then drivers come along and ride over the lifted pavement. The weight of a vehicle cracks the pavement, causing a pothole.

When asked whether concrete or asphalt is the better material to use in covering roadways as ammo against potholes, Adler responded that both have their weaknesses. "Both concrete and asphalt take a

beating in the wintertime," Adler said.

In using concrete, he pointed out that street keepers see problems where the joints are sealed. Dirt and soil tends to accumulate in these joints and then moisture joins the mix. The mixture freezes in the joints and so begins the freeze/thaw cycle.

Asphalt on the other hand has no specific joint, it is one solid surface. However, this surface can crack and again the soil inside the crack will get wet from moisture seeping through these surface cracks freezing and buckling the asphalt, then thawing and eventually becoming a pothole.

One way that MDOT tries to alleviate potholes is by sealing these cracks. You will often see lines in the road that look like tar, this is where a crack has been sealed.

"Cracks are sealed to keep moisture out from underneath the roadway," Adler said.

Adler added that older roads and those in worse condition are more likely to be cracked and consequently marked by potholes.

Adler said that MDOT's pothole filling efforts are sometimes in vain during the winter months. Filling potholes when it is cold and snowing or raining will allow moisture to enter the hole and the patch will not last as long.

He said that patching efforts are more effective in the spring. Charlevoix County Road Commission manager Pat Harmon has observed the same pattern, citing a recent incident that revealed the inefficiency of filling potholes in the

winter.

"The other day our guys patched some holes and two days later they were blown back out. That gets pretty discouraging," Harmon said.

In the meantime drivers are bending tire rims and popping tires to the tune of a hefty repair bill.

AAA released information highlighting the most common damage incurred from potholes. This inventory includes tire replacement which runs between \$50 and \$450 depending on the tire, wheel alignment at a cost of \$50 to \$150, tie rod replacement also at a cost of \$50 to \$150 and ball joint repair costs between \$75 and \$150.

So how do drivers avoid the cost? Many don't want to turn the wheel to veer away from the menacing hole in fear that slick road conditions will cause them to lose control.

Bob Williams, owner of Lakeshore Tire in Charlevoix, said drivers should slow down to avoid car damage as a result of potholes.

Traverse City AAA Community Relations Administrator Fred Doelker added, "The faster you are going when you hit these things (potholes), the more stress it puts on your vehicle."

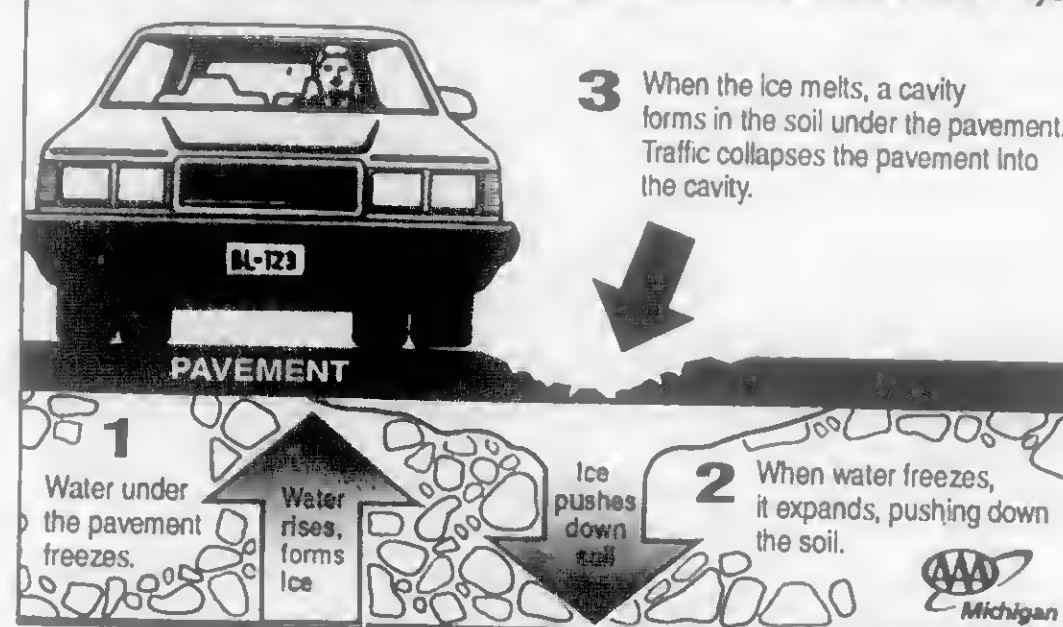
Williams added that the service station gets at least 100 customers per year as a result of potholes. He said that in the spring when the ground thaws is when the potholes are out in force.

Warning

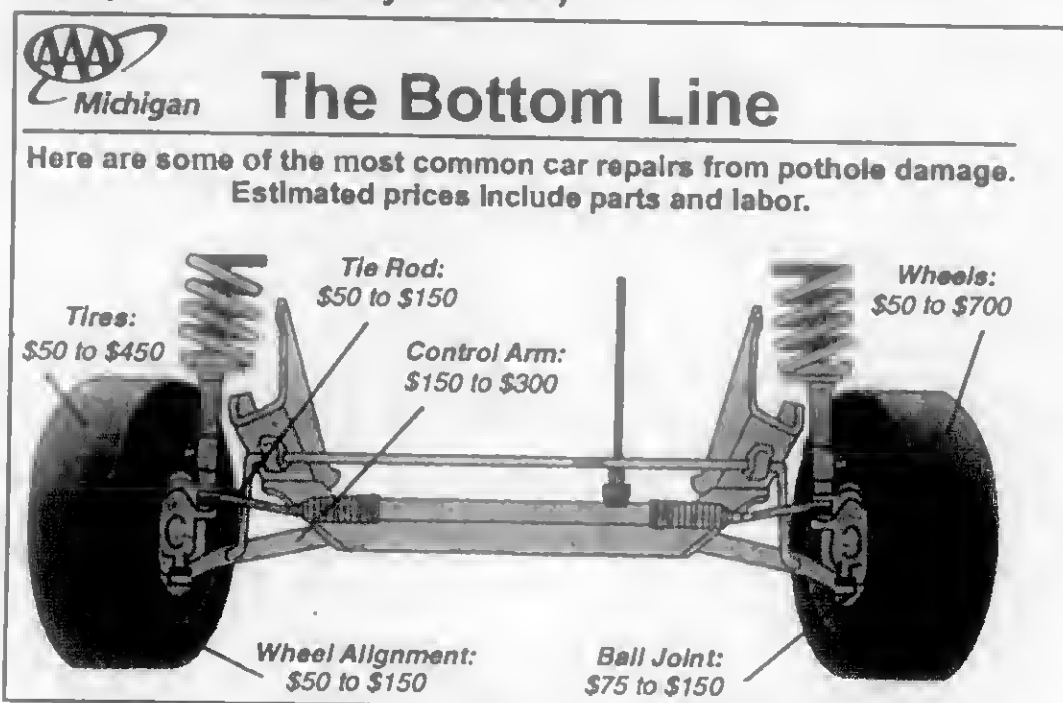
Open water maintained around dock on the shore of Lake Charlevoix between Pine Point and Oyster Bay.

Cold Weather Means Potholes

Potholes are caused by the freezing and thawing of water under roadways



(Above) An under and above ground view of the freeze/thaw cycle that causes potholes to form. (Below) Some common car problems associated with potholes and possible repair bills that may result. (Graphics courtesy of AAA)



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OPINIONS

Voice your opinion on the new budget

Want to know where your city tax dollars are being spent? Well, here is your chance.

The Charlevoix City Council will soon be discussing the 2001-2002 proposed budget that was finished recently by city officials.

In this budget are the details of how every dollar that comes into the city is spent. It tells how many tax dollars are coming in, how much in bonds and grants the city has and how much each city department uses and what it is being used for.

According to City Manager Mike Wiesner, since October each figure was painstakingly prepared by City Treasurer Rick Brandt and then nicely packaged for the public and council by Wiesner's assistant, Linda Weller.

And according to these figures, the city's finances are looking pretty good. It is projected that the city will have over \$300,000 of available cash in just the general fund in the 2001-2002 budget. That is not too shabby for a city with general fund revenues of \$2,532,600.

With all the work that has gone into this budget, wouldn't it be great if the public was given a chance to comment on it?

Well, here is your chance. City Council will be inviting the pub-

EDITORIAL

lic to comment on this budget at 7 p.m., Feb. 19 in the City Hall Council Chambers at 210 State Street.

This gives you plenty of time to head on over to City Hall, pick up a copy of the budget and prepare some questions on it. Especially since the proposed property tax millage rate that will be levied to support this budget will be the subject of this hearing.

This is your money that is being used and your opinion on it is being sought.

Too often the public remains silent or apathetic on local government issues — and even national government issues. They seem to not care what is being done by their elected officials and do not want to get involved.

How many other countries give its citizens chances like this? How many other countries allow its citizens to question how their tax dollars are being spent or how to spend those tax dollars?

We urge residents of

Charlevoix to take a little time to look over the 2001-2002 city budget and take this opportunity to voice their concerns and questions to their elected officials on Feb. 19.

Letters Policy

Readers are encouraged to write letters to the editor addressing pertinent topics of community interest.

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Writer's plants signal winter may be ending



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

I keep a small greenhouse, or more truthfully, it keeps me.

It keeps me occupied, it keeps me interested and during the winter when the life of a botanist is awfully bleak, it keeps me happy. Winter is a difficult time for plants in our

above the 45th parallel environment, but it has been interesting to see how they manage. With just a little care, they wind up informing me more abundantly than the weather channel.

This is not a production greenhouse. I don't grow plants for food, although there is a small rosemary plant there to supply a few fresh leaves when I need them for the potatoes or the chicken.

I don't grow plants for sale, although with a limited amount of

space, it is necessary to either give away or throw away parts of plants that keep growing and get to a size too large for their home.

There are currently more than 50 different kinds of plants growing in that small space — approximately one kind of plant for each square foot of space. Most of them have tropical ancestry and many of them cannot survive temperatures below about 50 degrees. Some are beautiful, but most are there because they are interesting rather than because they are attractive.

More than a few have genuinely ugly flowers and many of those smell bad enough to be attractive to carrion flies.

Beginning in late November or early December, nearly every plant has stopped whatever it was doing and ceased growing. Fertilizer doesn't help, even a little extra light doesn't make much difference. Time lapse films of my greenhouse over the past two months would be remarkably boring.

Plants mostly accustomed to the benign conditions of the tropics seem not to know what to do when the sun goes away.

Just last week as I was looking

for signs of continuing life among those sleeping plants, most remarkably, 15 or more kinds suddenly had new leaves, new growth and I'm pretty sure new roots as well.

It is as though someone had turned on a switch and that whole group of unrelated plants responded. I don't know if it is the length of days — they are longer now — or the angle of the sun or what, but life is perking up in my greenhouse.

Sometimes it seems that up here in the great white north winter goes on almost forever, but now I know better. Plants from Africa, plants from South America and plants from Asia have recognized that things are improving.

If they can manage to see the bright future from the third week in January, so can I. I can't see spring yet, but it isn't as bleak as it looked a couple of weeks ago.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Editorial rebuttal

Editor:

In response to your Jan. 10 editorial concerning the opening on council in the First Ward, I would like to point out that it is the council's job to fill such openings until such time as there is another election.

Bernie DeVries was elected to council from the Third Ward originally and had to resign from that position when he moved into the First Ward. He was, and is, an excellent councilman and seemed to be an obvious choice with his experience.

As far as waiting to see who else might be interested in the seat, there have been 21 seats up for election in the past seven years, and only

two were contested. That is a disgrace, in my opinion.

Every seat should be contested. That is the only way we can have good government.

Gabe Campbell
Second Ward
Charlevoix City Councilman

Thank you

Editor:

I would like to thank two golf outings for their recent donations to the Charlevoix Pop Warner Football program: Randy Holeccheck's "Rudy's Fall Classic" and Ed Holmes and Roger Crain's "Frost Bite Open."

The generous donations of both golf tournaments will go toward the purchase of new game pants for our

young players. I would also like to thank two other sponsors who were inadvertently left out of our previous ad. Once again, thank you everyone for making our first season a success.

Tim LaBlance
Treasurer
Charlevoix Pop Warner Football

Thank you

I like the Courier!

Thank you for including the articles by Roger Knutson, also Marilyn Boss and the article about Clayton Smith.

Dorothy Stael
Charlevoix

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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Pick up after yourself

Editor:

Hello my name is Jake Waterman and I am in the third grade and I am 8 years old.

I am concerned about the litter at Lake Michigan Beach. My Cub Scout den cleaned it up because we did not like how it looked. Please tell your readers that they should clean up after themselves.

So please don't litter. This is what Woody the Owl says, "Give a hoot don't pollute!"

Jake Waterman
Den 4, Pack 11
Charlevoix

Commence investigations of DOC

Editor:

For more than three years the Coalition for Corrections Reform, along with Michigan Department employees, Michigan citizens, and employee groups, has attempted to expose and correct the Michigan Department of Correction's (MDOC) historically unjust treatment of its department employees. These employees have been subjected to harassment, discipline, and even dismissal for reporting corruption, rule violations, and administrative malfeasance within the MDOC.

The coalition mailed thousands of pages of documentation of administrative wrongdoings to countless state and federal agencies. In spite of potential political reprisals, several state legislators acknowledged the coalition's incontrovertible evidence, calling upon the Office of the Auditor General to investigate these allegations.

When personnel from the Auditor's office initially approached the MDOC administration in early 1998, the department appeared willing to cooperate. In concurrence with federal guidelines, the Office of the Attorney General agreed that the audit objectives would focus on the MDOC's employee discipline and grievance programs. Sexual harassment and harassment issues would not be included.

A direct quote from the audit, available at the State of Michigan web page, sums up the auditor's frustration with the MDOC officials "...we began asking questions regarding possible inconsistencies in applying employee discipline among members of DOC management. It was at this time that the DOC denied access to records and employees necessary to complete the audit."

The evidence is incontrovertible. When the Office of the Auditor General began to get too close to the truth regarding the inequitable treatment of MDOC staff, the department put the brakes on the audit.

According to the Auditor's report, "...OAG staff encountered increasing confrontation and uncooperativeness in meetings with certain members of DOC's management staff."

Because of the obstruction of the audit by the highest MDOC officials, the Office of the Auditor General was compelled to suspend the audit "...when DOC denied us access to records and personnel..." In the audit's closing pages, Michigan taxpayers are warned, "In denying the OAG access to records and employees necessary to complete the audit, DOC has challenged the clear and unambiguous words of the Michigan Constitution..."

The Coalition for Corrections Reform's official opinion in this matter is that the Michigan Department of Corrections is in violation of state and federal laws in denying the Office of the Auditor General access to its records and personnel.

I agree with the coalition's formal petition of our state and federal officials to immediately commence civil and criminal investigations of the Michigan Department of Corrections administration.

Tom McFarland
Jackson



Junior ice anglers

Jason Jones and his mom Kelly Jones, both of Charlevoix, show fellow ice anglers how to pass a lull in fishing while out on Susan Lake recently. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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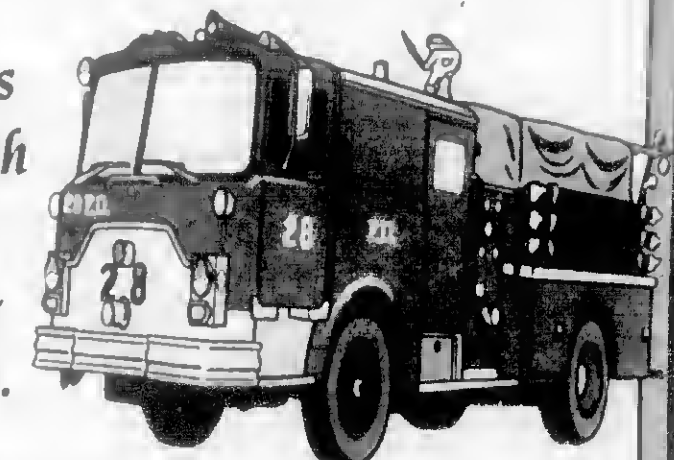
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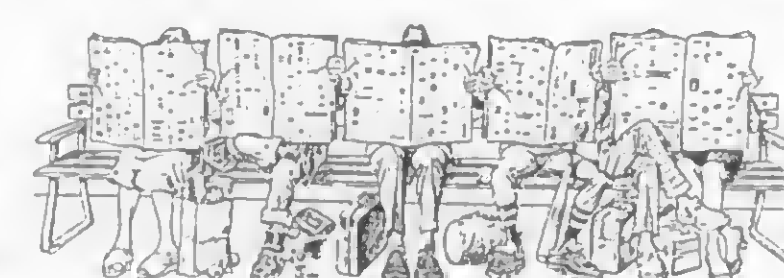
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Engagements

Russell — Mclenon

Becky Lynn Russell and Kevin Charles Mclenon, both of Charlevoix, were recently engaged to be married.

Becky is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Russell Sr. of Charlevoix. Kevin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Mclenon Sr. of Crossville, Tenn.

Becky and Kevin are planning a wedding for June 30 at the Norwood Methodist Church.

The bride-to-be graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1984 and has been employed by Bullfrog Light Company since 1998.

The groom-to-be graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1987. He has been an employee of Michigan Scientific Corp. as a machinist since 1989.



Trimper — Blanchard

Cynthia J. Trimper and Carl E. Blanchard IV, both of Boston, Mass., were engaged to be married recently.

Cynthia is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Trimper of Charlevoix. Carl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Blanchard III of Albany, N.Y.

The couple will have a wedding on June 23 in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is employed by Fidelity Investments in Boston, Mass. She has a bachelor's degree from Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant and a master's degree from Suffolk University in Boston, Mass.

The groom-to-be is a partner at Jaber Blanchard and Associates in Boston, Mass. He has a bachelor's degree from State University of New York in Cortland, N.Y. and a master's degree from Clarkson University in Potsdam, N.Y.

Scuba north, pool team up

Scuba North, of Traverse City, and the Charlevoix Area Community Pool, have combined forces to bring scuba classes to Charlevoix again.

Local Naui Instructor Murray Kilgour will be conducting a six session pool and academics course starting Feb. 18 and finishing March 7.

Classes will be Sundays from 2 to 6 p.m. and Wednesdays from 6 to 10 p.m.

Classes will involve academic sessions and pool

sessions. Arrangements will be made for students to complete certification with open-water dives during June, July and August.

Participants need to provide their own mask, fins and snorkel; all other necessary materials will be provided and are included in the course fee.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Murray State dean's list

Lisa Wheat, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the dean's list at Murray State University in Murray, Ky.

Donation

Employees of H&D, Inc., of Charlevoix, recently donated \$500 to the Charlevoix County Hospice. The employees decided to donate the money to the Hospice, rather than spend it on an end-of-the-year party.

MSU dean's list

Several Michigan State University students from Charlevoix were named to the honor roll recently. They, their major and class, are:

- Kirsten Senger Brendtro, a freshman with a major in natural science.
- Nicole Marie Bunting, sophomore with a major in English.
- Daniel Ward Pardee, a senior with a major in building construction management.
- Galen Smith Paxton, a senior with a major in sociology.
- Jennifer Margaret Ricks, a junior with a major in communication.
- Carla Marie Schlitt, a senior with a major in marketing.
- Kristy Ann Shindorf, a freshman with no major yet.
- Amanda Rae Simpson, a freshman with a major in advertising.

NCMC president's and dean's list

Several students from Charlevoix were named to the North Central Michigan College president's and dean's list recently. Students named to the president's list are full-time students who have earned a 4.0 grade point average for the semester. The dean's list includes full-time students who have earned a 3.5 - 3.99 grade point average.

Sara Marie Vanloo, of Charlevoix, was named to the president's list.

Named to the dean's list are: Lyndsay Anne Blechel, Laurie Jean Corbett, Alicia Marie Mosher, Brian Lee Tuck and Sara Lyn Ward, all of Charlevoix.

Aquinas dean's list

Abigail Paterka, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the dean's list of Aquinas College in Grand Rapids. To be on the list, a student must have a grade point average of 3.5 or higher while carrying at least 12 hours of graded credit.

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Inaugural trip was a success

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A group of 14 physically and emotionally exhausted Charlevoix High School students returned home Jan. 22 after attending the inauguration of the 43rd president of the United States, George W. Bush, in Washington D.C.

"Being in Washington for that event was an amazing experience. In the past I have heard about it (the inauguration) and watched it on C-Span but we saw the president's cabinet members, governors, senators and people protesting — it was cool to be around that. Our history was right there," Charlevoix High School senior Hal Evans Jr. said.

The students' government teacher and trip coordinator, Ann Marie Conway, said that the outing was a wonderful cultural and political experience for everyone involved.

The students witnessed, firsthand a moment in our government's history. Conway said that Bush's speech was wonderful and that the ceremony overall was beautiful. She said that everywhere they went places were filled with Democrats and Republicans. "Going down escalators we saw stickers printed with 'Hail to the Thief' and buttons with Gore 2000 printed on them. People were talking about it (the inauguration) all the time," Conway said.

Students said that they were mystified by the number of people who attended the inauguration and were also surprised by the amount of security personnel stationed around the area ensuring the safety of the president.

Katie Romig said she found the size of the crowd to be one of the most interesting features of the gathering and even in the madness of the masses found common ground with those at the event.

"I thought the coolest thing about the inauguration was the first prayer. There were thousands of people there and there was complete silence. It felt uniting," Romig said.

In fact there were so many people packed into the outdoor area the Charlevoix crew watched from, the exits were blocked. The students said that when it came time to go they

locked arms and wove their way to a nearby wall that they had seen others climbing over and they took that escape route too.

As for protests highlighted by both print and broadcast media, they said that they saw very few that were combative.

"It was good to see people were using their right to speak freely and to express their opinions," Charlevoix High School senior Lisa Miller said.

Students spoke of one negative crowd encounter they did experience. They said that when Hillary Clinton and Al Gore were introduced some people in attendance booed. They added that the reaction from members of the crowd was rude and unacceptable.

Aside from attending events associated with the swearing in of Bush, the group also attended two performances at the Kennedy Center, took part in a three hour tour of the Holocaust Museum, cruised Georgetown's campus, had breakfast with Bart Stupak and "mastered" Washington's mass transit, the metro.

The kids thanked their chaperones and their host families "because without them we wouldn't have been able to go" and also thanked the school district for their support and Congressman Bart Stupak for tickets to the inauguration and the breakfast that he provided.



(Above) Charlevoix High School students and trip chaperones pose with Congressman Bart Stupak inside his Washington D.C. office prior to the Jan. 20 inauguration. Stupak provided the group with tickets to the event and breakfast the day of the inauguration. The students who made the trip are Lisa Miller, Hal Evans III, Sarah Mays, Katie Yager, Corey Bascom, Will Wright, Laura Borths, Shannon Nystrom, Katie Romig, Sabrina Wynkoop, Elissa Wood, Heather Belding, Kelly Dreyer and Ben Coen. (Photo courtesy of Shannon Nystrom)

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Thirty-nine Charlevoix Cub Scouts took part in their annual Pinewood Derby on Jan. 27. (Above) Derby winners pose with their trophies. (Courtesy photo)

Scouts take part in annual Pinewood Derby Jan. 27

The Charlevoix Cub Scouts had their annual Pinewood Derby on Jan. 27 at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

Thirty-nine Cub Scouts built and raced their cars in four age groups.

The winners in the Tiger Cubs (first grade) were: Mathew Brown in first, Alex Gooch in second, Jason Jones in third and Kirk Acharya in fourth.

Winners in the Bobcat/Wolf Scouts (second grade) were: Paul

Stolt in first, Christian Morrison in second, Eugene Waffle in third and Shaun Anthony in fourth.

Winners in the Bear Scouts (third grade) were: Jason Price in first, Michael Lamoreaux in second, Jake Waterman in third and Chris Blackburn in fourth.

The winners for the Webelos Scouts (fourth and fifth grade) included: Michael Lenhart in first, Colin Fitzgerald in second, Corey Loucks in third and Connor

Louiselle in fourth.

The first place winners in each group raced for the Grand Championship. This year's championship went to Lenhart, followed by Price in second place, Stolt in third place and Brown in fourth place.

The Boy Scouts from Troop 11 and Troop 6 assisted the pack in conducting this year's Pinewood Derby. Jeff Riley was the race organizer and Jim Mansen is the cubmaster.

Obituaries

Paul Lennie Osterberg: Died Jan. 24, 2001

Paul Lennie Osterberg, 73, passed away peacefully at home in Charlevoix Jan. 24, 2001.

Paul was a resident of Charlevoix since 1967, when he moved his family from Pennsylvania, Penn.

Paul is survived by his wife, Marie; children, Kristine, Paul, John, Brian and Carole; six grandchildren; sisters, Lotta and her husband Jay, and Kaarina and her husband Gary; and brother Mauri. A private family service will be

given in the summer.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Charlevoix County Hospice. The family is being served by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Alice I. Bellinger: Died Jan. 28, 2001

Alice I. Bellinger, 94, of Charlevoix and Zephyrhills, Fla., died Jan. 28, 2001 at Pasco Regional Medical Center in Dade City,

Fla. She is the mother of Donald (Barbara) Bellinger of Elk Rapids. A complete obituary will follow

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How to keep busy this winter in Charlevoix



Julie Musilek
'Stepping out'

Lately I've found myself wondering, "Are people in Charlevoix tired of winter weather limiting the realm of possible activities to movie watching and cocoa sipping. And are readers looking for something different to do?"

Those who are thinking to themselves "Yes, I would like to expand my horizons beyond renting Mission Impossible 2 for the fifth time," can start by trying out some local options.

Guys, keep in mind I am a female and my idea of fun may be your worst nightmare.

My first find this winter was Cottage Pottery. This pottery spot is tucked away at 104 Michigan Avenue in the Edgewater parking lot just waiting to be discovered.

Cottage Pottery is a crafty, do-it-yourselfer's dream come true. Pottery is pricey, but at Cottage you choose a pre-made piece of pottery, the artist's blank canvas, and decorate it. You transform the piece into an ornate switch plate, vase or platter for half the price of pottery you find in stores.

Not only are the pieces fully usable, but after you are finished they reflect your personal flare and act as a tangible memory of the fun you had at the shop.

My mom planned an outing to the pottery store after the tree lighting in December. She, my sister, our friend Jen and I split a bottle of wine, laughed a lot and came away with a half finished product we later returned to finish.

My mom, who considers herself to be void of artistic inspiration, in the end walked out with a pine tree shaped serving platter and three Christmas ornaments ready for the kiln. So, Picasso skills aren't required, any age and skill level can excel.

In fact, I was in the process of trimming up a "Santa's cookie plate"

when I noticed a family at the work station next to me crafting away.

The young girl, no more than 12 years old, was engrossed with her piece — applying white puffy paint in the shape of clouds onto her sky blue switch plate. Not only had she decorated the switch plate, but she had also decorated matching drawer pulls.

Her brother, who looked about eight years old, was sitting next to her quietly working on art for his room — a family evening on the town.

With three people at their table it appeared to be an expensive way to spend time together, but it was Friday.

Cottage Pottery understands that not everyone can afford to buy a piece and pay for their studio time too so, the business does not charge a studio fee from 4 to 8 p.m. on Fridays.

Cottage Pottery is open from noon to 6 p.m. Thursday, noon to 8 p.m. Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

If your idea of entertainment isn't painting clay shaped like a skate, but you enjoy being outside and lacing them up, why not take advantage of Charlevoix's outdoor rink over by the high school.

The public rink is open from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. and again from 6 to 9 p.m. weekdays. Weekend hours of operation are from noon to 5:30 p.m. and again from 6 to 9 p.m.

These are two fun ways to spend time with someone or to just relax and enjoy yourself in Charlevoix.

No, fun is not at your fingertips like in big cities, but that is part of what puts Charlevoix in a class all its own. While we may not be a hub of cultural possibilities, we are blessed by open land to play on and are surrounded by others with a vested interest in community quality.

I have never been anywhere else equipped with winter public ice skating, a community pool for indoor swimming, a ski hill, snowmobile trails and cross-country skiing trails.

After researching what to do when you've got the winter blues, I am confident that there are a plethora of things to do out there, you just have to look a little harder and be willing to brave the chilly temperatures.



(Above) Cottage Pottery staff member, Lynn Pearsol shows *Courier* staff writer Julie Musilek how a plain piece of pottery becomes an elaborate keepsake. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



(Left) A skater balances herself as she makes her way across the rink by Charlevoix High School. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

(Right) Some Valentine-themed pieces of pottery waiting to be decorated. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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AAA offers some tips for keeping safe on the ice

The best conditions in at least four winters is more reason than ever to keep safety in the forefront of planning for your next ice fishing trip, says AAA Michigan.

"The cold may have created early ice on most of Michigan's lakes and Great Lake bays, but the heavy snowfall has also contributed to potentially dangerous ice conditions on many of those lakes," states Richard Miller, AAA Michigan Community Safety Services manager. "Anglers need to prepare for a safe, enjoyable trip."

Snowfall on top of ice is an excellent insulator, Miller warns. It often causes rapid melting or uneven thickness underneath. Water can also be pushed up on top of ice by its weight, causing further weakening.

"That is why an experienced ice fisherman approaches a frozen lake heavily laden with snow with extreme caution," he says.

A safety tool that should be part of any ice fisherman's tackle is an ice spud to test thickness. Also handy is a set of ice picks attached to a rope through the sleeves used to help pull yourself to safety after falling in.

Ice creepers strapped over boots not only help on slick ice,

they also may help get you out if you fall in. Ski goggles protect against snow-blindness and guard against frostbite.

"Dressing properly for conditions is the first key for a successful fishing trip," he said. Be sure everyone in your group dresses in layers of protective clothing for the best protection against the cold. Well-insulated boots, battery-heated socks, water-proof mittens, plus masks and fleece or wool balaclavas that pull down to cover the face, all help prevent frostbite.

"Also becoming more popular among anglers is a life jacket, or Personal Flotation Device (PFD)," Miller said. "PFDs will help keep you afloat in an emergency despite your bulky clothing, and act as an insulator against cold." Types include those normally used in summer, inflatable PFDs or PFDs built into ice fishing jackets.

Two other pieces of equipment that supplement the simple compass for die-hard ice anglers are a cell phone and a hand-held GPS unit that uses satellites to pinpoint location and the shortest way to shore in fog or storms. Other items to bring include a flashlight, rope and flares.

When on the ice, AAA suggests these rules:

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Fresh feast

Junior ice angler Taylor Adams of Charlevoix waits patiently for a bite during a recent group outing on Susan Lake. Later that afternoon Taylor hooked a 20 inch pike using a tip-up. The Junior Ice Anglers were established as part of the Charlevoix Elementary Enrichment Program. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC NOTICE

There will be a public hearing on the proposed 2001-2002 Annual City Budget at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, February 19, 2001, in the City Hall Council Chambers, 210 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan. The purpose of the hearing is to inform citizens of local budgetary actions and provide the opportunity for participation in the local budget making process. **The proposed property tax millage rate to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.** A copy of the proposed budget is available at City Hall or the Charlevoix Public Library for public inspection.

2001-2002 Proposed BUDGET REVENUE AND EXPENSE SUMMARY - ALL FUNDS January 22, 2001

	GENERAL FUND	MAJOR STREET	LOCAL STREET	AIRPORT	ELECTRIC	SEWER	WATER	DDA	CEMETERY TRUST	TOTAL	2000-01
REVENUES											
Taxes	\$1,292,400							623,500		\$1,915,900	1,833,600
Licenses & Permits	600									600	800
State Grants	397,800	221,400	67,500	53,300				0		740,000	2,005,400
Charges for Services	494,600			59,600	5,466,013	641,600	622,000		5,600	7,289,413	6,875,632
Fines & Forfeits	19,600				25,000	5,000				49,600	59,398
Interest & Rents	322,200	600	1,200	8,500	125,200	16,000	26,500	25,000	10,000	535,200	535,300
Other	5,400			39,000	1,000		6,500			561,925	230,100
Fund Transfers	0	222,600	477,000			265,500	269,800			1,234,900	755,000
Appropriation-Surplus	8,400	6,300	27,900	6,400	1,201,314	89,675	298,000	45,874	88,800	1,772,663	1,975,246
TOTAL REVENUES:	\$2,541,000	\$450,900	\$573,600	\$166,800	\$6,818,527	\$1,527,800	\$1,222,800	\$694,374	\$104,400	\$14,100,201	\$14,270,476
EXPENDITURES											
Legislative	45,900									\$45,900	42,600
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Fund Transfers	100,000				104,000	24,400	24,400			252,800	295,900
Other	66,000							11,900	104,400	182,300	76,500
TOTAL EXPENSES:	\$2,541,000	\$450,900	\$573,600	\$166,800	\$6,818,527	\$1,527,800	\$1,222,800	\$694,374	\$104,400	\$14,100,201	\$14,253,076
EXPENSES AS % OF	18%	3%	4%	1%	48%	11%	9%	5%	1%	100%	

Stay safe on the ice this winter with these tips

ICE

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- Treat all ice as potentially unsafe. Current on lakes, especially around points, and snow buildup can quickly weaken ice. Be especially wary when ice is weak near shore or is slushy. Use your spud to check thickness even on familiar waters. Check with local bait shops and media fishing reports for ice conditions.

- Always fish with a buddy. Tell someone where you'll be and when you'll return. Avoid alcohol, which impairs judgment, lowers body temperature and increases the risk of hypothermia.

- Be especially wary on ice-covered rivers, where currents can undermine ice, particularly near river mouths.

- Follow safe paths used by others. Be aware of frozen-over fishing holes that could break. Avoid soft or discolored ice.

- Watch the weather. Storms causing dangerous wind chills or white out conditions, winds that create pressure cracks and ice floes, and late-winter fog cause

emergency rescues each winter.

- At your fishing site, your group should spread out to distribute weight. If ice starts cracking, lie down and crawl to the thickest ice, usually in the direction you came.

- If you fall in, call for help. Turn toward the direction you came and after kicking, use ice picks and ice creepers to pull yourself out. Sometimes kicking while on your back works best. Then roll across the ice to safety and seek warmth immediately.

- To help someone else, toss a rope or use a pole, ladder, tree limb or other item to pull them to safety.

- Never drive your vehicle onto the ice. Each season, snowmobiles and vehicles fall through. Insurance may cover damage but you may be ticketed, and most importantly, lives can be lost.

- Fish shanties must be removed daily after Feb. 20, March 1, March 15 or March 31, depending on the region, or when conditions warrant. Check the State Department of Natural Resources fishing rule-book. Owners of sunken shanties can be prosecuted.

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Richard M. Brandi
City Treasurer

Let's make a deal

Fourth grade Charlevoix Elementary student Elise Smolenyak displays her wares during the afternoon "Trading Post" Jan. 26. Kids brought in change as currency and everything from baked goods to Beanie Babies to trade with classmates as part of a cultural demonstration of the life Indians, pioneers and fur traders lead in early Michigan. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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Trading day

During an afternoon trading event at the Charlevoix Elementary School Kristina Broman looks to invest some of her trading change in a necklace. Sandra Sheldon, holds the necklace up to Broman for closer inspection. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Council discusses budget for this year

BUDGET

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Total expenses by the city from all funds is \$14,253,076, leaving about \$17,000 left over to add to the city's cash on hand. In just the general fund, the city has \$351,222 available cash in the 2001-2002 proposed budget.

Wiesner said this year's budget shows the city is not only in good financial shape, but is also expected to improve its financial condition in the future.

The reason is the city is planning eight years into the future with each budget. Each department in the city

has estimated its needs for the next eight years in the budget, and that has been factored in with estimated revenues being brought in by the city. This gives officials an idea of what the budget will look like in eight years.

"It is like running several little businesses," Wiesner said.

Also by doing this, the city can estimate that the total capital needs of the city for the next eight years will be \$23,601,457.

The Charlevoix City Council met in a work session Monday to discuss this proposed budget. A public hearing is being planned for 7 p.m. Feb. 19 in the City Hall Council Chambers at 210 State Street.



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By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

At a recent Charlevoix City Council Meeting, Council Member Norman "Boogie" Carlson questioned the stability of an electric pole leaning to the side in front of Charlevoix Cinema on Antrim Street.

According to City Manager Mike Wiesner, the stability of the pole has been looked into by City Electrical Superintendent

Ed Whitley and has been determined to be safe. The pole houses utility lines for cable and telephone service.

Wiesner added, since the pole is safe, it would be more cost effective for the city to wait until the companies, whose lines are using the pole, are ready to place all of their lines on Antrim Street underground.

While no official time has been set for this, Wiesner said it could be within the next year to

two years.

According to Bill Supernaw, owner of the Charlevoix Cinema, he has heard all these promises before.

He said he originally brought up this pole in 1995 and was told it would be taken care of within a year. He was told the same thing the following year and has been told before that the pole is safe.

"It probably is safe, but it just looks like hell," Supernaw said.



Concerns have been raised as to the safety of a leaning electrical pole located in close proximity to the Charlevoix Cinema on Antrim Street. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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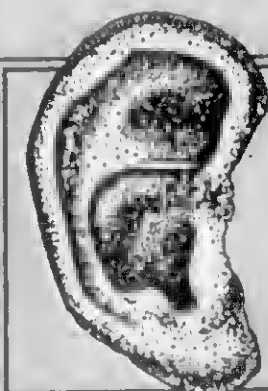
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SPORTS

Ski team proves it is not to be dismissed

By LAURIE LOUNSBURY
Skiing writer

By claiming two key victories last week, the Charlevoix Boys' High School Ski Team proved it will be dealing from a position of strength as it heads toward the regional meet in two weeks.

The first victory for the team came at a conference meet at Nub's Nob Thursday, Jan. 25. Charlevoix finished first with 69 points, followed by Traverse City-St. Francis, 72; Harbor Springs, 76; East Jordan, 83; Boyne City, 152; and Elk Rapids, 195.

The win was particularly important since it was a conference meet, one of four meets which will be used to determine the conference champion.

Roscoe Serrels had a third place finish in both slalom and GS, fol-

lowed by York Smith, who finished fourth in GS and 24th in slalom; Chad Johnson, seventh in GS and fifth in slalom; Lexi Wilson, 17th in both GS and slalom; Taylor Fisher, 13th slalom, 18th GS; Anna Kate Trubilowicz, 26th slalom; and Class Oberbech, 28th GS.

Going into the conference meet, Charlevoix was ranked fifth in the state by the state coaches' association. Other area schools ranked in the class B-C-D were: Iron Mountain, 1; Petoskey, 2; Sutton's Bay, 3; and Boyne City, 4. East Jordan wasn't ranked, but probably will show up in the next vote of rankings as a top area contender.

"After the two wins we've just had, I think Charlevoix will move up in the rankings," said coach Sue Miller. "We've shown that we can beat Boyne City and East Jordan."

The Charlevoix team came out on

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Sue Miller,
Skiing coach

top once again at the Boyne City Invitational meet, hosted at Boyne Mountain Jan. 27. Charlevoix took the meet with 53 points, followed by East Jordan, 55; Boyne City, 99; Grayling, 111; Detroit Country Day, 161; and Cranbrook, 168.

Serrels turned in the best performance of the day with first place finishes in both slalom and GS. Freshman Chad Johnson had a good day as well, finishing second in slalom and seventh in GS. Smith rounded out the top three places in slalom for Charlevoix with a third place finish, and finished eighth in

GS. Wilson proved she is capable of holding her own on the boys' field with a 14th place finish in GS and a 19th place finish in slalom. Taylor Fisher finished 18th in GS and 17th in slalom. Charlevoix newcomer Mike DuPuis captured a 16th place finish in GS and a 27th finish in slalom.

"They're skiing really well together as a team," Miller said. "It's good for us to have these six-team meets, because it shows how much depth we have. I think we'll be in really good shape for the regionals."

For Serrels, it was the first time in a long time that he has completed four races in a row without running into difficulty.

"Roscoe has figured out what he has to do, and he's doing just that," Miller said. "He's skiing very consistently and fast."

The Charlevoix B team also had successes at the two meets. At the conference meet, the B team finished second behind Harbor Springs. Skiing for Charlevoix, Dupuis took third place in slalom, followed by Cheng Fei, eighth; Class Oberbech, 19th, and Dan Jadwin, 19th. In GS, the team finished third, with finishes by DuPuis, first; Anna Kate Trubilowicz, seventh; Dan Jadwin, 15th; and Cheng Fei, 19th.

The Charlevoix team will ski in another conference meet at 3:30 p.m. today at Schuss Mountain.

Wrestling team showing some skills on the mat

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix varsity wrestling team may not be putting a lot of wins on its record, but the individual wrestlers are showing some great moves on the mat.

The team faced Cheboygan Jan. 18. While the Rayders lost 24-60, Coach Gary Probert said they did excellent considering the team was out several players due to illnesses.

Individual results for the day were: At 103 pounds, Danny Hedrick was pinned by Cheboygan's Aaron Grote in 50 seconds.

At 112 pounds, Heather Probert won by forfeit. At 130 pounds, Tim Daining pinned Cheboygan's Travis Chase in 3 minutes, 28 seconds. At 145 pounds, Peter Gorkiewicz pinned Cheboygan's Mike Mankin in 2 minutes, 41 seconds. At 160 pounds, Ryan Novotny pinned Cheboygan's Erin Evans in 2 minutes, 31 seconds.

Charlevoix came back from this loss as a team in their next meet against Frankfort Jan. 22 in Frankfort and won 36-24. Several members of the team also had nice individual wins.

Individual results were: At 103 pounds, Hedrick was pinned by Frankfort's Harry Redburn in 1

minute, 8 seconds. At 112 pounds, Heather Probert pinned Frankfort's Harold Love in 5 minutes, 18 seconds. At 140 pounds, Brett Probert won by forfeit. At 145 pounds, Peter Gorkiewicz won by forfeit. At 160 pounds, Ryan Novotny won by forfeit. At 171 pounds, Chris Lahr won by forfeit. At 215 pounds, Chris Loper won by forfeit.

Results in exhibition matches at the meet were: At 140 pounds, Gorkiewicz lost to Frankfort's J.J. McMahon, 8-11, with seconds left in the match. At 160 pounds, Lahr beat Frankfort's Jeremy Campbell, 15-0.

Charlevoix was also on the mat Jan. 20 in an invitational tournament in Clare.

"Overall, this was a good tournament. The team did very well," Coach Probert said. Individual results for that tournament were: At 103 pounds, Hedrick was 1-3 for the day. At 112 pounds, Heather Probert was 0-4 for the day. At 130 pounds, Daining was 2-2 for the day. At 140 pounds, Brett Probert was 1-3 for the day. At 152 pounds, Bo Moore was 1-2 for the day. At 160 pounds, Novotny was 4-0 for the day. At 171 pounds, Lahr was 1-3 for the day. At 215 pounds, Loper was 2-1 for the day.

Tobacco funds come to northern Michigan

Some of that big tobacco settlement awarded each state a couple years ago has now found its way to our area of northern Michigan, where it's being used to help support a variety of projects.

Almost \$22,000 was recently granted to Emmet and Charlevoix county programs working to promote healthy lifestyles.

Under an agreement with the State of Michigan, a portion of the tobacco settlement revenue was distributed late last year to the state's 66 community foundations to help fund health-related projects — particularly those which target young people and the elderly.

Our two local foundations, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation and the Petoskey-Harbor Springs area Community Foundation, together received \$73,000 for the year, representing an annual share of the interest earned on tobacco settlement funds. Half that amount has been placed in permanent endowment by each foundation, and the other half earmarked for grant making.

An advisory committee made up of representatives of the region's community health agency, the tobacco reduction coalition, the Commission on Aging, the Friendship Center, the Women's Resource Center, area substance abuse services and both community foundations' youth committees will help oversee distributions from the local tobacco funds.

In this first round of grant making the Charlevoix County Community Foundation awarded \$3,500 to the WRC for the MERIT program; \$1,725 to provide stop-smoking classes to Charlevoix County's two alternative schools; \$2,433 for the Alveloli Adventure smoking-prevention program; \$2,600 to the East Jordan Family Health Center to expand dental services and \$480 to the Beaver Island Rural Health Center for a senior supportive housing initiative.

More information about the tobacco funds, program eligibility, and the next grant deadlines, is available by contacting either of the two area community foundations.

Call the Charlevoix County Community Foundation at (231) 536-2440.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Charlevoix will hold a Public Hearing on the Proposed 2000-2001 Fiscal Year Budget Amendment on Monday, February 19, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 210 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan. The following Budget Amendment #1 is proposed for the fiscal year April 1, 2000, to March 31, 2001.

			Original Budget	Amended Budget	Net Change
General Fund Revenues	Taxes	Rv	\$1,219,600	\$1,250,980	\$31,380
	Licenses & Permits	Rv	800	500	(300)
	State Grants	Rv	342,100	368,585	26,485
	Charges for Services	Rv	479,100	471,343	(7,757)
	Fines & Forfeits	Rv	18,700	19,414	714
	Interest & Rents	Rv	296,200	318,396	22,196
	Other	Rv	4,900	17,907	13,007
	Fund Transfers	Rv	0	20,000	20,000
	RV Total		\$2,361,400	\$2,467,125	\$105,725
General Fund Expense	Legislative	Ex	\$42,600	\$43,007	407
	General Govt	Ex	424,900	390,808	(34,092)
	Public Safety/Health	Ex	937,200	921,888	(15,312)
	Public Works	Ex	136,400	133,389	(3,011)
	Recreation & Culture	Ex	753,700	783,930	30,230
	Other	Ex	75,500	33,032	(42,468)
	Fund Transfers	Ex	100,000	125,000	25,000
	EX Total		\$2,470,300	\$2,431,054	(\$39,246)
Airport	RV Total		331,000	206,083	(124,917)
	EX Total		913,900	679,383	(234,517)
PI#2 Sewer Capital Tap ins	RV Total		31,000	41,000	10,000
PI#2 Sewer Capital Tap ins	EX Total		0	3,232	3,232
PI#4 Depot Beach Improv	RV Total		23,303	1,200	(22,103)
PI#4 Depot Beach Improv	EX Total		16,300	20,275	3,975
PI#5 Northside Sewer	RV Total		1,300	75,200	73,900
PI#5 Northside Sewer	EX Total		41,484	65,484	24,000
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PI#6 Infrastructure Improv	EX Total		\$658,700	\$237,375	(421,325)
PI#8 Lake Michigan Beach	RV Total		425,100	135,000	(290,100)
PI#8 Lake Michigan Beach	EX Total		425,000	900	(424,100)
PI#10 City Hall Improvement	RV Total		\$764,200	\$114,100	(650,100)
PI#10 City Hall Improvement	EX Total		\$1,100,000	\$12,000	(1,088,000)
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PI#11 Recreation Improvement	EX Total		135,000	136,280	1,280
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Richard Brandi
City Treasurer

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Prepared by:
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Charlevoix, MI 49720

EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public.

Caregivers training

Satellite training to caregivers of the elderly is being offered from 1 to 4:30 p.m. Jan. 31 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. The cost is \$12. For more information contact the MSU Extension office at 582-6232.

Firefighters' Ball

Tickets are available for the second Annual Charlevoix Volunteer Firefighters' Associations Firefighters' Ball. This year's event will take place at 8 p.m. Feb. 17 at The Charlevoix Country Club. Tickets are \$25 each. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, a chance at a door prize and entertainment by DJ, the D.J., a silent auction and a cash bar. To purchase tickets contact a City of Charlevoix firefighter or Shari Kline at 547-8495.

Zonta fellowship award

The Zonta Club of Charlevoix is looking for applicants for its Amelia Earhardt Fellowship Award.

The award provides grants for women pursuing degrees in aerospace related fields. For more

information, contact Debbie Meier of the Zonta Club at 547-8399.

Concert

The Charlevoix Congregational UCC Church will present pianist Elizabeth Humphrey, and Nancy Brammer an oboe and English horn soloist, at 4 p.m. Feb. 11. The program will include the classical repertoire as well as contemporary works. Humphrey will be including in her program "a salute to Charles Schulz" and the Peanuts gang. The public is invited to attend. A reception will take place following the concert.

Girl Scout fundraiser

Charlevoix Girl Scout Troop #267 will host the annual tea fundraiser on Feb. 11 at St. Mary's Catholic

Church located at 102 W. Garfield St., from 3 to 5 p.m. Tickets are \$7. Bring your favorite tea cup. For more information call Jennifer Rowe 547-6321.

Income tax assistance

Thursday mornings in the month of February the Charlevoix Senior Center, 06906 Norwood Road, will assist with income tax preparation. For more information call 547-5361.

Potluck dinner

The Charlevoix Historical Society will have a potluck dinner at 6 p.m. on Feb. 6, in the Depot Museum, 307 Chicago Avenue. Bring a dish to pass and your own tableware. Your admission ticket is a Valentine card which will be distributed to residents of Boulder Park Terrace

on Valentine's Day. Old fashioned love songs will be sung by a barber-shop quartet. In the event of bad weather, the dinner will be postponed until Feb. 13.

Dinner/Auction

The Charlevoix Chapter of Ducks Unlimited will have its annual membership dinner auction at 5:30 p.m. on Feb. 22 at the Grey Gables Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. After dinner, the live auction will commence. To reserve tickets contact Rochelle Whippo at (231) 547-3518. Early bird ticket orders must be received by Feb. 8. Your ticket(s) will be held at the door on the night of the event.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday, of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall, Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church, 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 to 4:15 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. in the high

school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., at the back of the St. Mary's church, Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31.)

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street is open 1 to 4 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6 to 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility, East Jordan.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on

the first Thursday of the month at the grange hall.

Charlevoix Senior Center will assist with Income Tax preparation from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. All people with food problems welcome. For more information call Merrill at 547-2104.

Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. Thursdays at Nanny's Restaurant.

For more information call 547-0360.

VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month.

For more information call 547-6670.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim from 6 to 8 p.m.

Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building, 15144 Bell's Bay Rd. For more information call 547-3589.

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call the chamber at 547-2101.

Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street, is open 1 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 9 p.m.

FRIDAY

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Resident accepted Sitting Bull's surrender in 1881

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society

Walter Clifford was, by all accounts, a remarkable man — Army officer, gentleman farmer, expert marksman, urban landowner, businessman, builder and inventor.

Clifford was a ramrod military presence, enormously respected by ranks both high and low, he was also the life of the party in his civilian role, an irascible joker yet a solid civic-minded citizen who wanted only the best for his adopted town, Charlevoix.

History will remember him as a leading participant in bringing to a close an important chapter in the American story when he accepted the surrender of Sitting Bull, the Indian chief who defeated Custer at Little Big Horn.

Born Edward Walter Clifford Newman in Troy, N. Y., he was a brother to the Newmans who settled here in the late 1950s. When he enlisted as a private in the regular army in 1860, for some reason he signed up using his two middle names, and later had it legalized at the Charlevoix County Probate Court.

His natural abilities quickly brought him up the ranks, although his feisty headstrong practicality sometimes put him at loggerheads with the West Point officer mentality. The Civil War found him captured at the Battle of Chickamauga in Georgia, and in Libby Prison for almost a year, from which he escaped by tunnel after several attempts. He returned to duty until war's end.

Clifford married Harriet (Hattie) Cowell at Sackett's Harbor, N. Y., in April of 1865, then after the war participated in Indian campaigns throughout the west.

His first contact with Charlevoix is not known, most likely a visit to his far-flung siblings. But in 1869 he was well enough recognized here. The propeller passenger steamer *Fontaine City* made its annual arrival that spring. Someone remarked that "Lieutenant" Clifford was aboard, only to be corrected. "Clifford is a captain now."

Apparently not needed or "unassigned" by the military for the time being, he began a nearly three-year sojourn here, interrupted in 1871 when duty called.

In 1870, he built a mercantile store with a brother on the south shore of Round Lake, and lived in a house on the terrace above.

In July of 1871 for the final six months of his stay he invited townspeople, who found his com-

pany delightful, out to his thriving 30-acre farm in Marion Township. (His brother John was the first Marion Township settler.) His large collection of significant Indian artifacts showed a discerning eye.

At some point he purchased a parcel of land known as Clifford's Addition, hugging the Garfield-Alice-Upright streets area, abutting Morris J. Stockman's property that would become the future Belvedere resort.

Off again in 1872, he returned in October of 1873 with his family to spend the winter, leasing a home on Mason Street. In April of 1874, Clifford presented a reading of the Irish author Shamus O'Brien for the Charlevoix Social Literary Debating Society.

Back to duty in Montana, where Hattie followed in April of 1875, traveling over 1,000 miles by steamboat up the Missouri River.

Then came the fateful year, 1876, and Little Big Horn.

Clifford commanded a seventh infantry company under General Gibbon, who relieved the siege of General Reno, trapped in the hills after Custer's forces had been decimated. Next came an assignment to Fort Buford, the Dakota Territories, in time as a respected Indian agent where, five years later, he received word that Sitting Bull, who had retreated to Canada, had capitulated and was leading his starving people back to surrender.

In July, 1881, Clifford received his orders to go out to meet him and bring him in. It was ironic that two of the most important white men Sitting Bull was ever to encounter should both be Michiganders — George Armstrong Custer of Monroe and Walter Clifford, a citizen of Charlevoix.

The letter describing the event he wrote to Willard Smith of the *Charlevoix Sentinel* on July 28 is factual yet deeply moving.

His own humanity allowed him to recognize the horrific conditions that had brought these people to the brink of existence, mainly the eradication of game animals, their physical and spiritual sustenance, that had once teemed in the west. Beneath the recital of events burns a hardly contained fury and pity over what his own kind had reduced these people to. But he was a soldier, he had done what he'd been told to do, and it was now over.

By November of 1882, Clifford was back home, which Charlevoix had long been for the

wandering military man, excited over the prospect of his invention — an improved camp stove. The government liked it and tried out 50, which meant possible service-wide use and he also sought patents in England, Germany, Turkey and Russia.

His future could have made him a very rich man. But it was not to be.

He left Charlevoix on Feb. 1, 1883 to rejoin his family in Chicago and from there went to Fort Bridger, Wyo. He no sooner reached his post than he went out on a campaign in bitter weather and nearly froze to death, which affected his health.

Walter Clifford died on Feb. 23, 1883. Hattie and her two children returned to Charlevoix on May 23 to oversee her city and country property interests, staying with her in-laws until she could erect a house on one of her lots. The following February, a state legislature appropriation of \$300 "to remove the remains and monument of the late Captain Walter Clifford from Fort Bridger to Charlevoix, passed the house by unanimous consent on the ninth. The remains will be brought by a detail of the late Captain's company."

However, the Charlevoix City Hall and cemetery sexton's offices have no record this was ever done, no evidence of a Clifford monument alone or in the Newman plot in Brookside Cemetery.

But since the records only date from the early 1900s, he may well be there, and further investigation might prove his remains reside here after all.

His widow later moved to Washington D.C. when her son began work at the U.S. Senate.

The last record we have of her dates from that time, 1892. It had been quite a life with her intrepid husband, traveling all over the young country, an opportunity for hearing of and seeing things granted only to a few. But they always came back here, like so many still do, and *The Traverse Region* history of 1884 said of Walter Clifford, "He considered Charlevoix his home, and his death occasioned general sorrow in this place."

Clifford's orders and his full account of Sitting Bull's surrender may be read at the Charlevoix Historical Society's Harsha House Museum, 103 State Street, Tues., Wed. and Fri. from 1 to 4 p.m. and Thurs. from 1 to 7 p.m. Call 547-0373 for more information.

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(Above) Former Charlevoix resident Walter Clifford dressed in military garb. (Courtesy photo)



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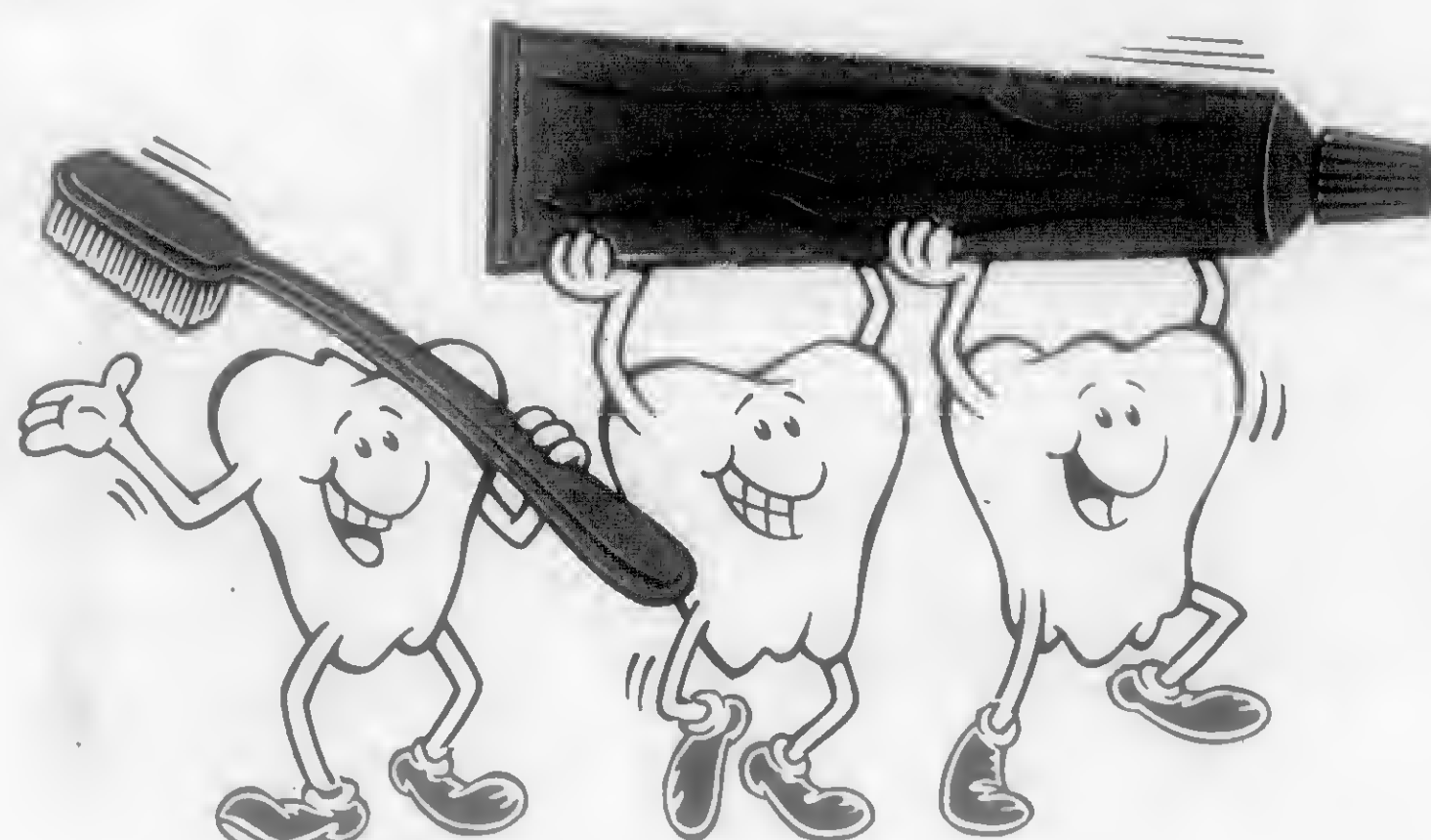
Area Dentists Observe National Children's Dental Health Month February 1-28

Local dentists observing National Children's Dental Health Month will be involved in many educational and preventative dental activities during February. Included among these activities is the "Dentist With A Heart" program, sponsored by Vacationland Dental Society, an affiliate of the American Dental Association. This program provides free dental care for children who are not covered by dental insurance. The schedule reflected below highlights local activities as well as dentists participating in the "Dentist With A Heart" Program:

♥ Dentists will be holding dental screenings at Charlevoix Elementary School:

Dr. Balasz February 9
Dr. Suckert February 16
Dr. Paramo February 23
Dr. Strawbridge March 2
Dr. Merrill March 9

♥ Dentist will be at Charlevoix St. Mary's:
Dr. Balasz February 9



♥ February 16, 8:00 am - Noon, Dr. Strawbridge will provide free exams, X-rays, fillings and extractions to anyone with financial need. Free cleanings will also be available for children. Please call to reserve time, 231-547-4148.

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- ✓ Make sure your child uses a fluoride toothpaste, but only a pea-sized amount.
- ✓ Make sure your child visits the dentist every six months.
- ✓ Make sure your child uses a fluoride rinse if recommended by your dentist.
- ✓ Check your child's teeth for white, yellow, or brown spots, which are a sign of decay.
- ✓ Teach your child to brush after snacking.
- ✓ Encourage your child to avoid sweets and sticky foods.

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"What Doctors do when *They* Feel Rotten..."

Dear friend,

I bet you have wondered this yourself. "What do doctors do..." Do they just take a 'magic' drug that they never told us about? Let's face it, as a society we are 'hooked' on drugs, both the illegal and the legal ones. But, most people don't know that it's actually the legal ones that kill many times more people than the illegal ones.

Let me tell you a little story.

There was a time, when I was a teenager, that it seems I was always developing a terrible case of strep throat. In my case it would render me unable to drink or eat anything without eye tearing pain. I would end up missing work or school and I would suffer with it for 2 weeks or more. Each time I would go to the M.D.'s office, waiting 1-3 hours to see him, only to get antibiotics again. Then it would reoccur in 3-6 months and I would go through the same process again. During this time I was going to our family friend, who was a chiropractor, for occasional back soreness when I noticed that if I received his care while I was sick, I would get better in less than a week, without any drugs. When he explained to me how chiropractic care can improve your immune system things started to make sense to me. That's when I decided to go to chiropractic college. Oh, by the way, it has been over 14 years since my last bout with strep throat.

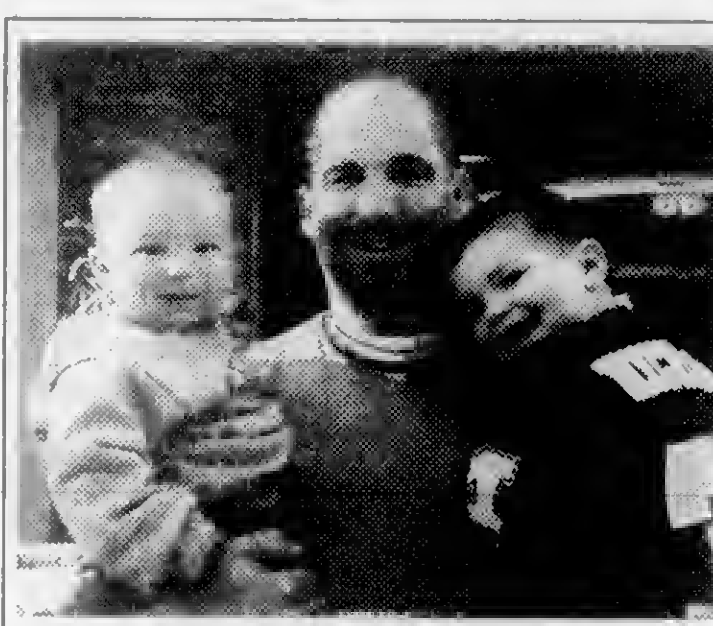
The 'quick fix' mentality of 'just take a pill' (not a true fix at all) is still common, but the good news is that things are changing. People are getting smarter. I recently read in USA Today that the pharmaceutical industry is now rethinking their strategy, because the medical profession and prescription drugs usually only deal with symptoms, and not the cause of sickness. Chiropractors have dealt with a cause for 104 years now, and have never wavered. And guess what! Now there are more visits to 'alternative' health care providers than 'traditional' ones.

Years ago chiropractic saved me from strep throat agony, and now I do my best to help others with the same problem, as well as headaches, migraines, chronic pain, neck pain, shoulder/arm pain, whiplash from car accidents, backaches, ear infections, asthma, allergies, numbness in limbs, athletic injuries, just to name a few.

Now, about the photo. Casey, who is the older of my boys, is now 2 1/2 years old and has been one healthy individual. As a

matter of fact, he has never had an ear infection or taken an antibiotic of any kind.

Calen, who is now 7 months old, was born with a bacterial infection and since getting out of the hospital, has yet to suffer from a cold, flu or any health issues. I strongly believe the reason why is my



continuous effort to help strengthen their immune systems with regular adjustments. Casey is pretty funny because when he comes into daddy's office, he heads straight for the adjusting room and climbs up on the table and says, "ready dad".

So, what is it that I, and doctors that I know do when they feel rotten. We get a chiropractic adjustment. The body responds by healing itself, and the results are wonderful. It's as simple as that!

Here's what some of my patients had to say:

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-Vicki Modrzyński

"I was going to my family doctor and the emergency room for relief of my migraine headaches at least once a week. Since starting treatment, my headaches are gone".

-Larry Schneiderwendt

Forty-five million Americans no longer have health insurance, and those who do have found that their benefits are reduced. That's where chiropractic comes in. Many people find that they actually save money on their health care expenses by seeing a chiropractor. Another way to save...studies show that chiropractic can double your immune capacity, naturally and without drugs. The immune system fights colds, flues, and other sicknesses. So you may not be running off to the doctor as much. This is especially important if you are self-employed. And, an entire week of care in my office may cost what you could pay for one visit elsewhere.

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It shouldn't cost you an arm and a leg to correct your health. Look, you are going to write a check to someone for your health care. Why not write one for a lesser amount for chiropractic? When you bring in this article to my office you will receive my new patient exam for just \$37. That's with x-rays and a computerized spinal exam...the whole ball of wax. Also, further care is very affordable and you'll be happy to know that I have family care plans. You see, I'm not trying to seduce you to come see me with this low start up fee, then to only make it up with high fees after that. Further care is very important to consider when making your choice of doctor. Higher fees add up quickly.

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My office staff consists of Dr. Brian Oliver. He is a 1993 graduate of Palmer Chiropractic College where he also was an instructor after graduation. Dr. Nick Czyzewski, who joined my staff recently, is a 1999 graduate of Logan Chiropractic college and has been in private practice in Pennsylvania before moving to Gaylord.. My office assistants are Jessica, Marcia and Lori in our Gaylord office and Glenda in Charlevoix. Our office is both friendly and warm and we try our best to make you feel at home. We offer a wonderful service, at an exceptional fee, and we pride ourselves on making sure you will have little or no wait while visiting us. Please call us for an appointment so we can help you. We are Gilling Chiropractic Center, P.C. and we have 2 locations to serve you. Our Gaylord office is located at 1001 Gornick Ave. and the phone # is 517-732-1533. The Charlevoix office is located at 119 Antrim St. and that phone # is 231-547-3483

Thank you- Dr. Craig Gilling

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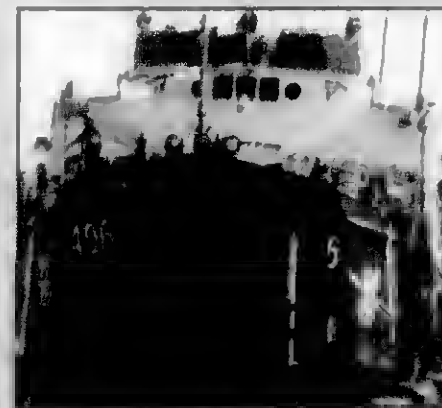
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Former Charlevoix resident Kristen Lignell took a wild ride down a mountain in Africa recently.

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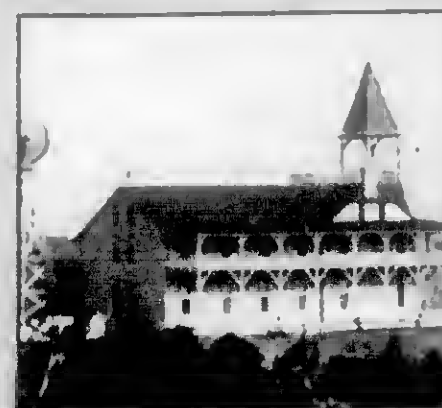
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Second homes may hurt city

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Because of its high number of second-homes, Charlevoix has not grown at the same rate as the rest of the state of Michigan and will thus face possible losses in state funding.

City Treasurer Rick Brandi said that population statistics rose six percent across the state of Michigan over

the past year. Which means that any township or city that did not meet this same increase will receive decreased state funding.

"(In Charlevoix) The population numbers stayed pretty much the same, there is not a whole lot of space for new housing especially within the city limits. We lost some population because people are buying homes here and making them second homes

rather than homesteads, so they don't get counted here as part of the population," Brandi said.

As a tourist destination Charlevoix does benefit financially from second home owners in some ways. Charlevoix schools receive funding from seasonal residents, as do utilities.

"We typically charge a monthly fee for water if a homeowner is living

here or not. That is fair because everybody should contribute. In the summer, we see huge peaks in water use," Brandi explained.

However this still leaves the city with the issue of high numbers of second home owners purchasing property within city limits, consequently lowering the population statistics of the city and state funding levels.

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Castle sold for fifth time in its history

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After seven months on the market, the local historic site Castle Farms has changed hands for the fifth time in its history.

On Jan. 4 Linda Mueller of Long Beach, Miss., closed on the property that for the past 32 years was owned by the Reibel family.

"It was hard to let go of, I was very emotional. My dad bought the castle in 1968 and it was a big part of my and my family's lives," Kim Reibel, representing the Reibel Family Trust, said. "It's going to get some needed repairs by the people who bought it who have the money to make it look nice. I'm ready to retire now."

Mueller was the same individual who purchased equitable title to the property for \$300,000 at the Oct. 5, 2000 foreclosure sale that took place at the Charlevoix County Courthouse. However, the 38-acre parcel located off of M-66 was not legally owned by Mueller at that time.

Following the foreclosure sale, the Reibel Family Trust had six months to redeem the property or the title would vest and the castle would go to Mueller.

During the six month redemption period, which would have expired April 5, the castle remained on the market, listed with Vacation Properties Network realtor John Murray.

Murray said that he had negotiated with the Mueller family prior to the foreclosure sale and that they had put in an offer at that time. Their offer was declined, but their interest in the castle continued.

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Catholic school celebration

St. Mary's School celebrated Catholic school week with crazy clothing days last week. Above, Chelsea Haske (middle), Madeline Jeakle (left) and Shauna Bradley dressed in their craziest clothing. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Anthony Michael Cassini, 27, Charlevoix. Attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer. Jail for two days with credit for two days; \$435 in fines and costs.

Rocky Lee Peters, 18, East Jordan. One count of placing explosives near property; and one count of second degree home invasion. Bound over to circuit court.

Scott Allen Reich, 18, East Jordan. One count of placing explosives near property; two counts of second degree home invasion; one count of breaking and entering a building with intent; and one count of malicious destruction of property, \$1,000 or more, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

John Angus Graham, 17, East Jordan. One count of placing explosives near property; two counts of second degree home invasion; one count of breaking and entering a building with intent; and one count of malicious destruction of property, \$1,000 or more, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

Daniel Lee Thomas, 17, East Jordan. One count of placing explosives near property; two counts

of second degree home invasion; one count of breaking and entering a building with intent; and one count of malicious destruction of property, \$1,000 or more, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

Juan Antonio Barcenas, 22, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Probation for five months; \$535 in fines and costs.

Lonnie Everette Boudro, 20, Boyne City. Entry without permission. Six months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for 15 days, 75 days held in abeyance; \$540 in fines and costs.

Jon Michael Matuszczak, 23, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Douglas Benjamin Erfourth, 29, Boyne Falls. Receiving and concealing stolen property more than \$1,000, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

Michael Frederick Vincent, 29, East Jordan. One count of driving while impaired-second offense; and driving while license suspended. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 365 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 20 days, 60 days on electronic monitor, 273 days held in abeyance; \$1,560 in fines and costs.

Justin James Rouleau, 17, Boyne City. Assault and battery. Six months probation; 30 days in jail, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 20 days held in abeyance; \$315 in fines and costs.

Rachel Soo Alofs, 25, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Christopher Oliver Moore, 26, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 77 days held in abeyance; \$820 in fines and costs.

Robin Lee Grams, 43, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 45 days held in abeyance; \$965 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Matthew Robert Quick, 20, Boyne City. Probation violation-breaking and entering a building with intent. One year in jail with credit for 149 days, serve one year.

Megan Elizabeth Jones, 21, Elk Rapids. Conspiracy to deliver/manufacture controlled substance-(narcotic or cocaine) less than 50 grams. Jail for a minimum of two years and a maximum of 20 years with credit for one day; \$60 in fines and costs.

Charles Douglas Wicker, 28, Petoskey. Attempted sex offender, failed to register. Jail for 30 days with credit for four days, serve 30 days.

Jasper Peter Sweeney, 26, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; six months in jail with credit for three months, serve three months, 60 days of community service work; \$910 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Kiteley N.W. Enterprises, 15515 Shaw Road, Charlevoix, by Charles C. Kiteley

Two Dog Deli & Bakery, 128 North Main Street, East Jordan, by Scott M. Richard

Rough Ride Adventures, 02715 Pleasant Valley Road, Boyne City, by Jon Jasinski

Jensen Manufacturing Company, 02715 Pleasant Valley Road, Boyne City, by Jon Jasinski

Marriages
Ryan Lee Oliver, 22, Charlevoix and Jennifer Lynn Moblo, 22, Charlevoix

Mark Edward Murray, 40, Charlevoix and Ruth Elaine Torga, 44, Charlevoix

Richard Allen Witteveen, 40, Boyne Falls and Becky Adrienne Vanderputte, 39, Hart

Christopher Tyler Schanbeck, 25, Charlevoix and Janelle Malewitz, 20, Charlevoix

Births

Devin Michelle Sutton was born to Richard and Lynn Sutton of Charlevoix on Jan. 28 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Devin weighed 7 pounds, 13 ounces at birth.

Zoe Lanelle Church was born to Thomas and Barbara Church of Charlevoix on Feb. 1 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Zoe weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces at birth.

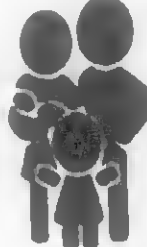
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Charlevoix Sheriff's office warns about thin ice on lake

Sheriff George T. Lasater would like to caution ice fishermen and snowmobiles to be absolutely certain the ice is safe enough and thick enough before venturing out onto it.

The sheriff's office was recently informed that Lake Charlevoix has numerous soft spots and open areas. Most smaller lakes are starting to become completely iced over. Please take every precaution before going out onto the ice.

Lasater recommends that those going out on the ice do the following: Wear a personal flotation device, carry a flashlight or some other type of signaling device and always notify family or friends of the time you are going out onto ice, the time you will be returning and the exact location of where you could be located in the event of an emergency.

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Former Charlevoix woman takes on African mountain

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Kristen Lignell, 37, of Lake Tahoe, Calif. grew up in Charlevoix and learned to ski on area slopes, but her adventuresome spirit carried her away from Michigan and most recently landed her on top of a glacier in Kenya, Africa.

"It was the worst and best skiing I have ever done. The snow conditions were rotten, you couldn't go fast because of ice chunks and holes," Lignell said. "You can't hurt yourself up there; you have to walk out, there is no ski patrol. But it was exciting, that is what makes it an adventure."

Charlevoix residents who tuned in at 9 p.m. Jan. 24 to OLN, the Outdoor Life Network, caught Lignell in action in the program titled, "Warren Miller's Global Adventures, Destination: Kenya." The Kenya trip is the fifth Warren Miller film that Lignell has been featured in.

Her descent down the receding African glacier marked a moment in history — Lignell and her partner Justine VanHoute, 32, of Telluride, Colo., are the first skiers to have conquered Mount Kenya.

Lignell and VanHoute were not only skiing uncharted territory, but were also interacting with a new culture.

In the program, VanHoute showed photos of ski life in the United States to porters, natives who helped carry provisions and

lead the way up the mountain. They immediately pointed to the chair lift and asked what it was used for. She responded that it transports skiers to the top of the hill. They then asked why the girls hadn't brought the chair lift to Africa.

Lignell said that this was a scenario that depicted the cultural differences that she saw and experienced.

"The chair lift is an everyday part of our lives but they had never seen it before. It's a cultural thing, not just a language barrier," Lignell explained.

She said that communication wasn't always easy between the skiers, cameramen and the indigenous people who did speak some English. She added that it was fun to learn to communicate with them in other ways, like using hand signals.

The porters did have an interesting point — a chair lift would have been the preferred path to the top. It took the group eight days, hiking eight to 10 hours each day to get to the peak of the mountain.

"We went a non-descript route; they took us bushwhacking up through elephant tracks," Lignell said.

At one point in the mountaineering excursion, they could see the peak of Mount Kenya far off in the distance. Lignell said that their backs were killing them, they were tired and sore.

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Charlevoix resident John Lignell (middle) poses with his four children on a family outing. They are: (from left) Mark, Matt, Kathy Lignell-Wade and Kristen Lignell. Kristen recently was featured on the Outdoor Life Network when she went on a ski trip down Mount Kenya in Africa. (Courtesy photo)

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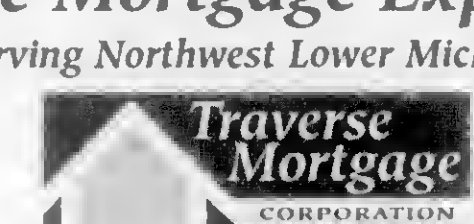
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OPINIONS

Some freedoms are not politically correct



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

There is a war on the First Amendment.

Some people do not want you to be able to say what you want, write what you want or protest your government. They want to take away some of those rights; they think you and I have too many.

This was the main focus of a discussion I was a part of at the First Amendment Center at the Newseum in Arlington, Va. last week. The Newseum is basically a museum dedicated to the history journalism in the United States and of the First Amendment.

Walking into the Newseum, I was in awe. Laid out before me were the

actual front pages of some of the most famous newspapers in history. After getting choked up when I realized just how much history my profession has, I found myself in a trance staring at an exhibit on Pulitzer Prize winning photographs.

Each one had an intense amount of emotion, some good and some bad.

After viewing these exhibits, I was taken to a discussion on the First Amendment with over 30 weekly newspaper editors from across the United States. Even after being awed by what I saw when I entered the building, I left the Newseum that day with a sense of fear for the state of the First Amendment.

For those of you who do not know, the First Amendment is the strongest amendment in the Bill of Rights. That is why the framers of the constitution put it there.

It gives Americans the right to say what they want, it gives the country a press that is free from government intrusion, it does not allow the government to favor one

religion over another, it allows people to assemble and it gives us the right to petition the government when we think we have been wronged.

It states, "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble and to petition the government for a redress of grievances."

But, there are some people who think this is too much freedom and many agree with them, especially politicians.

According to a survey conducted by the First Amendment Center last year, 51 percent of Americans think the press has too much freedom; 38 percent believe people should not be allowed to say things in public that might be offensive to religious groups; 28 percent believe musicians should not be allowed to sing songs that others might find offensive and 67 percent believe people should not be allowed to burn the

American flag as a political statement.

This survey went on-and-on, each figure giving a sorrowing picture of what Americans think of their First Amendment rights. And the attacks on these rights have begun.

Currently on the floor of the United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate is an amendment to the Bill of Rights that would make it illegal to burn an American flag as an act of protest. Forty-nine state governments have said they would ratify this amendment if it passed.

Think about this: if it passes, there will actually be an amendment in the Bill of Rights that takes away a right. The last time this was done was the prohibition amendment and that worked so well, it was followed by an amendment that revoked it.

Yes, it is offensive to me and many other Americans when someone burns an American flag. But, it is more offensive to take away that right of expression. The flag is a representation of the freedoms that

Americans have. To protect the flag at the expense of our freedoms is wrong.

The bottom line is Americans should realize how important the First Amendment is. It is what makes America what it is; without it we have no freedom.

Men and women throughout our country's history have died protecting these freedoms outlined in the First Amendment. To take away some of those freedoms would be a dishonor to them and a dishonor to the country.

Therefore, in the spirit of supporting the First Amendment, the Charlevoix Courier will be including this powerful portion of the Bill of Rights on the upper right corner of the Opinion page. Please read these words and take them to heart.

They are freedoms worth fighting for, not fighting against.

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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But those of us who live here like to think of it as home.

I would like city council to consider a special use permit for the Snowmobile Club when they want to have their ride-in, rather than an ordinance giving blanket permission to use designated city streets. That way the folks who follow the rules and are considerate of other people and, possibly want to shop downtown, can still have that opportunity. Yet the others who don't care about designated streets or shopping downtown will not be able to terrorize neighborhoods.

I don't think snowmobiles belong on city streets, designated or not, and the ordinance as it stands now is impossible to enforce. The weekenders are evidently bringing their snowmobiles up on a trailer, so they can just trailer them right out of town to the real snowmobile trails and not use city streets as their trails, which is what they have been doing.

Shirley Gibson
Charlevoix

Keep natural park

Editor:
What if you have something that has taken hundreds of years to become what it is? What if you have a place that is home to hundreds of species of plant and animal life, with unique ravines and small, meandering, swift-flowing creeks? And what if there is a possibility

this place could be sold for a boat storage building site?

The city of Charlevoix owns a nine acre piece of land on M-66 at the edge of the business district. Many of you know this property because the old Medusa railroad spur goes through it, so it is enjoyed by snowmobilers, cross-country team runners, joggers and even people walking their dogs.

There are wonderful old hemlocks, cedar, beech and birch trees along the ravines which have not been disturbed because of the steep banks. The foliage in the fall is breathtaking as are the flowers in the spring and summer. One of the little creeks does an interesting thing. It goes underground for about six feet creating a kind of "earth bridge." You can also see many "mother logs," old trees that have fallen over and now are homes to new trees that grow from the rich nutrients of the old tree.

On a higher portion of the property, you can tell that someone logged there about 40 years ago, because that is the age of the aspen trees growing there. However, underneath these trees are young maples and beech, which if allowed to grow, will demonstrate the process of succession and a new forest will emerge.

While walking through these woods with our local botanist, Professor Roger Knutson, I was surprised by a tree that almost looked like a joke! Its trunk is only a couple inches around, but its beautiful yellow leaves are about five inches wide. Its common name is "striped

maple" and has beautiful little green veins running up the trunk.

I am reminded of a poem by Robert Frost, which is particularly appropriate here. "Two roads diverged in a yellow wood...and I took the one less traveled...and that has made all the difference."

The more traveled way would be for the city to sell the property, let it be bulldozed, and make some money...for what? The less traveled way, that could make all the difference, would be to preserve this beautiful "natural park," to appreciate it for what it is and save it for future generations. The city already owns it, so nothing really needs to be done.

Future possibilities include a roadside park with picnic tables, a walking trail with community and school groups maintaining portions of it, and a trail guide to describe the variety of plants and ecological wonders. There is also the possibility of a trail between this "park" and the site of the new high school.

If you like this idea of keeping a unique "natural park" in the midst of a developing area, please let the city manager and council know.

Thank you.
Cara Hochhalter
Charlevoix

Venetian Parade entry was offensive

Editor:
I am writing this letter at a time full of winter activities when not much thought of summer events occupy our minds. I have been waiting to write this letter for a long

time, so I guess, now is that time.

Last summer my family and I attended the annual Venetian Parade, as we do each year. We enjoy it very much and look forward to it as one of our fun summer traditions. It is usually very nice, full of wonderful music and creative floats. I must say though, that at this last one both my family and I were very disappointed at one of the entries allowed in the parade. It was entitled, "The Cocktail Party."

Though, I must admit, I know nothing about what this "Cocktail Party" represents, but I can say it was a horrible thing to have been entered into such a family-oriented event. This float had people holding signs promoting alcohol and one woman in particular was dressed as The Virgin Mary singing a song entitled "Everyone Must Get Stoned."

What a disgrace to those of us of faith to see such an act. We had friends visiting from out of town who were disgusted by this also. I also heard many people around us with similar reactions. Many thought it was tasteless to include it in such a usually family-oriented parade.

I just want to make those who put this parade together aware of those who object to such entries.

I am not saying that I have never been exposed to such things, but some would think that taking children to a parade would be a safe thing to do and not have them exposed to such nonsense. We will definitely think long and hard before attending next year.

Beth Swenson
East Jordan

Thank you

Editor:
An open letter to the community: Do any of you remember a gentleman who used to sit on the lawn chair, smoking a cigar, while he patiently waited for his wife to shop at Kmart, the Dollar Store or Glen's grocery store?

Although he had many challenges with cancer these past two years, I am happy to say that through the loving care and assistance we received from hospice, he was able — as he desired — to remain at home, where he died peacefully in his sleep on Dec. 14, 2000.

To the many of you who stopped and chatted with him, you made his day and I want to thank you for the joy you gave him.
Joan Bousquet
Charlevoix

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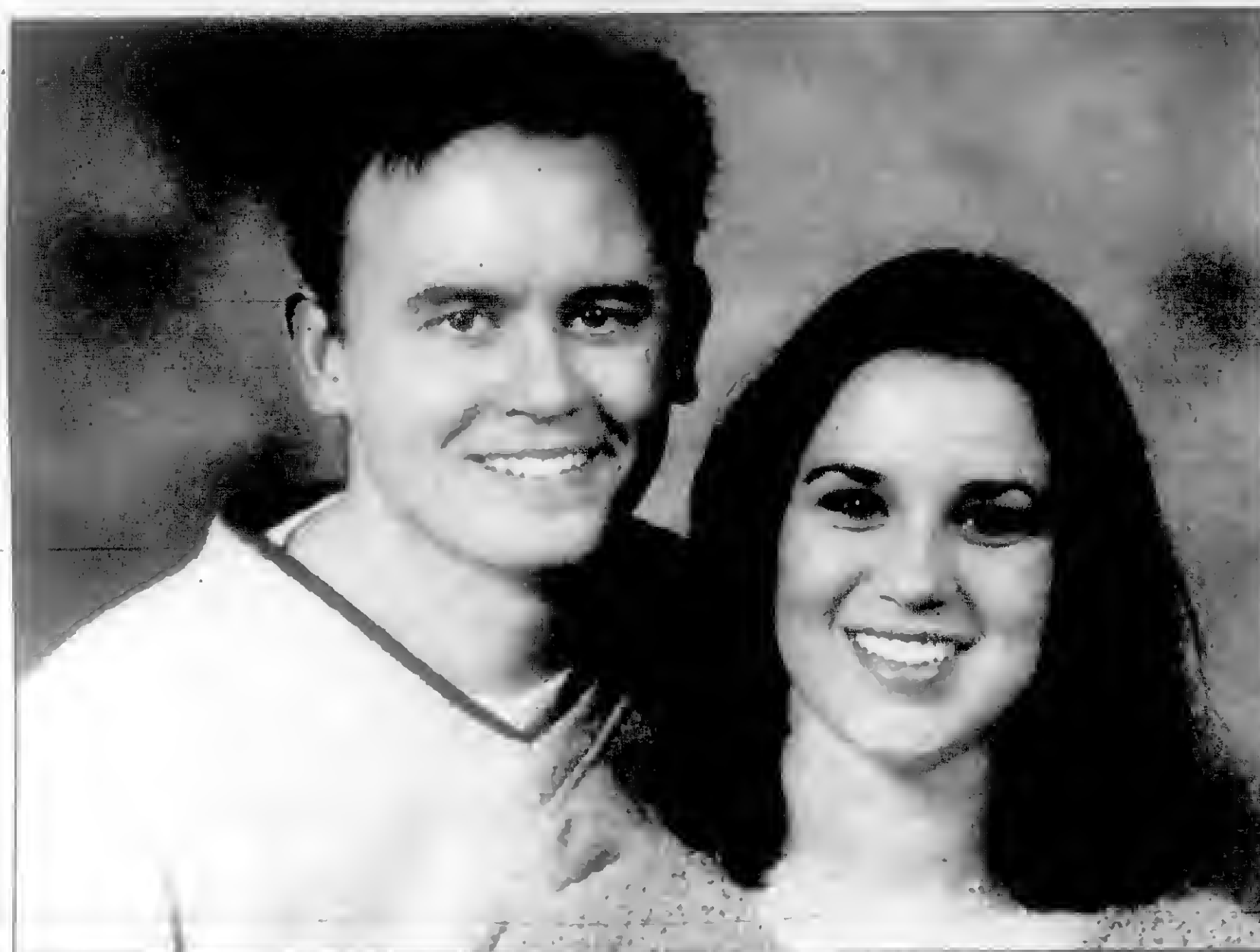
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Engagement

Captain — Holm



Tina Marie Captain and Tim Holm, both of Battle Creek, were recently engaged to be married. Tina is the daughter of Donald and the late Elisabeth Captain of Gobles. Tim is the son of Ed and

Mary Jo Holm of Charlevoix. They are planning a wedding for June 30 in Charlevoix. Tina is a 1994 graduate of Portage Central High. She is employed at Troxel Realtor Builder

Company. Tim is a 1990 graduate of Charlevoix High School and a 1994 graduate of Michigan State University. He is a sixth-grade teacher in Athens.

Garden Club to meet

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will meet at 1 p.m. Feb. 13 in the lower level of the Charlevoix Public Library. Melanie Chiodine, Executive Director of Top of Michigan Trails Council will speak. She will present slides that will take us on a nature walk through some of the trails of northern Michigan.

Cynthia Postmus will hostess the evening along with co-hostesses Anne Marie Barnes and Mona Bergeon.

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CMU honors list

Several students from the Charlevoix area were named to the Central Michigan University honors list recently. They are: Erin D. McDonough, a senior from Beaver Island; Martin D. Bennett, a senior from Charlevoix; Timothy L. Carey, a sophomore from Charlevoix; Travis J. Garrett, a junior from Charlevoix; Aprille L. Pischner, a senior from Charlevoix; Joshua D. Skeel, a junior from Charlevoix; Ann M. Terryberry, a junior from Charlevoix.

Matchett attends conference

Timothy Matchett, of Charlevoix, recently attended the 2001 Michigan Farm Bureau Presidents' Conference in East Lansing. Matchett learned about the role of biotechnology in farming, how to form efficient county committees and new programs his Farm Bureau could organize, among others.

Michigan Tech dean's list

Several students from Charlevoix were named to the dean's list at Michigan Technological University in Houghton recently. They, and their grade, are: Laurel Ellen English, a junior; Jason Donald Firman, a senior; Joshua James Habel, a junior; Candice Jean Siwarga, a junior; Margaret Elizabeth Spang, a senior, and Joel William Trubilowicz, a freshman.

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Future of Coast Guard ship in city's harbor is uncertain

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer*"I thought we were first on the list, but any list is tentative."*Mike Wiesner,
Charlevoix city manager

Due to upgrades to the fleet, the Coast Guard cutter Acacia may be replaced by a new buoy tender in the near future or the government may even take the ship out of Charlevoix's harbor.

"The Coast Guard is in the process of updating and replacing the old systems with newer systems that rely more on technology than people to run them," Joe McGuinness, Coast Guard Lieutenant Commander stationed in Cleveland said.

McGuinness said that the Acacia was built during World War II and that maintaining the vessel now is a pricey undertaking.

The first new ships were deployed to New England and will be followed by ships being sent to the South Atlantic, the Gulf Coast, the West Coast and Alaska. Ships bound for the Great Lakes have not yet been built.

Once the ships are completed their destinations will be determined.

mined.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner said, "I thought we were first on the list, but any list is tentative. If it isn't located here it would be a big loss to the community in terms of jobs, vendors that make sales and the tourism attraction. I think the community really values it. We feel it should be here because of the close proximity to the buoys they are servicing and the ability to respond with a major size vessel for major emergencies."

Replacing the buoy tenders is a project the Coast Guard has been working on for about 20 years. The new ships are being built in Marionette Marine, Wis.

In the 1990s when the city was planning renovations for Bridge Park, they included plans to accommodate a Coast Guard buoy tender that is 45 feet longer than the 180 Class Acacia currently docked in front of the park.

According to Wiesner marina renovation plans include accommodations for a larger Coast Guard vessel.

"The drawing kept a clear zone to the north of the proposed marina area. We factored that (the new vessel) in and talked with the Coast Guard to the determine area," Wiesner said.

McGuinness described the new vessels as longer, wider and deeper, but "she performs the same mission."

Missions that the 180 class performs which will soon be the responsibility of the 225 include: platforms, ice-breaking and maintaining aids to navigation.



While the Acacia is only expected to remain in Charlevoix a short time, the Coast Guard's future in the city remains a question. (File photo)

City council discusses projects in budget

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Members of city council are excited to see several capital projects outlined in this year's city budget unfold.

They include: renovations to Michigan Beach, city hall and East Park and completion of the water-main loop.

Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell sees a bright future for the changes planned for East Park. He said that the acquisition and

demolition of the Wharfside and plans for renovating the park will still allow the park to be used for many things and will also improve it cosmetically.

Second ward council member Gabe Campbell said that he is looking forward to seeing Michigan Beach renovations materialize, he considers beach improvements to be a necessary measure that will benefit the city by bringing in more beach-goers.

"Michigan Beach is a big draw

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Gabe Campbell,
Charlevoix city council member

to the city. The project will start this fall — there is just so much going on. Hopefully for the next season (summer 2002) it will be beautiful," Campbell said.

Aside from park renovations the city budget also encom-

passed capital improvements, like city hall renovations that are currently in the planning phase.

Norman "Boogie" Carlson, first ward; Bernie DeVries, first ward; A.J. Witthoef, third ward, and Campbell all said that city

hall upgrades are "definitely needed."

"We have been working on that (renovation plans) for three years. That has to be done, it's (city hall) the main hub of the city. Renovations will make city hall more user friendly, the elevator will make the building handicapped accessible and new offices will be nicer for city employees to work out of," DeVries said.

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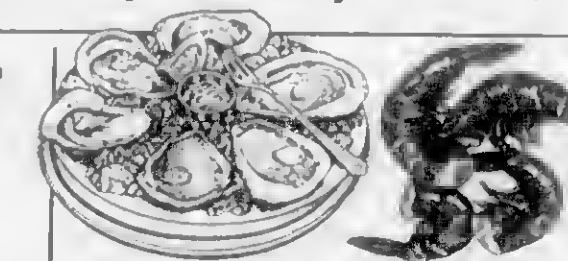
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Stay healthy after flying with these tips



Dennis Joy, M.D.
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This is the time of the year that many are making plans to leave this area for vacation in distant parts of the United States or elsewhere in the world. Air travel is the mode most often used for long distances. In recent years with an ever greater usage of long distance air travel for all age groups several health issues have become apparent.

Deep venous thrombosis, a phenomenon known as "economy class syndrome," consists of blood clots which form primarily in the legs as a result of crowding passengers in narrow seating spaces which do not permit movement.

Prolonged dependent positioning of the legs, pressure from narrow seats, and relative dehydration due to dry cabin atmosphere leads to the formation of blood clots. These may not become apparent for hours or days after the flight and may result in life threatening pulmonary embolus.

Passengers and especially the travel industry itself should demand of the major airline carriers a substantial change in the current "charge 'em a few dollars less and crowd in a lot more seats" philosophy.

One carrier, Midwest Express, has been a notable exception with 100 percent first class seating at a competitive price.

In the meantime, passengers can minimize risk by moving about the cabin at least every hour, doing isometric exercises, consuming larger amounts of liquids, wearing support hose and perhaps taking aspirin and vitamin E before travel for their blood thinning effect.

Baro-trauma is a frequent

complaint of air travelers.

The change in atmospheric pressure especially in descent can result in painful pressure changes in the sinuses, ears and occasionally teeth. This problem is especially problematic for those who have allergy problems or a recent cold or ear infection.

Symptoms can be prevented by attempting to equalize pressure by swallowing frequently and chewing gum during flight or taking a decongestant prior to travel. Generally, one who has had recent ear surgery should not fly.

Jet lag, a condition characterized by fatigue, insomnia, irritability, nausea and difficulty concentrating usually occurs when traveling across four to five time zones. This condition can be minimized by getting adequate sleep during the 24 hours before travel, getting moderate exercise at the destination and adapting quickly to the new time zone schedule.

Minimizing alcohol and hypnotic drugs is also advised.

Melatonin, three to five milligrams taken on the day of travel at the expected destination bedtime when traveling east and at bedtime for three nights has been shown to be helpful. However the long-term safety of this substance has not been studied and purity of the product may vary.

Motion sickness affects some air travelers. Symptoms can be frequently prevented by using medications before travel such as scopolamine (Transderm-Scop), diphenhydramine (Benadryl) or ginger (at a dose of 1,000 milligrams every four to six hours).

Because airplane cabin pressure maintains a relative altitude of approximately 5,000 to 8,000 feet, the oxygen concentration is lower than that on the ground. This poses problems for persons with severe anemia, cardiovascular, pulmonary and circulatory conditions. They should consult with their personal physician before flying.

Air travel is considered safe

in normal pregnancy until approximately week 36.

Pregnant women are however at special risk of deep venous thrombosis. Persons who have had laparoscopic surgery should wait at least seven to 10 days before flying.

Persons who have had recent abdominal, central nervous system, ophthalmologic or thoracic surgery where expansion of trapped gas at reduced cabin pressure could cause injury should consult with their physician before travel.

Finally, air travelers should be sure to bring enough of their usual medications to last the entire trip plus allowance for some delays.

It is wise to pack necessary medications in carry-on luggage and to bring along a list of all medications with their generic names as trade names vary in foreign countries.

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Find the best example of love this Feb. 14 in Paul's writings

By FR. JIM GUNN
Rector, Christ Episcopal Church

Just about one week after you read this we will celebrate Valentine's Day.

For a while now the stores have been filled with many gifts in red and white and many cards, both funny and sentimental. There are lots of hearts and numerous teddy bears. And, of course, there are many little Cupids flying around with their bow and arrow.

The whole idea seems to be that if you get hit with one of those arrows, then you will be head-over-heels in love and will have no control of yourself — you will just plain act goofy and fawn over the person you love.

Unfortunately, even though this has been the kind of attention this day has gotten for as long as any of us can remember, it tends to make a mockery of the depth and reality of true love. Cupid brings only a pale caricature of the dedication and devotion that is real love.

I know of nothing that has outdone the description found in the thirteenth chapter of Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians.

Those 13 verses have come down through the centuries as the premier picture of what constitutes love.

"If I speak in the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I

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am a noisy gong or a clanging cymbal. And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. If I give away all I have, and if I deliver my body to be burned, but have not love, I gain nothing. Love is patient and kind; love is not jealous or boastful; it is not arrogant or rude. Love does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrong, but rejoices in the right. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never ends; as for prophecies, they will pass away; as for tongues, they will cease; as for knowledge, it will pass away. For our knowledge is imperfect; but when the perfect comes, the imperfect will pass away. When I was a child, I spoke like a child, I thought like a child, I reasoned like a child; when I became a man, I gave up childish ways. For now we see in a mirror dimly, but then face to face. Now I know in part; then I shall understand fully, even as I

have been fully understood. So faith, hope, love abide, these three; but the greatest of these is love."

The first part says to us that our actions, however good they may appear, are all just useless show if they are not motivated by the selfless desire for the good and well-being of another. Then comes the list of all characteristics of love — those things that it is and those things that it isn't.

It is patient, kind, rejoicing in right, believing, hoping and enduring; it is not jealous, boastful, arrogant, rude, irritable or resentful. As the saying goes, love just keeps keeping on and is even greater than faith and hope. What's more, it all finds its source in God. Just look at 1 John 4:19 — "We love, because He first loved us."

All of that sounds to me as being much stronger and more permanent than all the hearts and candies and teddy bears. I will close with a suggestion that I heard a number of years ago.

If you want to gauge how well you are doing in showing love to others, then read aloud the passage from First Corinthians but place your name wherever the word love appears (or the word "it", referring to love).

If it doesn't sound like a good description of you then you better go back to the "love drawing board!"

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Lignell talks about skiing trip in Africa

SKIING

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On top of the soreness, the non-natives in the group experienced altitude effects and insomnia.

"A lot of it was mind over matter. I can see why people do mountaineering — a lot of it is miserable, but your reward is so great; like the places it takes you and the amazing things that you can see," she explained.

Lignell admitted that it did get discouraging, hiking with the skis strapped to her back through the jungle. "It looked like there was never going to be snow." She worried that they would hike all that way just to ski a 20 foot patch of snow.

"We didn't see any snow until the last 15 minutes of the hike. We came around the back side of the mountain and there was snow. We were elated," she said.

To prepare for the trip, Lignell did a lot of hiking,

back country skiing and Nordic skiing.

"My philosophy is: The more things you can be in control of the better off you will be. Feeling like I am prepared physically will make it easier psychologically," she explained.

The porters had not only never seen a chair lift they had also never seen anyone ski before. Lignell said she couldn't wait to see their reaction after they had made the run.

"They (the porters) were so scared for us, like we were doing a stunt," she said.

But this was not a stunt; Lignell has skied for 32 years and VanHoute is hoping to be part of the Olympic ski team competing in the World Cup freestyle event.

Lignell's next mission is climbing Alaska's Mount Denali in May.

"When I do a trip like that (Kenya) it makes me a better person. It makes some things in our lives seem unimportant. Our ears are as big as what they live in. It makes me appreciate what I have," Lignell said.



Was Charlie Brown in town?

While winter weather is still in the area, apparently someone still wanted to go fly a kite in downtown Charlevoix. However, the kite got stuck in a tree, where it will probably spend the winter. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Several projects highlight Charlevoix's city budget

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Campbell added that the start date for the city hall project will not be determined until plans are finalized and the project has been put out for bids by contractors. City hall renovation funding is the greatest budgeted project with an estimated cost of \$1.4 million.

Carlson also noted the importance of street improvements like those planned for Belvedere Avenue where water and sewer lines will be redone as will the street itself.

He added completion plans for the water-main loop which is referred to as, "the Garfield Avenue utility extension" in the capital plan portion of the 2001-2002 budget proposal.

"Completion of the water-

main loop will help the systems water pressure and efficiency," he said.

While all of these capital projects will benefit the public, they come at an estimated cost of \$6.9 million.

Third ward council member Sherm Chamberlain sees the utility of the capital projects, yet he is hesitant about the money going out. Chamberlain said that City Manager Mike Wiesner hopes to bid out multiple projects to the same contractor in an effort to save money.

"The Garfield water extension is not that big of a project, if we can bid that out with another public works project we may get a more favorable price. The contractor can move his equipment from one site to the next without much difficulty," Chamberlain said.

A public hearing on the budget is set for Feb. 19.

Business briefs

New attorney

Chris Turkelson has joined the firm of Joseph, Corcoran, Telgenhof & Barnes, P.C. as an associate at the start of this year.

Prior to coming to Charlevoix, Chris was an assistant prosecuting attorney in Antrim and Lapeer counties. He graduated from Michigan State University and Wayne State Law School.

Chris will practice primarily in the fields of criminal law, domestic relations and civil trial practice. He is married to Tonya and they have two children; Corbin, 6, and Collin, 20 months.

Continuing requirements completed



Dr. F. James Stewart

Fraley James Stewart, M.D., a family practitioner from Charlevoix, has completed continuing medical education requirements to retain active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians, the national association of family doctors.

Stewart cares for patients at his offices in Pine River Medical, near the Charlevoix Area Hospital and Boulder Park Terrace nursing home.

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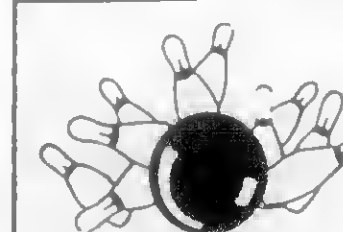
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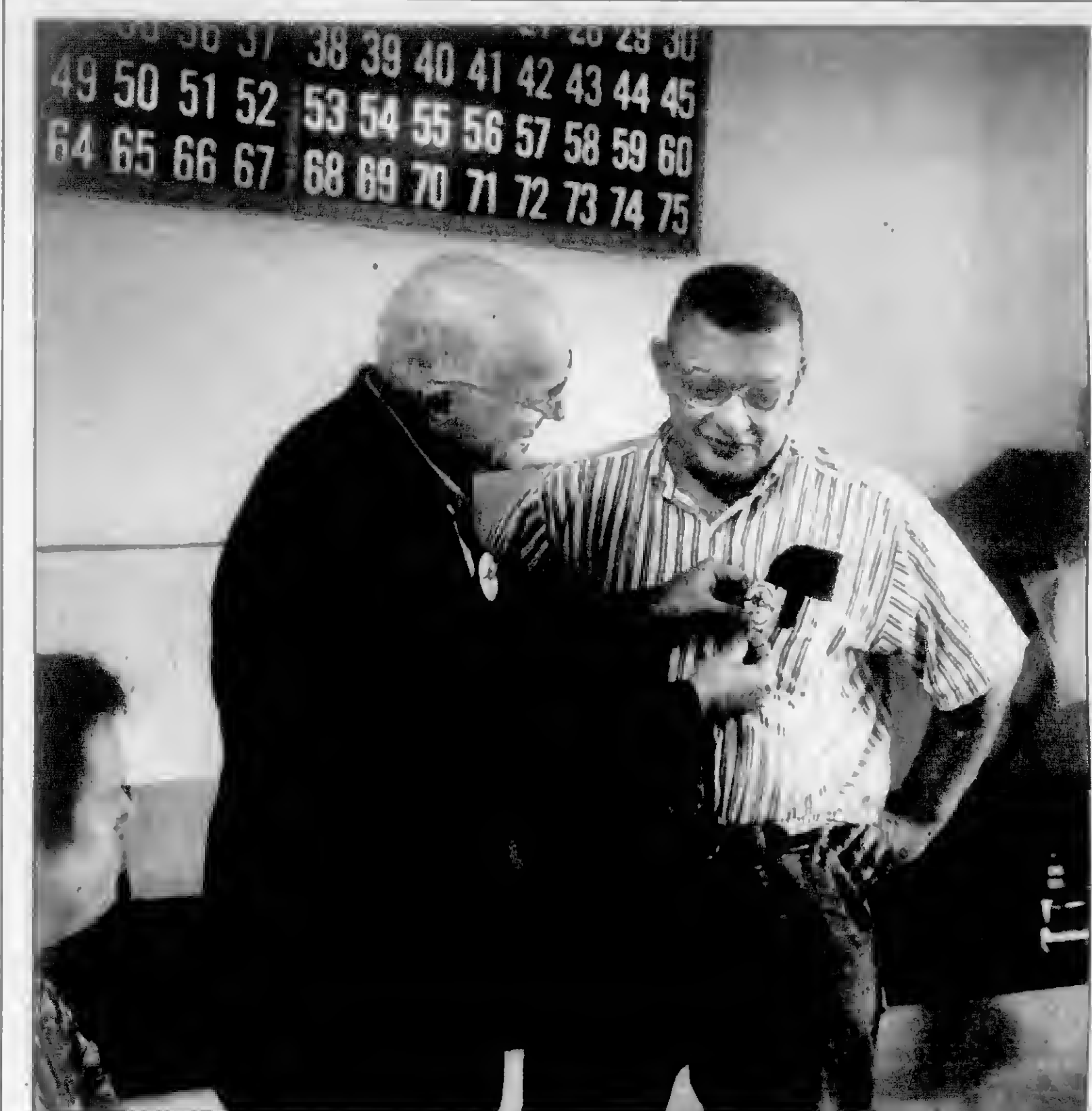
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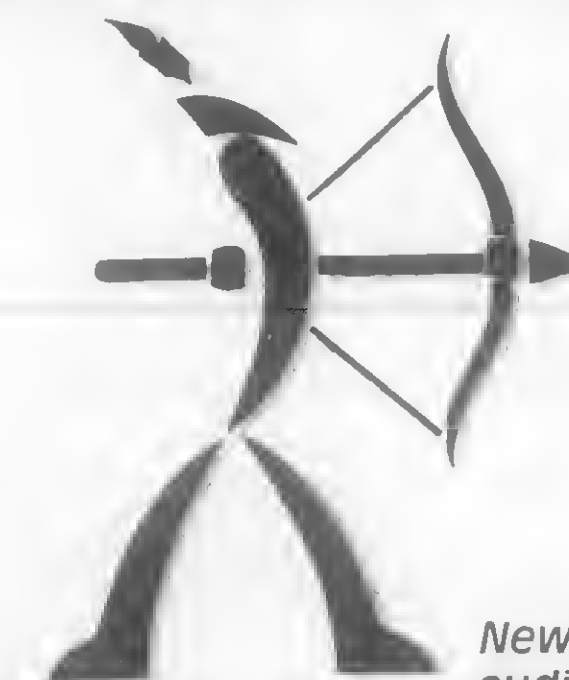


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Aktion Club member Mike K. (on right) waits for his official installation as the new president by Kiwanis Aktion Club Advisor Ed Buday. The Aktion Club is a community service group of adults with developmental disabilities. (Courtesy photo)



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BUSINESS

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Charlevoix native returns home to start new business

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Steve Michael has come home and in the process is helping area residents get their homes.

Michael, a Charlevoix graduate from 1976, has been trying for the last 10 years to come back to the area. During that time, he had been living in the southern portion of the United States, working in the office supply business.

But, he needed a change in his job — which would eventually give him a chance to move back to his beloved northern Michigan.

Working off his experience in college with economics, Michael got into the mortgage business and joined Independent Mortgage Company.

"It is a good time to get into the mortgage business. There are so many different types of mortgages to do and we are probably going to be getting into a strong refinancing market," Michael said. Refinancing helps people pay off any high debts they accumulated during our robust economy, such as credit cards, he said.

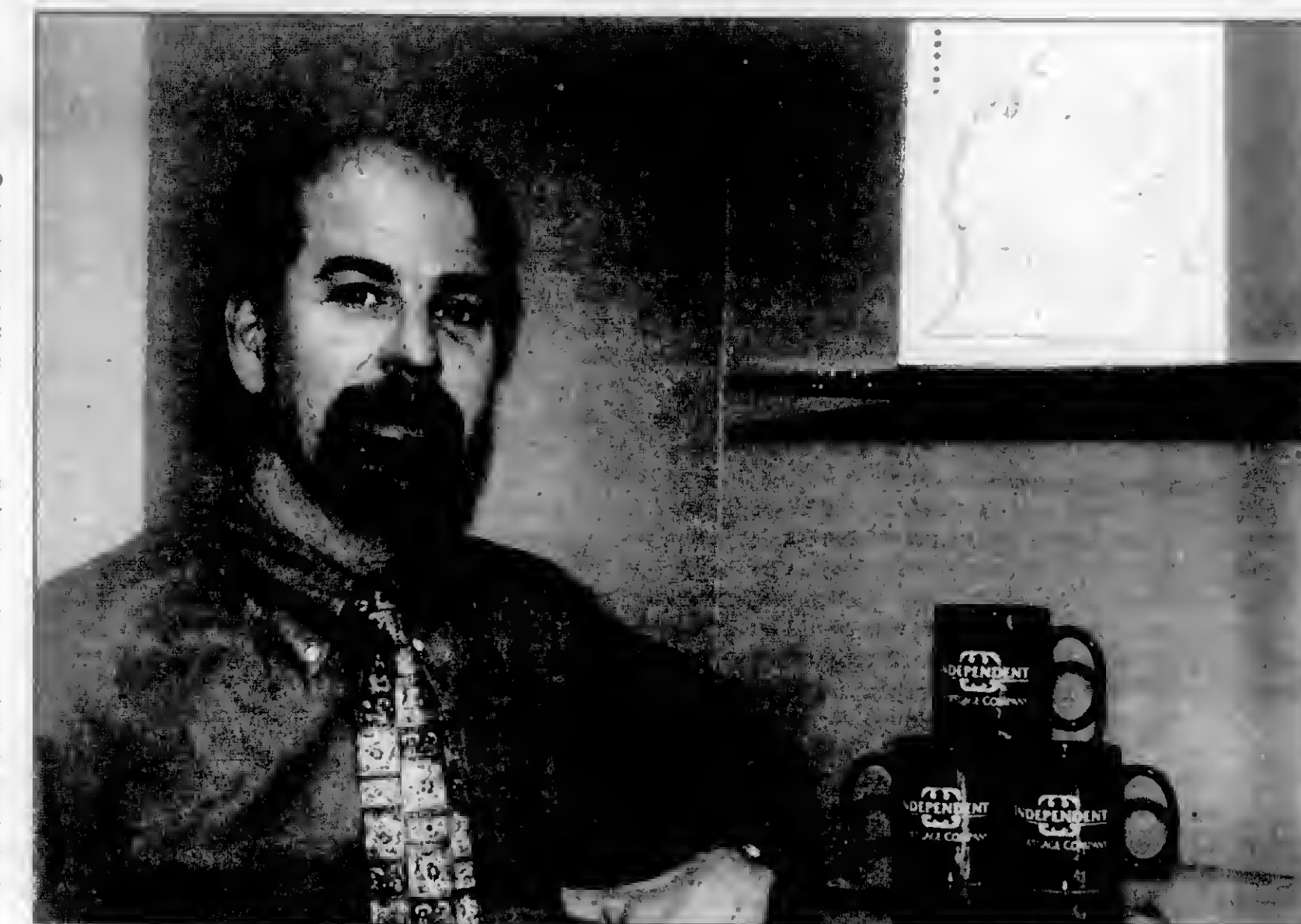
Added to his ability to help people overcome the debt they created, Michael said his business is able to finance the purchase of a variety of properties, including second homes. Since Charlevoix has such a diverse property market, he felt his services would be perfect.

So he has started an Independent Mortgage Company office in downtown Charlevoix, near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue.

Independent Mortgage is open throughout the year from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Through this business, customers can get first and second mortgages, vacation home mortgages, vacant land loans, refinances and debt consolidation loans, bridges and all government loans, construction loans and even loans for people "who don't have perfect credit."

Michael said he gets satisfaction out of helping people who do not have perfect credit and are trying to get a new home or trying to decrease their debt.

"Most people have gotten into some type of circumstances. I do those kinds of loans that I don't



Steve Michael has returned to his roots to help people get into the home of their dreams, even if their credit is not perfect. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

think many others do," he said. "On some (loans), I have to make a case for them to get bought. But, I like doing those. They can

be the most rewarding type of loans to do."

Michael opened for business last August. He lives in

Charlevoix with his wife, Sue. For more information on Independent Mortgage Company call 547-2672.

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SPORTS

Charlevoix Rayders continue to roll

Team beats Benzie Central 74-64 in away game

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

A lot of things can happen to a basketball team when they play away from home. They can suffer from poor shooting, a hostile crowd or even foul trouble due to unfamiliar referees.

The Charlevoix Rayders fought off all three of these en route to a hard-fought 74-64 non-conference win at Benzie Central last Friday night.

"It was pretty exciting," said Coach Keith Haske. "It was a team oriented win. Some kids who hadn't stepped up really stepped up and gave us some big minutes in crunch time."

The Huskies raced out to an 8-0 lead to start the game.

Jim Shepherd countered with two three-pointers for Charlevoix to cut the lead to 8-6 and get the Rayders right back into the game. Charlevoix pulled even at 8-8, 10-10 and 13-13 before scoring the last four points of the first quarter to

gain a 17-13 advantage.

The Rayders bumped the advantage to seven on a Patrick Gowell three-pointer, but Benzie roared back with a 9-1 run to take a 22-21 lead. Scott Parrish answered for Charlevoix, scoring four straight points, two coming on his second dunk of the season, to give the Rayders a lead they would never relinquish.

The Rayders left the court for half-time with a 32-28 lead.

Foul trouble became a major concern early in the third quarter as Keith Daly picked up his third personal foul just over a minute into the quarter. Just 30 seconds later, Jeremiah Teuscher did the same.

As the Rayder lead fluctuated between two and five, Parrish picked up his third foul with 4:44 to go in the quarter. When Gowell was whistled for his third with 1:48 left in the stanza, it seemed like the fouls might finally take their toll.

The fouls were seven for Charlevoix and only one for Benzie at that point as the Rayders clung to

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Keith Haske,
Varsity basketball coach

a 42-38 advantage.

Just over a minute later, Gowell went to the bench with his fourth foul and the Rayders held to a narrow 44-40 margin.

In what could have been the turning point in the game, Daly was whistled for a Charlevoix intentional foul, his fourth personal, at 1:27 in the third. Benzie made only one of the two free throws but scored a field goal to cut the Rayder lead to 46-43.

Rob Boss came through for Charlevoix, though, scoring on a putback for a 48-43 lead and then again on a shot at the buzzer to give the Rayders a 50-46 lead at the end of the third quarter. For the quarter, Charlevoix was called for 10 fouls while Benzie had only three.

Teuscher followed that up with a

three-point play to put the lead back up to nine.

Benzie's last gasp was yet another 5-0 run which again cut the Rayder lead to four at 63-59. Gowell and Teuscher answered with back-to-back jumpers to push the margin to a somewhat comfortable 67-59 with just two minutes to go.

The Huskies were then forced to foul and the Rayders hit enough free throws down the stretch to hold on for a 74-64 victory.

Shepherd led the Rayders with 18 points, including four trifectas behind the three-point stripe. Gowell had 13 points, five assists and five steals. Teuscher also scored 13. Parrish, suffering his worst shooting night of the year, finished with eight points but pulled down eight boards and blocked five shots.

Boss also tallied eight points to round out a balanced Charlevoix attack.

After hosting Harbor Springs on Tuesday, the 10-3 Rayders travel to East Jordan on Friday to take on the Red Devils.



Power lifter

On his quest to help next year's Rayder football team to a state title, Matthew "Bubba" Kochanny, 16, reached his lifetime goal of bench-pressing 300 pounds Jan. 26 in the high school weight-lifting room. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Wrestlers place in Houghton Lake

Three wrestlers on the Charlevoix High School varsity team placed in the top four spots at the Houghton Lake Invitational Saturday.

At 112 pounds, Heather Probert went 2-2 for the day and placed fourth. At 135 pounds, Tim Daining went 3-0 for the day and placed first. At 160 pounds, Bo Moore went 2-1 for the day and placed second.

Also, at 103 pounds, Danny Hedrick went 1-3 for the day. Coach Gary Probert said all of the wrestlers did very well and he added he was proud of all of them.

Volleyball teams lose to Harbor Springs Monday

The Charlevoix varsity volleyball team's losing streak is continuing.

The team faced Harbor Springs Monday and lost both matches 6-15 and 14-16.

The top servers for the Rayders were: Kelly Dreyer with three aces; Michelle Martin, serving at 100 percent with one ace and Molly Arnold, serving at 100 percent with one ace.

The top offensive and defensive players were: Kate Madison with six kills and four solo blocks, Libby Withrow with two solo blocks and Krista Swenor with two kills.

The Charlevoix junior varsity squad also took the court that night,

but lost against Harbor Springs 0-15, 6-15 and 9-15.

The top server for the junior varsity squad was Erin Burns. The top offensive players were Natasha Kleiber and Christine Whitley. The top defensive players were Shayna Drost and Kelly Zimmerman.

The freshman squad also did not fair well against Harbor Springs and lost 8-15, 8-15 and 2-15.

The top servers for the freshmen were Andrea Ruhlman and Erika Stone. The top offensive players were Amanda Boss and Erika Stone. The top defensive players were Boss and Lauren Eldredge.



New hospital guild officers

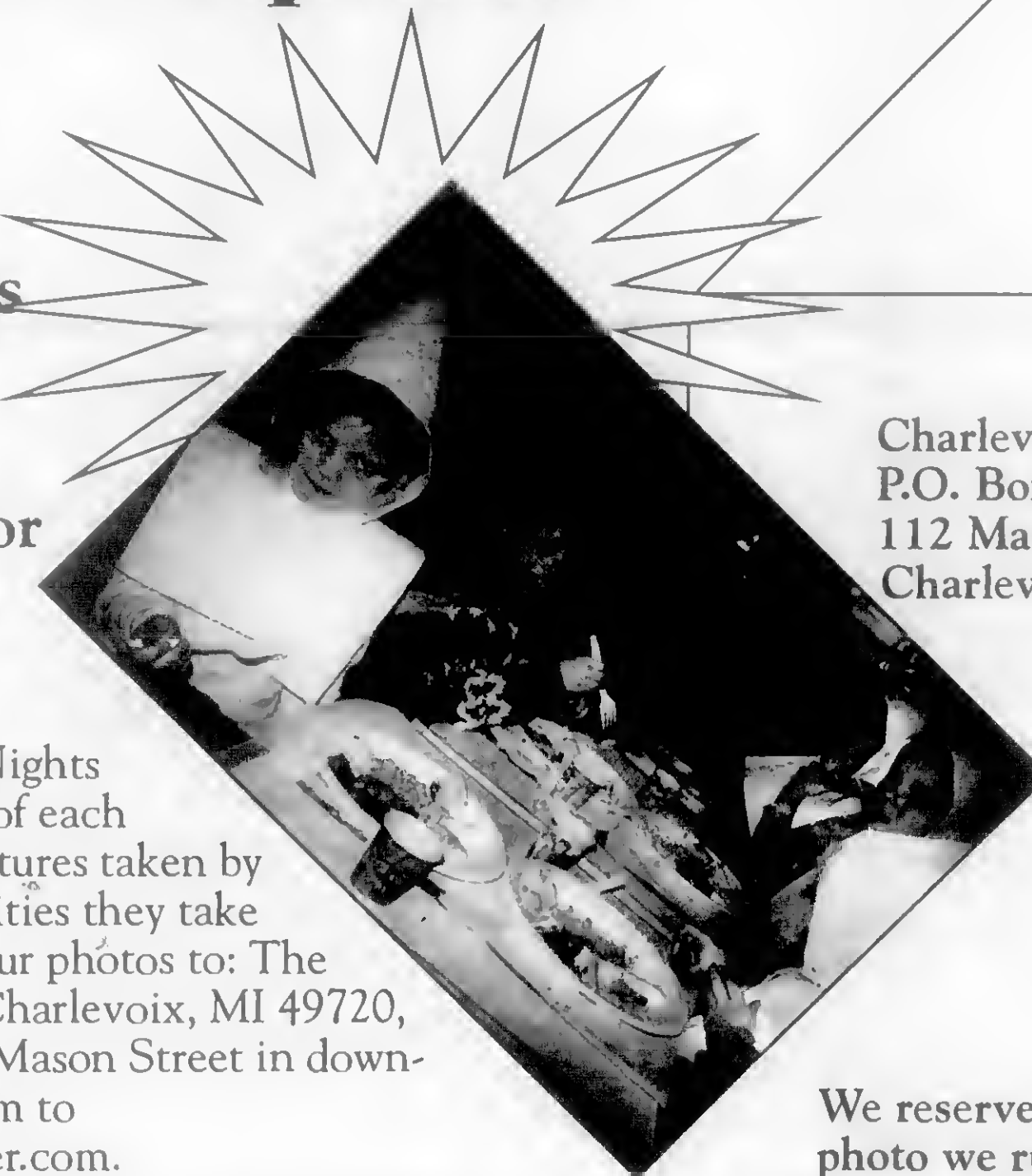
The hospital guild elected and installed new officers recently. Above, President-elect of the North Central District of the Michigan Association of Hospital Auxiliary, JoAnne Sweeny, presents flowers to the new officers. They are: (from left) Ed McGee, Margaret Landman, Jacqueline MacGillivray and Rose Mary McGee. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Area Hospital)

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Watch out for dangerous sickness in babies

It's that time of year again. Time for babies, toddlers and children to come down with their usual winter sniffles and sneezes, and for parents to be ready with tissues, cough syrup and hot soup. But it's also time for parents and doctors to be vigilant for a virus whose symptoms look like a simple cold at first, but in fact can send little ones to the hospital.

It's called RSV, for respiratory syncytial virus. And Marie Lozon, head of pediatric emergency services at the University of Michigan Health System, warns that it can take a heavy, even deadly, toll on many children — especially the very young or those with certain health conditions.

"RSV is the most common cause of serious respiratory disease in younger children, especially infants and very young toddlers," says Lozon, who sees a large number of RSV cases in the UMHS Emergency Department each year. "It's most dangerous in younger children or those with risk factors involving their lungs or their hearts. But even the average healthy child could get RSV and could get quite ill from it, even requiring hospitalization, oxygen and other treatments."

RSV infections can progress to bronchiolitis — not to be confused with bronchitis — or pneumonia, and even death. In newborns and very small infants, it can occasionally cause temporary interruptions in breathing, Lozon adds, leading some physicians to speculate that RSV may be associ-

ated with Sudden Infant Death Syndrome, or SIDS.

The American Lung Association estimates that 90,000 hospitalizations and 4,500 deaths a year result from RSV infections in babies, toddlers and children.

RSV is around us all the time and can live on surfaces or hands, making transmission easy. Its high season starts in late fall and peaks in January and February, often with local outbreaks. During that time, those most at risk include infants under six months; children born prematurely; those with asthma, cystic fibrosis, weak immune systems or heart conditions and the elderly.

So, what can worried parents do? Lozon recommends two, key steps: hand washing and other practices to cut down on transmission of the virus within a family, day care group or class, and special attention by parents to a child's symptoms, so they can get medical attention if needed.

RSV often enters the body through the nose, mouth or eyes, or through inhalation of droplets from a cough or sneeze. If you touch an object that has been touched by a person with RSV, and then touch your face with that hand, you can be infected. It takes about four days for symptoms to develop, and some older children and adults never show signs but can still spread the virus.

Most kids get infected with RSV by the time they are two or three years old. But even though it's pretty hard to avoid contact

"(Respiratory Syncytial Virus) is the most common cause of serious respiratory disease in younger children, especially infants and very young toddlers."

Marie Lozon,
Pediatric medicine

with RSV-carrying things and people, especially in winter, Lozon urges everyone to take a few common-sense measures that can protect the most vulnerable.

First, make a habit of washing your hands often, with soap and water, especially after you have been near someone who's coughing or touched objects they have used. It's a good idea year-round, but becomes especially important now for many reasons.

Keeping children away from cold-like symptoms away from babies is another good idea, Lozon says, as is keeping infants and at-risk children away from crowded places during peak RSV season. And parents and caregivers, like day-care providers should take extra care to clean surfaces and faces often, especially when dealing with one child who has symptoms and others in the same house, classroom or day-care center who don't.

Still there is no foolproof way to avoid RSV completely, no vaccine at this point to prevent it and no guarantee of immunity this year if you've had it before. Some high-risk kids may be able to get injections of immune-boosting

medication, but most children aren't candidates for it. So, Lozon advises that parents and others learn how to tell RSV from a common cold.

One of RSV's hallmarks, she says, is the area of the body it affects.

"A normal cold or cough generally is confined to the upper respiratory tract, above the collarbone," Lozon explains. "But if an RSV infection progresses, it can go into the lower respiratory tract, below the collarbone, inflaming the small airways and causing a wheeze and a difficulty in breathing."

Even in otherwise healthy children, an aggressive case of RSV can still cause serious breathing difficulties. Still, Lozon says, most children who get RSV have a mild to moderate case. Only about two percent of patients need hospitalization for their first RSV infection.

Besides the breathing problems and running nose, infants may have other symptoms, Lozon says, such as poor feeding and listlessness or lethargy.

"Unfortunately, they also may have periods of apnea, meaning

they will actually stop breathing for a short period of time," she adds.

If a child has breathing pauses, is working hard just to breathe, makes a high-pitched sound when breathing, or if their chest or belly sucks in and out when they breathe, Lozon says adults should seek medical attention immediately.

Other danger signs are if the child can't eat or drink well, is listless, has a color change or can't pursue normal activity despite their symptoms.

Anyone who suspects RSV in a baby, child or adult should treat the early symptoms just like they would treat a cold, using tactics approved for the patient's age group. For example, give over-the-counter medicines to reduce fever and cough, clear out nose and mouth secretions, increase water and feeding, and use a humidifier. Don't give infants cold medicines though.

If you think you need to call a doctor, Lozon advises trying the child's primary physician first and getting his or her opinion about whether to seek further help. Describe the child's symptoms in detail to help the doctor's decision.

But don't refrain from going to the emergency room if you see RSV-like symptoms, she urges. Doctors there can test for the presence of RSV, support a child's breathing with oxygen, or even give anti-virus drugs or immune treatments in serious cases.

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UofM offers some tips for healthy eating this year

Sticking to your resolution to lose weight this new year by eating a well-balanced diet may just be a matter of what you put in your cart at the grocery store.

To get started, throw out your list and get ready to make a few changes to your grocery shopping routine to eat healthier in 2001.

Gradually break away from your normal shopping routine by beginning to look for products you don't always purchase instead of shooing your family with a completely new set of foods, says Holly Noble, registered dietitian, M-Fit Health Promotion Division at the University of Michigan Health System.

"Just open your eyes to the rest of the products that you don't normally buy," Noble said. "People get into a routine and they tend to buy the same products and they don't realize that there might be a healthier choice that is not only better for them, it might even taste better."

Start by rolling your cart down the fish, meats and poultry aisle. There are a variety of choices you can make in the meat and seafood departments that fit within healthy eating guidelines.

"When you are looking at the fish counter, any choice is going to be better than a high saturated fat meat," Noble said.

The American Heart Association recommends eating a fish meal at least two times every week to re-

place the red meats that are high in saturated fat. Fish provides Omega-3 fatty acids that have been shown to help prevent heart disease. Plus, fish is an easy dish to prepare because it only takes about 10 to 15 minutes to bake.

Two, three-ounce servings of lean red meat or fish should be included in a healthy diet every day. Lean red meat is very versatile and can be prepared as a healthy dish by baking, broiling, grilling, steaming and stir-frying.

To find the healthiest cuts of meat, Noble recommends looking for meats with the words "loin" or "round" on the label and to limit buying high-fat meats like sausage, prime rib and spare ribs.

If you're hunting for meats that are lower in fat, chicken and turkey are great choices. You also can lower your calorie intake from chicken and turkey by removing the skin after baking.

For a colorful assortment of foods that are full of vitamins, minerals and also are a good source of fiber, take a stroll down the fruits and vegetables aisle.

The deep purple color in blueberries has anthocyanin that may protect against heart disease, while the orange color caused by the beta-carotene in sweet potatoes can help prevent cancer.

When purchasing lettuce, color is a major nutritional determinate. The deeper the lettuce color, like in spinach and romaine, the more

the nutritional benefit it has compared to a lighter colored lettuce such as iceberg.

Noble recommends eating at least five servings of fruits and vegetables every day by making them part of every meal and using them as a nutritious and filling snack between meals.

But don't forget to leave some room for carbohydrates like pasta, rice and grains in your diet. Carbohydrates should make up a large portion of a diet because they provide nutrients such as B vitamins, folate and fiber. However, it's important to remember to properly balance carbohydrates with other foods.

"The problem with carbohydrates some people have is they don't always know when to stop," Noble said. "Add vegetables to your pasta dishes to add a little more bulk. You can also choose whole wheat products that will fill you up, as well as giving you more nutrients."

Likewise, brown rice, which is a healthier choice than white rice because it contains more fiber, can also be mixed with vegetables to extend the recipe and make it more filling.

Fiber is also one of the key ingredients to look for when buying cereal. Cereal is a good option for breakfast because it provides essential vitamins and minerals, in addition to fiber.

To get the greatest nutritional

benefit from cereal, there should be at least two and a half grams of fiber per serving.

"If your favorite cereal doesn't have two and a half grams of fiber, you can also try adding a small amount of bran cereal to your bowl," Noble suggested.

Just like cereal, everyone has a favorite snack. But there are a few things to consider when buying snacks to fit into a healthy diet.

"Everyone enjoys snacking from time to time and you don't have to eliminate that from your diet," Noble said. "There are lower fat alternatives like baked snacks, some crackers that are lower fat and some cookies that are lower in fat. But you do need to watch out because sometimes lower fat does not mean lower calorie."

The best way to eat any kind of snack is in moderation, of course. To do that, Noble says to moderate your portion size, putting some of the food onto a plate or in a bowl rather than eating right out of the bag or box.

Like snacks, there are a wide variety of choices down the bread aisle and it is not always easy finding the healthiest loaf. Not all brown breads for example, are packed with fiber and whole-wheat flour.

"You really need to look at the ingredient label and make sure that the first ingredient is either whole-wheat flour or oat flour because some of the brown breads are just

enriched wheat flour with caramel coloring," Noble said.

Labels are also a shopper's best resource when buying dairy products. Dairy that is lower in fat or fat-free is also generally lower in calories, but the nutritional value remains the same. It's best to try a variety of lower fat products since many brands differ in taste and texture to find out which one you prefer. Low-fat cheese — a blend of several different cheeses has been greatly improved during the years to taste and melt better when cooking.

The only obstacle you may face down the dairy aisle is deciding between butter and margarine.

"The margarine and butter debate still goes on, but the bottom line is that butter is a very high source of saturated fat which is known to lead to heart disease if consumed in excess," Noble said. "You want to look for margarine that has two grams or less of saturated fat or you could also choose the margarine sprays which are calorie-free, fat-free but still give you some of that flavor."

But in the quest for a healthy diet in 2001, remember you do not have to eliminate any of your favorite foods from your grocery cart even if they may not be full of nutritional benefits. The easiest ways to maintain a healthy diet is to balance less-nutritional foods with foods that have a variety of health benefits.

Zonta to host Sensational Sessions

The Charlevoix Area Zonta Club is sponsoring Sensational Sessions, its first annual spring workshop from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Feb. 24 at the Charlevoix Assembly of God Church.

This fun-filled fundraiser is planned to allow people to try exciting new activities in mini-session, hands-on style.

There will be approximately 40 one hour sessions including:

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Registration for the day is \$15 which includes a continental breakfast and lunch. Additional fees apply for some workshops.

Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis and class sizes are limited. Registration forms and brochures are available at all Citizen's Bank locations, the Petoskey

and Charlevoix chambers of commerce, and Barb's Hallmark in Charlevoix.

For more information call Helen at (231) 547-2955.

The deadline for registration is Feb. 14.

Proceeds from Sensational Sessions will benefit our local community, providing scholarships for women, sponsorship of the Women's Resource Center, Amnesty International and the Charlevoix Community Foundation.

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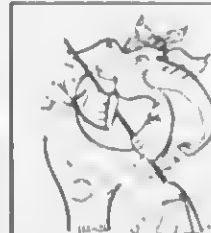
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DATED: January 15, 2001

Drafted By:
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

WILLIAM AZKOUL P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made August 14, 2000, by TIMOTHY R. HASTERT and ROSE T. HASTERT, husband and wife, as Mortgagee, to AUSTIN MORTGAGE COMPANY, as Mortgagee, and recorded on August 18, 2000, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix, MI, in Liber 394, of Mortgages, on Pages 719-726, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid to the date of this notice, EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND, SIX HUNDRED SIXTEEN and 04/100 (\$81,616.04) DOLLARS, including

State of Michigan, whose address is 2007 Eastern, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507, dated November 25, 1996, and recorded on March 6, 1997 in Liber 312, Page 0996 of the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds, and upon which there is now claimed to be due for principal and interest the sum of Twenty Four Thousand One Hundred Sixty One Dollars and Thirty Three Cents (\$24,161.33) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt or any part thereof;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on March 1, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. the undersigned will sell in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix at public venue to the highest bidder for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said Mortgage, together with the legal fees and charges of the sale, including attorney's fees allowed by law, the premises in said mortgage located in the Township of Hudson, Charlevoix County, Michigan and which are described as follows:

Commencing at a point 208 feet North of the Southeast corner of the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 32 North, Range 4 West; thence West 208 feet, thence North 208 feet; thence East 208 feet; thence South 208 feet to the place of beginning.

Beginning on the West line of Section 8, Township 32 North, Range 7 West, 999.0 feet south 01 degree 25' 20" East from the Northwest corner of said Section; thence East parallel with the North line of said Section; thence 1313.87 feet to the West 1/8 line of said Section; thence South 01 degree 26' 50" East along said 1/8 line 333.0 feet; thence West 1314.02 feet to the West line of said Section; thence North 01 degree 25'

est at the rate of 16.95%, legal costs and charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and all taxes and insurance premiums paid by the mortgagee before sale, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and situated in the Township of South Arm, County of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

By Jeffrey Van Hattum (P21752) Attorneys for Mortgagee
146 Monroe Center N.W., Suite 2-A
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, March 8, 2001, at 10:00 in the forenoon, local time, at the Main Lobby, County Building, Charlevoix County Building, 301 State Street, in the City of Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place of holding Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder at public auction for the purposes of satisfying the amount due and unpaid upon such mortgage, together with inter-

est at the rate of 16.95%, legal costs and charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and all taxes and insurance premiums paid by the mortgagee before sale, the land and premises in said mortgage mentioned and situated in the Township of South Arm, County of Charlevoix, and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

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26" West 333.0 feet to the point of beginning, being a part of the West 1/2 of the Northwest 1/4 of said Section 8.

The redemption period, pursuant to law, is one (1) year from the time of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with 1948 MCLA 600.3241a, in which case the redemption period shall be 30 days from the date of such sale.

AUSTIN MORTGAGE COMPANY, Mortgagee

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EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Firefighter's ball

Tickets are available for the second Annual Charlevoix Volunteer Firefighters Associations Firefighters Ball. This year's event will take place at 8 p.m. Feb. 17 at The Charlevoix Country Club. Tickets are \$25 each. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, a chance at a door prize and entertainment by D.J. the D.J., a silent auction and a cash bar. To purchase tickets contact a City of Charlevoix firefighter or Shari Kline at 547-8495.

Pianist to perform

On Feb. 11 at 4 p.m. the Charlevoix Congregational UCC Church will present pianist Elizabeth Humphrey, and Nancy Brammer an oboe and English horn soloist. The program will include the classical repertoire as well as contemporary works. Humphrey will be including in her program "a salute to Charles Schulz" and the Peanuts gang.

The public is invited to attend. A reception honoring the artists will take place following the concert.

Tea fundraiser

Charlevoix Girls Scout Troop 267 will host the annual tea fundraiser on Feb. 11 at St. Mary's

Catholic Church located at 102 W. Garfield St., from 3 to 5 p.m. Tickets are \$7. Bring your favorite tea cup. For more information call Jennifer Rowe 547-6321.

Income tax preparation

The Charlevoix Senior Center, located at 06906 Norwood Road, will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings in the month of February. For more information call 547-5361.

Ducks Unlimited meeting

The Charlevoix Chapter of Ducks Unlimited will have its annual membership dinner auction at 5:30 p.m. on Feb. 22 at the Grey Gables Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. After dinner, the live auction will commence.

To reserve tickets contact Rochelle Whippo at (231) 547-3518. Early bird ticket orders must be received by Feb. 8. Your ticket(s) will be held at the door on the night of the event.

Breat cancer walk planning meeting

The Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Memorial Breast Cancer Walk's first planning meeting is 1 p.m., Feb. 9 at Frisbey, GMAC Real Estate located at 116 Antrim Street in Charlevoix.

Keep Horton Bay Wild meeting

Keep Horton Bay Wild will be meeting in Horton Bay. Those who care about Horton Bay and the Horton Creek watershed are invited to attend a "Keep Horton Bay Wild!" meeting. Topics of discussion will be the preservation of the wetlands of the wild and wonderful Horton Creek watershed and the "Hemingway Spring."

Bring your stories and maps, new and old. The meeting starts at 7 p.m., Feb. 15 at the Horton Bay Township Hall on the Boyne City/Charlevoix Road in the Village of Horton Bay. The public is invited. For more information call

237-9335 or 582-1178.

Hospital offers help for high blood pressure

Uncontrolled high blood pressure is linked with strokes, heart attacks, kidney damage and vision loss.

Like many people, you may not know you have high blood pressure. If you have high blood pressure: Always take your medication, as prescribed, keep your blood pressure under 140/90, have your blood pressure checked frequently by your physician, and keep those check-up appointments.

If you have diabetes: Always take your medication, as prescribed, keep your blood pressure under 130/80, have your blood pressure checked at least two times a year, or more if abnormal, and keep those check-up appointments.

For more information, call Charlevoix Area Hospital's Peggy Spang, RN, CDE at (231) 547-8571.

Visitors from Chicago brought a lot to area



Marilyn Boss

'Days gone by'

Charlevoix's history is rich in the stories of how our culture began.

When John Dixon, our first citizen, found the area in 1856, he claimed title to a lot of property on the north side of the river. Twenty-four years later, a group of wealthy Chicago parties, who were members of the large First Congregational Church of Chicago, came on a fishing trip through the north. They checked out Mackinaw, Petoskey and Charlevoix areas, looking for a place to establish a resort.

They ended up purchasing 40 acres from John S. Dixon, which was first named The Chicago Summer Resort Association, and was later changed to the Chicago Club.

Charlevoix had never been much of a lumbering town, and this was the second resort to be established, after the Belvedere, which was begun a couple years earlier. John Dixon first built a log cabin in the vicinity of what is now 200 Mercer. In 1873, he built a beautiful, big farmhouse with a windmill in the side yard, which is now the private residence of Dr. and Mrs. James Gels.

Due to the abundance of water, and the cool, breezy weather, the area was a Mecca from the start for the well to do. They came here to relax and play away from the heat of the city. These people and their offspring have always had a love in their heart for Charlevoix, and have generously given of their time, talent and resources to make this town a finer community for all of us.

It so happens that we live in a

monkey see monkey do world, and down through the years, the example of the two resorts has rubbed off on the local citizens, and has influenced our ideas of making Charlevoix beautiful.

Michigan and Dixon Avenue have also been very much a part of our rich heritage.

Dale remembers as a boy, going with one of the drivers to deliver ice cream to the kitchen of the Chicago Club House. There was a very nice Swedish lady, named Tina, who talked in broken English. She would always give him a piece of cake or a cookie. He remembers that when a call would come in for a delivery of ice cream or butter, that the single guys would always say they would take it, as they had a lot of pretty girls working there.

Dale recalls many an early morning seeing Earl Babst, the owner of Domino Sugar, walking with his umbrella as a cane, wearing a full three piece suit, a top hat and his glasses hanging by a chain. He would be taking his morning walk, and presented very dapper, dignified personage.

According to my cousin, Cynthia Garland, who lived in the caretakers house as a child, with her parents, Frank and Ruth Ann Curtis, he would stop every morning on his walk, and would even talk with the Curtis family dog.

In 1944, he wrote a book entitled "Charlevoix Vacation Glimpses," and in 1962, he re-published the book. Mr. Babst was a very kind and gentle man. He owned a green 1939 Dodge four door sedan. He usually hired a local teenager to chauffeur him around the community. I believe the Dodge is still on the club grounds to this day.

Another thing that sticks out in Dale's mind is when his family took their nightly ride down to watch the train come in. There was always a fully uniformed policeman, complete with nightstick and revolver, standing on the sidewalk some-

SCRAPBOOK



The Charlevoix Chicago Club at the turn of the century overlooking the lake. (Courtesy photo)

where between the lower and upper terrace drive. When you would come around the curve to go down grade, he would be standing there, a very impressive figure indeed.

According to the *Charlevoix Sentinel*, during the winter of 1880 and 1881, the wealthy Chicago parties developed their plans for the association. They had brought a landscape gardener to Charlevoix in November (to lay out and arrange their grounds.) He had apparently done his work well, because on June 4, 1881, the *Sentinel* reported "workmen are engaged in clearing the grounds, and work on the large clubhouse will start on June 6. It will be a two story building in the form of an L, and will have fronts,

60 by 100 feet with broad verandas the entire length of both wings."

These verandas encircled the house and entire frontage, and the comfort the happy resorters derived from sitting in the huge armchairs on a cool summer evening must have been a most enjoyable respite from the heat of the day.

A tower on the crest of the clubhouse offered a breathtaking view down Pine Lake (now Lake Charlevoix,) a view of Round Lake and the town, and beyond Lake Michigan. At that time, the north side was pretty void of trees, and the views were excellent both from town and the club.

I understand that the club members still carry on a tradition that

has been in place since the very beginning; having a hymn sing every Sunday night.

They used to have sailboat races on summer afternoons, with the whole fleet of six-meter yachts, about 15 sloops in all, participating.

Although the Chicago Club was founded by Chicagoans, its membership now lives all over the United States.

There have been new homes added through the years, and the club flourishes today.

It has been a good neighbor to Charlevoix, and we are grateful for the resort community we have become today, through the early influence of the two clubs.



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MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday, of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St.

Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln. Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall, Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church, 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 to 4:15 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31.)

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street is open 1 to 4 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6 to 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility, East Jordan.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the grange hall.

Charlevoix Senior Center will assist with Income Tax preparation from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. All people with food problems welcome. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-

State funding may be lower for city this year

FUNDING

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In lieu of \$6.9 million being allocated to capital projects, a loss of funding in the city's \$14.25 million budget appears to be a harsh prospect. However, Brandi said

that project funding has already been set aside or in many cases is provided for through grants.

Where the loss will be felt is in the general budget, or what Brandi referred to as the reserve. It is from this fund that services like police and fire are provided for. Because the general fund pays for

these services, taxpayers do not.

Brandi added the general fund is the main fund the city works out of and a loss in state funding may make it difficult for the fund to break even.

One place where state funding and population statistics converge is in what amount the city gets

back from the gas tax.

This gas tax revenue is used to power the street fund. So, along with the general fund, the street fund may also see a loss.

Brandi added that a loss affects how much the city has to subsidize.

He also noted the health of the

economy over the past year. He said that state revenue sharing from the sales tax is up, so we will see an increase in return from the sales tax possibly offsetting the loss.

If the sales tax revenue were flat, Charlevoix would lose six percent.

Castle Farms sold for an undisclosed amount

CASTLE

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Mueller bought the property at the foreclosure sale, so as not to lose it to someone else. Mortgage lender Fred Taylor had called for the foreclosure sale to collect on a debt allegedly owed to him by the late Art Reibel and he was the only other individual who entered a bid at the time of the foreclosure sale.

Taylor submitted the figure of \$178,071 based on the amount he claimed was owed to him by the trust. According to Taylor's claim, Reibel owed his company, F.B.T. Enterprises, \$85,000 for the mortgage and interest which has since accrued and other outstanding loans.

Ernest Essad of Grand Rapids who was representing the trust during litigation with Taylor said that the case Taylor submitted against the trust has since been settled, but

that the terms of the settlement are confidential.

The Jan. 4 closing eliminates the six month redemption and has finalized Mueller's acquisition.

A statement submitted on behalf of Mueller states, "Mrs. Mueller plans to take a phased approach to rehabilitating the Castle Farms buildings. This year's work will likely be focused on evaluation, planning and some basic structural repairs. Mrs. Mueller's primary goal is to preserve the beauty of this unique property. Specific plans for the use of the property have not been made."

As the dust settles after a lengthy, uncertain battle, Reibel said she saw the final outcome as a "win-win" for the parties involved.

"I'll be in Charlevoix for a month or so this summer and I'll catch up and see what they are going to do. I feel really good, my family does too. I think we are all focused on moving forward and not looking back," Reibel said.



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Birthday jump



Charlevoix resident Sally Bales and her son, Geoff Nelson, went sky diving in California for their birthdays.

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In-town debate

Charlevoix residents are upset over the city ordinance allowing snowmobiles to operate on certain routes in town and to ride through town to get to a trail. Some say the ordinance is too confusing, so we are rerunning the route map.

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Winter warriors



The Charlevoix ski team is making some great first place finishes at area meets.

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Searchers find four alive in wreckage

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Fifteen hours... That is how long three children and their mother huddled together in the wreckage of their airplane's fuselage as freezing rain and snow pelted Beaver Island Thursday and Friday.

"I think all of us have really had a part in a miracle," said Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater of finding this family alive. "This family really should not have survived this accident."

Mirth Gault, 43, and her children, Adam, 13, Emma, 9, and Alec, 5, all of Chicago, were found around 10:30 a.m. last Friday by Island Airways Pilot Paul Welke — who was searching the area on a hunch — after the twin engine turboprop plane the family was on disappeared around 7:30 p.m. last Thursday on approach to Beaver Island Airport.

According to reports, Welke was flying over the heavily wooded area about two miles from the runway of the airport, when he saw Mirth waving a yellow life-vest. A United States Coast Guard helicopter later airlifted the mother and her three children to the Charlevoix Municipal Airport where they were then transported by ambulance to Charlevoix Area Hospital and treated for their injuries.

Most members of the family were just wet and cold with minor scrapes and bruises, but Emma had suffered a fractured pelvis in the accident. She was still in the hospital as of Monday night, but was expected to be discharged soon.

The pilot and co-pilot of the plane died in the accident. The pilot was Curtis Logan, 51, of Little Falls, Minn. and the co-pilot was Steve Erhart, 23, of Elgin, Ill.

Lasater added, "The family of the pilots can be satisfied that they delivered their passengers safely, even though they died in the process."

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(Above) Mirth Gault comforts Emma Gault, 9, with a kiss on the hand following a press conference Sunday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. The mother and daughter, along with two of Mirth's sons, survived the crash of the airplane they were passengers on last Thursday night. They then spent 15 hours in the freezing rain on Beaver Island while waiting for rescue. (Left) A United States Coast Guard helicopter out of Traverse City arrives at the Charlevoix Municipal Airport Friday morning with the four members of the Gault family. The family was immediately taken by ambulance to the hospital for treatment. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Brandon Lee Forsythe, 19, South Lyon. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$100 in fines and costs.

Crystal Marie Sweet, 19, Charlevoix. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Nathan Grant Helzer, 20, Memphis. Attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer; and minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Nine months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 79 days held in abeyance; \$1,100 in fines and costs.

Kenneth Dwight Thornton Jr., 30, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 42 days held in abeyance; \$920 in fines and costs.

Roy Lee McBee, 78, Boyne Falls. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; three days in jail, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail; \$765 in fines and costs.

Travis John Russell, 23, Boyne City. Possession of a controlled substance-marijuana. One year probation; 365 days in jail, serve 30

days, 335 days held in abeyance; \$370 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Daniel Alan Johnson, 31, Harbor Springs. Delivery and manufacturing of a controlled substance-marijuana. Two years probation; license suspended for one year, eligible for restricted license after 60 days; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; six months in jail with credit for two months, serve one month; \$560 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

R & P Enterprises, 3788 Lake 26 Road, Charlevoix, by Justin Russell Baker's Building Co., 794 Fine-out Road, Boyne City, by Clifford Baker Jr.

Castco Products, 8888 Ance Road, Charlevoix, by John Gordon Reed Tool, 3642 US-131 South, Boyne Falls, by Mark A. Reed "In Good Company," 05378 Carson Road, East Jordan, by Christine A. Knight

Michelle's Billing Service, 03379 Fulsome Street, Charlevoix, by Michelle Lutz

The Kitchen Helper, 523 South East Street, Boyne City, by James Bashaw and Robin Bashaw

Big Girl Enterprises, 00221 Warner Road, Charlevoix, by Lisa Nicola and Mary Ann Hodack Dive Friendly, 6727 Woods

Creek Drive, Charlevoix, by Murray S. Kilgour

Bluewater Marine Services, 05928 M-66 Highway, Charlevoix, by Larry C. Nunemaker

C/R Construction, 05050 Crosier Road, East Jordan, by Charles Knef Big Rock 8 Lotto Club, 2036 Burns Street 1, Charlevoix, by Joe Otmanowski, Jim Bowman, Doreen Burns and Stephen LaJoie

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Walter Carl Moblo Jr., 24, Charlevoix and Lora Renee Williams, 26, Charlevoix

James Robert Kissinger II, 52, Boyne City and Terri Lee Weaver, 44, Coopersville

Divorces

The following people have been granted judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Carmen Kleaver vs. Kevin Kleaver

Lori Crain vs. Mickey Crain Doris Kowalske vs. Mark Kowalske

Rhonda Kraemer vs. Timothy Kraemer

Cora Westbrook vs. Leslie Westbrook

Robin Dawn McKenna vs. Thomas McKenna

Susan Taylor vs. Kim Hunter



Cold work

Workers braved cold weather last week constructing the roof of the new Oleson's Market expansion. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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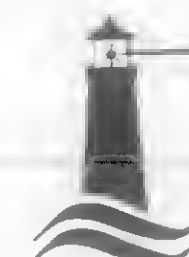


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Mother, son celebrate birthdays with a jump

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

As she stood calmly by the open plane door, jump master Mike Kindsvater called to Charlevoix resident Sally Bales. "One...rock forward."

"Two...rock back," he continued.

"Three...jump."

Bales felt the force of the wind against her cheeks and her stomach turn as she twirled through the sky over Perris, Calif. Jan. 29.

She saw the world from 12,500 feet up, the coveted birds-eye view. With her arms spread out like wings and her legs stretched out behind her she hung, suspended in the air and awed at the immensity of the ocean to her left, the beauty of two lakes surrounded by mountains and the fluid hills of the valley below.

She was entranced.

At 5,000 feet the instructor pointed to the altimeter on Sally's wrist — it was time to pull the rip cord. The parachute ballooned out behind them and the pair floated slowly to the ground.

"It was just like my dream where I was standing on a mountain looking down and I flew. It felt wonderful to soar," Sally said.

Sally completed the eight minute descent she had been waiting to experience for over 30 years.

She and her son, Geoff Nelson of Studio City, Calif., are celebrating big birthdays this year; Sally is 70 today and Geoff will be 40. The duo thought a mother/son skydiving excursion would be the perfect way to celebrate life.

Geoff, a 1979 graduate of Charlevoix High School, is a director in California who worked on the creative end of things in the opening credits for the television program Home Improvement. He also directed approximately six episodes of the show.

Sally graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1949, and retired from DME Company in 1995.

She is currently living in Charlevoix with her husband Mike who retired from Southdown in the summer of 2000.

"I wasn't afraid. When I visited the Grand Canyon I walked to the edge but I was always cautious. I'm not a daredevil. When I first drove a jet ski I only went 10 miles per hour until I got comfortable," Sally said.

"I'm not sure why I wasn't afraid."



(Above) Charlevoix resident Sally Bales smiles for the camera during her birthday jump in California. (Left) It's Like mother, like son as Geoff Nelson also takes a birthday plunge through the clouds over California. (Courtesy photos)

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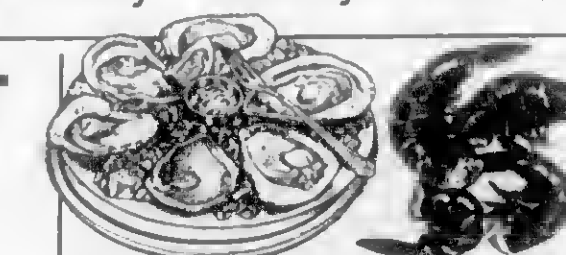
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OPINIONS

It's time to relook at snowmobiles in city

Maybe it is time to ban snowmobiles outright from the city of Charlevoix, unless they are on a trailer.

The current ordinance restricting snowmobiles to certain areas of the city, is too confusing, too hard to enforce and is being abused by some. This has forced an upset group of residents to go before the Charlevoix City Council and demand something be done.

Snowmobilers are trespassing on their land, riding through town at all times of the day and night, riding through town recklessly and failing to stay on the designated routes.

And the whole purpose of this ordinance — to bring money to the downtown area during the slow winter — seems to have failed. In the last few weeks, plenty of snowmobiles could be seen and heard riding through various parts of town during various times of the day, but none of these machines were seen parked downtown, with their riders spending their money in local shops.

However, council seems to want to give the ordinance more time. One of their suggestions when faced with these demands from residents was, "Have the local newspaper rerun the snowmobile map."

The map has already been published once this winter in the Charlevoix Courier and is running again this week with a story. But, this will probably not help the problem. We can publish this map over and over again — taking up

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valuable news space in the process — and the problems outlined by the residents will not go away.

Now to be fair, not all snowmobilers are bad. Some are very cautious when in town and pay attention to the law, especially those who take part in the yearly Charlevoix Snowmobile Club's Snowmobile Ride-In.

These people should still be allowed to have their ride-in. The way to do that is by giving them a special use permit for the day of the event.

The law has been abused or broken far too many times this year by the bad apples.

Residents have a right to be upset. They have to deal with loud annoying machines speeding by their homes late at night, trespassing riders who tear up their front lawns and the possibility they could get hit by a speeding snowmobile while outside.

And for what, so the merchants can make a little money off the snowmobilers? From the looks of things lately, it seems this is not happening. It only looks like the residents are being used by snowmobilers looking for an easy route to the trails around Charlevoix.

A wise man once said, "When something is broken, the best thing to do is fix it right away. If you leave it alone, it could only cause more problems down the road."

That goes for broken ordinances too.

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Think about the changes separate from the progress



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

A book titled "The Gardener's Year" seems to have drifted away from my library, but I remember enough of it for it to be useful. The book contained a month by month set of prescriptions for what a gardener must do each year.

Note that it was not titled "The Gardener's 2000" or "The Gardener's 2001." What the book celebrated was the notion of circular or cyclic time: the notion that what has been, will be again, and that progress, as we usually define it, is something of an illusion.

For most of human history and prehistory, cyclic time was the only idea about time that anyone had. But then somewhere along the way we pretty much adopted the idea that "Time Marches On," to quote the old newsreel introduction from the 1940s and 50s.

Some historians suggest that

when we adopted a calendar with each year having a different number, we began to look at time differently. Certainly in the United States we have wholeheartedly taken up the notion that progress is inevitable and that we will not pass this way again. In our country's history we have moved from east to west, coast to coast, with the assurance that if we despoiled the place we were, there was another untouched place just over the horizon, and progress demanded that we leave where we were and go to the next new place.

Many of us still hold firmly to the idea that what is past is past and that we must move on into a mostly unknowable future. We should be aware that the idea of progressive time, linear time, is very new in human history and that it is potentially destructive of where and when we are.

It is still possible to look at time's passage as a set of cycles; yearly change; life, death and renewal; the great turning mill of the heavens. We are reminded each year by the arrival of the seed and plant catalogs that the garden has to be tended as it was last year if it is to come to anything.

Back in the 1960s when people were trying out all sorts of old and

new ideas to see how they worked, Sonny and Cher sang a song about progress every week on our television. The line I remember best went, "They've paved paradise and put up a parking lot."

"They" is of course us, not someone else in some other place.

Everyone in the modern world is pretty much surrounded by example. Change with time is of course necessary; last year's garden is not exactly like this year's. Change and progress are however two different things; different in kind, not just in amount. The seed catalogs and pointers about how the garden must be managed can serve to remind us that for almost all of human history, the notion of linear, irreversible progress was unthinkable and that paradise was wherever we lived.

Paradise is still where we live and we should think long and hard about what changes are necessary and which ones are merely progress that may leave us outside the gates.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Letter response

Editor:

I am a member of the disgraceful Cocktail Party. I am amazed that the lady from East Jordan singled out last year's float as the disgusting one. I feel our Mermaid Float was much more tasteless or our Venetian Blondes Float, where I was Madonna Pregnant, and many others were just as tacky, but no letters from the East Jordan quality control were written then.

My best guess is that this lady from East Jordan may not be a member of our target audience. We are not trying to offend children or send them a bad message, just the

opposite. We are trying to make them laugh along with the rest of the parade-goers, to get into the spirit of the biggest and the most entertaining festival in Charlevoix of the year. I see a lot more people laughing as we go by than turning away in disgust.

I would estimate 6,000 smiles and six people who didn't get it.

I have been out of school for a while, but I'm pretty sure there is still something in the Constitution that grants us the right to freedom of speech and self-expression. Nothing upsets me quite as much as people trying to force their opinions on everyone else. I feel every year

we lose a little more ground to the close-minded who try to make everyone act the way they want to.

Our float was just a spoof on politics. It was clearly written on the sides of the float as the Third Political Party (The Cocktail Party.)

It takes a lot of effort to create our float and we have a blast doing it.

I guess we may have to make up some basic flyers explaining our creations for our confused viewers in the future.

Mike Eickhoff
Charlevoix

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We love second home owners

Editor:

We are responding to your headline on the front page, "Second homes may hurt city," written by Julie Musilek. Being new to Charlevoix, you don't understand the workings of our town, and we would like to clarify some of the ideas which were put forth in the article.

First of all, we heartily welcome every second home owner who has chosen to live here. Each one is important to the well-being of our town, and we are very grateful that they have decided to invest their money and hearts in Charlevoix.

They are great neighbors, are very interested in the quality, not quantity of life here, and have always been ready to help us in improving every facet of this town. A good example would be the C and O Club, which used to be an abandoned railroad track, with weeds neck-high growing on every inch. Now, we have many lovely homes with values in excess of one million dollars each. If just one of them were on the tax role, for \$300,000 at the current rate of 12.15 mills, that one house alone would pay tax to the city of Charlevoix in the amount of \$3,645 per year. Also they would pay 18 mills additional to the Charlevoix Public Schools, or \$5,400, which a local homesteader would not have to pay. To top it all, it is a private street, which the city doesn't have to plow or maintain. Remember, this is not the total of the tax on their house, it is only a portion of what they pay. Now, if this isn't a windfall for the community, we would like to know what is.

We do not have to consider government money based on population figures, as we have been losing population within the city for the last 40 years! In 1960, the city peaked out at approximately 3,700 people, and in 1990, we were down to just over 3,200. There is not even any sense in bringing up this matter for the pocket change we would get from a head count. The valley in Charlevoix has been, and is, being bought up for second homes. These people don't just buy them, but most of them spend thousands fixing them up, thus increasing the tax role. What other town could be so lucky?

During the middle sixties, there was no change on the north side, where many local townies were able to purchase some of the big summer homes on Michigan and Dixon Avenues. Now, history is repeating itself, and the locals are selling out, and the second home buyers are taking over again, and are fixing up the homes, which are beautiful. This has made the economics of Charlevoix and the taxable base great for the city. Who would ever dream that a little place like Charlevoix could have a budget in excess of \$14 million this year to make things more beautiful yet.

We all owe our gratitude to our new friends and neighbors who have chosen to invest their expertise in contributing what they have learned in their life endeavors, to our clubs, churches, hospital and every other part of our town as they have become an important part of our community. If we all stop and look around us, and see what a beautiful place we have become over the last 20 years, without gaining any population, we are grateful for you. We still have room for more! Thank you second home owners!

Dale and Marilyn Boss
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

I wish to express my heartfelt congratulations and compliments to the Charlevoix area blood donors and Red Cross volunteers for the great success of the recent bloodmobile. Our community American Red Cross blood drive was held on January 18 at the Reformed Church in Charlevoix.

Oh, my! What a turnout! My deepest gratitude to the 153 men and women who dedicated a portion of their day to wait for their turn to give the gift of life. The Red Cross left Charlevoix that night with 125 transfusable units of blood for the sick and injured! Magnificent!

Thank you to everyone who supported this blood drive throughout our town. What a marvelous difference each and every one of you made!

Please mark your calendars for the next Charlevoix community blood drive to be held on May 31, 2001 at the Reformed Church. Another opportunity to save lives! Thank you.

Ellen Schuling
Charlevoix Coordinator

Thank you

Editor:

On behalf of the less fortunate and needy families and individuals of our area, we, at the Salvation Army want to thank everyone who gave so much to make the holidays a much happier occasion. Thank you to all the churches, businesses, schools, service organizations and individuals for the many toys, food items and monetary gifts you so graciously donated.

Thank you also to the many volunteers who assisted with the gift shop, dinners, packing food baskets and organizing the programs to

make everything run smoothly. We were truly blessed with many gifts of time, items and other contributions.

A special thanks to everyone who rang bells and to all the businesses who allowed a kettle stand at their location.

We truly appreciate the generosity of so many which will assist the impoverished not only at Christmas but all through the year.

We wish each and every one a blessed and prosperous New Year.

Captains William and Barb Everling and staff of the Salvation Army Potoskey

Don't tear down middle school

Editor:

I am a Charlevoix Middle School student and I'm in the sixth grade. I am writing you this letter to persuade the people of Charlevoix not to tear down the

middle school. I think the middle school should be reused and not torn down.

My first reason is that the school is historical. For example our parents and grandparents went to this school. Also, we've gotten our education here. My second reason is we've had great memories here. For instance we've hung out with our friends. Another thing is we've had or gone to basketball games. Also, we've had great teachers!

My third and most important reason is we could turn the school into something else. Such as a new and bigger public library. Another thing we could turn it into is a child daycare center. Also, you could turn it into a senior center. So that's why I think we shouldn't tear down the middle school and we should reuse it.

Kali Crain
Sixth Grade
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The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present with the exception of Council member Bill Bellows.

A Certificate of Appreciation was awarded to Bernie DeVries for service on the Planning Commission.

A DNR Lease for Michigan Beach Property was introduced.

Professional services selected for various City projects and the Matchinski Electric Construction Contract approved unanimously.

Council set a public hearing date of February 19th, 7:00 p.m. to adopt the Ordinance for 2001-2002 City Budget, an Ordinance for miscellaneous amendments to the City Code and the Budget Appropriation Act. An Amendment to 2000-2001 City Budget. Copies of these proposed Ordinances are available at City Hall.

Adoption of Resolutions for the MDOT Annual Permit, Freedom of Information Act Policy and FOIA Rate Schedule approved unanimously.

Shirley Gibson and Don Seelye voiced their concerns for safety and public peace endangered by some careless snowmobilers.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk
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Wedding

Coolman - Haas

Stephanie Marie Haas and Brian Paul Coolman, both of Chicago, Ill., were married Sept. 9 at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church in front of 150 guests.

Stephanie is the daughter of Janice Haas of Clarendon Hills, Ill. and Mike and Catherine Haas of Crown Point, Ill.

Brian is the son of John and Diane Coolman of Charlevoix.

The Rev. Larry Groeters performed the double ring rites. Music was provided by Maria Webb, vocalist.

The bride wore a white strapless silk satin A-line dress and a white veil with satin piping, as well as a crystal and pearl tiara. She carried a round bouquet, with Eskimo roses, white spray roses, white sweetheart roses and accented with pinks and greens.

The maid of honor was Allison B. Haas, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Christy McKenty, Edith Pair, Heidi Yergler, Whitney Schmidt and Sarah Lewis.

They wore lilac silk satin long dresses with scoop necks and sheath shawls.

The flower girl was Elisabeth Auffant, a cousin of the groom.

The best man was Russell J. Coolman, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Sam Bingham, Scott Suetet, Kelley Shaw, Brad Stoller and Brad Wolf.

Ushers were David Fitchett, Monty McKenty, and Donny Sanders.

A reception was given at the



Charlevoix Country Club by the bride and groom and their parents.

After the wedding, the couple spent one week in Maui, Hawaii. They made Chicago, Ill. their home

after marriage.

Stephanie is the director of Lincoln Park Prep School and Brian is the senior marketing coordinator at Crain's Chicago Business.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

GVSU dean's list

Elizabeth Grunch, of Charlevoix, was named to the dean's list at Grand Valley State University recently. Grunch, who is student teaching physical education in Charlevoix, had a grade point average of 3.875.

Kalamazoo College dean's list

Nicholas Kessler, a 1999 Charlevoix High School graduate, was named to the dean's list at Kalamazoo College recently. He also recently received an internship at the Strasberg School in New York, where he is studying directing, acting and dance.

LSSU dean's list

Several students from Charlevoix were recently named to the dean's list at Lake Superior State University. To make the dean's list, students must achieve a 3.5 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. They are:

- Levi Daniel Bakker, a sophomore with a major in computer and mathematical sciences.
- Sara Ann Firmah, a junior with a major in criminal justice.
- Lisa Lynn Parrish, a senior with a major in social studies.
- Christopher Todd Romig, a sophomore with a major in mechanical engineering.

Grand Rapids Community College dean's list

Mary Jane Grunch, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the dean's list at Grand Rapids Community College. Grunch, who is studying to be a special education teacher, had a grade point average of 3.57.

NMC dean's list

Marin Dunham, Pamela Schroeder and Jessica Seibert, all of Charlevoix County, were named to the dean's list at Northwestern Michigan College recently. To be named to the list, a student must achieve a grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale.

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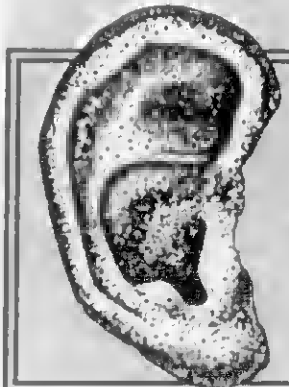
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Obituaries

Luke Thomas Pace: Jan. 28, 1989 - Jan. 6, 2001

Luke Thomas Pace, 11, of Charlevoix, died Jan. 6, 2001 in an automobile accident.

A memorial service for him will be given at 2 p.m. March 3 at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Charlevoix. The Northwest Academy Jazz Band will play music and food will be provided by Knops Delicatessen in Charlevoix.

Luke was born on Jan. 28, 1989, in Charlevoix to Paula and Tom Pace of Charlevoix.

He was a student at Northwest Academy in Charlevoix, where he played the trumpet in the school

band. He also taught himself how to play the tenor sax and French horn. Luke, known as a comedian himself, loved comedy. His favorite comedian was Dana Carvey.

Luke loved to be outside. He liked to ride horses, snowboard, ski-board and ski. He was known as a boy who would always try new things.

He is survived by his mother and father; his brothers, Willi, Jacob and Elijah; his horses, dogs and cats; and his many friends.

Paula and Tom Pace would like to thank the community for its sup-

port and everyone who was on scene at the accident for working so hard to save the lives of the Pace children.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Northwest Academy or the Charlevoix County Humane Society.

The family is also currently making a photo album filled with memories of Luke. They are requesting anyone with photographs or memories of Luke to write them down and send them to 2420 Marion Center Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Christiana Lutz Ransom: Oct. 3, 1913 - Feb. 8, 2001

Christiana Lutz Ransom, 87, of Charlevoix, died Feb. 8, 2001 in Chicago, Ill. after a brief illness.

Funeral services will be at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix with the Rev. Philip Schairbaum officiating.

Interment will follow in the family plot at Brookside Cemetery.

Mrs. Ransom was born on Oct. 3, 1913 in Philadelphia, Pa. Her father Major Charles Lutz, USMC was an early military aviator and a winner of the Curtiss Air Trophy. Her mother was Priscilla Seelye of

Amherst, Mass.

She was married for 46 years to the late Woodbury Ransom of Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Ransom was a trustee emeritus of Warren Wilson College in Swannanoa, N.C. and Eckerd College in St. Petersburg, Fla.

She co-founded, with her husband, the CHIP Counseling Center in Charlevoix to memorialize their late son, Charles Allen "Chip" Ransom.

A life-long conservationist, she and her husband donated the 80 acres in Charlevoix County that is now known as the Charles Allen

Ransom Nature Preserve. She was the President of the Board of the Woodbury Foundation, a private charitable organization funding educational and social services.

Survivors include her children Woodbury Seelye Ransom of Lansing, Iowa, Priscilla Ransom MacDougall of Stillwater, Minn., Myron P. Boon of Swannanoa, N.C., eight grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the CHIP Counseling Center at 6777 US Highway 31, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Girl Scout fashions

The Charlevoix Girl Scout Troop 267 hosted its annual mother/daughter tea fund-raiser Feb. 11 at St. Mary's Catholic Church. A wacky fashion show was included in the program. The show featured this outfit that comes complete with a game to keep its wearer active. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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Pastor: Michael Teuscher		Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
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Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.		
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Thursday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor: James Green	547-4300		
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First Wednesday of Month	7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Alan K. Leese	237-9204
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Wednesday Service	7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael C. Smith	547-3008
Pastor: Duane Nelson	547-5711	Pastor: Harold E. Kruse	599-2321
COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD 202 W. Hurlbut		NORWOOD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Norwood	
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Wedding

Elzinga — Heeres

Carrie Lyn Heeres, of Ellsworth, and Dave Elzinga, of Grand Rapids, were married Dec. 23 at the Bell-tower Reformed Church in Atwood in front of 75 guests.

Carrie's parents are Dave and Donna Heeres of Ellsworth. Her grandparents are Ken and Arlene Staley of Charlevoix and Kenny Heeres and the late Martha Heeres of Ellsworth.

Dave's parents are Ivan and Joanne Elzinga of Grand Rapids.

Pastor Bill Johnston, of Grand Rapids, performed the ceremony. Music for the ceremony was provided by Gretchen Shooks, on the trumpet, and Irene Shooks, on the organ.

The bride wore a white sleeveless satin dress, a tiara and carried lilies and evergreens.

The maid of honor was Angela Holwerda of Grand Rapids, a friend of the bride.

The best man was Tim Elzinga of Grand Rapids, the brother of the groom. Scott Heeres of Colorado, a brother of the bride, was the usher.

A reception was given at Banks Township Hall in Ellsworth by friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

The couple took a wedding trip to the Perry Hotel and then the Indian Head Ski Resort in the Upper Peninsula.



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We were thrilled to receive \$3,000 from the Charlevoix Area Garden Club! The Charlevoix Area Garden Club is comprised of many community members that work hard to raise money for the beautification of Charlevoix. Thank you very much!

Then, Keep Charlevoix Beautiful, Inc. received our 2nd of 7 \$3,000 pledges from Charlevoix Convention and Visitors Bureau! We were, once again, delighted and thrilled with the CVB's support!

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Mother, children survive against all odds

CRASH

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Also on the plane were the family's pet parrot and dog. The parrot was found alive in the wreckage of the plane, but the dog died in the accident.

The Gaults plane took off from Midway Airport in Chicago around 5 p.m. Thursday, destined for Beaver Island. According to Mirth — who said she has always been nervous about flying — the weather was very foggy and turbulent throughout the flight.

They are seasonal residents of the island. When the plane arrived in Beaver Island airspace, Mirth's husband, Bob Gault, watched from the airport as the plane passed over around 7:30 p.m. However, it did not return.

The authorities were notified and a Coast Guard helicopter from Traverse City and the Coast Guard boat Acacia from Charlevoix were on scene searching for the plane in the water.

According to Emma Gault, the accident happened suddenly. She said the plane was bouncing around, its lights went out and then it flipped.

Once the plane was on the ground, Mirth said her son Adam used a pocket knife — that she had told him earlier that he could not bring — to cut Emma out of her seat. He then threw her over his back and the family got out of the wreckage.

Soon after, Mirth said she heard a helicopter fly overhead.

"It was just surreal," she said. Emma added, "It was cold and scary. We did not know if we

would die or survive."

Mirth attributes her family's survival to her children. Because Emma did not have a coat, Mirth gave her daughter her coat. Her son, Alec, laid next to his mother throughout the night, keeping the both of them warm.

All the while, the oldest son, Adam, kept assuring his mother that help would be coming soon. "They (her children) did not cry. I am the proudest mother," Mirth said.

The search was discontinued that night due to weather, but was started the next day as soon as it was light out. The search party included a sheriff's deputy on Beaver Island, the Beaver Island fire department, the island emergency medical service and many Beaver Island residents on snowmobiles, along with three Coast Guard ships who were searching the water surrounding the island.

Also in on the search were three Coast Guard helicopters from Traverse City and a C-130 Canadian plane out of Trenton, Ontario. However, rescuers from the mainland were forced to wait due to the poor weather that day, leaving the Beaver Island volunteers to themselves, Lasater said.

"We had no way of getting resources to them. They just reacted and in a very professional manner. They saddled up and just did it on their own. The Islanders deserve a tremendous amount of credit," Lasater said.

Mirth said, "Beaver Island is an amazing place. They are delightful people."

She further thanked all the volunteers that searched for her and her children and the many people who have offered their help.

"I am just amazed that people

would pray for us and care," she said.

Mirth was especially grateful to Welke.

"I don't think the Coast Guard was able to go out and Paul (Welke) went out anyway," she said. "I think that is what they (Beaver Island people) are like."

Once the family was found, they were all airlifted onto a Coast Guard helicopter and taken to the mainland immediately. However, this left Bob Gault still on the island, forced to wait for a break in the weather that would enable him to fly to the mainland to see his family.

"Imagine what he went through and then he couldn't get off the island," Lasater said. The father was eventually reunited with his family about 20 hours after their disappearance.

Lasater added he visited the hospital on Saturday and saw the family together.

"You could not have wiped the smile off his (Bob Gault's) face. He was so happy," Lasater said. "They are such a close family that they just rose to the occasion and the Beaver Islanders rose to the occasion."

Lasater added, after the crash Mirth did everything that a person should do in that type of situation. "She did everything she should



The wreckage of the airplane the Gaults were passengers on lies twisted in the woods on Beaver Island. (Photo by Richard Gillespie)

have done as if she attended a rescue course. I think most of it was mother's intuition," he said.

The investigation of the accident has been turned over to the National Transportation and Safe-

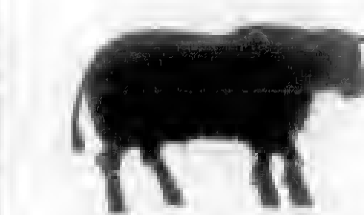
ty Board. According to Lasater, there have been two other airplane crashes on Beaver Island in the last 10 years. There were no survivors in those accidents.

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Coast Guard gives tips on ice safety

The United States Coast Guard Station in Charlevoix is offering some tips on ice safety this winter.

Preparations before going onto the ice:

- Ensure that your clothing and footwear is appropriate for the weather conditions you are going out into. Always keep in mind the possibility of being stranded.
- Be sure to notify family, friends or neighbors of your destination and when you plan to return. If you are reported missing, this information will assist the Coast Guard in searching for you.

- Carry a cell phone, two-way radio or some other means of communication in the event you should run into trouble. Construct a survival kit to include flares and at least 30 feet of rope thick enough to support the weight of a person.

- If you plan to travel across the ice by foot, 4-wheeler or snowmobile, it is recommended that you wear a life vest and carry a pair of ice picks. The ice picks aid in pulling you back onto solid ice.

- It is a good idea to utilize the buddy system. Having someone else with you increases your chances of survival if you should get into trouble while out on the ice.

What to do if a companion falls through the ice:

- Don't panic. Keep a safe distance away and take whatever action you can, without leaving the person, to get professional help. Yell, or call 911 on your cell phone.

- Do not approach the hole and attempt to help the person. You may fall through and become a victim, as well. Instead use some item on shore to throw or extend to the victim (here's where the rope in a survival kit becomes handy) to pull them out of the water. If a rope is not readily available, you can use anything else that will allow the person to hold on as you assist them out of the water.

- Even if the victim seems fine after they are rescued, seek medical assistance immediately.

What if you fall in:

- Don't panic. Remain calm and turn toward the direction you fell in from. Then, try to push your body against the solid ice still in front of you by kicking your feet. If the ice in front of you breaks, repeat this method until you reach ice that will support your weight. Once you are lying on the ice, do not stand. It is imperative that you roll or crawl away from the hole. This approach distributes your weight over a larger area and decreases your chances of breaking through again.

- Once you are free from danger, try to get dry and warm and seek medical attention as soon as possible.

These are just some basic guidelines for ice safety. Before departing for a day of ice fishing, or other winter sport that would require you to go on the ice, check the local ice conditions.

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Charlevoix Township will conduct a public information meeting to discuss the need for sanitary sewers in the Pine Point Subdivision and Raspberry Lane area. The meeting will be held at 1:00 p.m. on March 10, 2001 at the Charlevoix Township Hall, 12491 Waller Road, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720.

The purpose of the meeting will be to explore the need for sanitary sewer service in the Pine Point Subdivision and Raspberry Lane area. A preliminary engineering investigation was conducted by Charlevoix Township in the spring of 2000. The findings of this investigation, including cost estimates, will be presented and residents will be given the opportunity to ask questions and express their opinions.

This is an exploratory meeting to see if support exists to initiate the process of funding and building sewers in the Pine Point Subdivision and Raspberry Lane area of the Township. We need your input to help the Township Board decide about this important matter.

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Rescue demonstration

The United States Coast Guard Charlevoix Lifestation gave a demonstration of ice-rescue techniques Monday on Lake Charlevoix. Above, the rescue team pulls a "victim" from the water. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



After a person is pulled from the icy water, they are placed in a thermal body-bag, like this one being shown by Petty Officer Jimmy Greenlee of the Charlevoix station.



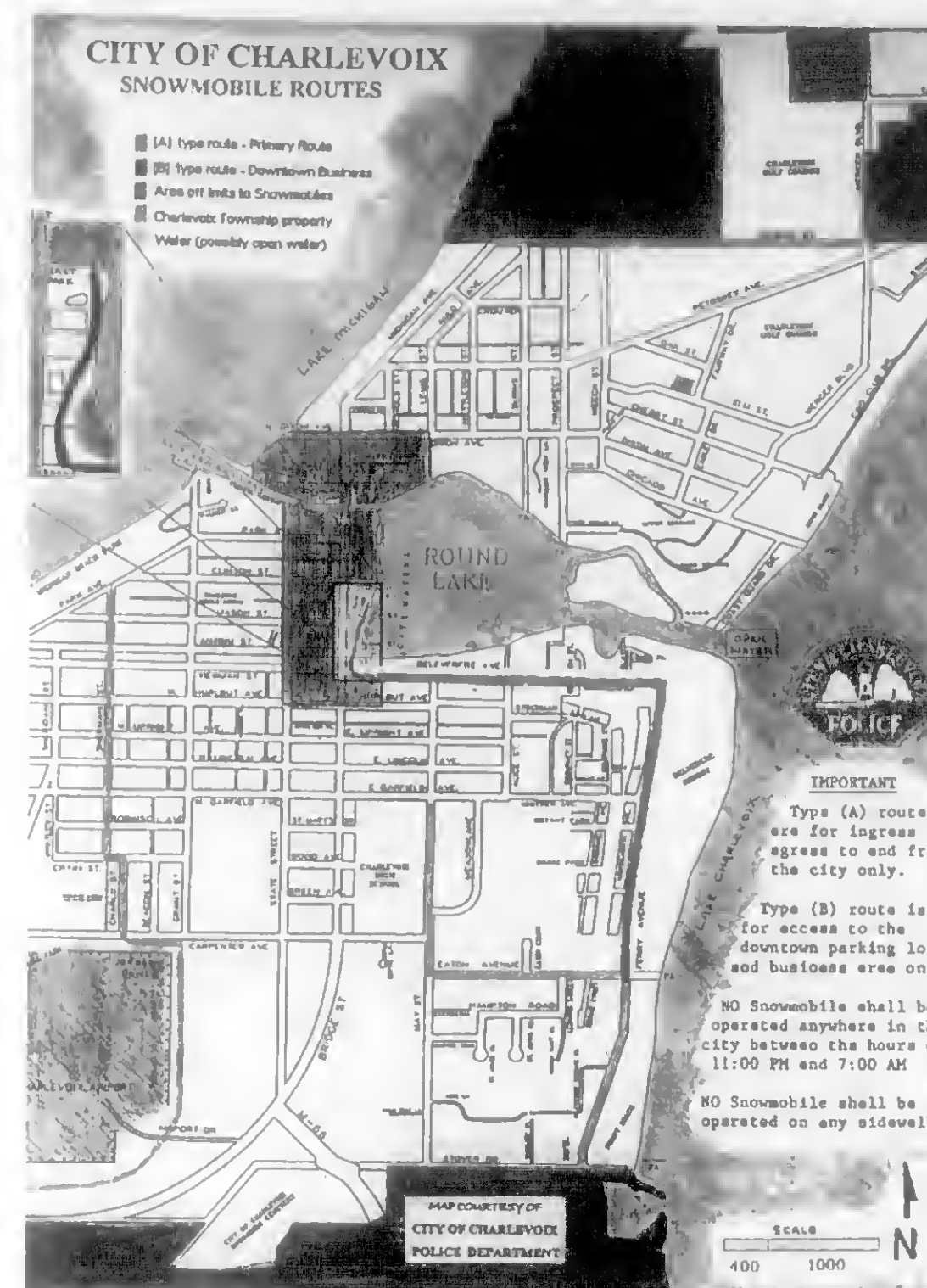
The rescuers travel by boat from the nearest launch to the scene. In this case, the nearest launch was at the station. But, to get to the person in the icy water, the rescuers must break a path for the boat.



(Right) The rescuers rush the "victim" to the shore using a sled. Once on shore, the victim will be placed in a thermal body-bag and warmed up after their icy swim. (Left) Petty Officer Jimmy Greenlee shows an ice pick he highly suggests everyone have before going on the ice. A person can use the ice pick to grip the ice as they pull themselves from the water if they fall in.



To get as close as they can to the victim, the rescuers from the Coast Guard sometime have to get out of the boat and pull it across the ice.



The blue line shows the main snowmobile route through the city of Charlevoix. (Courtesy map)

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Snowmobiles in town criticized by residents

By **JULIE MUSILEK**
Staff Writer

Charlevoix resident Shirley Gibson has been woken up repeatedly by the sound of snowmobiles racing up and down East Upright Street. She told city council that the machines are disturbing her peace and endangering residents.

State Street resident Don Seelye also came forward at the Jan. 5 council meeting and complained of city snowmobilers traveling at high rates of speed and trespassing on private property.

Complaints like those from Gibson and Seelye have led City of Charlevoix officials, residents and snowmobilers into a heated debate over the future of snowmobiles on city streets.

At the heart of the debate lies whether or not snowmobiles should be allowed to travel through town en route to a designated trail.

John Ferguson, member of the Charlevoix Snowmobile Club

Board of Directors is an advocate of allowing snow machines to be operated in city limits. He said that the club worked for seven years to get the ordinance passed and that it may be one way to generate revenue for the city during the slow winter months.

"Charlevoix is no longer a place where skiers come, so why not make it a snowmobile destination like Gaylord and Grayling," he said.

However, not everyone is enthusiastic about making Charlevoix a snowmobile destination. Many

feel that city streets are not the place for snow machines.

City police chief Dennis Halverson said that the city has received between 35 and 40 complaints so far this season, not many more than in years past. However, the department has also not issued many tickets.

Low ticket volumes as compared to numerous complaints is a reflection of the difficulty the city police has in catching the violators who Halverson said, tend to flee.

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Senior center not benefiting from millage

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By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A recent city budget session highlighted the fact that the Charlevoix Senior Center is not receiving funding from the recently passed senior millage, partly because the center wants to maintain its independence.

At the budget meeting, the Charlevoix city council questioned why the local senior center requested \$7,000 in operational funding after county voters approved a .4 mill tax increase for senior citizens in November.

"The millage money goes toward services for the people, running the center is not considered a service. Someday, maybe we could look at that but until that time the money can't be used for that (operational funding)," Charlevoix county commissioner Shirley Roloff said.

Third ward city councilman Sherm Chamberlain said that he didn't understand when he voted in favor of the senior citizen millage that the local senior center would not reap the benefits.

"It kind of grinds me that most people who went to the polls thought the millage would help the seniors and the (Charlevoix) senior center," Chamberlain said. "You see something for the seniors and want to help out, but I learned my lesson, you have to read the fine print."

The "fine print" referred to by Chamberlain was included in the ballot language.

The ballot stated, "This proposal will permit the County of Charlevoix to levy .4 mill for the purpose of providing funds for the operation of existing programs and implementation of additional programs for the Commission on Aging in the years 2000-2003, inclusive."

The issue that both the Commission on Aging and the Charlevoix Senior Center are struggling with is how they can reach a mutually agreeable understanding.

Because the Charlevoix Senior Center is not directly affiliated with the Commission on Aging, unlike the centers in Boyne City and East Jordan, it doesn't receive funding from the senior citizen millage

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Sherm Chamberlain,

City Council member upon learning the senior millage does not provide money for the senior center.

passed in November.

However, the commission has agreed to reimburse the center, \$5 for every home delivered meal they distribute with a suggested donation of \$2 from the recipient.

The center currently charges \$3 per meal and each meal costs them \$4 to prepare. Center board members said they recover the loss by sponsoring dinners and fundraisers.

However, this meal reimbursement subcontract requires an agreement between the center and the COA.

"She (Bergmann) will take over the program and reimburse us \$5 per meal if we sign a piece of paper with strings attached," vice chairman of the Charlevoix Senior Center Board Richard Tunison said.

The center believes that once

that in-home assessments of eligibility are required.

In the meantime, Bergmann said that because the center refuses to align itself with the COA they are not offering their meal clients other in-home services they are entitled to.

However, any Charlevoix County, eligible senior can contact Bergmann at 237-0103 to have their eligibility assessed and receive services accordingly. Programs offered include: in-home respite, homemaking service and personal care.

Bergmann said that the millage funds are being allocated properly and that eligible seniors across Charlevoix County are reaping the benefits of the programs.

Because the local center continues to depend on donations to fund their operational costs the Charlevoix city council voted Feb. 5 to continue providing \$7,000 to the center.

The next Charlevoix County Commission on Aging board meeting is Feb. 26.

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Space plans to be looked at by library

George Lawson, the library space
needs specialist from Ames, Iowa,
was back in town for the February
board meeting to present his draft re-
port to the board for last corrections.
His final report will be back short-
ly.

Overall, his findings state that the
library presently needs to be twice
the size that it is and to project 20
years down the road it needs to be
three times the size that it is now.

The question of expansion or a
new building will be next on the
agenda.

Parking needs to be considered in
Charlevoix, especially during the
summer. There are city requirements
regarding the amount of parking
spaces required.

The next step will be to talk to the
architects, Engberg-Anderson of Mil-
waukee, Wis. and to see how they
want to fit space needs requirements
to brick and mortar.

In this process the library will have
design examples. The public will be
invited to stop in and talk with the ar-
chitects and tell them what they
would like to see in an expanded or
new building, and if a new building,
then where they would like to see it
located.

Further information regarding
these meetings will be made widely
available as the plans are firmed up.



Cold masonry

Larry Huyck (right) and Ron Simone of Stand-
fast Masonry in Traverse City, worked through
the cold weather last week on the new extension
to Oleson's Market. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Preschool programs start recruiting area children

Northwest Michigan Human Services Head Start, Char-Em Early Educa-
tion Consortium Be Four programs, East Jordan Prep Program and the
Women's Resource Center will be having joint recruitment activities for
the Free Preschool Programs in the area.

Recruitment activities will be taking place during the months of March
and April. Children ages three and four are eligible to apply, including
children with special needs.

The basic goal of these programs is to encourage well-rounded develop-
ment. This is accomplished through teaching health, language, self-help,
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work together to meet this goal through center and home-based activities.

Those interested in applying for these preschool programs should call to
make an appointment. Charlevoix and East Jordan should call 547-1602,
Ellsworth and Central Lake call 544-3605 and all other areas call 347-
9070.

You will need to bring: Your child, his/her immunization record, social
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Ordinance to be discussed in March 5 meeting at city hall

DEBATE

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Park Avenue resident Linda Mason has experienced first hand the difficulty in catching ordinance violators.

"Before I can even get to the telephone they are gone. How can you keep them regulated?" she questioned.

In fact, the city has a no chase stipulation for its officers because of the risk involved in a squad car chasing a snowmobile.

Members of council discussed the possibility of the city police getting a snowmobile patrol unit, but Halverson doesn't see this as a viable option.

He cited manpower considerations — with one person on a snowmobile and one in a squad car the city police department may see some overtime and in

some cases may have limited ability to enforce other laws. Halverson also looked at training and maintenance issues.

Deputy Donald Stead, snowmobile patrol with the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, said that this year he has not written many tickets, but has given out about a dozen verbal warnings.

In terms of snowmobilers fleeing the scene, Stead said, "Everybody has stopped, no one has tried to run."

This reality begs the question, "Is the ordinance unenforceable?"

Halverson argues, "Enforcement with our current resources is difficult."

In response to this debate, members of city council said maybe more signs would create greater awareness among snowmobilers.

However, in Petoskey where snowmobiles are banned from

city streets, signs don't even make a difference.

Petoskey city police chief and public safety director Michael Vargo said that regardless of the measures the city of Petoskey has taken to keep snowmobiles on designated trails they still venture into town.

"We've put up signs and tried to really cover the main streets with signs, but we find tracks traveling right around the signs. People use the excuse that they need gas," he said.

So, will reversing the ordinance really prove to stop snowmobilers who are abusing the ordinance and is it worth the possible revenue and recreation loss to the city?

A meeting to discuss these questions and the fate of the ordinance is scheduled to take place in city hall at 6 p.m. March 5.

Performing arts team does not make state

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After a stellar performance in regional competition at the John Glenn school in Bay City, the Charlevoix High School performing arts team returned home with high marks.

"The kids did a marvelous job but we didn't qualify for state," Charlevoix High School performing arts director, Connie Ford said.

At the regional competition the students presented a 45 minute segment of the Wizard of Oz based on the story written by L. Frank Baum. Judges awarded senior Ben Mack's a superior acting award in his role as the Scarecrow.

Seniors Kevin Evans, Keith Patrick and Melissa McDonough playing the Tinman,

the Lion and Dorothy respectively, were all given excellent acting awards.

Jessie Murray was given an award for excellent puppet design and execution and Heather Kenyon was awarded excellent lobby display design.

Junior Bill Foster and sophomore Kyle Kramer were given excellent marks for their work with sound.

"We received a standing ovation at the end of our performance. As long as the audience enjoyed and appreciated what we did we are satisfied. That is what we are there for; we can't make it to state all the time," Ford said.

The team will now continue practicing and refining the specifics of the whole play which they will perform Feb. 24 and 25 at the Charlevoix High School.

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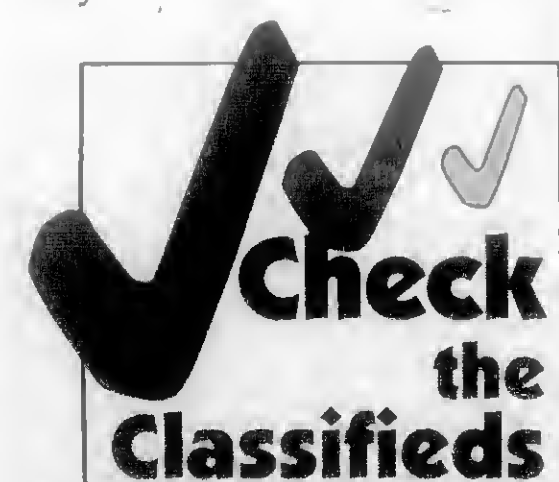
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SPORTS

Basketball team stays in first place

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

The Charlevoix Rayders extended their lead in the Lake Michigan Conference and ran their winning streak to eight by defeating conference foes Harbor Springs 88-60 and East Jordan 90-71.

Both games followed a pattern that has become familiar for the Rayders, starting slow but wearing down the opposition and finishing with a flurry.

"We played two good second halves (last week). Against Harbor in particular, I thought our intensity and focus really picked up (after halftime)," Charlevoix Coach Keith Haske noted.

The Rayders stumbled out of the blocks and trailed 19-15 at the end of the first quarter at home against Harbor Springs. The Rams extended their lead to 26-21 early in the second, but Patrick Gowell hit a jumper to cut the lead to one. Scott Parrish, the Rayders' 6 foot, 6 inch junior center, then took over scoring eight straight points giving Charlevoix the lead to stay.

The Rayders led 37-33 at the half, paced by Parrish's 17 points.

Parrish was quick out of the blocks scoring Charlevoix's first six points of the second half and at 4:35 of the third quarter, back-to-back three pointers by Jim Shepherd and Patrick Gowell bumped the lead to 51-34. The Rams got no closer than 15 the rest of the way.

Parrish had a career night with 31 points and 17 rebounds, including 11 on the offensive end. Shepherd scored 18 points, including four three-pointers and had five assists. Boss had a double-double with 10 points and 13 rebounds. Jeremiah Teuscher tallied nine points and pulled down 10 boards while point guard Gowell dished out 15 assists.

On Friday, Charlevoix traveled to East Jordan. It would prove to be largely a battle between East Jordan's big man Ken Slough and the Rayders' Twin Towers of Parrish and Boss.

Again the Rayders struggled at the start. East Jordan jumped out to a 14-6 lead with nine of their points scored by Slough. The Rayders rallied behind 10 first-quarter points by Boss, but left the floor at the first buzzer trailing 20-19. Slough had 13 in the stanza.

Slough continued to be a force for East Jordan, though, scoring their first ten points of the second quarter, as the lead seesawed back and forth. The Red Devils held a 34-32 lead before Boss grabbed an offensive board, scored on a putback and made an ensuing free throw for a three-point play to give the Rayders a 35-34 lead with 1:05 to go in the half.

Charlevoix would never trail again. There would be no quick run opening the second half to put East Jordan away as has been typical of the Rayders this year. In fact, the Red Devils closed to within two at 43-41 early in the third quarter.

Then the Rayders exploded. Parrish nailed a jumper. Teuscher hit a free throw. Shepherd buried a three-pointer. Teuscher stole a pass and fed Shepherd for a layup. Parrish made two free throws. Keith Daly grabbed an offensive rebound and scored on a putback. Following a Rafacz steal, Shepherd hit nothing but net on another three-pointer.

In that spurt, Charlevoix effectively buried East Jordan racing to a 58-41 lead with 3:30 to go in the period.

Slough didn't score again for the Red Devils until seven minutes had expired in the second half. The Rayders outscored East Jordan 33-17 during the time Slough was scoreless.

Haske said, "I was disappointed in our defense on (Slough). We did a terrible job in the first half. We talked about it at halftime and in the second half we did a better job and had a hand in his face whenever he touched the ball."

Charlevoix opened the final quarter with another spurt as its pressing defense led to five East Jordan turnovers in the first 54 seconds of play. The Rayders capitalized pulling out to a 72-49 lead, which would turn out to be their largest.

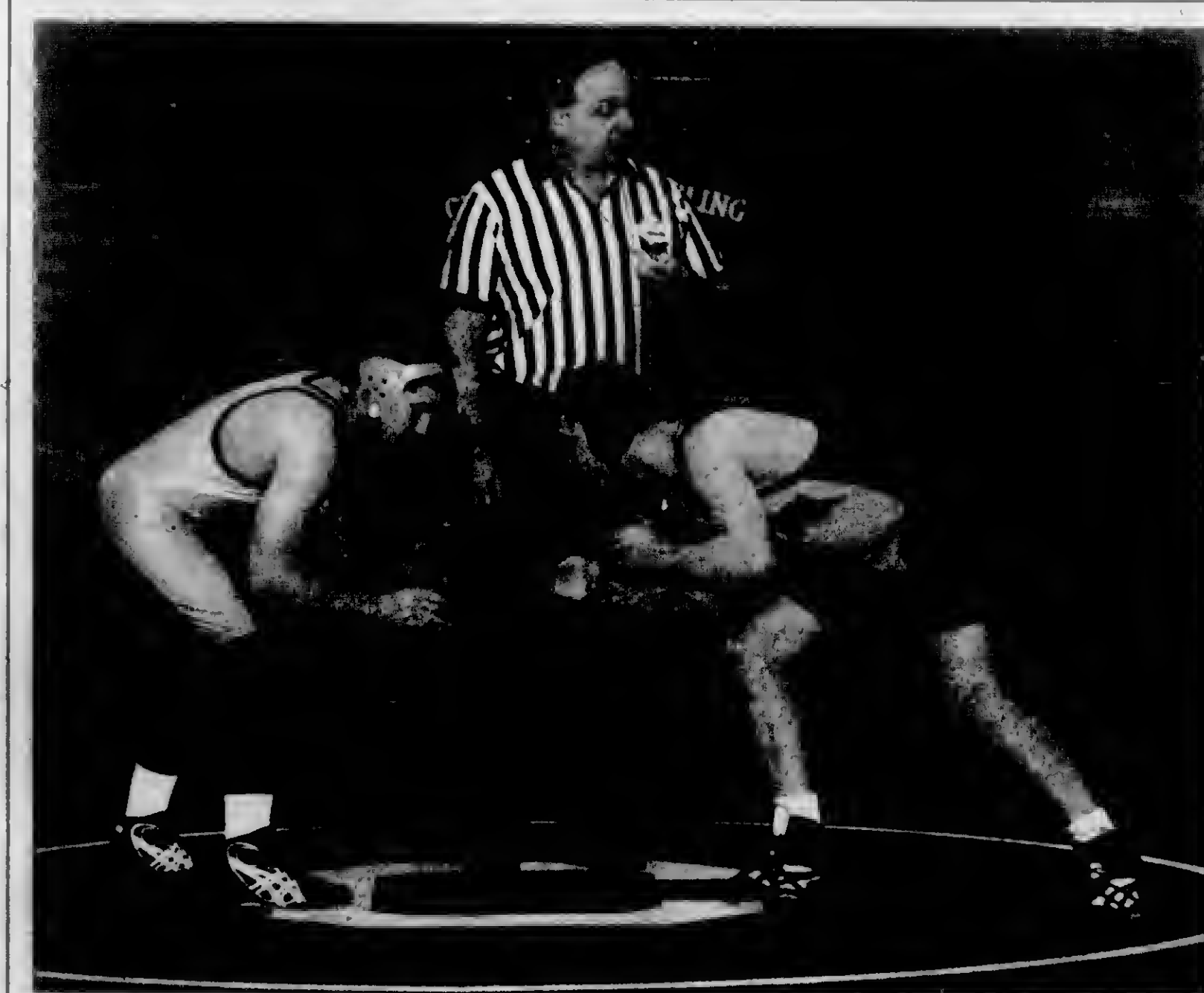
Parrish led Charlevoix scorers with 23. Boss dominated in the paint, scoring 18 points and pulling down 10 rebounds. Teuscher had 13 points while Shepherd and Daly each chipped in with 10 in a balanced Rayder effort. Slough led all scorers with 35 points. Fortunately, many were scored long after the outcome had been decided.

Despite the winning streak, Haske saw reason for concern.

"We need to come out early in the game with more focus. I don't think we're playing as hard as we should. As you come down to the end, you're concerned that it could cost you some place... In March (tournament time), you can come out flat for a half and end your season," he said.

The junior varsity also won both games in the week, beating Harbor Springs, 73-62 and East Jordan, 76-61. Todd Carey scored 14 against the Rams and 13 against the Red Devils. Brian May scored 13 against Harbor and 20 at East Jordan.

The Rayders (12-3 overall, 8-0 conference) will put their winning streak on the line Friday night as they host Elk Rapids. Charlevoix also received help in the conference race as second place Kalkaska lost to Harbor Springs giving the Rayders a two game lead in the standings with only four games to go.



Get ready to rumble

Charlevoix wrestler Ryan Novotny faces off against a St. Ignace opponent in a tournament last week in Charlevoix. Charlevoix had nine wins and three losses at the end of the day. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Ski team finishes strong

By LAURIE LOUNSBURY
Skiing writer

The Charlevoix High School ski team delivered a one-two-three punch in their last three races, claiming two, and possibly three, first place finishes.

The team snagged a victory last Saturday at Boyne Mountain when the team finished first with 59 points, ahead of East Jordan, 72; Lake Orion, 82; Inland Lakes, 99; and Boyne City, 117.

Roscoe Serrels turned in a stellar performance, finishing first in Giant Slalom and second in slalom. Freshman York Smith also had an excellent day, finishing first in slalom and fifth in GS.

"I'm feeling very confident about our team as we head for the state regional ski meet Thursday," said coach Sue Miller. "The kids are all skiing very well, they're very focused on their goals and are working well together as a team."

Freshman Chad Johnson claimed a top 10 finish in both events, taking seventh in slalom and sixth in GS. He was followed by Lexi Wilson, who finished 18th in slalom and 19th in GS; Claas Oberbeck, who finished 21st in slalom and

26th, GS; and Mike DuPuis, who finished 20th in GS, DQ in slalom.

The team then claimed another victory at a conference meet Feb. 12, at Nub's Nob. Charlevoix finished first with room to spare, scoring 59 points, with the closest team, Traverse City-St. Francis, finishing second with 86 points. The other finishes were: Boyne City, third, with 96 points; East Jordan, fourth, with 98 points; Elk Rapids, fifth, with 138 points; and Harbor Springs, sixth, with 140 points.

Senior Troy Smith, who recently joined the high school squad, took a first place finish in slalom. Smith skied in the place of Roscoe Serrels, who incurred a minor injury in GS. Serrels is expected to be fully recovered and ready for action at the regional meet. Other finishes in the conference meet were: York Smith, third slalom, fourth GS; Chad Johnson, fourth slalom, third GS; Lexi Wilson, 17th slalom, 17th GS; Taylor Fisher, 30th slalom, 10th GS; and Anna Kate Trubilowicz, 27th GS.

After completing the conference meet, all teams then put in two more runs to complete a meet that was started last week at Schuss Mountain. The Schuss meet was

canceled due to weather and poor visibility before the team skied the slalom event.

The slalom results weren't tallied by press time, but Charlevoix finished second in the GS event in the Schuss conference meet, and had strong finishes by Troy Smith, York Smith, Lexi Wilson and Taylor Fisher in slalom.

"We're really looking forward to the regional meet," Miller said. "The kids are skiing at their peak level of performance right now. It should be a very exciting race."

The team will be skiing against some of the best class B-C-D schools in the state at the regional meet at Blackjack Mountain in the Western Upper Peninsula Feb. 15. The top three schools in the region will move ahead to the state championships, which will be hosted at Boyne Mountain Feb. 26.



Skier Troy Smith races around the gate at a recent meet. The team has placed impressively at its meets. (Photo by Laurie Lounsbury)

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Volleyball team still can't put together a win

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

The Charlevoix lady Rayders lost a narrow 9-15, 15-6, 15-8 decision to East Jordan in conference play last week.

In the first game, East Jordan overcame an early Rayder lead and pulled ahead 8-4 before Jenny Miller served Charlevoix to six straight points and a 10-8 advantage. The Red Devils broke the streak momentarily with a sideout and point but the Rayders responded with five straight points with Michelle Martin serving to take the game 15-9.

The key points in the run were a

dig by Kelly Dreyer followed by a Molly Arnold block to put Charlevoix up 11-9 and Kate Madison's shot which caught East Jordan off-guard to give the Rayders a 14-9 lead.

In game two, East Jordan came storming back, fighting off an early 1-0 Rayder lead to take an early 5-2 lead. Charlevoix didn't give up, though, as Libby Withrow's spike in support of Jenny Miller's service pulled Charlevoix to within 5-4. East Jordan reeled off eight straight points to take a 12-4 lead and it looked like it would be curtains for the Rayders in game two. Arnold had other ideas as she served Charlevoix to two straight points,

highlighted by Madison's shot, cutting the lead to 12-6.

The Red Devils regrouped and scored the last three points of the game for a 15-6 win, forcing a rubber game. The Rayders jumped out to a 2-0 lead with Martin serving but East Jordan quickly recovered, scoring three straight. Arnold and Krista Swenor each had spikes with East Jordan serving to take the serve from the Red Devils but Charlevoix couldn't capitalize.

With the teams fighting for control of the game, the serve changed hands five times with the score at

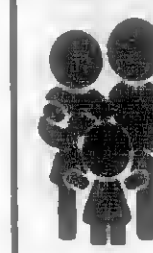
4-2. Finally East Jordan broke through and reeled off six straight points for a commanding 10-2 lead. Again the Rayders refused to give up. Arnold served Charlevoix to within six at 10-4 and after a loss of serve to the Red Devils, key digs by Dreyer and Martin gave the Rayders the serve back.

Amber Parsons took advantage with a spike which was followed by an East Jordan miscue, slicing the lead to only 10-6. The Red Devils scored the next point and following two exchanges of serve, also scored three more to take a 14-

6 lead.

Again the Rayders refused to quit as Dreyer responded with back-to-back service winners to trim the margin to 14-8, East Jordan. Again, a battle for control of the serve saw five sideouts, but in the end the Red Devils tacked on the clincher to take the game and match.

The Rayder junior varsity beat Harbor Springs 15-5, 15-7, 15-11. Charlevoix travels to Elk Rapids Thursday night to take on the Elks in a Lake Michigan Conference battle.



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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

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Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage made by John H. Moore and Josephine M. Moore, husband and wife, of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795 and Bond Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, whose address is 2007 Eastern, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507, dated November 25, 1996, and recorded on March 6, 1997 in Liber 312, Page 0996 of the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds, and upon which there is now claimed to be due for principal and interest the sum of Twenty Four Thousand One Hundred Sixty One Dollars and Thirty Three Cents (\$24,161.33) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt or any part thereof;

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Bond Corporation
2007 Eastern, S.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49507

DATED: January 15, 2001

Drafted By:
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Attorney for Mortgagee
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LAW OFFICES OF VAN HATTUM & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made August 14, 2000, by TIMOTHY R. HASTERT and ROSE T. HASTERT, husband and wife, as Mortgagor, to AUSTIN MORTGAGE COMPANY, as Mortgagee, and recorded on August 18, 2000, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix, MI, in Liber 394, of Mortgages, on Pages 719-726, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid to the date of this notice, EIGHTY-ONE THOUSAND, SIX HUNDRED SIXTEEN and 04/100 (\$81,616.04) DOLLARS, including interest computed to date of this notice; further, no suit or proceeding in law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debts or any part of the debts secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS DECEDENT'S ESTATE FILE NO. 01-010237-DE

Estate of Frank X. Schmatz

Date of Birth: March 20, 1910

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Frank X. Schmatz, who lived at 201 Meech, Apt. 13, Charlevoix, Michigan died November 9, 2000.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Thomas Oleksy, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI, 49720 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: February 6, 2001

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Charlevoix, MI 49720

(231) 547-4059

Thomas Oleksy
516 Newman Street
Charlevoix, MI 49720
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT CHARLEVOIX COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT-FAMILY DIVISION PUBLICATION OF NOTICE FILE NO. 01-010227-NC

In the matter of Daniel James Bowman Otmanowski

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including: those whose address(es) are unknown and whose interest in the matter may be barred or affected by the following:

NOTICE: A hearing will be held on Wed., March 7, 2001 at 9:05 a.m. in the courtroom, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser regarding:

The Petition(s) to Change Name filed by Daniel James Bowman Otmanowski requesting that the name of Daniel James Bowman Otmanowski be changed to Daniel James Bowman.

Dated: January 17, 2001
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EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Divorce care

The Community Reformed Church is sponsoring Divorce Care, a weekly seminar and support group, starting at 7 p.m. on Feb. 22. For more information contact the church at 547-9482 or evenings 547-2764.

Casual Singles

Casual Singles to meet at 6 p.m., Feb. 16 at the City Park Grill in Petoskey. For reservations call Nancy at 547-4867 or Terri at 548-5390 by Feb. 15.

Memorial for Boal

A memorial service to celebrate the life of Stewart Boal will be at 4 p.m., February 17, at the First Congregational Church, Charlevoix,

with supper to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

Friends of the library to meet

There will be a meeting of the Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library on March 1, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the basement activity room of the library. Meeting highlights will be upcoming programs and a report on results of the public forums for updating the library.

Gospel concert

Safe Harbor Baptist Church in Charlevoix is hosting a community service on Feb. 17 with a



Gloria Lynne

gospel concert by Gloria Lynne from 7 to 8 p.m., followed by refreshments. Gloria Lynne has sung with some of country music's finest: Kittywells & Whispering

Bill Anderson. The concert will be testimony and songs of God's mercy and grace through her five spinal fusions and a closed head

injury in 1994 to her 19 year old son. Call Connie (231) 547-5049 or Gloria Lynne (517) 785-4746 for directions. Safe Harbor Baptist Church, 06046 Old US 31 South, Charlevoix, two miles south of M-66 off US 31 south behind Sisters Antiques.

Business after hours

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce is hosting a Business After Hours from 5 to 7 p.m., Feb. 15 at Charly's Restaurant. Russell's Auto Body and Charly's Restaurant are the sponsors for this event. All are welcome. The cost for members is \$5 and non-members \$7.

Valentine's dinner

The Charlevoix Senior Center's big fund-raising Valentine's Dinner is on Feb. 14. The meal includes: Chicken, potatoes, gravy, vegetable, cole slaw, roll, dessert, coffee. Take-outs are available. The cost is \$6 for adults, children (5-12) \$3 and under five free. The public is invited and all proceeds help the elevator fund. Hand-made crafts are available. Come, bring your sweetheart, guests and family. The center is located at 06906 Norwood Road.

Pastoral visit

Father Mark Sietsema from

Holy Trinity Orthodox Church in Lansing, will be making a pastoral visit to Traverse City on Saturday, February 24. He will be celebrating the Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. at Grace Episcopal Church. The church is located at 341 Washington Street (across from the courthouse). For more information, please call (231) 932-6868.

Firefighter's ball

Tickets are available for the second Annual Charlevoix Volunteer Firefighters Association's Firefighters Ball. This year's event will take place at 8 p.m. Feb. 17 at The Charlevoix Country Club. Tickets are \$25 each. The event includes hors d'oeuvres, a chance at a door prize and entertainment by D.J. the D.J., a silent auction and a cash bar. To purchase tickets contact a City of Charlevoix firefighter or Shari Kline at 547-8495.

Income tax assistance

The Charlevoix Senior Center, located at 06906 Norwood Road, will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings in the month of February. For more information call 547-5361.

Ducks Unlimited to meet

The Charlevoix Chapter of

Ducks Unlimited will have its annual membership dinner auction at 5:30 p.m. on Feb. 22 at the Grey Gables Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. After dinner, the live auction will commence.

To reserve tickets contact Rochelle Whippo at (231) 547-3518. Early bird ticket orders must be received by Feb. 8. Your ticket(s) will be held at the door on the night of the event.

Keep Horton Bay Wild to meet

Keep Horton Bay Wild will be meeting in Horton Bay. Those who care about Horton Bay and the Horton Creek watershed are invited to attend a "Keep Horton Bay Wild" meeting. Topics of discussion will be the preservation of the wetlands of the wild and wonderful Horton Creek watershed and the "Hemingway Spring".

Bring your stories and maps, new and old.

The meeting starts at 7 p.m., Feb. 15 at the Horton Bay Township Hall on the Boyne City/Charlevoix Road in the Village of Horton Bay.

The public is invited. For more information call 237-9335 or 582-1178.

SCRAPBOOK

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The extreme sport of ice fishing on Torch Lake

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

For many people in Charlevoix, winter does not mean an end to outdoor activities as they take up skiing, snowmobiling and many other outdoor sports.

According to Charlevoix resident Clayton Smith, this love for the outdoor in the winter has deep roots in the



Clayton Smith

Charlevoix area. Especially when it comes to ice fishing.

Smith said many of the local folks in the 1950s and 1960s loved to spend time on some of the area lakes,

fishing for their dinner through the ice. One of the most notable lakes for this sport was Torch Lake.

Since the lake is so big and deep, Clayton said it would take a while for it to freeze. But, after it

"smoked" at least two times — when fog is seen over the water — locals would know the winter fishing season was on.

Using chubs as bait, locals loved to go after the lake's whitefish, Smith said. And just like anglers in summertime have their favorite spots, ice fishermen were known to populate certain areas of the lake, known for their high number of fish.

Smith said some of those favorite spots included the north end of the lake at East Port, the east side of the lake and a place called the "pumphandle" near Clam River.

To stay warm on the ice, the fisherman used — and still do — ice shanties made out of cedar, covered with pace board. In the bottom of the shanty was a two foot hole providing plenty of vision into the water.

"We put the bait down and if you had fish kind of hanging around, it's like a bunch of chickens in among us," Smith said. "It was kind of fun to watch them."

Since the winds were pretty harsh on the lake, it was vital that

the shanty was secured to the ice. If it wasn't, Smith said, a shanty could be blown to pieces.

Fishing hours were generally pretty late; they started at 5 p.m. and would stay out on the ice until 1 or even 2 a.m. To stay warm, the shanties had a coal or wood-burning stove in them.

However, the warmth of the stove caused a problem for Smith on one occasion.

He said in the 1960s a friend of his wanted to go fishing in March. So the two of them ventured out on the ice to a spot Smith had been fishing for about four or five weeks.

What they did not know was the heat from the stove in the shanty over the time Smith had been fishing that spot had melted all of the ice under it.

As the two men got into the shanty, it fell through the ice, Smith said. Luckily, it stopped sliding through the ice for a few moments, just long enough for Smith and his friend — who were both wet — to get out.

Knowing he would get in trou-

ble with his wife, Smith did not tell her about the incident when he got home. However, his friend called to tell Smith he left his hat in the shanty, thereby blowing his cover.

But, shanties were not always used for ice fishing on Torch Lake, Smith added, neither was the idea of just sitting around waiting for the fish. Sometimes when the ice was just right and about one to two inches thick, the locals would grab their ice skates and wrangle the fish.

Smith said they would skate around on the ice, which was very clear, and look for schools of whitefish. Once a school was found, the skaters would chase them to open water, where another man was waiting with a spear.

He added, since the ice was so thin and would bow under a man's weight, it would feel like you were skating up hill all the time.

And, as you may have guessed, many fishermen came home very wet after this outing. But, Smith said, the group was ready when one of them would fall through the

ice and would immediately throw ropes to them and pull them out.

These ice fishermen on Torch Lake were a determined bunch and would not even let a little thing like spring stop them from their sport. Smith said many times he fished up to April 15.

At this time of the year, the ice breaks up along the edge of the lake. However, Smith said it was easy to step over this open water to the ice and then walk out to your fishing spot.

Of course, this open water presented problems when the fishermen would want to get their shanty off the ice.

Smith said one time they had to cut a big block of ice, push it to the edge of the ice and into the open water. This gave them a temporary bridge to slide the shanty off the ice.

So, as you snowboard or ski down the mountains this winter thinking you are taking part in an extreme winter sport, remember, somewhere out there is an ice fisherman who may be more extreme than you.

CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

MONDAY

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m.

Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall, Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more informa-

tion call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church, 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 to 4:15 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield and Bridge (US-31).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking). Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street is open 1 to 4 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6 to 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

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New Events For 2001 And Beyond

In addition to the return of the B.A.S.S. Masters Classic regional tournament to Charlevoix on June 1 and 2, a new bass tournament sponsored by the Northern Bass Anglers Association will be hosted by the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce and the Charlevoix Convention and Visitors Bureau on October 5 and 6. This event will bring up to five hundred visitors to Charlevoix!

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce's bid was also accepted by the Michigan Outdoor Writer's Association to hold their 2003 Winter Conference in Charlevoix.

Mark Your Calendars

February 15 - Business After Hours, Chorty's. Sponsored by Russell's Auto Body Shop and Charly's Restaurant

February 25 - Charlevoix Ministerial Unity Service - United Methodist Church, 6:00 p.m.

March 2 - First Business Breakfast, Grey Gobles, Guest Speaker Jon Fowler, Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District

March 15 - Business After Hours at Villoger Pub
Sponsors - Cross Fisheries and The Villoger Pub

April 14 - Easter Egg Hunt

Business Briefs

CPI Products has been acquired by DE-STA-CO Industries of Madison Heights, Michigan. The acquisition, effective January 1, 2001, further supports DE-STA-CO's strategy of selecting complimentary world-class automation product lines to enhance its position of global leadership in engineered solutions for clamping, gripping, transfer and robotic application needs.

With the acquisition, the CPI product line will be made available in Germany, France, the United Kingdom, Spain, Thailand and Brazil. In addition, CPI products will be featured in DE-STA-CO's booths and several trade shows in 2001, including the National Design Engineering Show in March, the International Robots & Vision Show in June, and the Assembly Tech Show in October.

Congratulations Chris Turkelson - who recently joined the law firm of Joseph, Carcoron, Telgenhof, & Bornes. Chris grew up in West Branch, Michigan, and he later served in the prosecutor's offices in Lapeer and Antrim counties. Chris, his wife and his two children, age 6 years and 20 months, moved to Charlevoix from Belle Isle. WELCOME!

There are NEW OWNERS of Complete Car Detailing. The new owners are Paul Ciccarelli, and Richard Simmons. Congratulations to both of you!

Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater recently received the Oath of Office for his seventh term as our sheriff. The Honorable David Kurchinski, 90th District Court Magistrate who administered the oath remarked in the ceremony that we in Charlevoix County are indeed fortunate to have the finest sheriff in the State of Michigan. George now begins his 25th year as Charlevoix County Sheriff. CONGRATULATIONS and may this term be a calm and peaceful one!

Our newest member of the Chamber of Commerce is DEREK CHOWEN, who is an investment representative with Edward Jones Investments. Derek, his wife, their eight-year-old son and their seven-month-old daughter recently moved to Charlevoix from Alpena. WELCOME!

ATTENTION PUBLIC SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

The Chamber of Commerce has prepared the Charlevoix County Calendar of Events for 2001. Please check out the calendar at www.charlevoix.org, and let us know whether or not you have any additions.

Any organization wishing to have its event listed on our calendar may send us the information, either by mail (408 Bridge Street), fax (547-6633), or e-mail (info@charlevoix.org). Please include the name and phone number of a contact person and brief description of your event.

Business After Hours Thursday,

February 15, 2001 5-7pm. Come and meet your friends - Meet-Greet-Network - and just enjoy each other's company. Sponsored by Russell's Auto Body and Charly's Restaurant.

FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

The next Retail Committee Meeting will be held on Thursday, February 15, 9:00 AM at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant. Come and have coffee and share your ideas.

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Inside...

Winter court



Charlevoix High School named its court for Winterfest. The king and queen will be crowned next week. Not all are pictured above.

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In memory



Charlevoix resident Christiana Ransom is being remembered as a woman who touched many young lives through her kind acts.

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Pothole contest

Remember, the Charlevoix Courier is looking for your pictures of the biggest and the widest potholes in the Charlevoix area. Whoever takes the winning pictures will get a free alignment. The deadline for entries has been extended to March 23.

Ski team going to state finals

By LAURIE LOUNSBURY
Skiing writer

Thirteen schools battled it out at the class B-C-D regional ski meet in Ironwood, to see who would win a berth to the state championships. When the powder snow settled, it was Iron Mountain, Petoskey and Charlevoix boys' ski teams that earned the top three spots.

Iron Mountain was strong, fast and deep, taking first place with 65 points, followed by Petoskey, with 79 points, and Charlevoix, 150.

"It was a really challenging race, and our boys and Lexi had to stay right on top of their game to finish in the top three," said coach Sue Miller. "I'm really proud of the effort they put forth. Iron Mountain and Petoskey were incredibly strong, and both East Jordan and Kingsford were breathing down our necks, aiming for that third place spot."

In the slalom event, Troy Smith finished in third place, while his younger brother York Smith followed close behind with a fifth place finish. Chad Johnson finished 15th, Lexi Wilson finished 41st, and Taylor Fisher finished 49th. Both Wilson and Fisher had

some trouble with the steep pitch on the lower section of the slalom course and had to hike. Roscoe Serrels lost a ski about one-third of the way through the slalom course and could not finish the race.

In giant slalom, York Smith had another top 10 finish, claiming ninth place. Other Charlevoix finishes in GS were: Chad Johnson, 17th; Roscoe Serrels, 19th; Taylor Fisher, 38th; and Lexi Wilson, 41st. Troy Smith had trouble on his first GS run and had to hike. He did not finish his second run after incurring a minor injury.

When the score was tallied on the conference meet hosted at Nub's Nob last week, Charlevoix boys' ski team again came out on top. The team claimed first place with a total of 71 points. Traverse City St. Francis was in second place with 91 points; East Jordan, third, 107 points; Boyne City, fourth, 109 points; Harbor Springs, fifth, 126 points; and Elk Rapids, sixth, 141 points.

The conference champion will be determined at the final conference meet which starts at 3 p.m. today at Nub's Nob.

The state class B-C-D final meet will be hosted by Charlevoix at Boyne Mountain Feb. 26.



Charlevoix High School skier, York Smith, races to victory at a recent ski meet. The team is headed to the state finals. (Photo by Laurie Lounsbury)

City compromises on platform plan

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Good old fashioned compromise brought the battle between Park Avenue residents and city officials to a cease fire.

"Our staff had a meeting and looked at the situation and what happens over there (the city-owned land off of Park Avenue). We saw that a walkway area might better suit the area," city manager Mike Wiesner said. "After reviewing the neighbors' letter we found that they would also be better satisfied by that (walkway) too."

The two camps took a second hike around the site on Monday. At the meeting, city planner Gerry Harsch distributed the revised plan.

Michigan Beach renovations once included plans to build a viewing platform on the city-owned land which used to be the site of a water tower.

Residents voiced their concerns surrounding the platform idea including the possibility of kids drinking at the location, the platform itself splitting up the natural layout of the neighborhood and a possible breach in their privacy.

City officials came up with a revised plan that will allow all residents and visitors to utilize the property, and according to those that attended the meeting, would be agreeable to the parcel's surrounding neighbors.

The new plan will remove the parking that currently exists at the bottom of the slope of land on the

"We saw that a walkway area might better suit the area. After reviewing the neighbors' letter, we found that they would also be better satisfied by that too."

Mike Wiesner,
Charlevoix city manager

Park Avenue side and will integrate a wood chipped trail system. The topography of the land itself is somewhat steep so the plans include wooden stairs where needed, a maximum of three at any location.

The city also plans to capitalize on this steep topography by using the hill face as a sledding destination.

Those not looking for an intense hike, but instead searching out a

spot to soak in the surroundings will have that opportunity — benches will be placed along the route.

Many said that street lighting at the site of the proposed trail system would be too bright and would infiltrate homes. The new plan allows for bollard low level lighting around steps and seating areas.

Charlevoix's history will also be celebrated at the site.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Margarita Magdaloua, 20, Boyne Falls. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Jeffery James Rasmussen, 23, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

David Eugene Dyer, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Amy Lee Park, 19, Cheboygan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Michael Adrian Steenbergh, 38, Madison Heights. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Keever Eljhus McPherson, 20, East Jordan. First degree criminal sexual conduct-multiple variables. Bound over to circuit court.

James Carlton Lamonse, 56, Charlevoix. Use of a controlled substance-marijuana. Fines and costs totaling \$400.

Michael Joe Peck, 31, Mancelona. Non-sufficient funds, less than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$251.06.

Susan Gay Sobleskey, 37, Boyne City. Improper registration. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Heather Marie Wormell, 21, Boyne City. Embezzle agent/trustee, less than \$200. Six months probation; 30 days in jail, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 25 days held in abeyance; \$334 in fines and costs.

Robert Jordan Adams III, 44, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 40 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 22 days held in abeyance; \$920 in fines and costs.

Michael Edward Ellis, 33, Kalkaska. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days,

serve 51 days, 40 days on electronic monitor, 40 days held in abeyance; \$1,220 in fines and costs.

Allan Jerome Reissler, 51, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 10 days, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 30 days on electronic monitor, 46 days held in abeyance; \$965 in fines and costs.

Amanda Jean Vanblaricum, 23, Central Lake. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Robert Keith Debord Jr., 31, Wayne. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Eugene John Boyd, 39, Walloon Lake. Resisting and obstructing a police officer. Jail for 60 days with credit for two days, serve 60 days.

Jeffrey Bryan Hart, 20, East Jordan. Unlawful use of a motor vehicle; and driving while license suspended.

Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license suspended; 180 days in jail with credit for 66 days, serve 180 days; \$883.10 in fines and costs.

Mark Larry Crain, 33, East Jordan. Receiving and concealing stolen property more than \$200, less than \$1,000. Two years probation; six months in jail with credit for two days, serve three months; \$4,021.97 in fines and costs.

Eric Allen Harding, 18, Gaylord. Two counts of breaking and entering a building with intent. Two years probation; 11 months in jail with credit for one day, serve nine months; \$1,575 in fines and costs.

Tristan Richard Madaras, 23, Burton. Uttering and publishing. Jail for 90 days with credit for 23 days, serve 90 days.

Jeremy Gerard Stout, 18, Gaylord. Two counts of breaking and entering a building with intent. Two years probation; 11 months in jail with credit for 75 days, serve 11 months; \$1,525 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Charlevoix Irrigation Company, 00221 Warner Road, Charlevoix, by Lisa Nicola and Mary Ann Hodack

Top Dog Computer Service, 5757 Boyne City Road, Charlevoix, by James Babbitt

M & A Distributors, 14570 West Carpenter Street Apt. 11, Charlevoix, by Michael Parker and Amy Parker

Boyne Country Soaps, 07373 Springvale Road, Boyne Falls, by Kathrin S. Austin

Maple Corner Farm, 02465 Lalone Road, Elmira, by Patricia Webb

Lady Biker Day, 1741 M-66 South P.O. Box 356, East Jordan, by Dawn Johnson

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

David Anthony Hoyt, 31, Charlevoix and Lisa Anne Weisgerber, 31, Charlevoix

Michael Joseph Kondrat Jr., 25, Boyne City and Kacey Lee Turner, 22, Boyne City

Gregory Scott Clark, 18,

Charlevoix and Rebecca June White, 16, East Jordan

Divorces
The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Dianne Lynn Foster vs. Carson Young Foster

Ervin J. Murphy vs. Billie J. Murphy

Heidi Louise Jenkins vs. Mike Jenkins

Susan Peck vs. Michael Peck

Susan Rose Macks vs. David Paul Macks

Charles Lowery II vs. Jodi Lowery

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Charlevoix High School Winterfest court named

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The 2001 Charlevoix High School Winterfest court is full of talented, accomplished seniors all gearing up for a bright future.

Kevin Adams, Troy Smith, Matt "Boots" Smith, Will Wright, John Kilkenny and Ethan Phillips are the 2001 perspective Winterfest kings.

Kevin Evans, 17, son of Ed and Marlene Evans likes to spend time "hanging with friends" and working with computers. In his time out of the classroom, Kevin is also busy with both the performing arts and track teams, the band and student council. Following graduation, Kevin plans to attend Michigan Technological University majoring in Computer Engineering.

Matt "Boots" Smith, 17, grandson of Gwen Monroe, enjoys "hanging with friends of Hawkeye Studios." Smith plans to attend North Central Michigan College in Petoskey following graduation.

Will Wright, 17, son of George and Michalene Wright is a busy student. Wright enjoys listening to music, "chilling with friends," snowboarding, playing bass guitar and skateboarding. After graduation, Will plans to attend college, go on to graduate school and eventually live in the south.

John Kilkenny, 18, is a member of both the Charlevoix High School football and baseball teams. When he is not busy on the field and the diamond, he enjoys snowboarding and

"Jeepin'." After finishing up high school, Kilkenny plans to attend Ferris State University with a focus on automotive studies.

Ethan Phillips, 17, is a driven student who, like his fellow royalty, enjoys hanging out with his friends, traveling and listening to music. His travels recently met with his studies, landing him in a Swedish exchange student program. After graduation, Phillips can be found in Chicago, Ill. where he'll be attending Columbia College studying political science and the mass media.

These candidates have big plans, but what's a king without a queen? Emily Stoner, Shawna Flowers, Leslie Hoffman, Shannon Nystrom, Michelle Martin and Molly Arnold are the 2001 winter queen hopefuls.

Emily Stoner, 17, is involved in the high school's performing arts program, tutoring, student council and the National Honor Society. Stoner plans to continue her education at Central Michigan University where she will study elementary education.

Shawna Flowers, 17, daughter of Raymond and Vickie Flowers is captain of the varsity cheerleading squad and a member of the varsity softball team, the high school band and the National Honor Society. When she is not busy with all of the extracurricular activities, Flowers enjoys painting, drawing and hiking. After graduation, she plans to attend Kendall or Northern Michigan University in Marquette. She said that in the future she would like to be an interior designer but her, "true dream" is to sell her art

council secretary/treasurer. Outside of the high school she is cultivating her dance talents at the Dance Arts Academy in Traverse City. After graduation, Shannon is headed south to Tennessee where she plans on attending either Belmont or Vanderbilt universities.

Michelle Martin, 17, daughter of C.T. and Francie Martin is a team player. Michelle is a member of both the volleyball and tennis teams. When she is not at practice or a match, she is busy hanging out with friends, snowboarding, boating or jet skiing.

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This year's winterfest court includes: (Front row, from left) Leslie Hoffman, Emily Stoner, Shawna Flowers, Shannon Nystrom, Molly Arnold and Michelle Martin. (Back row, from left) Ethan Phillips, Matt "Boots" Smith, Kevin Evans, Will Wright and John Kilkenny. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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OPINIONS

Cabin fever, our rights and island heroes



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

The winter blahs have found me kicking around a few thoughts. So, I thought I would share a few with the readers.

Cabin fever

The other day I was reminded just how long winter is in northern Michigan.

While watching the weather channel, hoping desperately for a change from snowy to tropical, I noticed the temperatures taking a sudden plunge downward. I was struck with the realization that winter in northern Michigan has a long and healthy life.

The problem is, I am already bouncing off the walls in my apartment and driving my wife nuts. I even started trying to stack little houses out of decks of cards as a

hobby. I am also enjoying the many hours I spend working in the office of the *Charlevoix Courier*, rather than go outside.

I am in the midst of a full-blown case of cabin fever.

So, rather than let the mind altering condition make me do something silly — like putting on a bathing suit and sunglasses, going to the beach and trying to get a snowtan — I thought I would appeal to the readers. I am looking for a cure for cabin fever, send your suggestions to me at the *Charlevoix Courier*.

The best ones will be highlighted in my column on this page two weeks from now.

The Bill of Rights

I received a nice phone call from a reader the other day about a recent column I wrote on my love of the First Amendment — yes, I know there is a letter to the editor in this week arguing people should not be totally free to express themselves or speak out, specifically if it is offensive to others — as is burning a flag. But, the beautiful thing about the First Amendment is the letter writer has a right to voice their opinion and, since this is the

free press, they have somewhere to have it published.

Back to the phone call: The reader wanted to let me know that they enjoyed the column and agreed that the government should stop trying to take away the freedoms given to all citizens of the United States in the Bill of Rights. Only, this person added he thought I should have pointed out the government was trying to take away a lot more rights than just those in the First Amendment. He specifically pointed out the attacks to the Second Amendment.

I agree. The Bill of Rights is a sacred document for this country. Without these freedoms, we would be living in a totalitarian society.

Imagine being imprisoned if you say something someone finds offensive, being forced to observe only one religion, having to submit to police searches for no reason, being imprisoned for wanting to protect your family by having a firearm or not having the ability to vote if you are a woman or minority.

Every amendment in it is vital to the freedoms we enjoy as Americans. It is not something that should be changed according to the politi-

cal or social fashion of the day.

I am passionate about my love for the Bill of Rights and I will fight for every freedom given in it, even if it means someone is offended.

Beaver Island heroes

In this last thought, I wanted to commend a group of people living on Beaver Island for their efforts in saving the lives of the four survivors of a plane crash last week.

You may have heard all about the plane crash, it was pretty much the only thing the local television stations were reporting last week and was on the front pages of many northern Michigan newspapers, including this one. I even saw one television station using their coverage for their promotional spots.

The television news program proudly proclaimed, "We were the first on the scene...We were the first to bring you the news...Look how great we are!" Talk about vultures.

But, there was a story that many of them were missing: The effort being put forth by the residents of Beaver Island to find the downed plane and its occupants.

The weather the day of the search, Feb. 9, was so bad, the

Coast Guard was forced to keep its helicopters on the ground and the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office was stuck on the mainland, with just one deputy on the island, Mark Russell.

However, the islanders teamed up with this deputy, jumped on snowmobiles and started searching the island.

Additionally, Paul Welke, of Island Airways, hopped in his plane — remember, the weather was very bad at this time — and flew over a section of island he had a "hunch" about. His hunch was correct and he saw one of the survivors on the ground waving a lifejacket.

Eventually, rescuers found four survivors — a mother and her three children: Mirth Gault, 43, Alec, 5, Emma, 9, and Adam, 13.

I salute the hard work of the residents of Beaver Island. Also I would like to commend every other rescuer — from the Sheriff to the Coast Guard — who also worked tirelessly to try to find the plane.

You all are true heroes.

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Keep Coast Guard in Charlevoix

Editor:

It was most disturbing to read recently of the possibility of losing the Acacia and even more disturbing at the prospect of not having any Coast Guard ship at all in Charlevoix's harbor.

I am a native of Charlevoix and for many years have felt prideful over the fact that Charlevoix was chosen to house a Coast Guard ship. The ship along with its families have been a real asset to this community. It has been a privilege to be able to learn first-hand about the tasks a ship of this nature performs and the ships of Charlevoix have many excellent performances to boast of. I can't imagine our harbor without it. It is a piece of Charlevoix's history I would really hate to see go. Charlevoix's location seems to be well thought out as a need for such a ship, with the emergencies and buoy tending it takes care of.

I hope that the Cleveland office will study this location long and hard before making a decision to remove the ship. I can see a real need for its physical presence here, as a vessel of great importance.

Charlevoix prepared for the Coast Guard presence in this community in its waterfront renovations allowing for a larger vessel, should that happen. This is a community that cares about the Coast Guard and what it stands for. I am very proud of the ships and all the men who have served here. It is my hope that the Coast Guard can always call this port their home.

Lynn Groves
Charlevoix

Writers agree with past letter

Editor:

We would like to agree with Kali Crain's Feb. 14 letter to the editor

regarding her interest in saving the middle school. Kali's forward thinking and suggestions are a fresh change to the tear down and start over mentality that destroys the architectural integrity of a community.

Too many people are all too eager to tear down and rebuild buildings that appear to be obsolete because of their age. Rehabilitation of old buildings require compromises and costs, which sometimes equal to the destruction and rebuild of a new facility, yet we must all recognize their architectural and significant historical value.

To "reuse" these buildings, as Kali recommends, would preserve the charm and atmosphere which Charlevoix residents and visitors have enjoyed for years. There are several successful models in which communities have rehabilitated old structures to meet stringent building codes and use requirements. It is the responsibility of city planners and community members to thoroughly investigate and exhaust every option to "reuse" this structure.

Kudos to Kali for caring about Charlevoix's future!

Sue and Jim McLain
Grand Rapids

Control pollution

Editor:

I am a student at the Charlevoix Middle School. I think that pollution is getting out of hand. If we don't try to stop it, the human race could be demolished.

One thing we could do is clean up our town. First of all, we should pick up all the garbage that just lies on the ground. We should also plant more trees.

Another thing we could do is change our major power sources. For instance, we could use windmills instead of polluting fossil fuels. That would keep the air cleaner.

We should also consider the global warming. Because of it, average temperatures rise approximately one degree Fahrenheit per

year. That might not seem like much, but think about what it's going to be like in the next 20 to 30 years. With that rising temperature, the polar ice caps could melt in the near future.

Think about it. Maybe you'll consider doing something, because this is a real problem!

Dan Myers
Sixth grade
Charlevoix Middle School

Help the animals

Editor:

I am a sixth grader in Charlevoix Middle School. I have many problems as a kid such as

homework, chores or even getting the book report done that is due tomorrow. But when I put that all behind me I think of animals. And how millions of them are killed each day by cars, starving and mostly by being homeless. So why can't we have an animal shelter in Charlevoix?

There is only one animal shelter in Boyne City. Some owners don't want to go to an out of town animal shelter just to drop off their pet. So they might put their pet on the street instead. If people leave their pet on the street, that would mean there would be more homeless, poor animals on the street.

The questions I have about this

subject are: Where will you keep animals found? If people find the animals and let them go again they will probably end up dead. Also what does the city do with the bodies of dead animals? If you let that happen, what will tourists think of Charlevoix?

If you keep an animal shelter out of Charlevoix things could change like Charlevoix could have dead or injured animals on the streets. Now I am asking you do we want that to happen to our pets, or have them found and taken care of? Please consider my opinions.

Kimberly Rosen
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The Charlevoix Township Board of Review will meet at the Charlevoix Township Hall at 12491 Waller Road, Tuesday, March 6, 2001, at 9:00 a.m. for the purpose of reviewing the 2001 assessment roll.

Residents may examine their property assessment at the Board of Review, Monday, March 12, 2001, from 9:00 a.m. until noon and from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. and on Tuesday, March 13, 2001, from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. and from 7:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. at the Charlevoix Township Hall.

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Wedding

VanGuilder — Dik

Amy Noel VanGuilder, of Charlevoix, and Bryan Jay Dik, of Minneapolis, Minn., were married July 15, 2000 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix in front of about 250 guests.

Amy is the daughter of Dennis and Dianne VanGuilder of Charlevoix. Bryan is the son of the Rev. Jack and Sandra Dik of Holland.

The Rev. Ross Winters of Charlevoix, and the bride's grandfather, and the Rev. Jack Dik, the groom's father, performed the double ring rites. The couple wrote their own vows.

The bride wore a pearl white gown, made of matte satin, with a lace cut-out back. The A-line dress was decorated with antique lace and miniature pearls on the bodice and along the edge of the bottom and train. The veil was made by the bride's mother.

The bride carried a bouquet of ivory and purple roses, lisianthus, sweet peas, mini calla lilies, delphinium, wild herbs and greens.

Music was provided by Marjorie Turner on organ, Ken Zylstra on

trumpet, Lisa Nibbelink on French horn, Cory Hugen on piano, singing by the Hall family from Minneapolis, Minn. and even a song by the couple.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Jessica VanGuilder. Bridesmaids were: Kerrie and Rachel Dik, the groom's sisters; Kari Jo Boss, Tiffany (Karczmarski) Evans and Dana Stoel, friends of the bride. They wore two-piece gowns in orchid satin with embroidered flowers on the bodice.

The flower girl was Alyssa Danigelis, the bride's cousin. The ring bearer was Anders Danigelis, the bride's cousin.

The best man was Chris Kuipers, a friend of the groom. The groomsmen were: Ben VanGuilder, the bride's brother; Matt Schlimm, Craig Bierenga and Zach VanDenberg, friends of the groom; and Eric Westra, the groom's cousin.

Nate Martin and Eric Vandembosch, friends of the bride and groom, were ushers.

A reception for the couple was given at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Petoskey.



After the wedding the couple went to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico for a vacation.

The have made their home in Minneapolis, Minn.

Amy is currently working toward a masters of social work degree and a masters in family social science at the University of Minnesota. Bryan is currently working toward his Ph.D in counseling psychology at the University of Minnesota.

Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Fisher honored

Tiffany Sloan Fisher, of Charlevoix, was recently awarded several honors at Princeton University. Fisher — a former All Conference, All Region and All State Skier for the Charlevoix High School ski team — was given honors in the Ivy League Conference for skiing.

Fisher was also given academic honors for her first semester at the university.

WMU dean's list

Several students from the Charlevoix area were named to the dean's list at Western Michigan University recently. They, and their majors, are: Steven Braun, with a major in geography; Thomas R. Cunningham, with a major in pre-psychology; Lisa A. Hoadley, with a major in nursing; Kaylee A. Manker, with a major in nursing; and Courtney E. Pace, with an undecided major.

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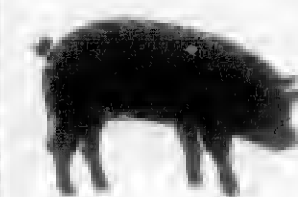
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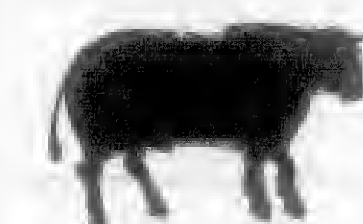
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Let your 'light box' be Christ this winter

By FR. JIM GUNN
Rector, Christ Episcopal Church

I'm sure that it would be belaboring the obvious to state that we have had quite a gray and dreary winter so far ... but I will state it anyway!

I personally find that weather like we've been having tends to make me depressed. I understand that it works somewhat that way for many people, but it seems to work particularly strongly with me.

I have not been formally diagnosed but I suspect that I suffer from some degree of the malady they call Seasonal Affective Disorder (I think they carefully chose that name since the first letters spell SAD).

That is why my wife just bought me a "light box."

It is a fairly flat rectangular metal box with two special light bulbs inside it and a special plastic light-diffusing sheet on one side. I do not understand the underlying principle — except for the obvious fact that it gives you bright light. You sit in front of it for a period of time while you're reading or relaxing or something. If you do that on a regular basis, it is supposed to elevate your mood and relieve the winter doldrums.

I have only used it for a couple of days so far, but I do believe that it is going to help.

As I was thinking about writing

Beacons of Blessing

this letter — just after I got my light box — it struck me that what I've been describing is a good analogy for our state in the world. Although it is God's creation, the world has been broken and twisted by sin and it is full of the darkness of disobedience and unbelief. It can be a very depressing place to be if we perceive that darkness and sense its effect on our life.

What we need is a "light box" and that is Jesus.

The life-giving nature of that light is pointed out to us by John in the first chapter of his Gospel (vs. 4-5, 9-13): "In him was life, and that life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it. The true light that gives light to every man was coming into the world. He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him. Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God — children born not of natural descent, nor of human decision or a husband's will, but born of God."

Seven chapters later (Chapter 8, v. 12) Jesus speaks of himself in those same terms: "When Jesus spoke again to the people, he said, 'I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.'"

We need to spend time in the presence of the one who shines forth the light of life. To my mind that indicates that we need to spend time in church and in fellowship with other Christians.

Jesus did promise us that, "Where two or three come together in my name, there am I with them."

I will close this article with one more small piece of Holy Scripture and the prayer that these words might urge you to spend time in the presence of the "light box" of the world, Jesus Christ, our Lord.

This quote from Chapter 4, Verses 4-6 of the Second Letter to the Corinthians is one way Paul describes that which God does through Jesus: "The god of this age has blinded the minds of unbelievers, so that they cannot see the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. For we do not preach ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. For God, who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness,' made his light shine in our hearts to give us the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ."

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
M-46 South of U.S. 31
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Pastor: Michael Dennis 547-4121 or -9765

BARNARD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Barnard at Klooster Road
Church School 8:45 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan 547-5269

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF BAY SHORE
US 31 North
Worship & Children's Worship 9:00 a.m.
Minister: Morris Cole 547-5728

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
State St. at Park Ave.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship (winter) 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Pastor: Phillip G. Schairbaum 547-9122 or -5803

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
M-46
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Thursday Evening 7:00 p.m.
Pastor: James Green 547-4300

CHARLEVOIX UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
104 State Street
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Pastor: Todd Thompson 547-2654 or -5168

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
State Street at Clinton
Sunday Worship Service 10:00 a.m.
& Holy Communion 12:15 p.m.
Fr. E. James Gunn 547-6322

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205 Clinton Street
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:30 a.m.
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Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Pastor: Duane Nelson 547-5711

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD
202 W. Huribut
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Reverend: Neil Turner

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Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
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Ransom remembered for helping many youths

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix recently lost 87-year-old Belvedere resident Christiana Lutz Ransom, a citizen that embodied the essence of selflessness and left her mark of generosity on the lives of many.

"She was as much a good friend to people in Michigan, at Warren Wilson College and in Florida as you can imagine. She was special, generous and truly remarkable," said Rodney Lytle, Christiana's long-time friend and building supervisor at Warren Wilson College in Swannanoa, N.C.

Christiana was born Oct. 3, 1913 in Philadelphia, Pa. to Major

Charles Lutz and Priscilla Seelye. Her father was a military aviator and a winner of the Curtiss Air Trophy.

Maybe it was the time Christiana spent in Haiti as a child that sparked her keen sense of cultural awareness beckoning her to travel, to discover and also to dedicate herself to making sure others had the opportunity to discover.

Christiana funded exchange students from Africa, Singapore and Malaysia to come to Charlevoix and to attend Warren Wilson College where she was a trustee. Lytle said that after graduation, she would organize a celebration for the exchange students, in some cases even housing their families.

Her adulthood was filled with student sponsorships in the United States as well as those abroad. In fact, Charlevoix resident Marvin Withoef, along with many others, attended Warren Wilson College with Christiana's financial support.

"She was very generous, I can't begin to tell you how many kids she put through college. Her door was always open; that's just kind of the way she was," Withoef said.

In Charlevoix she would host Sunday evening Bible study and on the Warren Wilson campus she would have teas at her on-campus home inviting all who wished to attend.

Christiana was not only an important public figure, but was also a

loving mother of four and wife of the late Woodbury Ransom for 46 years.

Christiana's son Charles "Chip" Allen Ransom also preceded her in death. In memory of her son, she and her husband co-founded CHIP Counseling Center in Charlevoix and also put 80 acres of land in Hayes Township into a nature preserve called the Charles Allen Ransom Nature Preserve.

Christiana is survived by three of her children; Woodbury Seelye Ransom of Lansing, Iowa, Priscilla Ransom McDougall of Stillwater, Minn. and Myron P. Boon of Swannanoa, N.C., her eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Throughout her life she promoted

spiritual and personal growth. She gave hope to students without the resources to go to college, promoted land preservation, ministered at prisons, supported animal adoption efforts and gave local teens battling substance abuse a safe place to go.

Although Christiana passed away Feb. 8 in Chicago, Ill. her legacy, accomplishments and memory will continue to thrive.



Christiana Ransom

New petunia addition to light poles in downtown Charlevoix

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Charlevoix's famous petunias may be seen hanging high over the city this spring thanks to a proposal by Keep Charlevoix Beautiful to the Downtown Development Authority (DDA) at the authority's Feb. 14 meeting.

The group proposed purchasing hanging baskets for all of the light poles in downtown Charlevoix and filling them with petunias in the spring. The baskets would be attached about 13 feet up to the light poles by strong metal brackets and would hang on the sidewalk side of the poles.

Keep Charlevoix Beautiful wants the DDA to pay for the brackets and the watering of the petunias in the spring and summer.

According to DDA member Dan

Barron, the authority has agreed to the concept of the hanging petunias, but has requested more information on the cost. He expects Keep Charlevoix Beautiful to be back before the authority very soon.

"They are hoping to try to implement this whole project by this spring," Barron said.

The initial cost of the brackets proposed by Keep Charlevoix Beautiful would come to as much as \$12,000. However, Barron said, this cost could be greatly lowered if the group uses a local supplier, which they are looking into.

Estimated costs for watering the petunias in the baskets for seven days a week for a total of 18 weeks is \$3,402, according to Charlevoix street superintendent John Martin.

The liability for the baskets will be with the city. Therefore, if

something happens where a basket falls and causes any damage, the city would be responsible.

But, according to Mary Adams, of Keep Charlevoix Beautiful, the brackets holding these baskets to the poles are very strong. She said she has had the same kind at her home for many years and high winds do nothing to them.

She added that a strong wind blew over a 100 year old oak tree in her yard a while back, but a flower basket that was hooked to the tree stayed firmly attached.

"I have had my hanging baskets for 15 years and haven't had to replace them," Adams said.

The city has had flower baskets hanging from its light poles in the past. They were taken down in the late 1970s, however neither Martin or City Manager Mike Wiesner could determine why.

Little League registration

Registration dates for Charlevoix Little League will be next week. At 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Feb. 26 and 27, children between the ages of 7 and 18 can sign up for Charlevoix Little League at the Charlevoix Elementary School lobby. There is a \$30 cost per player, a family rate is available.

League divisions are as follows:
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• Seniors — 15 and 16-year-olds.
• Big League — 17 and 18-year-olds.

If this is your child's first year in Little League, you must bring a photocopy of his or her birth certificate with you. Please do not bring the original.

In addition to the registration, volunteers for Little League are also being sought.

The program is looking for: coaches/assistant coaches, umpires, game announcers, publicity, picnic coordinator and board members.

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The Board of Review for the City of Charlevoix will meet on March 6, 7 and 8, 2001, to review the Assessment Roll at City Hall, 210 State Street from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.

The Board will receive any questions from the public concerning the Assessment Roll between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon and from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday, March 12 and Tuesday, March 13, 2001. There will also be a session on Wednesday, March 14, 2001 from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

APPOINTMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR THE SECOND WEEK BY THE CITY CLERK'S OFFICE AT 547-3250. PER RESOLUTION #93-2-1, LOCAL RESIDENTS MAY PETITION THE BOARD OF REVIEW BY LETTER.

	Estimated Multipliers	Tentative Ratios
Commercial	1.04581	47.81
Industrial	1.03842	48.15
Residential	1.16713	42.84
Personal Property	1.03413	48.35

The TENTATIVE RATIOS AND ESTIMATED MULTIPLIERS are subject to change by the Assessing Officer, Board of Review, County Equalization and State Equalization.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Obituaries

Jean M. Wood: Oct. 23, 1920 - Feb. 17, 2001

Jean M. Wood, 80 of Petoskey, died Feb. 17, 2001 at Bortz Health Care Facility.

A memorial service for Jean will be Feb. 24 at 1 p.m. at Independence Village in Petoskey. The Rev. David Behling will officiate.

Jean was born Oct. 23, 1920 in Detroit, the daughter of Lawrence and Ruth (Rowe) Montgomery. She grew up in Detroit and Fonda Lake and attended high school at Wester High School in Detroit.

On April 26, 1941 she was married to Warren Richard Wood by the town mayor in Bryan, Ohio.

She volunteered for A.R.C. in Lansing during World War II.

She was a Charlevoix resident for many years and modeled in the spring fashion shows.

Over the years she helped with blood drives in Kincheloe. She belonged to the Women's Club of Woodside and to the Kincheloe Golf Club. She loved flowers, gardening and playing golf.

Everyone who ever met Jeanie loved her. Her cheerful smile and warm personality endeared her to each and every person she touched. She never once complained and appreciated every attention and service, always accompanied by a thank you and a

smile.

She is survived by her devoted sister-in-law Patty Patterson of Petoskey. She is also survived by her children, Richard E. Wood (Jeanne) of Nevada City, Calif., Candace C. Wood of Nahalem, Ore., Michael C. Wood (Glen) of Belgrade, Mont. Grandchildren, Paul (Katie) Wood, Robert Wood and Kimberly Wood.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dick, on Feb. 20, 1997, by her parents and by her brother Larry.

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E.T. Meredith

Former U.S. Secretary of Agriculture.

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YOUR HEALTH

Your dentist can be a teacher



John Merrill, DDS

'Your health'

My last article focused on the "evils" of dental amalgam — those mercury laced fillings that most of us over the age of 20 grew up with.

Most dental experts agree that their use should be declining, many would say that amalgam fillings no longer have a place in modern dentistry. I urge you to ask your dentist what his opinion is — most of us have very strong opinions on this subject, one way or the other.

In this day of technology, what are your choices to rebuild a broken or decayed tooth?

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With modern dentistry it can be a challenge to know what you really want and which treatment is in your best interest.

Today's dentist has so many options for you, it may take a consultation visit for you to properly make the best decision.

Many of us may want to keep it simple and make our decision based solely on cost. But the decision that is most critical is what treatment is the best choice for you.

It is important to spend no more than is necessary, but it is most

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It may be more than those winter blues bugging you

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix residents beware — the long, cold, gray winter months in northern Michigan can trigger a nasty case of the winter blues.

Feeling tired and unmotivated? Are bags of potato chips disappearing in your home?

What is making you sleep a lot and eat carbohydrates in mass may actually be a classified form of depression called seasonal affective disorder (SAD) or subsyndromal SAD.

Dr. Steve Young with Little Traverse Psychiatric Associates in Petoskey said recent studies show that between 1 and 2 percent of people in the United States suffer from the disorder.

"The more important thing is that a higher percentage of the population suffers to a lesser degree from seasonal affective disorder," Young said. "They (mild SAD sufferers) find that in the winter their energy levels are lower, they are less motivated and socially outgoing and they may experience weight gain."

However these mild sufferers are still able to function normally unlike people with SAD who suffer to the extreme.

The cause of SAD is unknown, however many doctors believe a lack of sunlight may be the culprit. A rule of thumb with SAD is the more it's gray, the more your mood will pay.

Theories look at the body's melatonin and serotonin levels and bodily rhythms as possibly being affected by decreased exposure to sunlight.

Dr. Young said that SAD is most prevalent in teens to those in their 50s and is two times more likely to surface in females than in males.

Fear not, freedom from these feelings may be just a stroll outdoors away. It is easy to hibernate in the winter in northern Michigan, but the mental cost outweighs the annoyance of cold fingertips and toes.

See SAD, page 11

Some tips on relieving the symptoms of SAD

SAD

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Some of you may work in poorly lit offices or because it is only light in the afternoon you may leave home for work in the dark and re-

turn to the dark. This dark work environment may be causing your dark mood.

Many shy away from synthetic remedies for depression. For those not interested in synthetic mood lifters, Dr. Young advises using light therapy.

Light therapy involves exposure

to fluorescent bulbs installed in a box with a plastic diffusion screen. You set the box on a desk or table and basically sit in front of it for anywhere from 15 minutes to three hours once or twice a day depending on the severity of the condition.

There are also some herbal treatments out there that have been

shown to lessen the symptoms.

Gloria Bucco, of Longmont, Colo. is an independent journalist and communications consultant who specializes in natural health issues. In an article published in the January 1998 edition of Herbs for Health Magazine Bucco highlighted a dozen herbal "blues-chasers."

Some of those included are valerian, lavender, hops and gotu kola.

So, if you are sleeping a lot, over eating, gaining weight and have noticed that these issues occur in accordance with the winter and autumn seasons, recognize that you made be a SAD sufferer and that there are treatments out there.

A few herbal remedies for the winter blues

Below are some herbs Gloria Bucco recommends that may help bring some normalcy back into the gray days of winter.

On her website, www.qualitycounts.com/fp/gloriabucco.html Bucco cautions that while some herbs are more gentle than pharmaceuticals, users must still be cautious and check with their health-care provider or a trained herbologist.

Statements of caution and recommended dosages are available at the site.

Four sedative and anti-anxiety herbs are listed below.

• Hops help reduce the smooth-muscle

spasms that accompany feelings of tension and stress acting as an herbal anxiety treatment.

• Valerian, a popular sedative in Europe, has been hailed an herbal sleep aid.

• Lavender is used externally in massage and bath oil or in scented candles to have a calming effect.

• Passion flower has been used for centuries to treat nervous tension, anxiety and insomnia. Animal studies have shown passion-flower relieves spasms, eases anxiety and lowers blood pressure.

Below are four anti-fatigue herbs that may

help fight off the winter blahs.

• Gotu kola has been shown to depress the central nervous system to help overcome stress and fatigue.

• Licorice has been traditionally recommended to stimulate adrenal glands and to treat fatigue.

• Schisandra is used to treat insomnia and physical exhaustion.

• Siberian ginseng reportedly improves feelings of well-being in depressed people.

Below are two herbal anti-depressants Bucco recommends.

• Ginkgo increases circulation to the brain.

• St. John's wort has been shown to relieve anxiety, depression and feelings of worthlessness.

Below are two tension relieving and anti-anxiety herbs.

• Kava-kava is popular in the Pacific Islands and has been used for centuries for relaxation, relief of stress and anxiety and to induce sleep.

• Lemon balm was used to drive away melancholy in colonial America. Many modern herbalists recommend lemon balm if you suffer from SAD because of its calming effect.



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Garden angels

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City to compromise on platform project

PLATFORM

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The plans highlight landscaping the hilltop offering visitors information on the history of the site, the signal tower and geological information.

There will also be a navigational compass identifying the compass points and the significance of the general area with regard to marine activities.

Many had also voiced concerns surrounding the preservation of the natural integrity of the site.

Harsch explained that the new plan limits tree and brush removal to dead or dying trees and to those under 4 inches in diameter at the base.

Wiesner said the city will present the new plan at a public hearing to be scheduled after the amendment to the DNR lease, excluding the hillside property from the DNR lease, has been completed. He was unable to estimate a meeting date.

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Charlevoix High School to celebrate 'spirit week'

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

WARNING — if you see Charlevoix High School students dressed like cowboys and cowgirls on Feb. 26 don't be alarmed. Charlevoix is not reverting back to the days of the old west...it's just spirit week.

To gear up for weekend Winterfest activities, Charlevoix High School will have theme dress days from Feb. 26 through March 2.

On Feb. 27 students will dress in their class colors. Freshmen will cover themselves in yellow, sophomores in orange, juniors in winter's best friend — gray — and seniors in blue.

Then, on Feb. 28 kids will search their medicine cabinets and bathrooms for ACE bandages and band aids for "fake an injury day."

On March 1 arms in slings along with students' other faux wounds will be swapped for

leis and tropical prints when high school students dream of warmer days and show their spirit Hawaiian style.

Spirit week will peak March 2 when students drag out all the maroon and white they can find in preparation for Friday's home basketball game, when the Rayders will face Traverse City St. Francis.

Students and staff have planned a pre-game rally for the team scheduled to take place at 1 p.m. in the high school gym. Alumni and community members are invited to join this Winterfest assembly.

Winterfest royalty will be crowned by 2000 king John Hughson and queen Winter Kyvik at halftime of the Charlevoix-Traverse City game.

March 3 marks the end of Winterfest fun — both students and alumni are invited to attend the dance from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. at the elementary school located at 13513 Division Street.



Band event

Seventeen students from the Northwest Academy music department attended the District II MSBOA Solo and Ensemble event Feb. 10 in Harbor Springs. Nine received excellent ratings and superior ratings. The students that participated are: (Back row, from left) Craig Willscott, Trevor Londgren, Brandon Londgren, Rachel Bellairs and CJ Toton. (Middle) Jackie Riley, Kristy Trudeau, Liz Shepard, Carolyn Bellairs and Joe Slevertson. (Front) Jerusha Londgren, Amanda Seidel, Karen Larsen and Celia Magee. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Students to create 'Oz' on Charlevoix school stage

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The soft, melodic sound of Judy Garland singing "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" in the enchanting classic, "The Wizard of Oz" is forever etched in the minds of many.

Now, the Charlevoix performing arts team has chosen to bring the classic, "The Wizard of Oz," to the Charlevoix stage.

Team director Connie Ford said the students picked the play because the characters, created by writer L. Frank Baum, stretch the acting mold.

"The kids chose it because they wanted to do something different and challenging — something other than straight forward characters," she said.

Ford added the performers have worked very hard to ready both the set and themselves to create an unforgettable show.

"This (The Wizard of Oz) is a good, clean, enjoyable show that will be entertaining for both adults and children," she said.

The team is made up of 65 thespians looking forward to entertaining audiences during two performances.

Performances are scheduled to take place at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 24 and at 2:30 p.m. Feb. 25 in the Charlevoix High School gym.

Performing arts publicity chair, Sue Bartlett said that she expects the performance to span about one and a half hours.

Tickets are available now in the front office at the high school — \$5 for adults and \$3 for students.



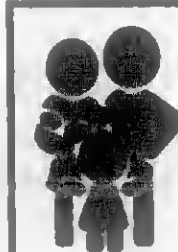
The Wicked Witch appears before Dorothy (in the foreground), proclaiming she will get her revenge for the death of her sister. The witch is played by Candice Boss. Dorothy is played by Melissa McDonough. The play will be at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 24 and 2:30 p.m. Feb. 25. (Courtesy photo)



Using blackened costumes, students portraying the Munchkins disappear into the background. (Courtesy photo)

Cast and crew for play

Cast
Dorothy — Melissa McDonough
Glenda — Torrie Kramer
Wicked Witch — Candice Boss
Scarecrow — Ben Macks
Tinman — Kevin Evans
Lion — Keith Patrick
Mayor of Munchkins — Lee Barrett
Gate Keeper — Sabrina Wynkoop
Oz — Chris Smith
Toto — Shandra Spencely
Tibba — Nate Bartlett
Oz Lady — Jenney Dean
Hunch — Kristen Mays
Crunch — Emily Stoner
Farmer's Wife — Amy Kurtz
Private — Adam Richards
Trees
Sam Kupka, Brittini Simonti, Amanda Locke, Jennifer Worthley.
Shadow People
Emily Stoner, Amy Kurtz, Sarah Mays, Kristen Mays, Nina Rogers.
Munchkins and Emeraldians
Carlie Van Horn, Nina Rogers, Corney English, Brooke Blanchard, Amber Smith, Amanda Boss, Katie Sheldon, Cassie Nelson, Alyssia McDonough, Allison Holmes, Adam Richards, Brian Christiansen, Erin Buckner, Danielle Flowers, Jodie Roloff, Jennifer Westenbroek, Katie Lieberman, Krystal Meredith, Maggie Beemon, Libby Campbell, Jacob Pace, Michelle Rowe, Mandy Macks, Tricia Wells, Bonnie Paschki, Sam Kupka, Amanda Locke, Brittany Mervyn, Jessica Osredka, Brittany Pizzuro, Brittini Simonti, Jennifer Worthley, Brenna Bergmann.
Music
Musical arrangement, music director, piano and cornet — Laura Borths.
Piccolo, flute, tenor sax — Nikki Wheat.
Cornet — Danielle Flowers and Krystal Meredith
Make-up
Make-up artists — Jessie Murray, Laura Borths and Heather Kenyon.
Lights
Lights (follow spot) — Megan Richards and Stephanie Kerner.
Lights (board) — Matt "Boots" Smith.
Lights (special effect) — Ryan Fanning.
Sound
Sound board — Bill Foster.
Sound effect design and special sound effects — Kyle Kramer.
Design and Construction
Set design and execution, lobby display and program design — Heather Kenyon.
Set construction — Chris Smith.
Puppet design and execution — Jessie Murray.
Munchkin choreographers — Emily Stoner, Sabrina Wynkoop and Jessie Murray.
Stage managers — Heather Kenyon, Jessie Murray and Chris Smith.
Director — Connie Ford.



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SPORTS

Basketball team wins, ties for the championship title

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

The Charlevoix Rayders won their ninth straight last Friday night, upping their record to 13-3 overall and 9-0 in the league, by whipping Elk Rapids 83-44 before a cheering throng at Max Novak Fieldhouse.

Charlevoix had been starting slow in recent games, but raced out to a quick 7-0 lead against the Elks.

"We talked a lot about starting out fast and we came out focused," said Coach Keith Haske.

The lead was cut to 9-8 midway through the first quarter, but the Rayders closed the quarter with an 11-0 run, six of the points coming from Scott Parrish, to leave the court with a 20-8 advantage.

The second quarter was more of a Rayder clinic as Parrish's eight straight points midway through the quarter ran the Rayder lead to 36-12. The lead was extended to as much as 26, at 40-14, in the period and the Rayders led at the half, 48-24.

Parrish had 20 points at the

break.

The game got a little physical in the third quarter as the frustrated Elks took their hacks, even picking up a technical foul.

Many times a technical will fire up the team whistled for it, but in this case, it seemed to have the opposite effect as Doug Rieck hit both free throws and Charlevoix scored another six straight to take a 67-30 lead.

Even before the end of the third quarter, Haske substituted liberally.

The Rayders took an 82-41 lead late in the game, which triggered the MHSAA required running clock, which sped up the game considerably.

With the clock not stopping on fouls and other whistles, Charlevoix managed only 14 fourth quarter points for an 83-44 final tally.

Despite another one-sided victory, Haske still saw room for improvement.

"We need to take better care of the ball. We had too many turnovers," he said.

"It's hard for us to get better

(in blowouts). When we get into games where we have to play four hard quarters, conditioning becomes a concern of mine."

Parrish, despite sitting for over eight minutes, led the Rayders with 22 points and seven rebounds. Rob Boss and Jim Shepherd each scored 13 points. Patrick Gowell broke out of his mini-slump in a big way with eight points, 13 assists, five rebounds and five steals.

All 12 Rayder players scored for the first time this year.

Shawn McDonough and Dale Williams kept their unusual streak intact as Charlevoix has won every game in which they have appeared.

The Rayder junior varsity fell to Elk Rapids, 69-56.

After hosting Roscommon in a non-conference tilt on Tuesday, the Rayders travel to Boyne City on Friday night.

And thanks to a victory by Traverse City St. Francis over Kalkaska Monday night, Charlevoix has clinched a share of the Lake Michigan Conference championship.



Racing to state

Charlevoix skier Lexi Wilson competes in the slalom at a recent meet. The Charlevoix ski team will be going to the state finals. See page 1 for the full story. (Photo by Laurie Lounsbury)



Competitive boarding

Ski and snowboard races at Mt. McSaubia took place Feb. 19 at the hill. Logan Kline (left) and Connor Klooster, both of Charlevoix, competed. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

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South Down Cement	13	7	185	Townhouse Bar	185	215	557	Marlene Evans	557	214	207	Bogart Roofing	188	132	26
Mark White Paint & Stain	10	10	177	R & C Roofing	177	223	557	Cherie Helm	557	214	207	Elzinga Country Crafts	184	136	25
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Church League February 14, 2001				Top Rank Disposal	17	15	15	Team 8	0	6	6	Jim Bowman	582	220	480
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Ferguson & Chanderbani	246	154	246	Don's IGA	13	19	13	Team 8	0	6	6	Shari Kline	480	190	
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ISLAND NOTES

Island is put in the national spotlight due to plane crash

Phyllis Moore
'Island notes'

Editor's note: Due to the recent events bringing Beaver Island in the national spotlight, we have decided to bring our summer series "Island Notes" back a few months early. This section is generally written in column form and contributed by Beaver Island native Phyllis Moore who also runs a website at www.beaverislandtour.com.

DateLine NBC was on the island working on an upcoming segment which will focus on the miraculous survival (in the recent plane crash on Beaver Island) of the Gault family. I was lucky enough to meet with the people who are working on this report.

Jessica Gerstle, producer for DateLine; Mike Shamus, camera; and

Tom Moore, sound, both freelancers from the Detroit area, have displayed themselves as compassionate, caring reporters of this accident.

Over coffee at Dalwhinnie recently they commented to me on the hospitality of the islanders. Although a youthful group, these three professionals have covered many tragedies and are well aware of tender feelings.

The putting together of such a program is a long process. Gathering all the information, interviewing all those involved from the survivors to the ground crews to Coast Guard and law officials. Hours and hours of film is taken (6 hours worth taken on the island alone) and then must be edited down to a 12 or 15 minute segment between commercials. Script has to be written and edited.

It's a tedious process at times, but the end result is, we hope, an accurate covering of this event.

I've debated submitting photos of the crash site, but after hard thinking, I've decided to give the public an idea just how amazing it was that anyone survived.

The area is heavily wooded and the smell of fuel permeates, wafting

in and out through the trees. Although the sun is shining, the temperature is extremely cold.

Beaver Island resident Jim Wojan and his crew were there to begin the process of removing the plane and getting the engines.

It's a quiet place... silence except for hushed words among those working. A reverent atmosphere, the realization of both life and death.

The men who have been coming here since Friday's discovery are well aware of how fragile life is and shake their heads that anyone lived.

A hundred yards either way and the plane would have hit hardwood, most likely with an entirely different outcome.

Even those without a formal religion acknowledge that some sort of miracle occurred here...the only seats not damaged were those in which the members of the Gault family sat, and they hahg upside down giving silent testimony to a phenomenon that leaves the men shaking their heads.

Phyllis Moore is a Beaver Island resident who contributes island news to the Courier. She can be reached through her website at www.beaverislandtour.com.



This picture shows just how much of a miracle it was that anyone survived the Beaver Island plane crash Feb. 8. (Photo by Phyllis Moore)



The DateLine crew that visited the island recently. (Photo by Phyllis Moore)

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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING POLICY FOR FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUESTS Resolution No. 2001-2-2 of 2001

WHEREAS, the Michigan Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), being Act 442 of the Public Acts of 1976 as amended, established the public policy of the State of Michigan that all persons, except those persons incarcerated in state or local correctional facilities, are entitled to full and complete information regarding governmental decision-making consistent with the requirements of the Act; and

WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix desires to establish this policy relating to requests for public records under the provisions of the FOIA so that those requests can be promptly and efficiently processed consistent with the requirements of the Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Charlevoix establishes the following policy for FOIA requests, which shall read in its entirety as follows:

POLICY OF FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUESTS

Section 1. Designation of FOIA Coordinator: Duties.

The City Clerk of the City of Charlevoix is hereby designated the City of Charlevoix FOIA Coordinator. If the City Clerk is not available, then the Manager's Administrative Assistant shall perform the duties of the FOIA Coordinator. The FOIA Coordinator shall be responsible for accepting and processing requests for public records under the FOIA and shall be responsible for approving denials under the FOIA. The FOIA Coordinator shall keep a copy of all written requests for public records on file for no less than one (1) year.

Section 1. Requests for Public Records.

- All requests for public records shall be in writing. Requests transmitted by facsimile, electronic mail, and other electronic means shall be considered written requests. If an individual makes an oral request for a public record, the FOIA Coordinator shall deliver or mail to the person making the request a written form on which the individual can submit his or her request.
- All requests for a public record shall describe the public record in sufficient detail to enable the FOIA Coordinator to find the public record.
- A person may subscribe to future issuances of public records that are created, issued, or disseminated on a regular basis. Such a subscription shall be valid for six (6) months, unless renewed. When a public record covered by a subscription is created, the FOIA Coordinator shall deliver or mail a copy of the public record to the person holding the subscription at the address provided for that purpose.

Section 3. Time Limitations in which to Respond to Request.

Unless the person making the request agrees in writing to a different time period, the FOIA Coordinator shall respond to the request for a public record within five (5) business days after receiving the request. For written requests made by facsimile, electronic mail, or other electronic transmission, the date of receipt of the request is the day after the electronic transmission is made. The FOIA Coordinator shall respond to the request for a public record by doing one (1) of the following:

- Granting the request.
- Issuing a written notice to the requesting person denying the request.
- Granting the request in part and issuing a written notice to the requesting person denying the request in part.
- Issuing a notice extending for not more than ten (10) business days the period during which he or she will respond to the request. The FOIA Coordinator shall not issue more than one (1) notice of extension for a particular request. Any such notice of extension shall specify the reasons for the extension and the date by which the FOIA Coordinator shall respond to the request in the manner provided in (a) - (c) above.

Section 4. Denial of Requests for Public Records.

Before denying, in whole or in part, a request for a public record, the FOIA Coordinator shall consult the City Attorney. The FOIA Coordinator shall provide the City Attorney with whatever information (including a copy of the requested public record) he or she deems necessary to determine whether legal grounds exist to deny, in whole or in part, the request for that public record. If the FOIA Coordinator desires to deny the request, in whole or in part, and the City Attorney concludes that legal grounds exist to support that denial, then the FOIA Coordinator shall issue a written notice denying the request for the public record. The written denial notice shall contain the following:

- An explanation of the basis under the FOIA or any other statute for the determination that the public record, or portion of the public record, is exempt from disclosure, if that is the reason for the denial.
- A certificate that the public record does not exist under the name given by or as described by the person making the request or by any other name or description reasonably known to the FOIA Coordinator, if that is the reason for the denial.
- If a separation or deletion is made, a description of the public record or information on the public record that is exempt from disclosure and separated or deleted from the disclosed public record as required by the FOIA, unless that description would reveal the contents of the exempt information and thus defeat the purpose of the exemption.
- A full explanation of the requesting person's right to do either of the following:
 - File a written appeal with the City of Charlevoix, which appeal shall include the word "appeal" in a prominent place on the front page and shall identify the reason or reasons the FOIA Coordinator's denial decision should be reversed.
 - File a lawsuit in circuit court within 180 days after the final decision denying the request which seeks to compel the FOIA Coordinator to disclose the public record requested.

(e) A notice of the right to receive a circuit court lawsuit reasonable attorneys' fees, costs,

and disbursement if the circuit court determines that the City has not complied with the FOIA and orders disclosure of all or a portion of the public record requested and of the right to receive compensatory damages and \$500.00 in punitive damages if the circuit court determines that the City has arbitrarily and capriciously violated the FOIA.

Section 5. Administrative Appeals.

- The City Manager of the City of Charlevoix is hereby designated the body vested with authority to hear and decide appeals from decisions by the FOIA Coordinator denying requests for public records under the FOIA. Any appeal of the FOIA Coordinator's decision denying a request for a public record must be filed in writing with the City Clerk, must state the word "appeal" in a prominent place on the first page of the documents filed, and must identify the reason or reasons the FOIA Coordinator's denial decision should be reversed. Pursuant to the FOIA, the City of Charlevoix is not deemed to have received the appeal until submission of the written appeal to the City Manager.
- Within ten (10) days after receiving a written appeal, the City Manager shall do one (1) of the following:
 - Reverse the disclosure denial.
 - Issue a written notice to the person making the disclosure request upholding the disclosure denial.
 - Reverse the disclosure denial in part and issue a written notice to the person making the disclosure request upholding the disclosure denial in part.
 - Under unusual circumstances, issue a notice extending for not more than ten (10) business days the period during which the City Manager will respond to the written appeal. The FOIA defined "unusual circumstances" as related to the necessity of searching for, collecting, or reviewing a voluminous amount of separate and distinct public records pursuant to a single request and/or the need to collect the requested public records from numerous locations apart from the office receiving or processing the request. The City Manager shall not issue more than one (1) notice of extension for a particular written appeal.
- In deciding an appeal the City Manager shall consider the disclosure request without regard to the FOIA Coordinator's decision and shall determine whether the requested public record should be disclosed, in whole or in part, or whether the public record, in whole or in part, is exempt from disclosure under the FOIA.

Section 6. Fees.

- The City of Charlevoix shall adopt by separate resolution a schedule of fees to be charged for the necessary copying and mailing of a public record pursuant to a request for that public record under the FOIA. This fee shall be limited to actual mailing costs and to the actual incremental cost of duplication, including the cost of labor. The cost of labor incurred in duplication and mailing shall be based on the hourly wage of the lowest paid City employee capable of retrieving the information necessary to comply with the request. In addition to the fees for duplication and mailing, the City may charge a fee for the cost of labor incurred in searching for, examining, and reviewing a requested public record and for the deletion and separation of exempt from nonexempt information as required by the FOIA, if the FOIA Coordinator determines that the failure to charge a fee would result in unreasonably high costs to the City because of the nature of the request in the particular instance and the FOIA Coordinator identifies the nature of these unreasonably high costs. For purposes of this subsection, the City finds that unreasonably high costs will result to the City if the time spent by the FOIA Coordinator searching for, examining, reviewing, and/or deleting and separating exempt from nonexempt information as required by the FOIA exceed 2 hours. The cost of labor incurred in searching for, examining, and reviewing a requested public record and for the deletion and separation of exempt from nonexempt information as required by the FOIA shall be based on the hourly wage of the lowest paid City employee capable of retrieving the information necessary to comply with the request.
- For each request made by an individual entitled to the information, a public record search shall be made and a copy of a public record shall be furnished without charge for the first \$20.00 of the fee, if the individual files with the FOIA Coordinator an affidavit stating that he or she is then receiving public assistance or, if not receiving public assistance, stating facts that show an inability to pay the fees because of indigence. For the purposes of this subsection, the criteria for indigence shall be the same as that used by the Charlevoix County Family Independent Agency (formerly known as the Department of Social Services) for determining eligibility for the program entitled Family Independent Program (FIP), formerly known as Aid of Families with Dependent Children (ADC).
- The FOIA Coordinator may require at the time the request for a public record is made a good faith deposit from the person making the request if the fee to receive the public record or series of public records exceeds \$50.00. However, the good faith deposit shall in no event exceed one-half (1/2) of the total fee.

Section 7. Severability.

If any section, clause, or provision of this policy be declared unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, said declaration shall not affect the remainder of the policy. The City hereby declares that it would have passed this policy and each part, section, subsection, phrase, sentence and clause irrespective of the fact that any one or more parts, sections, subsections, phrases, sentences or clauses be declared invalid.

Section 8. Effective Date.

This policy shall become effective the day after this resolution is published in a newspaper of general circulation within Charlevoix County.

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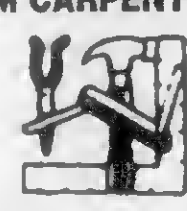
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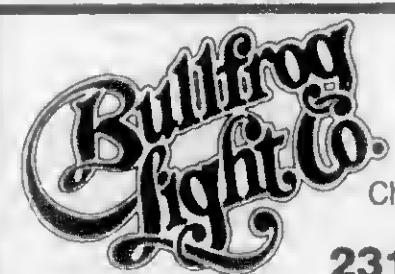
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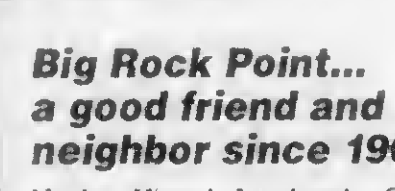
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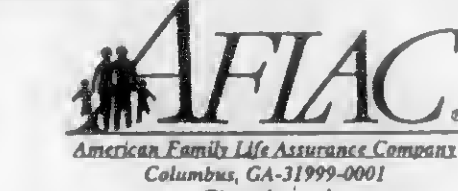


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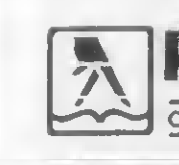


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Florida reunion

Charlevoix area people who are currently in residence in Florida are being invited to the third reunion in Sarasota. The date is March 26, when the Michiganders will gather for a luncheon. Anyone in the Sarasota area with Charlevoix roots is invited. To learn more, contact Susan Van Wieren by phone at (941) 918-0436; mail at 1617 Bayhouse Court #221, Sarasota, FL 34231-6728; or e-mail at cpsusan@aol.com.

Food distribution

Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency (NMHSA) in Petoskey announced the following time and place for March food distribution under the monthly Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) in Charlevoix County.

Food distribution will be from 8:30 a.m.-10 a.m., March 1 at the Boyne City Senior Center.

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April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Winter Astronomy Hike

The winter sky now provides a whole new palette of constellations which become very recognizable during these cold, clear nights. Join the Little Traverse Conservancy staff at 7 p.m. on Friday at Ransom Nature Preserve near Charlevoix for a Winter Astronomy Hike. This evening adventure is free of charge and sure to shake your cabin fever blues! Please call 347-0991 for directions and to register. (An alternate date is March 2 if the weather is poor).

Organic growers forum

At 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month, February through April, the Wagbo Peace Center in East Jordan, is hosting an organic growers forum. A discussion group of farmers, gardeners and interested persons will meet to discuss issues related to growing food organically. Topics pertaining to healthy soil, composting, and other issues of sustainable agriculture practices will be discussed. These forums are free and open to the public.

The Wagbo Peace Center is a non-profit educational center teach-



Quilt show

The Charlevoix Historical Society will be hosting a Quilt Show in July, celebrating the beauty and craftsmanship of historical quilts. The exhibit will be open to the public on July 12 - 15 at the Depot Museum. Society members, Cynthia Curtis Garland and Karen Smith Lewis are attending the National Quilt Show in Kentucky in April and will use the knowledge they gain as curators of the local show. Residents are invited to offer any quilts they may have as potential show pieces. Please call Garland at 547-6707 to set up an appointment to have the judges look at your quilt. (Left) Garland displays a quilt done by her great-great-grandmother, Maretta Geer Cooper, in the 1860s. (Courtesy photo)

Ducks Unlimited meeting

The Charlevoix Chapter of Ducks Unlimited will have its annual membership dinner auction at 5:30 p.m. on Feb. 22 at the Grey Gables Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. After dinner, the live auction will commence. For more information call 231-536-0333.

Piano recital

The piano and voice students of Londgren Music Studio of Charlevoix will be giving a recital at 2 p.m. on Sunday. The recital will be at Northwest Academy in Charlevoix. The public is welcome. For further information, please contact Jeff Londgren at 237-9250.

Friends of the library to meet

There will be a meeting of the Friends of the Charlevoix Public Li-

brary from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on March 1 in the basement activity room of the library. Meeting highlights will be upcoming programs and a report on results of the public forums for updating the library.

Tax help

The Charlevoix Senior Center, located at 06906 Norwood Road, will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings in the month of February. For more information call 547-5361.



Fireman's Ball

Several area firemen and residents attended the recent fireman's ball. (Above) Jeff Stevens, Lew Kline and Ed Johnson Jr. pose for a picture. (Left) The event was DJ'd by Dr. Dennis Joy, seen here with his wife, Karen. (Courtesy photos)



Donation

The Charlevoix Firefighters Association recently donated a snowmobile trailer to the Charlevoix Fire Department. (Right) Lew Kline, on left, and Shift Commander Joe Schwartzfisher, stand in front of the trailer. (Courtesy photo)



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Charlevoix Courier Northern Nights Party Page is in need of your party/event photos. Birthdays, holiday parties, family reunions, class reunions, local entertainment, bingo night, snowball fights, group ski lessons...

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Man charged with trying to bribe sheriff's deputy

A 22-year-old Grand Rapids man has been charged with a third offense of drunk driving, driving while his license was suspended and trying to bribe a public official following an incident Feb. 17 on Horton Bay Road in Bay Township.

Matthew Scott Feenstra was charged by the Charlevoix County Prosecutors Office for the offenses and appeared in 90th District Court where a \$7,000 cash or surety bond was set.

According to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, a county snowplow driver had found a car blocking his plow route at about 2:30 a.m. Feb. 17.

The car's driver, Feenstra, allegedly stopped the vehicle in the middle of the road and apparently passed out.

The sheriff's office stated Feenstra was arrested for operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol — third offense, driving while his license was suspended — third offense and possession of open alcohol.

Feenstra allegedly asked the deputy to let him go and, according to the Sheriff's Office, repeatedly offered the deputy several thousand dollars if he let him go.

He was lodged in the Charlevoix County Jail.

Operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol — third offense and bribery are both felony offenses with a possible five year sentence.

Church to host mystery dinner

An original mystery dinner production will take place at the Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7855 Rogers Road, East Jordan, at 6 p.m. Feb. 17.

The public is invited to attend this event which has become an annual feature presented by church members, many of whom appear frequently in mystery dinners at the Terrace Inn, Petoskey.

The evening includes a lasagna dinner with dessert, followed by a mystery interrogation introducing and questioning the suspects. After the questioning the audience will

be given the opportunity to question the suspects for themselves and to search for any hidden clues. A gift basket will be awarded to the top sleuth.

Adult tickets for the event are \$10, with \$5 tickets available for children under 10. Pre-sale tickets or reservations are preferred.

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Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vanc for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8

p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall, Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall, 106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vanc for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call 547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha

House. For more information call 547-0373.

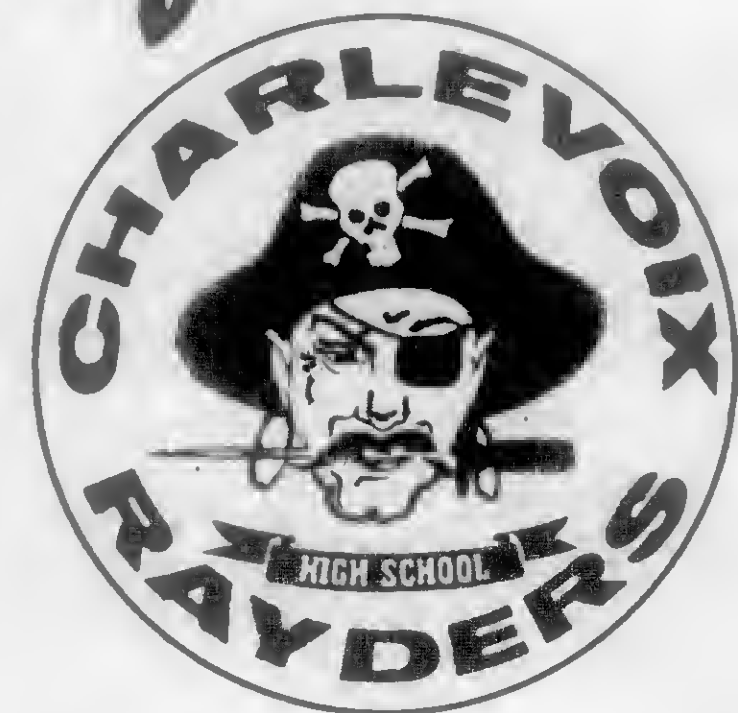
Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church, 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Congratulations Rayders



Good Luck at State Finals

The 2000/2001 Charlevoix High School ski team is: (front, from left) Coach Sue Miller, Lexi Wilson, Roscoe Serrels, (middle) Cheng Fei, Annakate Trubilowicz, Bill Foster, Chad Johnson, (back) Claas Oberbeck, Mike Dupuis and Daniel Jadwin. Assistant Coach Kevin Meier, Taylor Fisher and York Smith are missing. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Island tour



We took a photo tour of some of Beaver Island's historical places with the Beaver Island Historical Society.

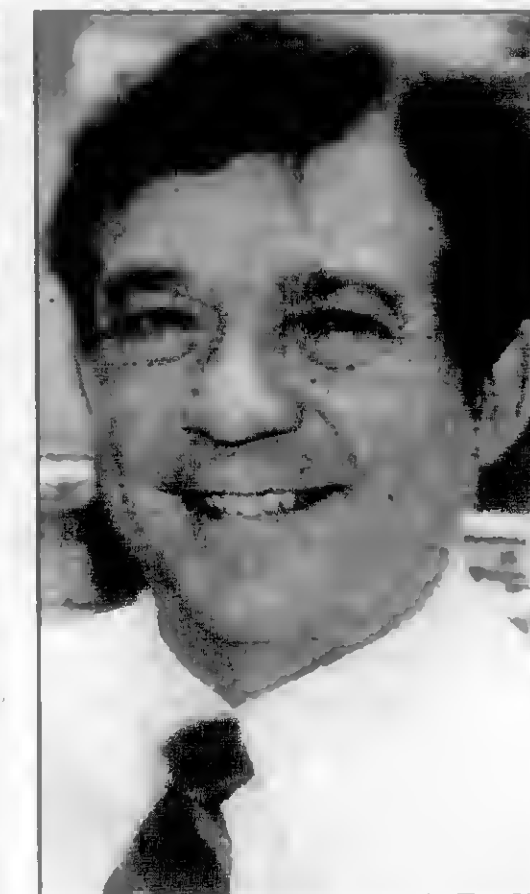
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Long ago



This week's SCRAP-BOOK section features stories from some of the early winners in Charlevoix's history.

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Kirk Schaller, 61, in a picture taken in 1999. (Photo courtesy of the Petoskey News-Review)

Courier publisher dies from heart attack at 61

By STEVE ZUCKER and KENDALL P. STANLEY
Petoskey News-Review Staff

LA GRAVE, FRANCE — Charlevoix Courier and Petoskey News-Review publisher Kirk Schaller died Sunday doing what he loved — downhill skiing.

Schaller, 61, died of an apparent heart attack after making his second run down the mountain. He was an avid skier, traveling earlier this year to the Charlevoix area of Quebec. A summer trip to South America to ski was also a regular event.

"He was a great friend, and a great ski friend," said Thomas Huckie, editor of the Cadillac

Evening News who was with Schaller when he died.

"Kirk was the type of person you always wanted to be with, and a newspaperman extraordinaire," Huckie said. "He was well-liked and well-respected in the news business."

He said he always respected what Schaller had done with improving the News-Review, and adding other services to the community.

That was a sentiment echoed by Ken Winter, Charlevoix Courier general manager.

"Kirk was quiet, but bright and powerful," Winter said. "He had excellent vision, and knew how to whip ideas into things that worked."

"The company and the paper are what they are today because of who Kirk was."

Winter and Schaller go back to 1974, when Schaller asked him to take over the editorship of the Charlevoix Courier. He had already worked for two years at the News-Review as a reporter under editor Jim Doherty.

After two years, Winter returned to the News-Review to become assistant general manager under Schaller, who was then general manager under his father, Albert, who was publisher. Albert died in 1979.

See SCHALLER, page 12

McSauba to get updates in buildings, equipment

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Mt. McSauba was recently rated by Ski Magazine as being one of the top three small ski areas in the United States, but the city budget shows maintaining its high quality comes at a steep cost.

In the budget, McSauba's expenditures for planned future capital improvements exceed the local recreation area's revenue by \$86,700.

Mt. McSauba manager Bo Boss doesn't see the financial cost to the city as outweighing the benefit the facility brings to the Charlevoix community.

"We don't always look at the bottom line, or the profit margin; our goal is to get more kids involved," Boss said.

The budget estimates Mt. McSauba's annual revenue for the next eight years to remain steady at \$7,100 a year, a total intake of \$56,800. Proposed projects planned for the recreation area over the eight-year period come at a cost of \$143,500.

See MCSAUBA, page 9



Ski team takes second in the state

The Charlevoix ski team poses with their runners up trophy. They are: (front, from left) Bill Foster, Chad Johnson, York Smith, Lexi Wilson, Roscoe Serrels, Cheng Fei, Annakate Trubilowicz, (back, from left) Taylor Fisher, Dan Jadwin, Troy Smith, Claas Oberbeck, Mike DuPuis and Coach Sue Miller. The team also took the conference championship. (Photo by Laurie Lounsbury.)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Eric John Giff, 35, Highland. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense. Bound over to circuit court.

Jeffrey Delane Cook, 34, Charlevoix. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Angela Maxine Devers, 22, Charlevoix. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Debra Lashomb Dean, 41, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Michael Theo Hammontree, 52, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Two years probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, 91 days held in abeyance; \$1,115 in fines and costs.

Michael Theo Hammontree, 52, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Two years probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 60 days on electronic monitor, 32 days held in abeyance; \$1,020 in fines and costs.

David Anthony Schmits, 37, Vanderbilt. Two counts of non-sufficient funds, more than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$559.64.

Christopher Lawrence Roper, 31, Cheboygan. Driving while impaired. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 30 days on electronic monitor,

10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 47 days held in abeyance; \$1,115 in fines and costs.

Nathan James Padgett, 19, East Jordan. Third degree retail fraud; and minor in possession of alcohol. Jail for 93 days with credit for four days, serve 89 days.

Melissa Sue Welham, 20, Petoskey. Non-sufficient funds, more than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$818.05.

John Fred Zavesky, 38, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Andrew William Kenwabikise, 19, Charlevoix. Two counts of re-

sisting and obstructing a police officer. Bound over to circuit court.

Timothy Allen Girlinghouse, 25, East Jordan. Unlawful use of a motor vehicle; and driving while license suspended-second or more. Bound over to circuit court.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Basketball Minds, 15608 Klooster Road, Charlevoix, by Matthew E. Dennis

G. & L. Tec. Services, 4403 Lakeshore Drive, Charlevoix, by Gary L. Jesick and LoisAnn Jesick

The Acorn Cafe, 103 Park Avenue, Charlevoix, by Linda J. O'Leary

Marriages

The following people have been granted a marriage license by the

Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Mark Edwin Drenth, 38, Charlevoix and Amber Kaye Bradley, 25, Charlevoix

Births

Tylan Lee Fry was born to Tiffany McKay and Steven Fry of Charlevoix on Feb. 20 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Tylan weighed 5 pounds, 10 ounces at birth.

Molly Elizabeth was born Jan. 31 to Karianne Miller and Justin Marvin of Charlevoix at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Molly's grandparents are Mark and Carla Marvin of East Jordan and Nora Miller of Charlevoix.

Historical society to present talk on bridges

The Charlevoix Historical Society will present an illustrated program on the history of Charlevoix's six known channel bridges at 7 p.m. on March 6 at the Depot Museum, located at Depot Beach at the end of Dixon Avenue in Charlevoix.

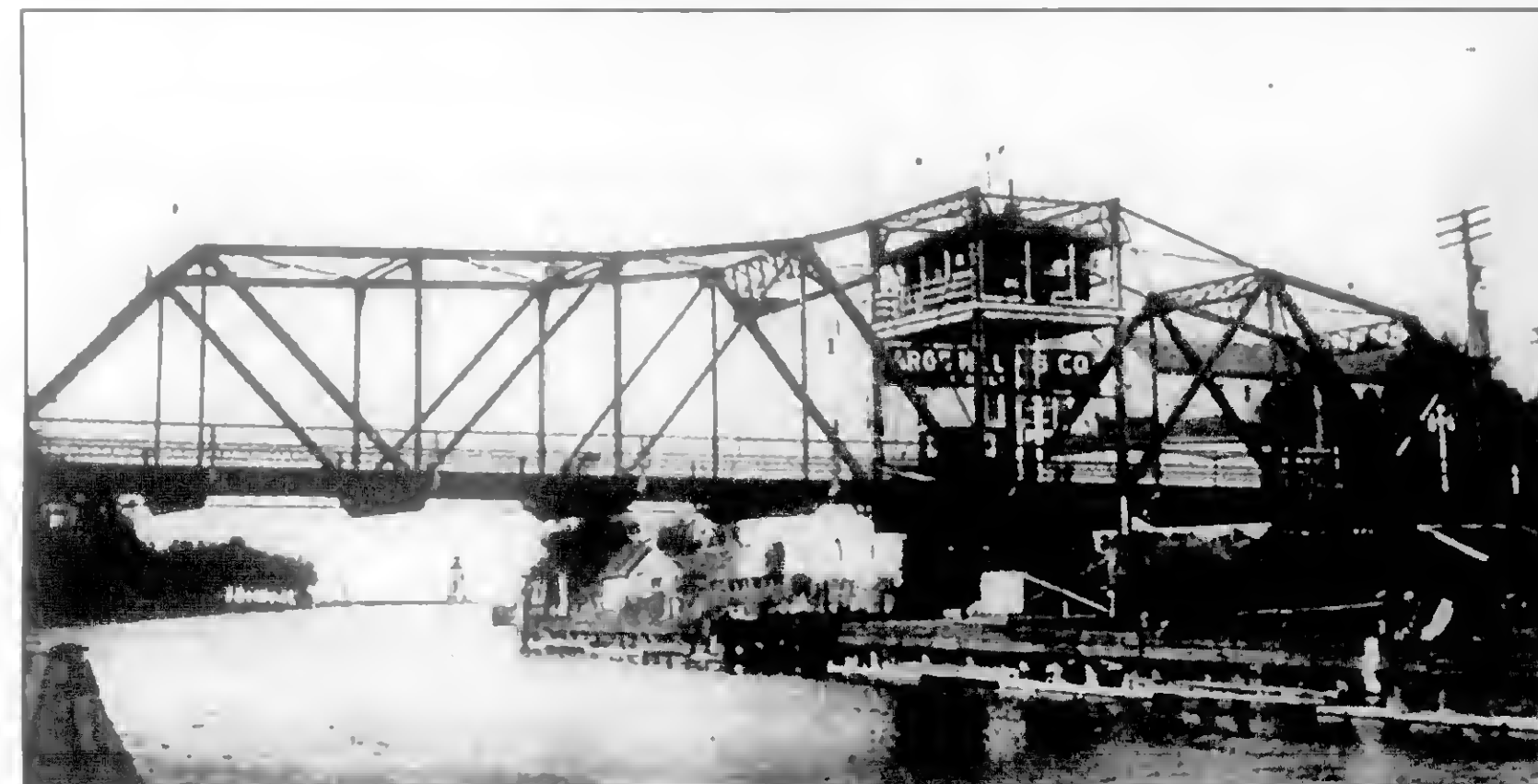
It will be hosted by David L. Miles, editor and board member of the society. He will use stories and photographs from the society's archives to explain how these bridges were built, who built them and how the town reacted to their construction.

These stories range from the comic — the horses who caused a small form of gridlock — to the hair-raising — one bridge almost knocked off its foundation — to the tragic — deaths in the channel waters.

There are even tales of how a man could be taken off his barstool to help open the bridges up.

This program is open to the general public.

There is no admission charge. For more information, call 547-0373, Tuesday through Friday.



The old number four bridge in Charlevoix. The bridge is just one of several that will be discussed March 6. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

Correction

In the editorial column on page 5 of last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier a name was incorrect.

In the portion of the story saluting various people on Beaver Island, the name of the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Deputy on the island should have been Deputy Mike Russell.

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Oleson's closes for two days to clean up

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Oleson's shoppers were disappointed Feb. 20 and 21 when they headed over to the local grocer and found the doors were locked.

"What occurred there was a lot of construction was going on inside the facility and they were not taking adequate measures to protect the food product from filth and construction debris," Michael Juhasz inspector for the Michigan Department of Agriculture said.

Juhasz explained that the local inspector came into the Oleson's store on Feb. 20 and noticed things did not meet the department's sanitation requirements. The department then issued an unsanitary notice that closed the store down for two days.

He told management that in order to sell the food, they had to take measures to ensure the safety of their products. He said that packages needed to be cleaned as did the shelves.

The inspector added that management needed to take precautions so

further construction would not contaminate the food product or the packages.

Oleson's manager Bob Borths said that employees washed everything on the shelves and also washed the shelves themselves. They then put plastic barriers up, separating the construction and grocery areas.

Oleson's doors reopened Feb. 22 after the inspector returned and agreed the store was suitable for shoppers.

"I don't foresee further action being taken by the Department of Agriculture beyond verifying that the facility is clean and has been protected," Juhasz said.

The shut down occurred during phase one of the renovation project. At this time the interior store remodeling is being done.

Phase one was started in early January.

In a previous interview, Oleson's owner DJ Oleson said that the store will not be under construction this summer and phase two construction will begin in the fall of 2001.

Beware of scam e-mail in area

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Residents should beware of an internet e-mail scam that has been found on computers in the area.

Two of the e-mails were even received by the Charlevoix Courier last week.

The scam involves a supposed dignitary from Nigeria that needs money for the Nigerian Football team. It promises a profit to the recipient of the e-mail letter.

According to Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater, this is the first time he has seen this type of scam on an e-mail system in the area. In the past, letters similar to the e-mail have been received by area residents through the mail.

"I've probably received in the last 5-6 years about a dozen of those letters sent to area residents," he said. "They use fancy names, fancy titles and offers too good to be true."

In the e-mail sent to the Charlevoix Courier, the sender introduced himself as Dr. David Akhigbe, deputy secretary/chief accountant of the Nigerian Football Association. He stated he has put too much money into a youth football championship by millions of dollars and needs an overseas account to transfer it into. According to the letter, the person who gives their account will get a percentage of the money.

The sheriff stresses, do not fall for this scam.

However, there was one area man who did fall prey to it. According to Lasater, the local man even went to Nigeria to meet with the sender of the letter.

He was met at a Nigerian airport by a person who looked like a dignitary and taken out for lunch.

In the end, the man had lost

about \$20,000 due to the scam. Lasater advises if any resident receives an e-mail or letter similar to this situation, they should contact their local police department or sheriff's department.

"Don't try to take advantage of this thinking it is too good to be true. It is a scam....," Lasater said.

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This sign was put in the window of Oleson's to inform customers of their closing last week. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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What do you think about marina plans?

Readers will be seeing a new addition to the Charlevoix Courier's OPINION page.

Starting this week, we will have a "What do you think?" editorial once a month. We will introduce a topic and state both sides of the issues. Readers are then invited to briefly tell us what they think on the issue. All of the reader comments we receive will be published in a special section before the regular letters to the editor.

This new addition is kind of like an unscientific poll of the community.

We thought we would start this first one off with the proposed expansion to the city marina.

This expansion would increase the number of slips in the marina to a maximum of 111. The expansion will take up a significant portion of the southwest corner of Round Lake and may intrude on other riparian rights.

Opponents say this expansion would bring too many boats to Round Lake. This would keep the bridge up too

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long and create congestion problems in the downtown area of Charlevoix, as well as in Round Lake.

Opponents also argue there are too many environmental impacts in these plans.

Proponents argue the expansion is needed as more boaters are discovering Charlevoix.

Plus, more boaters means more shoppers spending more money in downtown stores.

So, what do you think Charlevoix? Is a marina expansion a good thing for Charlevoix?

Send your comments to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720 or e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com. We have provided a cut out comment box at the base of this editorial as a guide.

The usual "letters to the editor" rules apply. Comments that are personal attacks will not be considered for publication. So, stick to the issue.

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The mystery behind the genes that make us up



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

This past weekend, I was shown a wall poster of all the known human genes and their locations on our chromosomes. The poster was about 4-feet-by-5-feet and was completely covered with printed words and symbols too small for my far-sighted and slightly clouded vision to appreciate without considerable magnification.

Within the last month or so we have all read news stories about the decoding of the human genome, the complete genetic recipe for the human being. Just what does all this mean and why should anyone but a few scientists be interested in it?

Some writers have suggested that the decoding of the human genome and that of other creatures constitutes the greatest intellectual moment in all of human history. Maybe that's a reason for being interested.

A very short genetics lesson is in order.

If we look inside the microscopic cells of any sort of organism — from bacteria and molds to plants, insects, clams, squirrels, chimpanzees and us — we find similar structures. Some of the most important structures there are chromosomes.

Each cell of an organism has the same chromosomes. During the past 50 years or so, detailed chemical examination of those chromosomes has shown that every kind of creature on earth has the same chemicals in those chromosomes. The most important chemical is abbreviated as DNA (short for deoxyribonucleic acid.) All the DNA found in each individual cell constitutes the genome of that organism.

Matt Ridley has written recently that the human genome is like a book. The human genome according to Ridley consists of about 30,000 stories called genes. Each story is made up of paragraphs and each paragraph is made up of words. Geneticists call the words codons. Each word is made up of only four different letters called bases. The bases make up the DNA in each of our cells and in each of the cells of all other creatures.

The human genome book has about one billion words, or about as many as in 800 bibles. Many of the words and stories in our genome book are the same as those in the genome of other organisms. We share about half of our genes with plants and more than 90 percent with a wide variety of animals not closely related to us.

Nearly all our genes are like those of chimpanzees, and the differences in genes from one human to another must almost necessarily be described as inconsequential.

Among those billion words making up the human genome, only a few hundred are likely to be different from one of us to the other. Imagine

looking for the few hundred differences in words among 800 bibles.

Knowing what the human genes are and knowing what they do will provide us with an almost unbelievable set of future options. Some diseases may be cured in remarkably efficient ways; birth defects may be eliminated or reduced; and we will likely know a great deal about just what sorts of diseases or disabilities we are likely to acquire as we grow older.

There are genes that enhance or encourage the development of cardiovascular disease. We will probably be able to predict at birth and with some degree of certainty whether a given individual is likely to suffer a heart attack before age 40 for example.

Would you like to know that about yourself or your children? Would your insurance company like to know that about you? These are questions we will have to answer both for ourselves and for others before many years have gone by: certainly within a few decades.

As the old Irish toast or curse goes, "May you live in interesting times." We do and we will, and knowledge about the human genome will both provide the questions and possibly help us answer them.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

More basketball courts needed

Editor:

I am a sixth grader at Charlevoix Middle School. I have an idea to keep kids safer after school hours. I think we should have basketball courts in the vacant lots or alleys. This would keep kids off the streets after school.

Kids need a place to go after school

besides Subway. Some young people can't go straight home after school and if they wanted to they could go play basketball. Basketball is just one thing they could do. I chose it because I like the sport a lot.

Another reason is so kids won't get hurt walking around by themselves. For example kids who are unsupervised after school are more likely to

get hurt. If they get hurt who will help them?

Lastly, some people can't get access to a gym. A gym is a good place to play basketball. Thank you for listening to me.

Matt Kanine
Sixth Grade Student
Charlevoix Middle School

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Gault gives her thanks

Editor:

I appreciate the opportunity you have given me to try to thank all the people that were touched by our ordeal. I did not know where to begin; I wish I could thank each and every one of you personally.

First of all, Paul Welke, who is our absolute hero. You can only imagine our feelings when off in the distance, we heard the sound of a plane, only to hear it become louder with each passing second. His bravery, experience, intuition and deep caring makes him a truly remarkable person. It may sound silly, but when we are ready, we plan to adopt a puppy and name him Welke. Thank you Mr. Welke.

To the people of Beaver Island, I knew, just knew, if we were on the island, you were out there looking for us. It gave such hope.

To Tim McDonough, Deputy Sheriff Mike Russell, Jim Wojan, Darrell Butler, Rich Gillespie and all the people involved in the rescue, so many thanks.

To our dear friend, Ron Wojan, for being with my husband, in his darkest times.

To Billy McDonough, who announced the wonderful news to my husband.

To Jeff Powers, the island vet, who so sympathetically took care of our dog, who made me feel some relief.

To all of you, that I have never met and don't even know your names, thank you.

To the Canadian Rescue team, that was out there looking for us.

To the men in the Coast Guard, who are trained for this, but probably never truly prepared for what they may find.

To the people in Charlevoix. To Sheriff George Lasater, who was a lifeline to my fami-

ly in Chicago, when they could not get answers from anyone else.

To all the doctors, nurses and staff at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

To Tamara Stevens, the public relations person at the hospital, who kept me shielded from the media, which was an experience that could have added so greatly to my stress.

To Bob, the ambulance driver, who brought my Emma tacos when she was feeling better. I could see her perk up.

To the people I have never met, who offered me their homes, prayers and emotions.

I know I have probably left many people out, but please know that you all played a part in this. I never knew people could be so "good."

On behalf of my loving husband, my beautiful, spectacular children — I thank all of you.

Love,
Mirth Gault
Chicago

Float, letter example of moral decline

Editor:

Mr. Eickhoff does not have to make up "some basic flyers" in reference to his letter in your Feb. 14 edition (page 5).

His float and letter are perfect examples of the degradation of morals in our country and his "confused viewers" are not.

Hilda Armstrong
Ellsworth

We need more sports

Editor:

I am a student at Charlevoix Middle School and I think the middle school should organize more sports for sixth graders. One example is that only eighth graders are allowed to be cheerleaders. If sixth graders could cheer, we could support our team, have fun and keep out of trouble easier.

There are no sixth grade basketball teams for the school. Even if other schools don't

have teams, we could help them get teams. If we get any teams, we should have them open to sixth graders before they are open to seventh or eighth graders. That way, more sixth graders will have a chance to be on teams. Two of the only teams we can be on, the ski team and cross-country are open to seventh and eighth graders too.

If we want to play baseball or soccer, we have to play in the recreation league. Sixth graders are not allowed on the Rayder soccer team or recreation soccer team. Recreation league soccer ends for us after the fall going into sixth grade. We also have to play recreation league basketball. That is not as much fun because barely anyone comes to watch our games. Also, we have to play against most of our friends instead of with them.

Most importantly, if people are busy, they usually stay out of trouble easier because they are occupied. Sometimes, kids don't know what to do in their free time so they do something they aren't supposed to do. Sports keeps kids busy and out of trouble.

For example, on Saturdays, I am always occupied because I play recreation league basketball. Then, I stay to watch my

friends play their games. Since I am occupied, I stay out of trouble.

This is why I would like someone to organize more sports for sixth graders. Even if it doesn't happen this year, next year, I hope the sixth graders will be busier and happier.

Zita Anderson
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

We need real drums

Editor:

I am a sixth grade student at Charlevoix Middle School. I think that the drummers in our band should get real snare drums. It makes sense because the trumpet players get real trumpets and the saxophone players get real saxophones. So why shouldn't the drummers get real drums?

One result of having real drums is we might get more drummers because people might be more enthused to play. That would be good because then the wind instruments wouldn't drown us out. We would also have a better sound because people would be more likely to practice. Also, a snare drum can make more than one sound and sounds better than the clicks and taps that

we get on our practice pads.

Most importantly, it all adds up to a better band because people might practice more and we'd have a better sound. One advantage to having a better band is we'd do better in festivals. I think the drummers in our band should get real snare drums.

Geoff Baier
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

More basketball hoops needed at Shanahan

Editor:

I am a sixth grade student at Charlevoix Middle School. I think Shanahan should have more basketball hoops, because some of the hoops are broken or rusted. Also, the skating park is in the way of the hoops. There are always three or four ramps on the court, which means no room for the basketball players. But most importantly, people could get hurt if a basketball rolled on to the half pipe and someone was going down the half pipe. Also someone could press charges for this. Thank you for your time.

Tyler Haske
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

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Official Notice

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING ~ SYNOPSIS February 19, 2001 ~ 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present with the exception of Council member A. J. Witthoef.

A Public Hearing was held for the Budget Appropriation Act - Amendment to 2000-2001 City Budget. Council unanimously approved Ordinance No. 663*.

A Public Hearing was held for the Budget Appropriation Act - Ordinance for 2001-2002 City Budget. Council unanimously approved Ordinance No. 664*.

A Public Hearing was held for the City Code Update - Miscellaneous Amendments. Council unanimously approved Ordinance No. 665*.

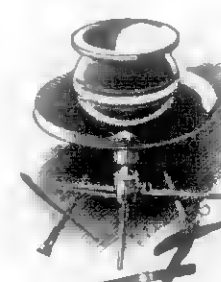
Mayor Russell appointed John Campbell to serve on the City Planning Commission, in place of Bernie De Vries.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

Ordinance Nos. 663, 664 and 665 are published in a different location of this paper.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor



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Play time

Preschool students at Kid's Corner spend some time getting their hands dirty in the class sand box. They are: (left to right) Sam Stewart, Mallory Murray, Caroline Boss, Jacqlyn Merrill and Lexie Barnes. Kid's Corner is located in the Congregational Church on State and Park Streets. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Hospital to host
BABY fair March 7

A Beginning Advantage Baby and You (BABY) Fair will be offered at the Charlevoix Area Hospital from 4-7 p.m. March 7 in the lower level conference room.

This open house is free to the public.

Light refreshments will be served, and door prizes will be given. The grand door prize is a Pump 'N Style breast pump valued at \$270. Breast-feeding supplies and apparel will be featured at the open house.

Booths offering information on Infant CPR, car seat safety, pre- and postnatal exercise, baby massage and post-partum depression will be available.

Parents will also be able to sign-up their children for a sibling class.

For more information, please call Debbie at 547-8575. This open house previously was known as the Breastfeeding Clinic.

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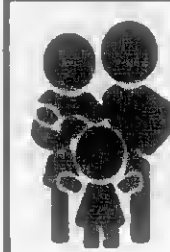
A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

NMU dean's list

Several Charlevoix High School graduates were recently named to the Northern Michigan University dean's list. They were: Liza M. Gorkiewicz, Ross L. Omland, Sonja L. Omland, Jonathan M. Purdy, Nicole M. Sheldon and Brian J. Thanasiu.

WMU graduate

Lisa A. Hoadley, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from Western Michigan University with a bachelor's of science degree in nursing. Her parents are Paul and Deanna Hoadley of Charlevoix.

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Manker resigns coaching
job for Harbor Springs job

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After six years of sweating it out on the field, soccer hall of famer Hagen Manker, 50, of Charlevoix, resigned his position as girls' varsity soccer coach recently.

"Hagen brought with him a great work ethic. He was very demanding and I appreciated that from him. He has been the only coach we've ever had here for girls' soccer. He has built a really good program," said Keith Haske, assistant principle and athletic director at Charlevoix High School.

Manker said that his decision wasn't easy but it came down to watching his daughter play from the sidelines or coaching her himself.

Manker's children are currently attending Harbor Springs schools and he decided not to pass up the opportunity to spend more time with them. He has accepted the position as both the girls' and boys' varsity soccer coach in Harbor Springs. Manker moved to Charlevoix 22 years ago and after having played soccer for 40 years of his life he wanted to share his experience with others.

Hagen started the girls' soccer

"He has been the only coach we've ever had here for girls' soccer. He has built a really good program."

Keith Haske,
Charlevoix High School athletic director

program in Charlevoix and has seen great successes in his six years.

The team started out with little experience and after three years they beat Petoskey who had a long-standing, strong program. They also defeated Alpena last year which showed the team's growth and strength.

Manker proudly noted the handful of players that went on to play at the collegiate level after graduating from Charlevoix.

Beyond tallying many wins, last year the team was in first place in the state for academics and were in the top five for academics during the four years prior.

The team's success on the field and in the classroom may reflect Manker's unique coaching philosophy. He explained that the lessons he teaches student-athletes are not only about dribbling, passing and scoring, but they also deal with life.

"To me there is nothing more gratifying than instilling a sense of rewards through hard work in the

students. Through hard work in academics, athletics or spirituality you can make a change in your life. You see tangible results as a coach you can see where you make a positive impact with just a little effort," Manker said.

Manker leaves behind a solid foundation to be built on by the varsity girls' soccer coach taking over the reigns in the spring.

The Charlevoix school board accepted Manker's resignation at the Feb. 12 meeting. Manker said that the school is looking at Charlevoix resident Carol Madison to replace him.

The school board will review this recommendation at the 7 p.m. meeting March 12 in the study hall room at the high school.

"The Charlevoix girls' (soccer) program is in really good shape. These girls are one of the premier teams in northern Michigan right now. They should do well and I wish them all the best," Manker said.



Hagen Manker has decided to take another job coaching in Harbor Springs to be with his children. He has been a soccer coach in Charlevoix for 6 years. (File photo)

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Albert McDonald: Jan. 29, 1924 - Feb. 15, 2001

Albert McDonald died in Tampa Springs, Fla. on Feb. 15. He was born Jan. 29, 1924. He attended East Jordan school and graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1942.

He served as an army paratrooper in World War II. He is survived by his wife, Jean; two daughters, Janice and Jill; two grandsons, Wyatt and Wesley; one brother, Howard (Romelle) of Jack-

son; three sisters, Jessie (Samuel) Williams of Uniontown, Ohio, Marjorie Burr of Gladwin and Leona Zeitler (Edwin Peter) of Charlevoix. He was preceded in death by his brother Wilbur.

Health advice given for women

"Healthy Choices for a Healthy Heart" was the topic of the fourth annual Women's Heart Conference was Feb. 10 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix.

More than 50 women registered for the half-day conference sponsored by the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, Charlevoix Area Hospital, the American Heart Association, and the Fitness Council of Northern Michigan.

Free blood pressure checks and cholesterol screenings were offered to all participants.

Many women took advantage of the opportunity to have a low-cost bone density testing of their heel performed by the hospital's radiology technologist Michelle Potter.

The simple procedure scans the heel to determine patient's risk for osteoporosis.

The half-day conference featured speakers Donna Burge, Health Educator for the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency who spoke about Eating to Keep Your Heart Healthy; Mary Seger-Noss, Nurse Practitioner and Ph.D., who spoke about Menopause and Heart Disease; Marietta Bell-Scriber, a registered nurse with Munson Medical Center's Cardiovascular Outreach program, who spoke about risk factors of stroke, statistics and healthy choices for women; and Maggie Daniels, exercise specialist, who



One of the participants at the Women's Heart Conference receives a massage from a presenter. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Area Hospital)

spoke about Mastering the Art of Women's Fitness.

A heart healthy luncheon was served at the conference provided by John McDonald, director of

Food and Nutrition at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Door prizes were given to the participants, as well as many handouts and free information packets.

Jail tour

Brownie troop 262 toured the Charlevoix jail and earned a Crime Prevention Badge Feb. 23. They are: (Back) Co-leader Nicole Zawisza, Rose Trudeau, Whitney Cox, (middle) Jordan Dixon, Amanda Hoepfner, Haley Mazur, Cassidy Stebe, Emily Mielke, junior aid Alicia Guidice, (front) Ashley Marsh, Taylor Smith, Megan Zawisza, Linsea Jelinek, Jenna Troppman and Avery Jones. (Courtesy photo)



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City to shell out bucks for McSauba upgrades

MCSAUBA

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City treasurer Rick Brandi said the city doesn't know how they will fund these projects, the capital plan itself is only a planning tool that helps the city project possible future costs.

"The first couple of years are fundable. It's when we get into the third and fourth years, and the water line replacement that it's (the fund balance) in the hole," Brandi said. City Manager Mike Wiesner said that the money will most likely come from the general fund but the city may also look for grants.

"There is no guarantee that the money will be there (in the general fund) but it is likely," he added.

The budget shows that in 2001 the recreation area is \$9,400 on the plus side. However, the city will be paying \$20,000 this spring to build a new garage to store the snow groomer that was purchased in 2000.

Another change was approved during a recent city council tour of the back hill at McSauba. It was decided that a triangular group of trees at the bottom of the tow line would

be removed.

Boss said that it is currently difficult for the tow operator to see down the line because of the trees.

In 2002 the capital plan shows the ski hill will replace a snow gun for \$9,000 and will also be putting in a snowboard park at a cost of \$2,500. Adding the 2002 estimated revenue of \$7,100 to the \$9,400 from 2001 gives the recreation hot-spot a total of \$16,500 in available funds. So, at the close of 2002 McSauba's fund will have a balance of \$5,000.

Boss said that the city is getting a deal to replace the snow guns from Nub's Nob manager Jim Bartlett, who designed the snow making system they currently have.

"We bought the guns we have right now in 1979 for \$10,000. They've run their course," he said. At \$9,000 a piece for the new guns, Boss said the price was "incredible."

The snowboard park will be situated where the difficult run, "the chute" currently is.

Boss will present a clay model of the planned park to city council in the next couple of weeks. He said that all costs of constructing the park will be donated.

In 2003 the fund balance falls further. Another snow gun will be re-

placed at a cost of \$9,000. Adding the revenue from 2003 to the fund balance from 2002 gives the city \$12,100 in available funds. This \$12,100 minus the \$9,000 allocated to the snow gun, leaves the fund balance at \$3,100.

The budget shows that the city will have to start paying more money into McSauba in 2004 when the snow making water lines and pumps are planned for replacement after 20 years of service.

Boss said McSauba's current irrigation system uses plastic lines that split often and need repair. He

added that the city has been lucky the lines lasted for so long and they will most likely be replaced by steel lines.

Replacing this irrigation system comes at an estimated cost of \$40,000. However, the total expenditure is \$49,000, as another snow gun will be replaced. New snow guns will again be bought in both 2005 and 2006.

The completion of these projects will require the city to fund, or find funding for, the remaining \$38,800.

Boss sees the efficiency of the new system as helping save money

in the long-run.

"In December we made snow for 400 hours. The new system could make the same amount of snow in probably 100 hours. That will save big time on water and electrical costs. The new system can also make snow up to 32 degrees, now it has to be 25 degrees or below," Boss said.

A parking expansion is also in store for McSauba in 2004. Boss said that on an average night, cars line either side of the street.

He foresees them doubling the current 75 car capacity.



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Charlevoix Township will conduct a public information meeting to discuss the need for sanitary sewers in the Pine Point Subdivision and Raspberry Lane area. The meeting will be held at 1:00 p.m. on March 10, 2001 at the Charlevoix Township Hall, 12491 Waller Road, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720.

The purpose of the meeting will be to explore the need for sanitary sewer service in the Pine Point Subdivision and Raspberry Lane area. A preliminary engineering investigation was conducted by Charlevoix Township in the spring of 2000. The findings of this investigation, including cost estimates, will be presented and residents will be given the opportunity to ask questions and express their opinions.

This is an exploratory meeting to see if support exists to initiate the process of funding and building sewers in the Pine Point Subdivision and Raspberry Lane area of the Township. We need your input to help the Township Board decide about this important matter.

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'Lady Biker Day' in need of volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help organize Lady Biker Day First Ever Poker Run, slated for August.

The 50 mile women's motorcycle cruise will start Aug. 18 in East Jordan and will take riders on a route through Ellsworth, Central Lake, Bellaire and Charlevoix.

The event organizer and lady biker, Dawn Johnson, is seeking people to help with registration, set-up, food, entertainment, vendors and more.

"It may be the only event of its kind around and looks to be some major fun," Johnson said.

The ride coincides with East Jordan's Sidewalk Sales and includes five stops along the country route to pick up playing cards. The biker with the best playing hand by the end of the ride wins a prize.

The cost to participate is a \$15 donation.

To volunteer or to request a registration packet call the East Jordan Area Chamber of Commerce at (231) 536-7351.

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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
Ordinance No. 665 of 2001

AN ORDINANCE TO ADD A NEW SUBSECTION TO SECTION 9.143 OF ARTICLE III, CHAPTER 113 OF THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CODE WHICH PROHIBITS DOGS ON CERTAIN PORTIONS OF CITY BEACHES; AN ORDINANCE TO ADD NEW SECTIONS 9.144 AND 9.145 TO ARTICLE III OF CHAPTER 113 OF THE CITY CODE RELATING TO DOG CONTROL; AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL AND REPLACE SECTION 9.3 OF CHAPTER 111 TO RESTRICT MISDEMEANOR PENALTIES TO VIOLATIONS OF SECTION 9.2 OF THE CITY CODE; AND AN ORDINANCE TO ADD SECTION 9.4 TO CHAPTER 111 OF THE CITY CODE TO MAKE CERTAIN ACTS RELATING TO DISORDERLY CONDUCT A CIVIL INFRACTION.

THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Addition to Section 9.143 of Article III of Chapter 113.

Section 9.143(4) is added to the City Code and shall read as follows:

- 4) From Memorial Day to Labor Day, no person owning, keeping or in charge of a dog shall permit the dog to enter the sand beach area directly adjacent to the lake water at those City parks identified as: Michigan Beach, Depot Beach and Ferry Beach.

SECTION 2. Addition of Section 9.141 to Article III of Chapter 113.

A new Section 9.141 is added to the City Code and shall read as follows:

9.141. Removal of Droppings.

No person owning, keeping or in charge of any dog shall allow the dog to defecate on any public property, public sidewalk, public right-of-way, or upon any other type of public property whatsoever, or upon any private property without the permission of the owner of the property unless:

- (1) The person who owns, keeps or is in charge of the dog shall immediately remove all droppings deposited by the dog by a sanitary method and is disposed of in sanitary method on the property of the person owning, keeping or in charge of the dog, or is placed in a public refuse receptacle if the droppings are in an airtight container or airtight bag.

SECTION 3. Addition of Section 9.145 to Article III of Chapter 113.

A new Section 9.145 is added to the City Code and shall read as follows:

9.145. Container.

No person owning, keeping or is in charge of a dog shall permit the dog to be on any public property, public sidewalk, public right-of-way, or upon any other type of public property whatsoever, or upon any private property without the permission of the owner of the property, unless the dog is accompanied by a person who has in the person's possession a container or bag of sufficient size to collect and remove the droppings of the dog. The person accompanying the dog shall show the container to any City police officer or authorized city personnel if requested.

SECTION 4. Section 9.3 of Chapter 111, Article IX is repealed and replaced.

Section 9.3 is hereby repealed and replaced with a new Section 9.3 which shall read in its entirety as follows:

9.3 Misdemeanor.

Each person violating any provision of Section 9.2 of this Code shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. A person convicted violating any provision of Section 9.2 shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500) and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days, or both.

SECTION 5. Addition of Section 9.4 to Chapter 111 of Article IX.

A new Section 9.4 is added to the City Code and shall read as follows:

9.4 Acts Prohibited (Civil Infraction). No person shall:

- (1) Disturb the public peace and quiet by loud, boisterous or vulgar conduct.
(2) Permit any place occupied or controlled by him or her to be a place in which noisy, boisterous or disorderly persons are present.

SECTION 2. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after its enactment.

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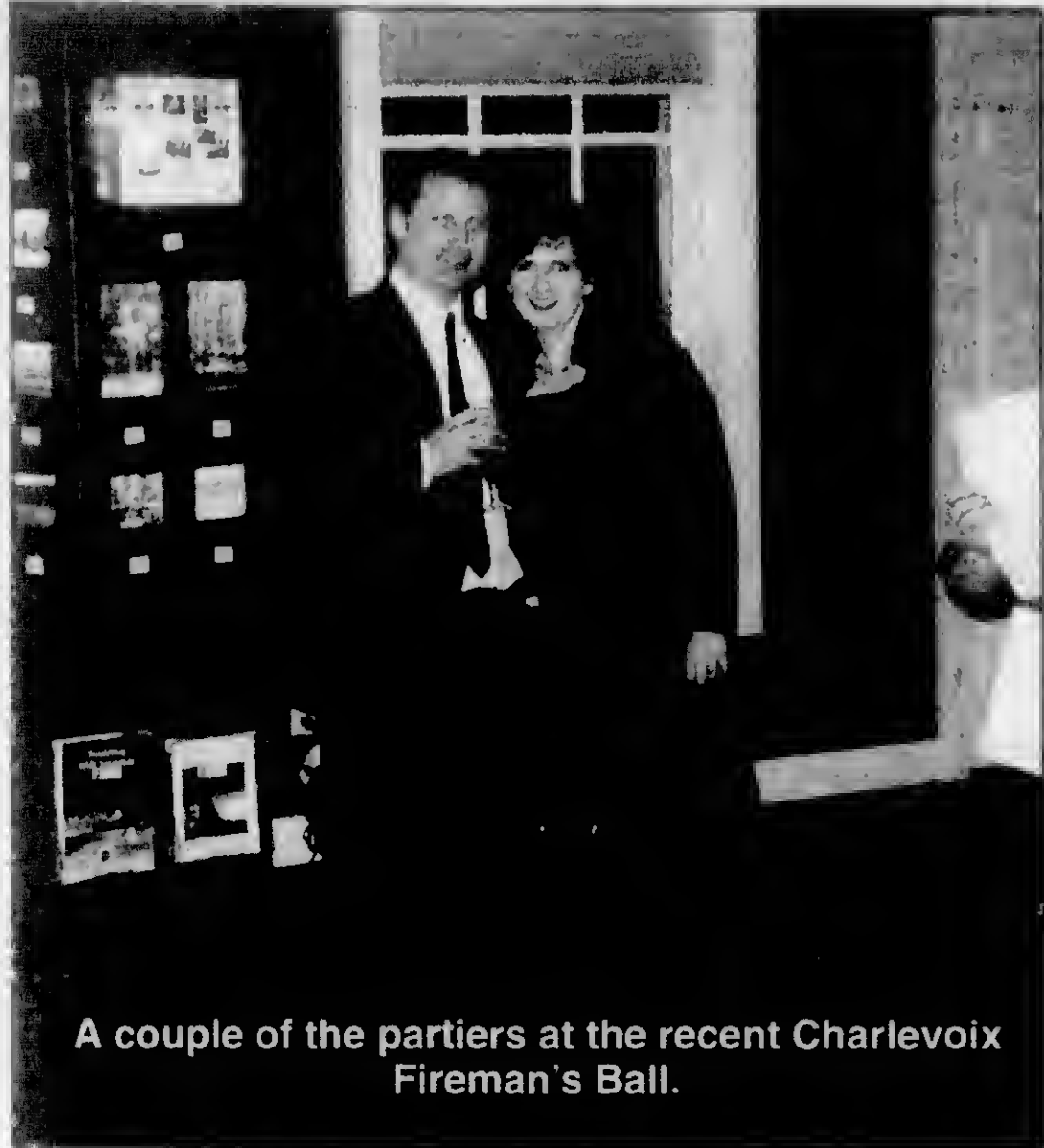
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A couple of the partiers at the recent Charlevoix Fireman's Ball.



John Haggard and Bob Davis at the Beaver Island Coyote party at a Washington D.C. bar.



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Schaller called a legend in newspaper business

SCHALLER

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"Kirk has been more than a boss for 27 years," Winter said. "We've had our annual ski trips to Canada, Colorado, and all over out west. It was a time for talking shop and having fun."

"He was more than a boss to me, he was a big brother. And he was a hell of a mentor."

Jim Grisso, publisher of the Gaylord Herald Times which is owned by the Charlevoix Courier and Petoskey News-Review's parent company, Northern Michigan Review Inc., said his memories of Schaller go back 57 years.

"Kirk and I go back to when we were friends when we were 4 years old," Grisso said. "There's a lot of good memories growing up with Kirk in Petoskey."

Grisso eventually moved away, but when he wanted to move out of Cleveland where he was selling ads in 1967, Albert offered him a job at the News-Review.

Grisso ended up in Gaylord and has worked with Schaller since.

"Kirk's a newspaper man," Grisso said. "He cared about his newspaper, and he cared about his people. One article on Kirk a few years ago said he put the newsroom and the editorial integrity of his publications first, and the dollar second. I've known that for 30 years, and that's the way we operated."

"There's a lot of memories of Kirk, but mostly it would be his honesty and integrity as a newspaper publisher," Grisso said. "He treated everyone the same, his employees and members of the community."

"I'm going to miss him."

Christopher Huckle, publisher of the Cadillac Evening News and Thomas' son, said he knew Schaller through his father.

"The Petoskey News-Review has always been a paper where I could call Kirk and Ken and trust them implicitly with a newspaper decision," he said. "Kirk was a great guy, and a

phenomenal person."

He said it was Schaller, Winter and his uncle, Jim, who got his dad into skiing in the early '90s.

"He'd take two or three trips a year with Kirk, to South America, Austria, Canada, France, out west," he said. "They liked the extreme skiing, the hiking up, they didn't like mainstream skiing, they wanted to ski where most people don't get a chance to ski."

One of those skiing partners was downtown Petoskey business owner Dave Meyer.

Meyer, of Petoskey's Meyer Hardware, said although his family goes way back with the Schallers, he first got to know Schaller well when he was invited along on a ski trip some 20 years ago.

Meyer said he remembers that Salt Lake City, Utah, ski trip vividly.

"I was all fired up to go skiing and the first place we go is to the grocery store," Meyer said. "There Kirk was buying all the newspapers and picking up all the free publications ... He was always a journalist at heart, on vacation or working."

Last month Meyer accompanied Schaller on a skiing trip to Canada where Meyer said he still was picking up all the local publications.

Meyer said he has made many trips back to Salt Lake City to ski since that first trip with Schaller 20 years ago.

In fact, Meyer spoke to the News-Review today, Monday from his hotel room in Salt Lake City where he is on a skiing trip with his son.

Meyer also pointed to Schaller's sense of humor.

"He could always come up with a good laugh at the dinner table that would bring the whole group down," Meyer added.

"It's tough," Jim Erhart, a close friend of Schaller's said of his "good friend's" death. "There's a big sense of loss. My heart goes out to the family. There's a huge void."

"The times that we spent together were just so fabulous," Erhart said as he recalled playing hide and seek with Schaller this past New Year's

Eve.

"I'm the last guy to play hide and seek with him. That just shows the depth of his person ... He's going to be missed dearly."

Cindy Shaw, a family friend of the Schallers, described him as someone who did everything "110 percent."

Shaw's husband, John, was a close friend and former roommate of Schaller's who shared many skiing adventures with him.

"He died doing what he loved," Cindy Shaw said. "We should all be so fortunate to die in deep powder."

In addition to his skiing, he loved to sail.

Karl Jurries, a long-time friend of Schaller's, said he'll remember the many sailing races and ski outings he shared with Schaller.

"He fully enjoyed life to the most," Jurries said. "He always took time to talk with his family. He was always happy and had a good joke ... His enjoyment of life was infectious. He'll be missed."

Schaller's mother, Doris Schaller Vernon, said when Albert died she was on the board, and it made sense to have Kirk become the publisher. He had been working with his father, and it was logical for him to take over as publisher, she said.

"I was secretary of the company board, and after Kirk was publisher for awhile, Kirk was in charge," she said. "I gave my input, but I've been happy with what he's done over the years."

"It's a sad day."

Schaller's history at the newspaper goes back to when he was 4, when he'd sweep up around the office of the old Northern Michigan Review. He started part-time in the mid-1950s, and went full-time in 1962 after his graduation from Ferris State College with a degree in business.

At the newspaper he worked as a photographer, advertising sales representative, business manager and then general manager, before being named publisher in 1979.

The Schaller family purchased the

Charlevoix Courier in the late 1960s.

Longtime Petoskey News-Review sports editor Jerry Rosevear said he has known Schaller since high school and remembers working with him back when the paper's offices were located on Mitchell Street.

"To me he was a boss who, in a quiet sort of way, kind of always blended in," Rosevear said. "That's what I will remember."

"As a fellow worker, and later my employer, it was the same calm demeanor. I never heard him raise his voice to anyone within the office. He was very respectful and respected," Rosevear added.

Former Petoskey News-Review reporter and fellow Rotarian Dianne Litztenburger described Schaller as "a quiet giant in the publishing world."

"He didn't fit the (typical) character (of a publisher)," Litztenburger said. "He wasn't loud with his voice, but he was with his actions. That made him truly a newspaper legend."

Litztenburger said she enjoyed working for Schaller during her 8 1/2-year tenure at the News-Review in the 80s.

"He was the type of guy you could walk down the hall and talk to him about whatever was on your mind. He always had a steady hand and a gentle way of leading the News-Review."

Litztenburger said she got to know Schaller better through her service on the paper's editorial board.

"He could be extremely vigilant, especially when the subject had anything to do with taxes. That was his crusade," she said. "He was willing to use the newspaper to offer help for a good cause."

Fellow Rotarian Jim Beno expressed the shock shared by many at Schaller's sudden death.

"This is a tremendous loss of a great leader, Rotarian and good friend to our community," Beno said. "Kirk worked hard and played hard. He loved to live life to the fullest."

Beno pointed to the time when Schaller shared his favorite deep-dish pizza recipe and a list of his favorite Chicago restaurants with him as one of his favorite memories.

"He died pursuing his favorite joy and pastime, skiing. Knowing Kirk, if he had to pick a way to go, I feel it truly would have been while skiing ... He will be forever missed."

Former Petoskey Mayor and Emmet County Commissioner Herb Carlson, who worked with Schaller for many years on local traffic and road issues, described him as very energetic.

"I had great respect for Kirk. I valued his opinions and sought them often both as county commissioner and mayor."

He is survived, in addition to his mother, by his wife, Elsa, sons David, John and Patrick Schaller, daughter Gretchen Schaller Arnold, brother Brent Schaller and sister Karen Schaller Lewicki.



Island history

Recently, Courler Editor Jeremy McBain took a historical tour of Beaver Island. The tour started at the Mormon Print Shop (left) with Robert Cole of the Beaver Island Historical Society. The print shop was the home of the first daily newspaper in northern Michigan, the Northern Islander, a mormon paper in the 1800s. Below, an old desk and chair in the print shop from an ancient island school house. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



The trip also included a stop at the Beaver Island Historical Society's Maritime museum. Above, a lifeboat from the famed ship, the Bradley. The ship blew up one night in the harbor killing the men on board. Next to it are Cole and Society member Bill Cashman (right). (Right) A painting of the island's beloved Protar, hanging in the print shop.

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CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW - 2001

The Charlevoix Township Board of Review will meet at the Charlevoix Township Hall at 12491 Waller Road, Tuesday, March 6, 2001, at 9:00 a.m. for the purpose of reviewing the 2001 assessment roll.

Residents may examine their property assessment at the Board of Review, Monday, March 12, 2001, from 9:00 a.m. until noon and from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. and on Tuesday, March 13, 2001, from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. and from 7:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. at the Charlevoix Township Hall.

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School to offer computers, instruments to students

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Through the Student Technology and Arts Resource Program the local charter school, Northwest Academy will be offering its students the opportunity to earn personal computers, software and musical instruments.

"The purpose of the program is to increase the student's ability to excel by getting the equipment into their hands. What's the catch? There is no catch," Northwest's technology teacher Jonathan Winkjer said.

The school's plan is to offer new students or current students that recruit a new student an "award."

"The program is driven by recruitment. Students themselves seem to seek out the best students. They say 'hey, there is a bit more freedom (at Northwest)' it's not as formally structured," Winkjer said.

One of the award options is a brand new desktop computer complete with monitor, modem, speakers and basic operational software. Students will receive the computer in November, after the first marking period, and can then use it throughout the year.

After completing the school year the student may purchase the computer from the academy for \$100 or

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Jonathan Winkjer,
Northwest Academy technology teacher

return it to the school.

Or, students who already have a home system may opt to upgrade that system through a variety of software options.

The third option is based on Northwest's musical savvy. Winkjer estimates that 70 percent of the 90 enrolled students are already in one of Northwest's three bands. He also said that he has seen students join the school band and then had their grades go up.

Because of the correlation, the school's administration has seen between inclusion in the band and high academic marks they are offering a package that includes one year rental of a band instrument or \$400 toward the purchase of a new instrument.

The fourth opportunity is a \$400 scholarship to an approved program for arts and technology instruction during non-school hours.

Eligibility is based upon performance and academic competency. Students must maintain a C grade level in each class they are taking at

all times or they lose the incentive package.

The school plans to use state funding to pay for the program.

Winkjer said this money is earmarked for the students and should go directly to them.

He added that the program has students excited and that the school already has four or five students lined up for fall enrollment.

"We feel truly committed to quality education. We hope that the program shows students and parents what kind of support we are trying to provide," Winkjer said.

However, the school does not intend to use the program to double its enrollment.

"We are a small school and we intend to stay a small school. Our cap is 125 students. We are not looking to add on buildings, we are looking for good quality students who thrive in this type of environment," he said.

More information on this program is available at www.nwa.edu.

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Wizard of Charlevoix

Charlevoix High School students presented "The Wizard of Oz" last weekend. Above, Dorothy (Melissa McDonough), the Cowardly Lion (Keith Patrick) and the Scarecrow (Ben Macks) prepare to take a trip down the yellow brick road to the Emerald City. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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SPORTS

Results for the McSauba ski, snowboard races

The results of the Mt. McSauba ski and snowboard races on Feb. 19 are in.

Ski races
Girls, 5 and under:
First — Molly Corcoran
Second — Gabby Jensen
Boys, 5 and under:
First — Gunner Lundteigen.
Girls, 6-8 years old:
First — Sherry Boss
Second — Stirling Whitthoeft.
Third — Lynzie Gotshall
Boys, 6-8 years old:
First — Connor Boss

Second — Thomas Rich
Third — Ryder Boss
Girls, 9 and 10 years old:
First — Jessica Gauthier
Second — Megan Golovich
Boys, 9 and 10 years old:
First — Beau Boss
Second — Jackson Taylor
Girls, 11-13 years old:
First — Caitlyn Taylor
Second — Sarah Klooster
Third — Elizabeth Hasseld
Boys, 11-13 years old:
First — Zack Scharenbroch

Second — Cameron Attee
Third — Brandon Stevens
14 and over:
First — Tommy Left
Second — Michelle Frich
Snowboard results
7 and under:
First — Dylan Left
Second — Riley Corcoron
Third — Kelly Greyerbiehl
8-10 year olds:
First — Mick Papp
Second — Mathew Golovich
Third — (tie) River Gauthier and Corey Gotshall

11 and 12 year olds:
First — Andy Kantola
Second — Stephen Parker
Third — Kyle Jones
13 and 14 year olds:
First — John Curtis
Second — John Bradley
Third — Andrew Mailloux
15 and over:
First — Sam Chulick
Second — Marvin Whitthoeft
Third — Eric Coon
Snowboard scramble
10 and under:
First — Mathew Golovich

Second — River Gauthier
Third — Logan Kline
11 and 12:
First — Andy Kantola
Second — Stephen Parker
Third — Kyle Jones
13 and 14:
First — John Curtis
Second — John Bradley
Third — Brandon Johnstone
15 and over:
First — Russell Curtis
Second — Eric Coon
Third — Stephen Andreae

Official Notice

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
Ordinance No. 664 of 2001
BUDGET APPROPRIATION ACT

THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX ORDAINS:

WHEREAS, The City Council of the City of Charlevoix did give notice of the time and place when a public hearing would be held in conformity with provisions of Section 7.8, Article VII of the City Charter, which Public Hearing was duly held pursuant to said notice and in conformity therewith;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year commencing on April 1, 2001 and ending March 31, 2002 are hereby appropriated on an activity level basis (a detailed breakdown by detail level can be found in the Budget Details document) as summarized by the following:

GENERAL FUND			
REVENUE:			
Taxes	\$ 1,292,400		
Licenses & Permits	600		
State Grants	397,800		
Charges for Services	494,600		
Fines & Forfeits	19,600		
Interest & Rents	322,200		
Other	5,400		
Appropriation from Surplus	10,500		
TOTAL REVENUES:	\$2,543,100		
EXPENSE:			
Legislative	\$ 45,900		
General Government	395,200		
Public Safety/Health & Welfare	971,100		
Public Works	151,200		
Recreation & Culture	813,700		
Other	66,000		
Fund Transfers	100,000		
TOTAL EXPENSE:	\$2,543,100		
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City Council of the City of Charlevoix does hereby levy a tax of 12.1516 mills (8.5 mills operating and 3.6516 mills infrastructure) for the period of April 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002 on all real and personal property in the City of Charlevoix according to the valuation of the same. This tax is levied for the purpose of defraying the general expense and liability of the City of Charlevoix and for infrastructure improvements, and is levied pursuant to Section 8.1, Article VIII of the City Charter; and			
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City Council does hereby levy a tax not to			

exceed 1.3631 mills for the period April 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002 on all real and personal property in the Downtown Development District, according to the valuation of the same within the district; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City Council does hereby approve the rate increases for Sewer and Water rates effective April 1, 2001, and the rate increases in the rate section of the budget for planning services, dockage rates, ambulance fees, recreation fees, airport fees and all rates listed in the "Rates" section of the Budget Details document; and the Electric rate changes effective April 1, 2001; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the City Council does hereby approve the following budgets for the period April 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002 in the amounts set forth below by fund:

FUND	REVENUE	EXPENSE
Major Street Fund	450,900	\$ 450,900
Local Street Fund	573,600	573,600
Electric Fund	6,818,527	6,818,527
Sewer Fund	1,528,300	1,528,300
Water Fund	1,223,300	1,223,300
Motor Vehicle Fund	702,800	702,800
Downtown Development Auth	694,374	694,374
Airport Fund	166,800	166,800
Employee Fringe Benefit	999,800	977,900
Perpetual Care Trust Fund	104,400	104,400
Fire/Ambulance Fund	32,900	0
Sewer Tap-in Fund	36,000	0
Northside Sewer Fund	199,000	172,300
Depot Beach Fund	190,700	190,700
Infrastructure Improvement	1,080,600	1,080,600
Marina Improvement Fund	1,240,000	1,240,000
Public Works Site Fund	850,000	850,000
Industrial Park Fund	14,200	12,000
City Hall Improvement Fund	1,400,000	1,400,000
RECREATION FUND		
Recreation Improvement Fund	30,000	30,000
Mt. McSauba Recreation Fund	7,100	0
Downtown Parking Fund	2,900	0
Lake Michigan Beach Fund	425,000	425,000

Rayders clinch the conference

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

Boyer City High School has been a lucky place for Charlevoix boys' teams to play this school year.

The football Rayders clinched the Lake Michigan Conference crown and a playoff berth there earlier this season. And last Friday night, the Rayders' basketballers gave coach Keith Haske his first Lake Michigan Conference crown there as well with a resounding 101-77 win last Friday.

"It was a great feeling," Haske said. "It was one of the big goals the kids had going into the season. Our teams in the past had set a standard in the tournament, but we hadn't won the league. Winning the league shows consistency over the whole year as opposed to over a short period of time (like the tournament)."

Earlier in the week, the Rayders also beat Roscommon, 80-47.

Charlevoix started the week in impressive fashion against the Bucks of Roscommon. Roscommon's sophomore star center, Kyle Gross, went to the bench with three fouls as the Bucks outfoiled the Rayders 7-0 in the early going.

Nothing went right for Roscommon as the stifling Charlevoix defense forced many turnovers. Scott Parrish (eight points) and Rob Boss (five points) took advantage of Gross's absence down low.

Sophomore Nate Teuscher brought the crowd to its feet with his first varsity points on a three-point play, which put the Rayders up 22-3 late in the first quarter.

The second quarter brought more of the same as the halftime buzzer saw Charlevoix holding a 49-18 advantage.

For much of the game the Rayders showed a new look with Nate Teuscher running the point and Patrick Gowell playing down in the paint. Gowell's post moves netted him six points in the second and five points in the third quarter.

Charlevoix led by a 63-26 tally at the end of three quarters.

In the fourth quarter, the Rayders' only disappointment was that they couldn't reach the 40-point lead mark that would have triggered the running clock.

Ryan Leitner scored eight points in the final period while Ryan Rafacz scored six.

On the game, Parrish led the Rayders with 20 points. Gowell had 12 while Jim Shepherd chipped in with nine. Boss, Rafacz and Leitner all had eight in a balanced attack. Nate Teuscher finished his varsity debut with seven.

"Nate fit right in with the team. In a lot of other schools, he would have been a varsity player all year long," Coach Haske commented.

Against Boyne, the Rayders again came out fast, leading at the end of the first quarter, 25-14 behind Parrish's eight points and Boss's six. The Ramblers came out blazing in the second quarter, however, and cut the Charlevoix lead to 30-26 with 5:30 left in the first half.

Gowell hit a three-point shot and followed it up with a jumper to give Charlevoix a more comfortable 35-26 margin. After a Boyne trifecta, Parrish scored nine points in a 14-4 run by the Rayders to close out the half.

The Rayders closed out the half on two sensational plays.

The first was a three-point play by Parrish keyed by a steal and assist from Gowell. On the ensuing play,

Parrish supplied the defense by stealing a pass and feeding Rafacz with a length of the court pass that Rafacz turned into a layup just beating the buzzer.

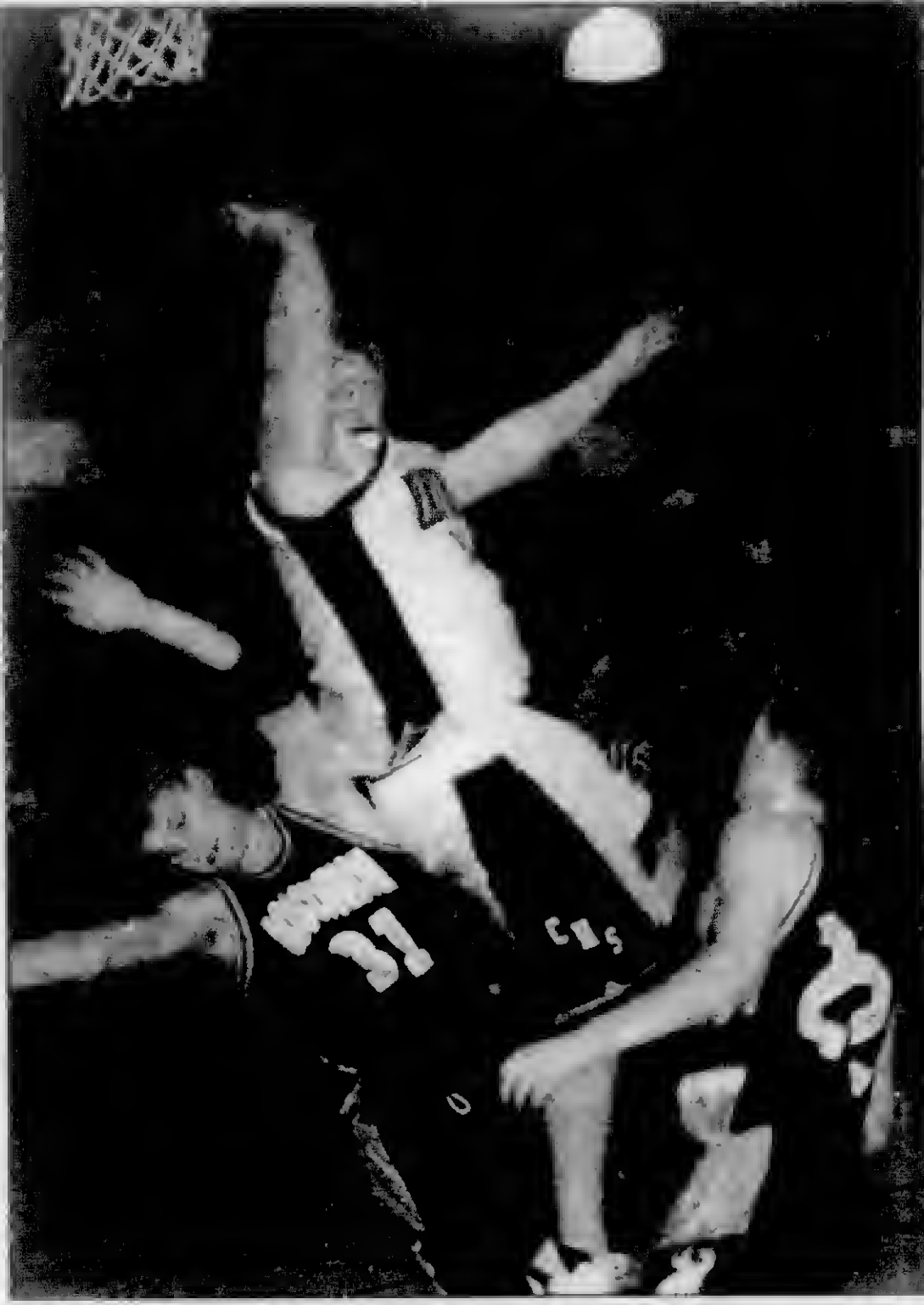
The Rayders moved closer to their goal of a conference crown and to their new goal of scoring 100 points by exploding for 28 points in the third quarter for a 77-54 lead.

Shepherd scored 15 in the second half, including three treys from behind the three-point stripe. Keith Daly took over underneath with Parrish and Boss on the bench, scoring 10 in the second half, including the tip-in which put the Rayders over 100 for the game with only a few ticks left on the clock for the game.

Parrish led the way with 27 points, 14 rebounds and six blocks. Shepherd finished with 17 points. Jeremiah Teuscher had 15 points, four rebounds, four steals and four assists. Boss scored 11. Gowell tallied nine points, six rebounds and three blocks. Daly played a solid game in the post with nine points and 13 rebounds.

The Rayders (15-3 overall, 10-0 conference) look to finish the season undefeated both at home and in the conference with two home games against Kalkaska on Tuesday and Traverse City St. Francis on Friday.

Charlevoix will defend its district crown next week, opening with East Jordan at 6 p.m. March 7 at Harbor Springs High School.



Rayder Rob Boss takes out a couple of defenders as he goes up for a basket. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Men's Senior League		Jerry Russell		235	Gutter Sluts		16	14	Linda Baletine	711	184	Central Drug Store	12	16	
February 19, 2001		Randy DeYoung		647	Team 7		6	6	Judy VanderArk	190					
W L		Mark Gziesak		638	234	Beer Frame	14	16	Leanna Mosorak	666	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				
South Down Cement	17	7	Larry Potter	226	Team 4	14	16	Jeanne Ranki	628	SeriesGame					
Top Rank Disposal	15	9	John Fiedorek	627	Team 3	6	24								
Wolchan Lumber	13	11			Team 8	0	12	Young At Hearts							
White Boyz II	11	13	Tuesday Night Ladies		HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				February 15, 2001						
Mark White Paint & Stain	14	10	Secretary: Liz Meadows		SeriesGame				W	L	Rita Oliver	506	198		
State Farm	10	14	February 20, 2001		John Fiedorek	375	196	Has Beens	22	10	Jeanne Eaton	486			
Central Drug Store	6	18	W	L	Rick Bullock	345	190	Spartan	22	10	Suzy Boggeman	475	182		
Team 8	0	24	Charlevoix Foot Clinic	21	15	Bryan VanLooy	367	202	Funny Four	16					
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES		SeriesGame		Healing Hearts	18	Rob Kennedy	190	190	3 Guys & 1 Gal	16					
John Fiedorek	623	226	Central Drug Store	18	18	Linda Lake	344	198	Ally Cats	14	18				
Chuck Pop	238		Dora's IGA	15	21	Doreen Burns	305	188	Twilighters	14	18	Gutter Gals			
Ron Chapman	598		Birdies Beauty Shoppe	23	24	Lon Darrah	312	163	Medies	12	20	February 15, 2001			
Mark Gziesak	593	236	Paul Bunyan Lanes	12	24				Inish Rollers	12	20	W	L		
		Hayes Legal Crew		10	26				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Mary & Jane	81	47
		HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES							SeriesGame				Wanda & Mary	79	49
Church League		February 21, 2001		SeriesGame		W	L	Mary Dixon	542	205	Connie & Bennie	70	58		
Martineck Building	277	173	Janet Dean	508	198	Paul Bunyan Lanes	275	95	Ken Schoenholt	582	200	Rebecca & Barb	66	62	
Ferguson & Chamberlain	266	184	Marlene Evans	198	210	Bogart Roofing	211	159	Art Kuts	524	199	Terresa & Julie	42	74	
Lutherans	225	225	Diana Avery	210		Buzzy Brees	200	170	Ray Browe			Team 6	8	48	
St. Mary's	216	234	Janice Thanasiu	520		Elzinga Country Crafts	192	178	Friday Night Ladies						
Paul Bunyan Lanes	221	223	Cindy Mansen	504		Big Girls Enterprises	188	182	February 16, 2001						
Townhouse Bar	203	247				Argonne Supper Club	249	221	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES						
R & C Roofing	203	247	Casino League		Julliere's		134	236	W	L	SeriesGame				
Howard's Optical	189	261	February 19, 2001		Leggs & Co. Hair Design		131	239	A Touch of Spring	17	11	Trina Houghton	446	187	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES		Casing Waenes		22	8	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES		Snowbirds		17	11	Jane Pittman	498	182	
SeriesGame		Team 2		18	12	Krista Fowler	194		Eaton Electric	16	12	Mary O'Brien	485	178	
									Frames & Photos	16	12				

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Official Notice

The Charlevoix City Council adopted the following ordinances at Public Hearings held on Monday, February 19, 2001.

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
Ordinance No. 663 of 2001

The Budget for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2000 shall be amended for operating the City of Charlevoix. Ordinance No. 657, Budget Appropriations Act of 2000-2001 is hereby amended as follows:

Change			Original Budget	Amended Budget	Net
General Fund Revenues	Taxes	Rv	\$1,219,600	\$1,250,980	\$31,380
	Licenses & Permits	Rv	800	500	(300)
	State Grants	Rv	342,100	368,585	26,485
	Charges for Services	Rv	479,100	471,343	(7,757)
	Interest & Rents	Rv	296,200	318,396	22,196
	Other	Rv	4,900	17,907	13,007
	Fund Transfers	Rv	0	20,000	20,000
	RV Total		\$2,361,400	\$2,467,125	\$105,725
	General Fund Expense				
	Legislative	Ex	\$42,600	\$43,007	407
	General Govt	Ex	424,900	390,808	(34,092)
	Public Safety/Health	Ex	937,200	921,888	(15,312)
	Public Works	Ex	136,400	133,389	(3,011)
	Recreation & Culture	Ex	753,700	783,930	30,230
	Other	Ex	75,500	33,032	(42,468)
	Fund Transfers	Ex	100,000	125,000	25,000
General Fund	EX Total		\$2,470,300	\$2,431,054	(\$39,246)
Airport	RV Total		331,000	206,083	(124,917)
Airport	EX Total		913,900	679,383	(234,517)
Pl#2 Sewer Capital Tap ins	RV Total		31,000	41,000	10,000
Pl#2 Sewer Capital Tap ins	EX Total		0	3,232	3,232
Pl#4 Depot Beach Improv	RV Total		23,303	1,200	(22,103)
Pl#4 Depot Beach Improv	EX Total		16,300	20,275	3,975
Pl#5 Northside Sewer	RV Total		1,300	75,200	73,900
Pl#5 Northside Sewer	EX Total		41,484	65,484	24,000
Pl#6 Infrastructure Improv	RV Total		\$556,400	\$542,532	(13,868)
Pl#6 Infrastructure Improv	EX Total		\$658,700	\$237,375	(421,325)
Pl#7 Marina Improv	RV Total		49000	49938	938
Pl#7 Marina Improv	EX Total		0	23,000	23,000
Pl#8 Lake Michigan Beach	RV Total		425,100	135,000	(290,100)
Pl#8 Lake Michigan Beach	EX Total		425,000	900	(424,100)
Pl#10 City Hall Improvement	RV Total		\$764,200	\$114,100	(650,100)
Pl#10 City Hall Improvement	EX Total		\$1,100,000	\$12,000	(1,088,000)
Pl#11 Recreation Improvement	RV Total		\$47,400	\$52,700	5,300
Pl#11 Recreation Improvement	EX Total		135,000	136,280	1,280
Pl#12 Mt. McSaubia Improv.	RV Total		\$6,700	\$7,200	500
Pl#12 Mt. McSaubia Improv.	EX Total		0	20,000	20,000
Pl#16 Downtown Parking Fund	RV Total		1,700	1,300	(400)
Pl#16 Downtown Parking Fund	EX Total		0	0	0
Sewer Fund	RV Total		\$1,237,600	\$1,093,769	(\$143,831)
Sewer Fund	EX Total		1,415,200	1,316,609	(\$98,591)
Water Fund	RV Total		\$1,021,600	\$810,062	(\$211,538)
Water Fund	EX Total		1,083,300	881,798	(\$201,502)
Employee Fringe Benefit Fund	RV Total		\$923,100	\$917,806	(\$5,294)
Employee Fringe Benefit Fund	EX Total		920,200	937,138	16,938
Motor Pool Fund	RV Total		\$430,000	\$419,501	(\$10,499)
Motor Pool Fund	EX Total		483,600	521,435	37,835
DPW Site Fund	RV Total		\$149,700	\$147,340	(2,360)
DPW Site Fund	EX Total		670,000	20,000	(650,000)
Perpetual Care Fund	RV Total		\$13,700	\$12,350	(\$1,350)
Perpetual Care Fund	EX Total		0	0	0

Ski team runners up in state, conference champs

By LAURIE LOUNSBURY
Skiing writer

After the morning event of Giant Slalom, it looked like the Charlevoix Rayder Ski Team was going to do the nearly impossible — take the state championship title away from the perennial powerhouse, the Petoskey Northmen.

But when the final tally was taken at the state finals at Boyne Mountain Monday, the Charlevoix boys ended up in the runner-up position, finishing second behind the Northmen. Even though they missed out on the state crown, it was still a great ending to an impressive season.

"We gave Petoskey a run for their trophy, but Petoskey just skied a little stronger in slalom,"

said coach Sue Miller.

In the week leading up to the state finals, the Charlevoix team claimed the Lake Michigan Conference title at Nub's Nob, dominating the competition in both events. It was the first time in more than a decade that Charlevoix has won the conference title. For the skiers, it was the first time that the conference title was determined by four league meets, with the final meet at Nub's Nob being worth three times the points. Charlevoix won all four league meets.

"It was a wonderful feeling, to sweep the conference title that way," Miller said.

York Smith won the slalom event at the final meet, beating out Harbor Springs' Drew Bartlett. In the GS, Bartlett took first and

Smith took second. Other conference finishes were: Chad Johnson, third GS, fourth slalom; Roscoe Serrels, fourth GS, sixth slalom; Taylor Fisher, 10th GS, 13th slalom; Lexi Wilson, 21st slalom, 27th GS; Troy Smith, 22nd slalom; and Annakate Trubilowicz, 35th GS.

At the state meet, the Charlevoix ski team was in first place with a six point lead over the Northmen after Giant Slalom, with senior Troy Smith capturing first place, followed by Roscoe Serrels, sixth; York Smith, 12th; Chad Johnson,

16th; Taylor Fisher, 33rd; and Lexi Wilson, 42nd. Seventy of the best skiers in the state class B-C-D schools competed in the events.

Petoskey's boys charged past the Rayders in slalom, turning in solid performances by every racer. They ended up claiming their title with a score of 54 points overall. Charlevoix followed with 76 points, and Iron Mountain came in third with 78 points.

In the slalom event, Troy Smith finished second, behind Petoskey's Jacob Olson; Serrels finished 11th; Johnson, 19th, York Smith, 28th;

and Wilson, 43rd. York Smith was in fifth place after his first slalom run, but caught a tip on his second run and had to hike to keep the team's chance for a second place finish alive. Fisher also had trouble on the slalom event, and did not finish.

"We started this year with only two returning boy skiers, having lost five of my skiers from last year," Miller said. "Lexi joined the boys' team, along with three freshman, and I think that, with such a young team, they skied really, really well."

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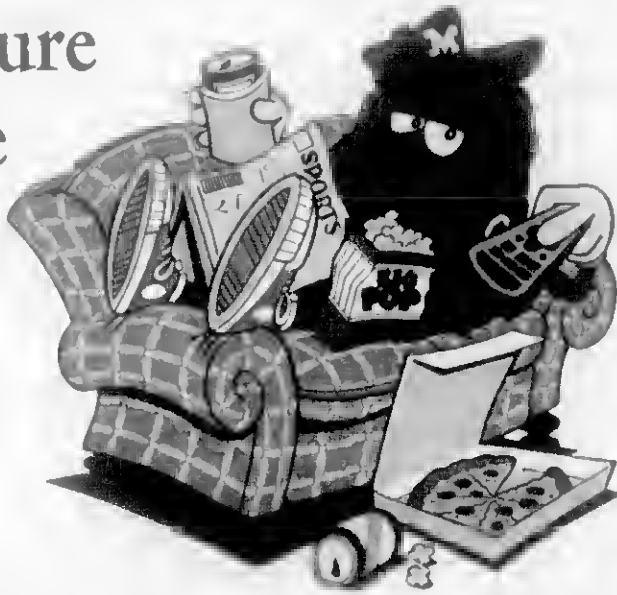
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EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Plumbing, mechanical code classes

The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical updating to the new 2000 codes on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Rd. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. plumbing will be covered and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop, and donuts will be provided.

Middle school breakfast

You are cordially invited to the

Charlevoix Middle School breakfast buffet on Tuesday, March 6th from 6:30 to 8 a.m. in celebration of "Charlevoix Middle School Week." Please come and support our community's middle level staff and students! Your attendance will qualify you for a special door prize!

Old-fashioned Square Dance

Jordan Valley Fiddlers' Jamboree is having an Old-fashioned Square Dance Jamboree from 12-5 p.m. and a dance starting at 7 p.m. on Saturday. The public is invited and callers welcome. Donation box at the door. Refreshments and food provided by the East Jordan Senior Center all day. Come enjoy the fun at the Jordan Valley Express in East Jordan and bring your fiddle.

Walleye Tournament

The Last Chance Walleye Tournament, sponsored by Tom's Bait & Tackle of East Jordan will take place on March 9, 10 and 11. Entry fee is \$10 and you must be signed up by March 9. Daily and overall prizes awarded by weight. For more information contact Tom's Bait and Tackle at (231) 536-3521.

Blood drive

The student council of

Charlevoix High School is hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive at the high school on March 15 from 8:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. community members are invited to stop by or may set up an appointment ahead of time. See any student council member or call their advisor, Gail Cherry at 547-3165.

Florida reunion

Charlevoix area people who currently reside in Florida are being invited to the third reunion in Sarasota. The date is March 26, when the Michiganders will gather for a luncheon. Anyone in the Sarasota area with Charlevoix roots is invited. To learn more, contact Susan Van Wieren by phone at (941) 918-0436; mail at 1617 Bayhouse Court #221, Sarasota, FL 34231-6728; or e-mail at capsusan@aol.com.

Food distribution

Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency (NMHSA) in Petoskey announced the following time and place for March food distribution under the monthly commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) in Charlevoix County.

Food distribution will be from 8:30 a.m.-10 a.m., March 1 at the

Boyer City Senior Center.

The Commodity Supplemental Food Program targets nutritionally at risk mothers, infants, children and senior citizens. For further information about income guidelines and qualifying for this program call NMHSA in Petoskey at 231-347-9070.

CPR, first aid classes

CPR and first aid classes available at Charlevoix Area Hospital. The following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

March 14 — Infant CPR for new moms from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Organic growers forum

At 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month, February through

April, the Wagbo Peace Center in East Jordan, is hosting an Organic growers forum. A discussion group of farmers, gardeners and interested persons will meet to discuss issues related to growing food organically. Topics pertaining to healthy soil, composting, and other issues of sustainable agriculture practices will be discussed. These forums are free and open to the public.

The Wagbo Peace Center is a non-profit educational center teaching sustainable living and nonviolence. Located on M-66, 3 miles south of East Jordan. For more information and directions please call 231-536-0333.

Friends of the library to meet

There will be a meeting of the Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on March 1 in the basement activity room of the library. Meeting highlights will be upcoming programs and a report on results of the public forums for updating the library.

Income tax help

The Charlevoix Senior Center will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings in the month of February. For more information call 547-5361.

CHARLEVOIX ICE HARVEST NOW IN PROGRESS

Two Operators Have Opened Field at West End Lake Charlevoix

Ice harvesting operations for the 1939 summer season are now in full swing.

Two fields have been opened along the west shore of Lake Charlevoix off Ferry avenue. The Charlevoix Coal & Ice Co. has a crew filling their storage place in the old beet sugar factory and another crew employed by Allan Campbell and D.J. Eckinger are filling the Frank Noble ice house. They will also fill Booth Fisheries, Belvedere, Hallett and The Inn hotels and the Chicago Club.

Ice ten inches thick and of excellent quality is available. Due to the fact the local ice supply ran out by mid-fall in 1938, a greater quantity will be stored by all dealers this year.

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THREE LOCAL FISHING TUGS AT SO. MANITOU

John Cross, Owner Tug Edna, Crew of Two, Ice-Bound Two Weeks

Manacled by the worst winter ice conditions on Lake Michigan in recent years, three local fishing craft have ended their annual trek to Lower Michigan ports at South Manitou Island.

According to the latest reports, boats owned by Archie Cross, of Bill Boudine, have been laid up at the island, while the tug Edna, owned by John Cross, has been ice-bound there for over two weeks. With Cross as his brother, Don, and Louis Bourissau. It is reported Cross has 50 boxes of nets in the lake and 1,000 pounds of fish awaiting transportation to the mainland.

With a food storage threatening, it is understood arrangements have been made for transporting provisions to the island by plane. It is also reported the Escanaba, Coast Guard cutter, is en route to the island from Frankfort to release the imprisoned fish tug Edna.

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Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim from 6 to 8 p.m.

FATHER AND SON BANQUET A COMING EVENT

Annual Affair to Be Held March 27th at Methodist Church

Those in charge of the annual Father and Son banquet are glad to announce that the committees have been very successful in arranging for this annual affair,

which has become such a permanent institution in our community, and has always been so generously patronized by the men and boys of the entire city.

This year the program will be entirely a "home folks" affair. R.F. Sloan, who consented to act as toastmaster, will bring ability and experience to the position, and his work with the boys this last year makes it especially fitting. There will be a short address, "To Our Fathers," by one of the sons, and the same by one of the fathers. W.F. Meyers has been invited to give the latter, and the high school is cooperating with the committee in selecting the boy for the former.

Floyd A. Supp, for many years a Detroit attorney, and now a resident of our city, will give the last address, on the topic, "Our Future Presidents." This gentleman made such a hit with the young people; in an address on a recent Sunday evening in one of our churches, in that the committee is glad to present him to this larger group.

The committee hopes to sell all tickets beforehand, with none sold at the church, if possible not to overcrowd the dining room, to the discomfort of the diners. Remember the date, Thursday, February 27, 6:30 o'clock, at the Methodist church.

Bring your boy, or borrow one! Charlevoix Courier Feb. 19, 1936

FLAMES!

The Charlevoix School Building Destroyed by Fire This Morning.

At 9:30 this (Wednesday) morning fire was discovered in the Charlevoix school building, and in an hour the structure was totally destroyed with all its contents, including fully \$500 worth of school books.

The alarm was promptly given, and, notwithstanding the extreme cold weather and other adverse circumstances, the steamer was on the ground and throwing water in eight minutes from the time the alarm was given. But before the hose was stretched flames were issuing from the upper windows, and all knew that the building was doomed. Three streams were soon playing into the building, but when it was deemed useless to make any further endeavor there, the chief turned the hose to save the adjoining buildings.

The fire caught in the basement, but the immediate cause is not definitely known. Two departments of the school were in session, the other two having been dismissed owing to the cold, but all four of the teachers of that branch of the school were in the building. The first intimation of

the fire that came to the knowledge of the teachers was when a flash of flame shot from the register in Miss Stover's room. That teacher immediately warned Miss O'Neill in the room above, and the children were marched out with the same order as if it were an ordinary dismissal, singing as they marched. The conduct of the four teachers — Misses O'Neill, Mason and Stover and Mrs. Upright — cannot be too highly praised. The lower side of the stairway was on fire when the children from the upper room went down. After all were out Miss O'Neill returned to secure some of her books, but was driven back by the flames. Some of the children lost their wraps.

The building was erected in 1872, and cost, when fully completed, about \$5,000. It was occupied, at the time of the fire, by the two intermediate and two primary departments, the high school being in the Town Hall. It was insured for \$2,000, \$300 of that amount being on the furniture.

THE SCHOOL

The School Board met at once to arrange for the continuation of the school, and the new homeless grades will resume within ten days. The Grammar grade will go to the High School room. The lecture room of the Baptist church has been secured and the two remaining grades will be provided for at once.

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Editor's note: These articles were submitted by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Area Library.



Ice harvesting during the early days of Charlevoix in the winter. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

MONDAY

Women's non-smoking AA meeting at 7 p.m. at the Alano Club.

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. at the Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, 208 W. Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6-8 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting. For more information call 547-5512.

Preceptor Beta Mu meet at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday each month. For more information call 547-6321.

TUESDAY

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday, of the month. For more in-

formation please call 547-5199.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon Meeting, at 8 p.m., St. Matthew's Church, 1303 Boyne Ave., Boyne City.

Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

VFW meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall, Petoskey Avenue.

The American Legion meets at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month at the American Legion Hall/106 East Garfield.

American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane for a luncheon meeting.

Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. The lodge is located at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. For more information call

547-9078.

Harsha House Historical Museum, is open 1 to 4 p.m. at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church, 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 3 to 4:15 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m.

Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

Young People's AA Meetings from 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

WEDNESDAY

A.A. non-smoking, closed meeting at 7 p.m., at the back of the St. Mary's church. Corner of Garfield

and Bridge (US-31.)

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m., Alano Club, Mason Street.

Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street is open 1 to 4 p.m.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Community Pool open swim 6 to 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Divorce Care starts at 7 p.m. at Community Reformed Church, corner US 31 and Meech. Each meeting is self contained. Runs through 5/16/01.

Young People's A.A. meeting 6 to 7 p.m. at the Teen Center.

Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

A.A. meetings at 12 and 8 p.m.,

Alano Club, Mason Street (smoking).

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility, East Jordan.

BASES Teen Center is open 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., 208 W. Lincoln.

Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the grange hall.

Charlevoix Senior Center will assist with Income Tax preparation from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. All people with food problems welcome. For further information call Merrill at 547-2104.

Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

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Inside...

Offices closing

The Charlevoix Courier office will be closing at 1:30 p.m. Thursday so we may attend the funeral services for our friend and publisher Kirk Schaller.

March madness



After closing the regular season with a win, the Rayders are heading to the districts tonight.

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School shopping



We give comparisons of the non-profit preschools in the Charlevoix area for parents.

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Preservation group drops lawsuits

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix Area Natural Resources Preservation Association recently chose to utilize compromise in order to end the lawsuits against Marion Township and the Charlevoix Board of Education.

On March 1 in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix an order for dismissal was entered by James Olson, of Olson and Bzdek, P.C., of Traverse City, attorney for the environmental group.
The order for dismissal has since been signed by both defendants, Marion Township and the

Charlevoix Board of Education, resolving the last pending claim and closing the case.
However, the environmental group did not walk away without progressing towards their aim — the protection of Marion Township's rural character.
The settlement says that when the

township accepts the dismissal, certain changes need to be made to the zoning ordinance and a land preservation program is to be established in the township.
The dismissal document refers to the program as a Farm Land and Rural Character Preservation Fund.

See SCHOOL, page 19

City says education is the key to area snowmobile problems

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

As high winds blew snow through the sky like a sand storm Monday night a meeting of the minds took place inside council chambers at city hall.

At a special city work session, City of Charlevoix officials, Charlevoix Snowmobile Club members and concerned residents spoke candidly of the problems snowmobiles have caused in the city this winter.

It was decided that there are bad apples in every bushel, but maybe more education and more signs are needed to help alleviate their negative impact.

City police chief Dennis Halverson said that since the February council meeting when residents raised the issue of banning snowmobiles in the city because of their dangerous driving, his department has stepped up enforcement.

See MEETING, page 11

Mislabeled budget leads to error in story on McSauba

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Due to mislabeled information in the Charlevoix city budget, revenue figures for the city owned Mt. McSauba in last week's article on page one were inaccurate.

Calculations did not include the funds brought in from user fees.

City treasurer Rick Brandi explained that what is defined as "total annual income" in the Mt. McSauba Recreation Improvement Capital Plan is only revenue garnered from tower leases. This "total annual income" of \$7,100 each year in the budget did not include funds from ski passes and day tickets, what are called "user fees."

Brandi further explained that the tower lease funds go into an account used only for capital improvements at the hill, while money generated from user fees goes into the city's general fund which supports McSauba's operational expenses.

The city budget estimated that McSauba would bring in \$20,000 from these user fees this year. Brandi

said that the ski hill has already exceeded that figure by \$18,000.

The user fee revenue goes toward McSauba's total operating expenses.

Brandi said that McSauba's normal operational cost is \$74,000 a year, which is \$36,000 over the user fee revenue. The city's general budget will contribute this remaining \$36,000.

Brandi said a \$40,000 annual contribution from the general fund to the recreation area's operating expenses is pretty typical.

Additionally, the planned capital improvements exceed the revenue the hill brings in from the tower leases by \$86,700. City officials said this additional cost for these improvements will be paid from the general fund, where the hill's user fees are directed, and possibly from grants.

Brandi sees the community benefit from using McSauba as being the driving force behind the city's financial support.

Bo Boss, manager of McSauba, declined to comment.



Winterfest king and queen

John Kilkenny and Shannon Nystrom were named the Winterfest King and Queen Friday at half-time of the basketball game. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Collin Wade-Gahn Stackus, 24, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

John Angus Graham, 17, East Jordan. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

David Nathaniel Crowell, 24, Charlevoix. Trespassing. Fines and costs totaling \$165.

William Joseph Wingo, 35, Charlevoix. Indecent exposure. Jail for 180 days with credit for one day, 45 days on electronic monitor, 134 days held in abeyance; \$660 in fines and costs.

Brent Joseph Matelski, 19, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 51 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$915 in fines and costs.

Daniel Scott Russell, 18, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Jail for one day with credit for one day; \$435 in fines and costs.

Paul Douglas Hoffman, 41, Charlevoix. Non-sufficient funds, more than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$285.

Lemoine Francis Rost II, 41, Livonia. Possession of a controlled substance-marijuana. Six months probation; license suspended for 180 days; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 89 days held in abeyance; \$750 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following case was recently heard in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Sean Howard Dushane, 23, Gaylord. Two counts of breaking and entering a building with intent. Two years probation; 24 months in jail with credit for 178 days, to serve 22

months; \$1,565 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

L & L Enterprises, 02874 North Peninsula Road, East Jordan, by Mark Steven Lansing and Beverly Jane Lansing

Cottage Knits, 34075 Western Shores Road, Beaver Island, by Cathleen A. Jones

Quality Snowplowing, 08011 Upper Bay Shore Road, Charlevoix, by Mark Gordon Donker

Chappy's Enterprise, 1145 Rebecca, East Lansing, by Michael Chapp Glassglow Studio, 8616 Wildwood Trail, Elmira, by Christina Bath Zoerhof

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Clyde Justin Crawford, 23, Boyne City and Sara Beth Leonard, 22, Boyne City

Jayson L. Goldsmith, 17, Boyne City and Erica C. McIntire, 18, Boyne City

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Joseph Rosendall vs., Karla Rosendall

Larry Scott Patton vs. Lacinda Lynn Patton

Jodie Marie Massey vs. Jerry Lee Massey

Daria Tambellini vs. Sergei Zamakhin

Births

Kendall Kay Raymond was born to Jim and Michele Raymond of East Jordan on Feb. 28, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Kendall has a sister, Madison, and brother, Trent, at home.

Correction

A cutline under a picture of a lifeboat on page 13 of last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier was incorrect.

It should have stated the boat belonged to the Carl D. Bradley which sank in a November 1958 storm many miles from Beaver Island. Plus, Bill Cashman is the Beaver Island Historical Society's Director and the lifeboat is stored at the Marine Museum.

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Court case highlights drug use near Charlevoix school

By JULIE MUSILEK
 Staff Writer

A jury trial got underway March 5 in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix involving drug use in Charlevoix High School.

The case will decide the fate of alleged marijuana dealer Nathan Zukowski, a former Charlevoix High School senior.

The case highlights the schools continued battle to keep drugs out of the hands of students.

"Fighting the alcohol and drug problem can't just be the school's problem. It has to be a cooperative effort between the community and all those who care. I think there is a lot of looking the other way in this town," school board member Ardeith Wieland said when asked about the case.

Zukowski, 17, of Charlevoix is charged with delivery of a controlled substance. The charge is based on an incident that allegedly occurred Dec. 6, 2000 two blocks from the Charlevoix High School campus.

Current Charlevoix High School student Will Granath, 15, testified that on Dec. 6 he left school 10 minutes prior to the official start of lunch hour.

He said that he went to get some lunch and one block from 7-11 he met with Zukowski, and allegedly bought marijuana from Zukowski at that time.

In the courtroom prosecuting attorney Jennifer Deegan asked Granath to identify his alleged supplier. He named and pointed to Zukowski.

Granath claimed on the stand he had never purchased marijuana from Zukowski before. He said that he knew Zukowski might have some

based on conversations he had with him in a class where the two sat next to each other.

Granath said on the stand that he commonly brought extra money to school in case he came across a marijuana supplier.

But, during the trial, defense attorney Kraag Lieberman referred many times to alibi witnesses who have since come forward and said that Zukowski couldn't have sold Granath the marijuana because he was having lunch at Burger King with them when this transpired.

Granath said that after he purchased the marijuana he headed back to school and Zukowski proceeded in the opposite direction. He arrived at school and ran into a friend, also a Charlevoix High School freshman.

The friend, John Curtis, testified that he was walking over by the gym when he ran into Granath in the hall.

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Charlevoix Charter users get option of digital cable

By JEREMY MCBAIN
 Editor

Charter Cable customers in Charlevoix will be seeing some additional changes to their service starting the morning of March 16.

The company recently announced it will be offering digital cable in Charlevoix. According to Sherrie Martin, Charter operations manager in northern Michigan, this will give customers better quality television, more choices in channels and more control over what they watch.

"They will be absolutely amazed at what it will bring them," Martin said.

For example, instead of receiving just one HBO or Cinemax channel, Charter customers have the option of several different versions of this channel, or they can purchase a package of channels to suit their tastes; such as a sports package or music package.

The new system also includes an interactive guide. Martin said this guide will give viewers the ability to search for programming based on subject and will give parents the option of blocking out certain channels.

According to Martin, this also comes at a price that is not much higher than what the customers currently pay for cable

television. Prices for the digital service are between \$49.95 and \$54.95. There is separate pricing plans for the package deals.

All Charter customers who want just the basic channels do not have to switch to digital to receive cable service in Charlevoix, Martin added. However, customers who want premium cable — including movie channels — must switch to the new digital cable.

In order to receive the digital channels, customers must have a special receiver, which Charter rents for \$6.95 a month. Martin said they do not have to have a digital television.

People who currently have premium channels and have a cable box, can exchange those boxes for the digital receiver

from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. March 16 and 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. March 17 at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield in Charlevoix.

Once customers sign up for the digital cable and receive the receiver, Martin said they can start watching the new channels right away.

Martin added, customers who have premium channels, but do not have digital cable, will have their service discontinued on the morning of March 16.

As for more basic cable channels, Martin said there are none currently scheduled but she would not be surprised if Charter decided to offer more in the next few months.

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*'Just a
thought'*

Many of the verbal suggestions were the usual, "go skiing, sledding, snowboarding or snowmobiling." I thought about those, but that would imply going out in the cold weather and in many cases sliding

However, due to my skills with power tools, my wife will be a little worried about me building a birdhouse. I am sure she will put 911

She suggests trying activities that get the biggest muscles in the body moving — like squats, lunges and knee lifts. By doing these exercises, she said “...your own core tempera-

These are great ideas for everyone in the winter. Many people, myself included, spend much of their winter on the couch, watching television and eating fatty foods. Then we are surprised when we cannot fit into our bathing suits.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the *Charlevoix Courier*. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com

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We need places to go

In this place you can have places for kids to read or have a story time. Also we could have a gym or computers with lots of games. With places to go it will keep kids from watching televi-

Thanks for the help

Special thanks go to Corrin and Russell, Teddy and Tracy Walker, Noel's breeders. Noel's mom and dad, Bumbia and Jolly, business partners for allowing me to have

Because of Noel's very young age and small size it was looking grim that she would survive on her own. Our only hope was

someone had found her and was enjoying her as much as we had.

Ryan, Vicki and Noel McWaters

Caitlin Taylor
Sixth grade student

It would do this because some people are pretty irritable when they wake up. When they go to school, that anger might make them violent. Also, some people like to take out their anger on others.

Finally, students might possibly perform better academically with school starting later. One reason for that would be that when you get more sleep you have more energy in the morning. Besides that, studies have shown that teenagers' natural sleep patterns cause them to fall asleep later at night and awaken later in the morning.

In conclusion, I believe that starting school later would help with a few of the school's problems. We could perform better academically and prevent some violence by starting school later. Thank you for taking the time to read this letter.

Logan Priess
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Gas prices are too high

Editor:
The gas prices in our area are far too high. Even though I'm just a middle school student, and I can't drive, they still affect me.

School should start later

Editor:
I believe that school should start at least an hour later. If school started later, people wouldn't fall asleep in class as much. One reason for that is that people wouldn't be as tired in the morn-

Article response

William Irwin
Charlevoix

Thanks so much to Coach Conlan for all that you have done and continue to do.

better and get better grades. That is why I think school should start later.

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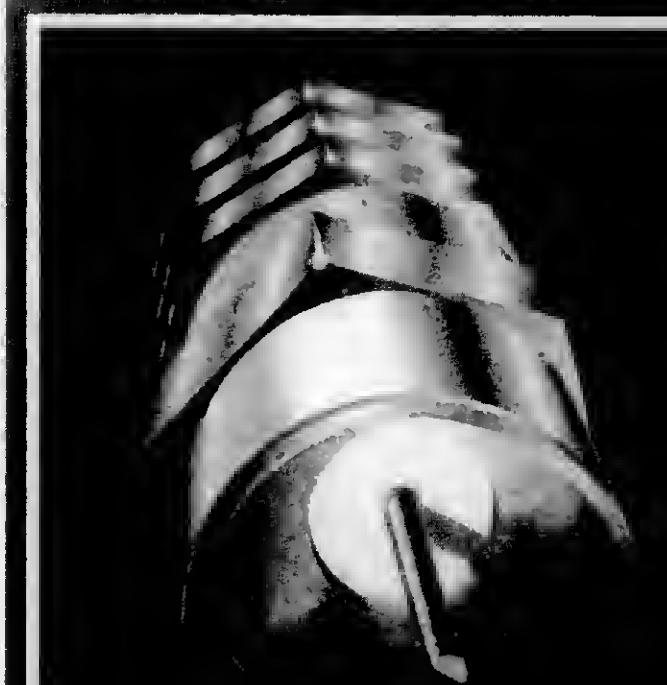
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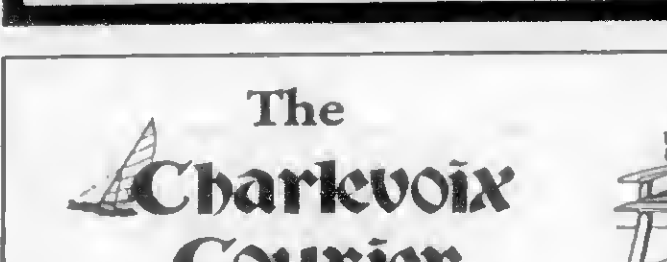
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Moes — Buitendorp

Rebekah Suzanne Buitendorp of Horton Bay and Rahman Nickolas Moes of East Jordan, were married Sept. 30, 2000 at the Charlevoix Methodist Church in front of 225 guests.

Rebekah is the daughter of Sam and Cheryl Buitendorp of Horton Bay. Rahman is the son of Nickolas and Deneille Moes of East Jordan.

Vows in the double ring rites were recited before the groom's grandfather, Pastor John Spohn, and the bride's pastor, James Larsen. The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father.

Rebekah wore an ivory colored matte satin re-embroidered lace and venise lace dress. She also had a strapless bodice on hand-beaded lace accented with venise lace flowers and a semi cathedral train. She carried a bouquet of mini calla lilies, roses and orchids in shades of white and ivory with ivy.

Music was provided by the string ensemble of Mary Beth Kur, on chello, and Carla Vandersloot and John Van Patten on violin.

The maid of honor was Christine Poteé, a friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Kristi Willemmyer, the groom's cousin, Amanda Moe, the groom's sister-in-law, Gwen Rauchi, a friend of the bride, Cara Kenney, a friend of the bride, and Kali Kierczynski, the bride's cousin.

Flower girls were Kali Markham and Sidnie McCloud.

The best man was Phil Clacko, a



Friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Dominic and Nick Moes, brothers of the groom and Shawn McLeod, Josh Speers and Rob Worthley, friends of the groom.

David and Seth Buitendorp, brothers of the bride, were the ushers.

A reception was given by the brides parents.

The couple took a seven day Caribbean cruise as a wedding trip.

They have made Nashville, Tenn. their home, were Rahman has a business designing telecommunications systems.

Hospital offers four year scholarship for students

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild is offering a medical scholarship of \$500 per year for a maximum of four years.

The scholarship is open on a competitive basis to anyone holding a high school diploma who has been accepted into an approved school for a course of study leading directly into a health care profession.

It is open to employees of the Charlevoix Area Hospital who are already working in the health care field who wish to further their medical education.

Applicants must reside in the area served by the hospital—Charlevoix and northern Antrim counties. They must also have applied for admission to an accredited school before applying for the scholarship, and be accepted into a medical program at the time the scholarship is awarded.

Students are eligible to receive scholarships for four years, so if a student has received a scholarship in the past, they should notify the scholarship committee of their interest in the 2001 scholarship.

Applications will be available from high school counselors beginning March 15.

Deadline for applications is June 1. To secure an application, persons should contact their high school counselor or write: Scholarship Committee, Attention Kathy Johnson, Charlevoix Area Hospital, 14700 Lakeshore Drive, Charlevoix, MI 49720 or call (231) 547-8502 for an application.

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Winn named as trustee for
Community Foundation

Three new trustees will help guide fund development and charitable grant making at the Charlevoix County Community Foundation.

Jim Howell, Bill Lorne and John Winn were recently named to three year terms on the organization's governing board.



John
Winn

Howell lives in Boyne City, where he has been involved in Rotary and the Boyne City Economic Development Corporation. A past president of the Boyne City Chamber of Commerce and community booster, Howell is vice president for Commercial Lending at the Bank of Northern Michigan.

A founding trustee of the foundation, Lorne returns to the board after serving two prior terms, one as chairman. Lorne resides in East Jordan, where he is active in various civic organizations and service

clubs. He is vice president for business development at the East Jordan Iron Works.

Charlevoix resident Winn is a consultant to the marine industry. He was a co-founder of Four Winns Boat Company in Cadillac. Since moving to Charlevoix, Winn has been active in numerous community and civic affairs. He currently serves on the Michigan Chamber of Commerce and the Michigan Waterways Commission.

The three new trustees join 12 other volunteer board members who come from throughout the county.

The foundation accepts donations from individuals and organizations and invests them in a permanent endowment. Each year, a portion of the endowment's earned income is used to make grants that support a variety of nonprofit programs and community initiatives in the area.

To date, the foundation has built an endowment of 115 separate funds — some earmarked for specific needs of charitable interests, other unrestricted.

Together, the funds are valued at more than \$7 million. Since it began making grants, the community foundation has distributed more

than \$2.3 million to support local programs.

More information about the foundation is available by calling (231) 536-2440, or writing the foundation at P.O. Box 718, East Jordan, MI 49727.

Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

CMU graduate

Aprille L. Pischner, of Charlevoix, graduated from Central Michigan University in December with a bachelor of science degree.

GVSU dean's list

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Woman's courage, vision were significant to church

By CHARLEVOIX CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Beacons of Blessing

Although we are this month celebrating women's history and the great progress they have made, still many women are struggling for a piece of it. Many have been abandoned, divorced, left homeless or without income. Anyone facing these challenges can take heart, there is practical help at hand.



Mary Baker Eddy

A look at history reminds us that many women have accomplished what perhaps the world thought to be impossible. Rosa Parks, the catalyst for stopping segregation on public busing; Gloria Steinem for her dedication to furthering women's rights regarding equal employment opportunities with men, to name two.

A third woman is Mary Baker Eddy.

Her personal life experience of one woman living most of her life in the 1800s can serve as a wonderful example of overcoming these very adversities.

Having been widowed early in

her first marriage, divorcing her second husband because of his infidelity, so chronically ill most of her life that her only child was taken from her, often destitute and living in the homes of friends, she rose through it all to become known as one of the remarkable women of history.

Born in Bow, New Hampshire, she grew up in a family deeply rooted in the teachings of Holy Scripture so it was natural for her to turn to her Bible for comfort and healing.

She lived at a time in history when women had few, if any legal, political or social rights and many of her accomplishments were done after the age of 50 until close to her nineteenth birthday.

How did she do it? She discovered from her Bible the meaning of spirituality, the divine laws of metaphysical healing, and her true identity as a daughter of God. The dignity and power thus enabled her to overcome many adversities and she was impelled to set about to share this wonderful news with the world.

The Massachusetts legislature

has honored her many contributions "as a Christian healer, an author, an educator, a religious leader, and a publisher..." This remarkable woman came to write a book that would make a permanent mark on the religious community of her day and which hasn't ceased to make its mark throughout the past century.

Since 1995, this book, Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, her foundational work in the area of mind/body medicine and prayer-based healing, was listed reading for the symposium, "Spirituality and Healing in Medicine," sponsored by the Harvard Medical School, the Mind/Body Medical Institute, and the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center.

Mrs. Eddy begins her book with these inspiring words, "To those leaning on the sustaining infinite today is big with blessings."

In Science and Health she goes on to explain her discovery of spirituality and metaphysical healing and its application to physical illness, unemployment, loneliness, parenting or any of the issues of daily existence.

Seeing what Mary Baker Eddy accomplished we have hope that we can overcome our challenges, too. We can celebrate Women's History Month by learning what these women of courage and vision have to teach us.

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Pastor: Michael Teuscher		
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Byrnece Margaret Greifenstein: Nov. 18, 1916 - March 1, 2001

Byrnece Margaret Greifenstein, 84, of Little Rock, Ark., died March 1, 2001 following a long illness.

She was born in Charlevoix on Nov. 18, 1916 to the late Charles Henry Lamphear and Mildred Eliza Johnson.

She and her husband, Ferdinand Greifenstein, M.D., moved to Little Rock, Ark. in 1963. Dr. Greifen-

stein was the director of the Anesthesia Department at the University of Arkansas Medical Center for several years.

Byrnece gave up a successful career as a hospital administrator in Detroit and became a full-time homemaker.

She pursued her hobbies of painting and writing poetry. Her poetry

was published several times and her art work won recognition in many art shows.

Her husband's career took her from Little Rock, Ark. to Louisville, Ky. and to Austin, Texas. Upon her husband's retirement, they returned to Little Rock, Ark. Her husband preceded her in death in 1997.

She is survived by her son William Freeburn (Vicki) of Little Rock, Ark.; one step-son, Charles Greifenstein (Alison) of Philadelphia, Penn.; one step-daughter, Jane L. Hora (Raj) of Dublin, Ohio; two grandchildren, Eric and David Hora.

She was also preceded in death by her brother, John E. Lamphear.

There was a memorial service on March 6 at Christ Episcopal Church in Little Rock, Ark. The Rev. Larry Benfield officiated.

Memorials may be made to the Geriatrics Department of the University of Arkansas Medical Science Building at 4301 West Markham Slot 547-13, Little Rock, Ark. 72205.

Sanford "Sandy" Wheeler Matchett: Died March 5, 2001

Sanford "Sandy" Wheeler Matchett, 79, of Charlevoix went to be with his Lord on March 5, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The funeral service will be at 1 p.m. March 9 at the Barnard United Methodist Church. The Rev. Eugene Baughan will officiate.

Burial will be at the Barnard Cemetery in the spring. Visitation will take place from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and from 6 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. March 8 at the Winchester Funeral Home.

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Obituaries

William Kirk Schaller: Sept. 8, 1939 - Feb. 25, 2001

William Kirk Schaller, 61, publisher of the Potoskey News-Review, died Feb. 25, 2001, in France.

A memorial service will be at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 8, at the Potoskey United Methodist Church. Visitation will be 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. today, March 7, at Stone Funeral Home in Potoskey.

Kirk was born Sept. 8, 1939, in Potoskey, the son of William Albert and Doris G. (Frederickson) Schaller. He graduated from Potoskey Public Schools in 1957 and from Ferris State College in 1962 with a business degree.

On March 6, 1971, he married Elsa C. Andrews in Gaylord, and she survives.

Kirk had been associated with the Potoskey News-Review full-time for more than 40 years, succeeding his father, the late Albert Schaller, as publisher in 1979. He had worked in a variety of positions at his family's paper, beginning at the age of 4 sweeping floors, washing hand-set type, washing windows and delivering small orders of job-printing for his

father. Later, he filled the positions of photographer, advertising sales, business manager and general manager.

He served as director of the board of the Michigan State Chamber of Commerce and on the Michigan Governor's Task Force studying the state's Single Business Tax.

He also served several terms on the board of directors of the Potoskey Regional Chamber of Commerce and its Retail Merchants Division. He was president of the Potoskey Regional Chamber of Commerce in 1985. Kirk had served as publicity chairman of the nine-county area for the Michigan Week Committee. He was a member of the Potoskey Jaycees and the Rotary Club of Potoskey.

He held memberships in various state and national newspaper organizations.

Besides enjoying being with his family, he was a passionate downhill skier, traveling around the world to enjoy that sport. He also was an avid sailor, participating

for many years in the Wednesday night Charlevoix Yacht Club races on Lake Charlevoix. He also enjoyed boating, tennis and bicycling.

He liked having a good time and being with friends.

Survivors include his wife, Elsa; children, David D. Schaller of Mount Plymouth, Fla., John R. Schaller of Harbor Springs, Gretchen K. (Jeff) Arnold of Charlevoix, and Patrick R. Schaller of Potoskey; his mother, Doris Schaller Vernon, of Potoskey; brother, Brent H. Schaller, of Harbor Springs; and sister, Karen K. Lewicki, of Alanson.

Kirk was preceded in death by his father, William Albert Schaller, in 1979, and a grandson, Caden Grayson Arnold, in 2000.

In lieu of flowers, the family would request that donations be made in Kirk's name to the North Central Michigan College Foundation. A scholarship will be established in Kirk's name for students going into journalism/communications arts.

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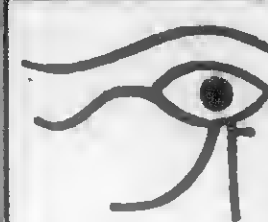
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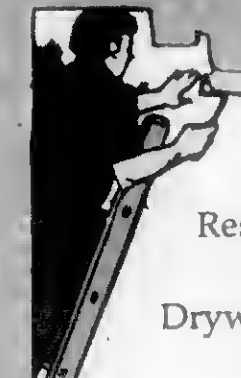
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City addresses citizen complaints at meeting

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He said that they have written about half a dozen tickets and have sent two snowmobilers to jail.

He added the majority of those that his officers have cited are suspended drivers who are not to operate any type of motor vehicle be it car or snowmobile.

Halverson added that just three nights after this February city council meeting a snowmobiler ran from officers in the city. After some investigation this individual was found and issued two citations.

Halverson added that the city police force is trying to respond to citizen concerns and that he has put an order in to the State of Michigan to get a list of registered snowmobile owners and their addresses.

From this list the police department, in conjunction with the local snowmobile club, plan to do a mass mailing sometime in October or November of 2001. The mailing will consist of the local designated trail map and local rules and regulations that snowmobilers in Charlevoix are expected to follow.

John Ferguson, president of the Charlevoix Snowmobile Club said that the club and the city worked hard to get the ordinance that allows snowmobiles in the city passed.

"It would really be a shame to let

that go because of a few bad apples," he added.

Chamber of Commerce President Jacqueline Merta spoke on behalf of the Chamber and the Convention and Visitors Bureau in support of both the local snowmobile club and for keeping the downtown access route open to snowmobile traffic.

"Having winter activities in a community such as ours, where we see a lot of activity in the summer and little in the winter, is good for the Charlevoix economy," Merta said.

However, when residents asked what her position was on being able to use city streets to go to and from trails, Merta responded that the chamber hasn't addressed access to homes yet.

However, not all city residents left the meeting convinced that educating snowmobile users would solve the problems. City residents Don Seelye said he doesn't think that educating the ignorant will make the difference.

He explained his personal attempts at educating some of these misguided snow machine users including getting maps from the city and passing them out himself and following the snowmobile tracks to the owners home and addressing the issue directly.

"I'm not against snowmobilers, I just think that they are in the wrong place when they are coming through the city of Charlevoix. I'm open to suggestions, but I don't see a solution," Seelye said.



Band heads to state

The Charlevoix Middle School band is heading to state competition following a perfect score at a March 2 band competition called the District II Festival in Elk Rapids. The group received straight ones — on a scale of one to four — from three concert judges and one sight-reading judge. The band is composed of 62 seventh and eighth graders. (Courtesy photo)

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Who sold drugs to Charlevoix High School student?

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However, their testimony at this point became inconsistent.

Granath said that it was his friend's idea to use the shed and Curtis pointed to Granath as the one having decided to go to Chamberlain's home. Granath also said that they smoked along side the home and his friend said that the two were inside the shed when they smoked.

Police Chief Dennis Halverson's report states that Charlevoix High School junior, Josh Chamberlain was inside his residence having lunch with his girlfriend when the boys were in the backyard.

Josh Chamberlain's testimony was

not heard on March 5, but he is listed as a witness in the case.

According to testimony, it was not long after the boys returned from their lunch outing that school administrators discovered Curtis was high in class.

Curtis said that after he was removed from class by a teacher who recognized signs that he was "high," he told assistant principle Keith Haske that he and Granath had smoked the marijuana in a small shed and that Granath had the marijuana and the pipe.

Haske testified that after hearing this confession he removed Granath from class and asked to search his locker. Haske told the court that Granath agreed and opened the locker.

Haske searched Granath's coat

and found the marijuana inside the coat's right front pocket.

Haske then gave the coat to high school principle Gary Grundman.

Nowhere during Haske's testimony did he say that Zukowski's person or locker were searched on Dec. 6.

The parents of both Granath and Curtis were notified prior to police interrogation.

According to testimony, the State Police Crime Lab found no identifiable prints on the bag of drugs.

Granath and Curtis were suspended from school for three days.

Granath was charged and tried for possession of a controlled substance, marijuana. A hearing on the charge took place Jan. 15 in Probate Teen Court before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser.

Granath was placed on probation for six months and will be subject to random drug and alcohol screenings during that time. He was also ordered to complete 40 hours of community service work.

Based on Granath's accusations, Zukowski was initially suspended for nine days.

After the nine day suspension,

Gary Grundman met with Zukowski and his mother and told them he planned to reinstate him under certain guidelines.

Grundman said that the guidelines included steering clear of Granath.

He further said that at the meeting he tried to express to Zukowski that this was a no win situation and that it would be better if he went to school somewhere else.

Zukowski later decided to enroll in another school district, rather than stay in the Charlevoix school system.

Zukowski was expected to testify yesterday.



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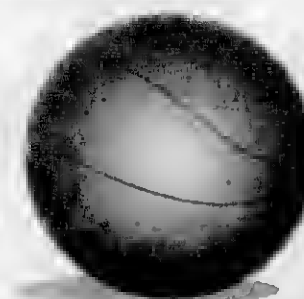
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Rayders close out the season with two wins

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

The Charlevoix Rayders closed out their regular season in impressive fashion, beating Kalkaska 76-56 and Traverse City St. Francis 77-46.

Charlevoix finished a perfect 12-0 in the Lake Michigan Conference and 10-0 at home. The conference championship was Charlevoix's first. The Rayders' closest conference game was an 18 point victory over Elk Rapids.

On Tuesday night against Kalkaska, the game was tight early on and the Rayders trailed 10-6 at one point. They rallied with a 6-0 run late in the quarter to pull even at 14-14 for the stanza. The second quarter was more of the same as Charlevoix pulled out to a 28-21 advantage but a Blazer free throw and a three-pointer by Kalkaska star Mick Knust cut the lead to 28-25.

The Rayders pushed the lead back up to 32-25 on two free throws by Rob Boss and a Scott Parrish jumper but a three-point play and another hoop, both by Knust brought Kalkaska back to within two. Minutes later, a Boss putback as time expired for the half pushed Charlevoix ahead 36-33. Kalkaska was a victim of their own terrible free throw shooting as they were only four for 14 from the charity stripe in the first half.

The Blazers looked as if they were ready to pull the upset early in the third as yet another Knust bucket cut the Rayder lead to 43-42. Finally the Rayders strung together a run as Patrick Gowell hit a clutch three-pointer and another jumper.

Jim Shepherd's field goal with 3:19 left in the quarter gave the Rayders their largest lead at 50-42.

A Shepherd three-pointer minutes later pushed the lead to 55-47 and two free throws by Boss extended it to 10 at 57-47. Kalkaska converted a three-pointer to cut the lead to 57-50 at the end of the quarter.

Coach Keith Haske's pep talk between quarters must have fired the Rayders up as they exploded for nine straight points at the start of

the fourth quarter to pull out to a comfortable 66-50 lead. Jeremiah Teuscher then put the nail in the Blazer coffin by following a Kalkaska bucket with eight straight points of his own.

On the game, Jeremiah Teuscher led Charlevoix scorers with 19 points. Boss scored 16 and pulled down nine rebounds. Shepherd notched 15 points and grabbed six boards. Parrish, double and triple-teamed all night, finished with 11 points, seven rebounds and seven blocks. Gowell added nine points to round out the balanced attack.

There was no drama last Friday night as the Rayders jumped out early against Traverse City St. Francis and cruised to the win.

With Charlevoix holding an 8-6 advantage, Parrish scored six points in a 13-0 Rayder run that put the game essentially out of reach. The Glad-iators never were closer than 10 points the rest of the night.

The Rayder pressure defense was too much for the young St. Francis team to handle, leading to many points off turnovers for

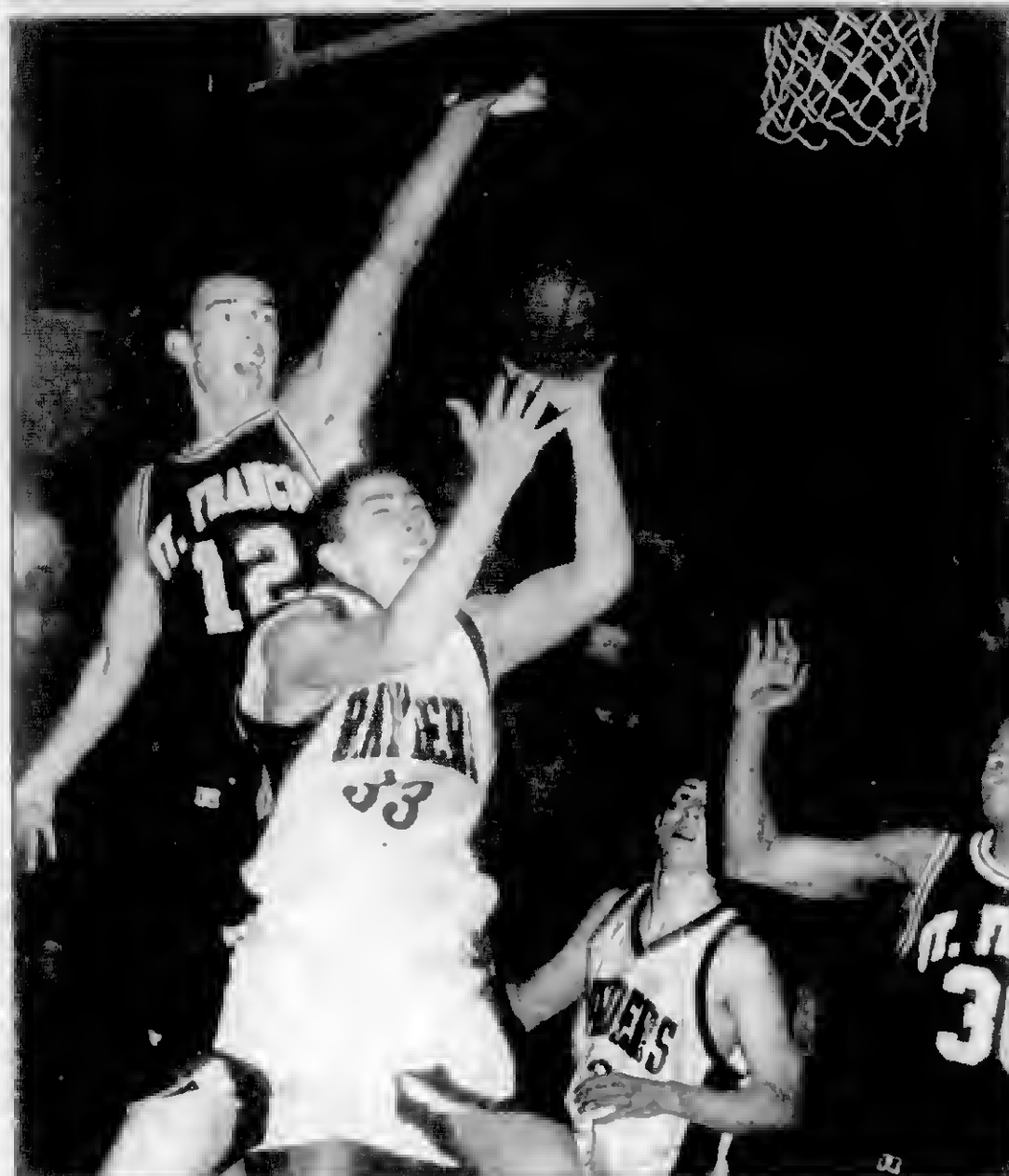
Charlevoix. They led at the end of one, 23-9 and at the half, 43-28. In the third quarter, the game turned sloppy, resulting in many whistles and turnovers.

The only highlight of the second half occurred with 6:22 left to play.

Parrish threw a behind the back pass to Doug Rieck who immediately returned the favor with a great touch pass. As Parrish soared for a dunk that would have brought down the capacity house, he was taken down by a tackle by a St. Francis player.

Parrish had 19 points and eight rebounds to lead the Rayders. Boss scored 14 and pulled down 12 caroms. Seniors Rieck and Jeremiah Teuscher, playing their final home games, scored 11 and nine respectively. Keith Daly chipped in with 10.

The junior varsity squad lost a heartbreaker to Kalkaska, 79-77 in overtime. Travis Smith's two free throws with no time left in regulation forced the extra stanza. They came back to beat conference champs Traverse City St. Francis, 77-65 to close their season with a 8-12 record.



Charlevoix's Jim Shepherd goes up for a basket amid several defenders in Friday's game against Traverse City St. Francis. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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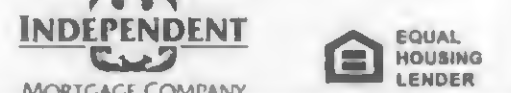
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SPORTS

Players prepare for March Madness tonight

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

It's time for the painted cars, the GO RAYDERS signs in windows on Bridge Street and long caravans of cars making long trips on wintry nights.

In other words, it's time for March Madness again in Charlevoix.

The Rayders' basketball team begins play in the single elimination state tournament this week.

Two years ago, the town of Charlevoix pulled together behind the "No Limit" Rayders who traveled down to the Jack Breslin Student Event Center on the campus of Michigan State University for the 1999 Class C Final Four, falling in the state semifinals to Bath.

Last year was supposed to be a down year for the Rayders, but they repeated as district and regional champions, falling only to the eventual state champions from Negaunee.

This year's team hopes to make a similar run, going into the tourney with a 17-3 record and 13 straight wins.

"We're excited. It feels like a new season is starting," junior guard Patrick Gowell said. Junior center Scott Parrish added, "I'm looking forward to it. It was a blast last year."

Coach Keith Haske came to Charlevoix four years ago, having won three conference championships while coaching at St. John's High School, but never advancing beyond the districts. Haske looked forward to coaching in Charlevoix, in part because of the possibility of making a tournament run.

Although the Rayders lost All-Stater Sean Stockman to graduation, it looks as if they may have another All-Stater in the 6 foot, 6 inch Parrish. Any Rayder shot at making it back to the Breslin rests largely on his shoulders.

If Parrish is voted to an All-State team, he will be the second in his family as his sister Lisa received the same honor three times, from 1996-

1998.

While Parrish leads in the scoring column, the floor general for the Rayders is 6 foot, 2 inch Gowell, who like Parrish, started last year for Charlevoix as a sophomore. One of the highlights of the season for Gowell was holding Steve McDonald, a first team All-Stater for top-ranked and unbeaten St. Ignace to 12 points earlier in the season.

The emotional leader of the Rayders is 6 foot, 4 inch junior power forward Rob Boss.

"I hope my attitude will help the team. I make a speech each game after we're announced (to fire the team up)," Boss said. He also leads through his unselfish actions.

"If Scotty (Parrish) is hot, I'll keep getting it to him. I couldn't care less how many points I get. I'm just trying to get rebounds and get everyone else involved."

In Class C, one great player can take a team a long way, but a state championship team must have balance.

The Rayders have the big scorer in Parrish, the floor leader in Gowell and the rebounding and enthusiasm of Boss. They also have the three-point bombing of 6 foot, 1 inch junior Jim Shepherd.

After averaging 19 points per game last year on the JV squad, Shepherd's role changed to more of a supporting one this year.

"We have a lot of people who can score and a lot of people to distribute the offense. You might lose stats with scoring, but it's easier to play with people who are good. Pat (Gowell) is a great point guard and he helps me get shots. I'm actually probably getting more shots this year than I probably ever did," Shepherd explained.

The lone senior starter on the Rayder squad is Jeremiah Teuscher, who Haske has referred to as the "heart and soul" of the team.

In addition to his work on the hardwood, Teuscher quarterbacked Charlevoix's playoff football team this year and will star this spring for the Rayders on the baseball diamond.

"We have a group that works hard and we all have the same emphasis—work hard in practice and it pays off on the field or the court," Teuscher said. "It would be great to go out my senior year with all three conference championships and win the all-sports conference championship and get that banner and show them Charlevoix is the best."

With Haske's fullcourt pressure going for a full 32 minutes each game, a strong bench is vital to the Rayders' success. The speed of Ryan Rafacz, the rebounding and interior defense of Keith Daly, the shooting of Doug Rieck and the ballhandling of sophomore Nate Teuscher will be instrumental in determining just how deep the Rayders can go in this year's tourney.

The road to Breslin begins in Harbor Springs this week for the Rayders where they will defend their district title. Charlevoix drew a bye and will open play Wednesday, March 7 against East Jordan.

The district finals will take place on Friday, March 9. The matchup

will likely feature the Rayders and the host Rams, who have been hot as of late, posting wins over Traverse City St. Francis and Kalkaska. Harbor has shown new life since bringing up freshman Dean Cosens from their JV squad.

This year's regional will be in Cadillac where Charlevoix hopes to defend its title for the second straight year.

A potential opponent is undefeated Suttons Bay, ranked fifth in Class C and who routed the Rayders earlier this season.

Parrish said, "We played bad up there (against Suttons Bay). It was an ugly game for us. Now they think we're overrated. They may be overlooking a lot of people."

Shepherd is also looking forward to a possible rematch.

"We have to take one game at a time, but that game is circled on our calendar. When we get there, we definitely want revenge," he declared.

In the event the Rayders make it to the quarterfinals for the third

straight year, they would likely face either top-ranked St. Ignace or last year's state champion, Negaunee.

"It would be huge to beat St. Ignace. They've owned us the last two years. They are the bar right now for us to measure ourselves against," Boss said. "Most people are looking at Suttons Bay and St. Ignace but I look at Negaunee. They beat us and they got to win the state championship. They lost one kid so it's pretty much the same team that beat us. We're pretty much brand new and we want to show that we can do something like that (state championship)."

It is clear that state championship is on the mind of this team. In fact, not just one championship, but two.

Parrish summed up the team's thoughts.

"We are working toward the main goal which is a state championship. Lots of people would be happy just to make it to Breslin but this group of kids are not. We're looking at a state championship the next two years," he said.

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Men's Senior League February 26, 2001			John Ferguson 235 Bryan VanLooy 235			Fiedorek/Dixon 20.5 23.5 Whitley 19.5 24.5			Tammy Ross 186 Judy VanderArk 635			Michelle Poston 178		
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Top Rank Disposal	18	10	Tuesday Night Ladies Secretary: Liz Meadows			Sladek J&Laural 18 26			Young At Hearts March 1, 2001			Gutter Gals February 22, 2001		
Shan Lumber	15	13	February 27, 2001			Cavely 16 28			W L			Mary & Jane 99 49		
White Boyz II	14	14	W L			Turner 15 29			Sparetime 28 12			Wanda & Trina 89 59		
White Paint & Stain	12	16	Charlovet Foot Clinic 24 18			HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			Has Beens 24 16			Connie & Bernie 88 60		
State Farm	11	17	Top Rank Disposal 22 18			SeriesGame			Funny Four 21 19			Rebecca & Barb 68 80		
Central Drug Store	10	18	Hearing Hearts 21 19			Jerry Russell 254			3 Guys & 1 Gal 20 20			Teresa & Julie 52 84		
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Scott Dixon	211		SeriesGame			Carla Spencer 189			Louie McKenzie 554 214			Early Birds Mixed Doubles February 18, 2011		
Howard Struthers	553		Linda Ward 496 219			Kris Dixon 466			Ray Browe 556 204					
Church League			Marlene Evans 577 217						Ken Schoenholt 516 211					
February 28, 2001			Elaine McDonald 498			Monday Madness February 26, 2001			Friday Night Ladies February 23, 2001			Pittman 29.5 14.5		
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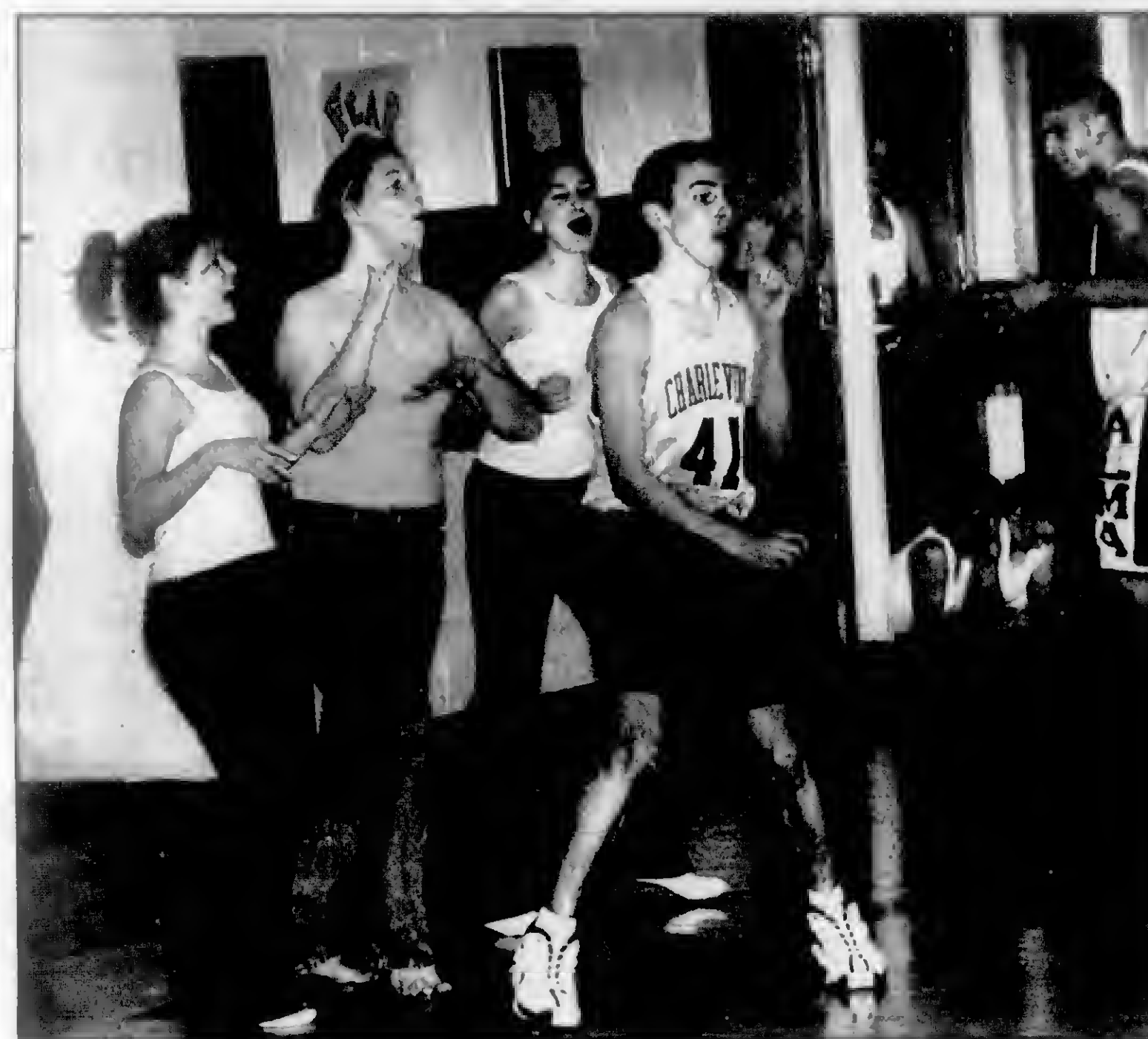
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Rockin' Rayder spirit

These students were part of the pep-rally Friday wrapping up last week's Winterfest at Charlevoix High School. Students performed to various songs during the rally. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Some tips to keep your back healthy on trips

You work hard all year, saving for that special vacation. But travel, though exciting, can be both mentally and physically stressful.

Nina Leib physical therapist at On-site Physical Therapy and member of the Private Practice Section of the American Physical Therapy Association said back pain is one potential vacation spoiler. To avoid back strain or injury, Leib offers some useful tips that are explained below.

When driving long distances, stop every one and a half hours or so for a stretch break. Be sure to stand fully erect and walk around for a few minutes. Gently leaning slightly backward from the waist a few times can help relieve tension in the lower back.

Most car or airline seats are uncomfortable for long trips. Try folding a towel one to two times lengthwise, then roll it up jellyroll style, about two inches in diameter. Place the roll across the center of your back at about the belt line. Be sure your buttocks and shoulders are back against the seat. This should keep the seat more comfortable and keep the lower back in a good position.

Be careful when lifting luggage. Use two smaller suitcases instead of one large one.

That way, you can carry one in each hand to help balance the load. Remember, humans are not designed to be pack mules. Do not load yourself down with too many bags. You are more likely to lose your footing and strain yourself.

Lifting luggage out of the trunk of your car can often be awkward. Make sure to position yourself in front of the trunk, bending at the knees and hips when reaching into the trunk. Keep your feet apart and your back erect and bend your knees.

Vacations often bring about once a year activities such as sailing or tennis. Be sure to properly warm up before you start any activity and don't try to get a year's worth of activity into one week.

If you do experience back pain while traveling, rest and ice can help decrease pain. But if the pain persists, contact your local physical therapist. Physical therapists are experts in managing back pain. They can help you understand the cause of your back pain and suggest what you can do to alleviate the symptoms and prevent further injury.

For more information about On-Site Physical Therapy call (231) 237-7840.

Lawsuits dropped against township, board

SCHOOL

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The document states that the fund will be used to "assist in the purchase or acquisition of land, interests in land or natural resources, conservation easements, development rights to protect

and enhance the scenic corridors, prime farmlands, rural character, environment, or other unique or rare natural features or resources within Marion Township."

"Improvements" to the township zoning ordinance include a revision of the standards used for considering special use permits. These revised criterion are to

help guide the township so "proposed uses and projects will not interfere with or adversely effect the natural resource, rural character, open space, farmland, fiscal resources, and other values identified by the zoning ordinance and township land use plan."

Olson said, "School or no

school, sprawl is a concern the township needs to address. There was some concern from the beginning, even on the township's part about the adequacy of the standards in the zoning ordinance. It made sense to correct these issues to better manage sprawl."

The settlement agreement and

the order for dismissal do not impact the case currently pending in circuit court, Kenneth Staley, et al. vs. Board of Education, Charlevoix Public Schools, and Dr. John J. Sturock, Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools.

Oral arguments in the case will be heard this summer.



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Parents have many choices in preschools

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Many families search high and low for the perfect refrigerator, one that fits the needs and personality of the home — eventually choosing the one with the right gadgets, space and price.

This is the same approach educators suggest you use when choosing your child's preschool provider. The key is to shop around until you've met your child's match.

Of non-profit preschools locally, Charlevoix parents have three choices: Kids Corner, Charlevoix Children's House and Head Start.

Each of the three educate students age 3 to 5 through play, but do so using different teaching methods including: the cooperative approach, the Montessori method and parent empowerment/developmental creative.

Kids Corner

Charlevoix residents Phyllis Hess and Marylu Norton started Kids Corner, located in the Charlevoix Congregational Church, a cooperative preschool, in September of 1983. Since then, teachers, toys and students have come and gone but the strength of the program has remained.

Mary Beth Zimmerman, a Charlevoix resident of 15 years, is the new head instructor at Kids Corner. Zimmerman brings with her a bachelor's degree in education, an endorsement in early childhood education and teaching experience from time spent at Head Start in Petoskey.

Kids Corner president Pam Barnes said that the school is helping students develop skills and is preparing them for their future.

"Kindergarten teachers stress that they want children who come in to be able to socialize, to sit down and listen to a story,

They are not worried about whether or not they know their ABC's and their sounds. They will learn those things in kindergarten," Barnes said. "We try to create an atmosphere where play and academics converge."

The cooperative environment at Kids Corner is "cooperative" because of the parent/teacher relationship in the classroom. Zimmerman is assisted in each session by a parent helper.

"It is fun for parents. At this age parents want to be able to participate in their child's education," Zimmerman said.

Zimmerman and her parent helper shares the responsibility of about eight children.

The classroom is currently filled with various centers to create its academic/play environment including: a water table, a sandbox, writing and computers.

Montessori

The Montessori learning model followed by Charlevoix Children's House differs from the Kids Corner cooperative setting in some basic ways.

The Montessori setting is a more structured learning environment than both Kids Corner and Head Start.

"A child must have freedom to develop; but freedom is a goal, a point of arrival, and not a starting point. True freedom implies responsibility and self-discipline," a pamphlet distributed by the school states. "In a Montessori class, the child is helped toward self-discipline by offering him limited choices at first and then gradually expanding the possibilities of choice as the child becomes able to choose responsibly."

School director Deborah Saygers Hobbs, 46, of Central Lake said that this "structure" doesn't mean that students are being pushed academically, but that the objects in the classroom are set up in such a way to en-



Cammeron Clark plays on the floor with Montessori assistant Barbara Chulick. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

courage learning.

She said that the environment in the classroom is the school's curriculum.

"Montessori is more geared toward following children. They will search out and find what they need," Hobbs said.

Hobbs considers herself to be a directress because the child leads his/her learning process and she and her assistants are there to guide their work — the active link between the child and the activities.

The classroom has four specific academic areas. One area is called, practical life. Here students learn skills needed in their daily lives like dressing themselves, pouring liquids, setting the table and using a ladle. They learn to take care of and respect their own environment.

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The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrill at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information

call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

The Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Business organizations —

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-2101.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from

2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Monday through Friday. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

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SCRAPBOOK

Beaver Island resident keeps area's history alive

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Beaver Island resident Robert Cole and the Beaver Island Historical Society are working on keeping the stories of the past alive.

In 1990, Cole started interviewing the memories of the 12 oldest living native-born Beaver Islanders in order to create an oral record of the area's history. The project was sponsored by the Beaver Island Historical Society and the Beaver Island Library.

According to Cole, the project was designed to be taken up by the community, but it never was. Thus, for the last 10 years, the oral history project basically faded away.

However, Cole recently got the project back up and running and has already collected three more interviews with native islanders.

"The goal is to collect 25 interviews with 25 subjects and make the interviews available to the public through the Print Shop Museum," Cole said. He added he is also trying to make the transcripts of the interviews available on the internet at www.beaverisland.net/history.

To achieve this goal, Cole is not only looking for subjects to inter-

view, but funding to keep the project going.

"I am appealing to three separate grant entities to get money to travel to native islanders who no longer live here and are in their 80s and 90s," Cole said.

The project is focusing on Beaver Island's history in the Twentieth Century through anecdotal stories of life on the island. Cole said a lot of it revolves around the Irish-American presence on the island.

The project is partially of significance to historians because of the unique situation that comes with living on an island.

"Because we were isolated, we held on to a lot of traditions that might have faded on the mainland," Cole said. He said this type of project would be great for a study of cultural history and not just a strict study of the island's local history.

The project is also special to Cole because it gives him more respect in the island and island life. "Because I am native born and grew up in this culture, I grew up with these stories. My sense of respect and appreciation for the culture has deepened," he said.

"One thing that impresses me is the degree of closeness (on the is-

land). There is a sense of identity. There is a great deal of pride here held by those who were descendants of the original settlers."

Cole added he also enjoys recording these stories because they tell of the strength the residents of Beaver Island have, especially when faced with the many obstacles — economic, infrastructure and comfort — that mainlanders do not have.

"They worked very hard against this back-drop," Cole said.

But, time is Cole's enemy on this project, as his subjects are getting older.

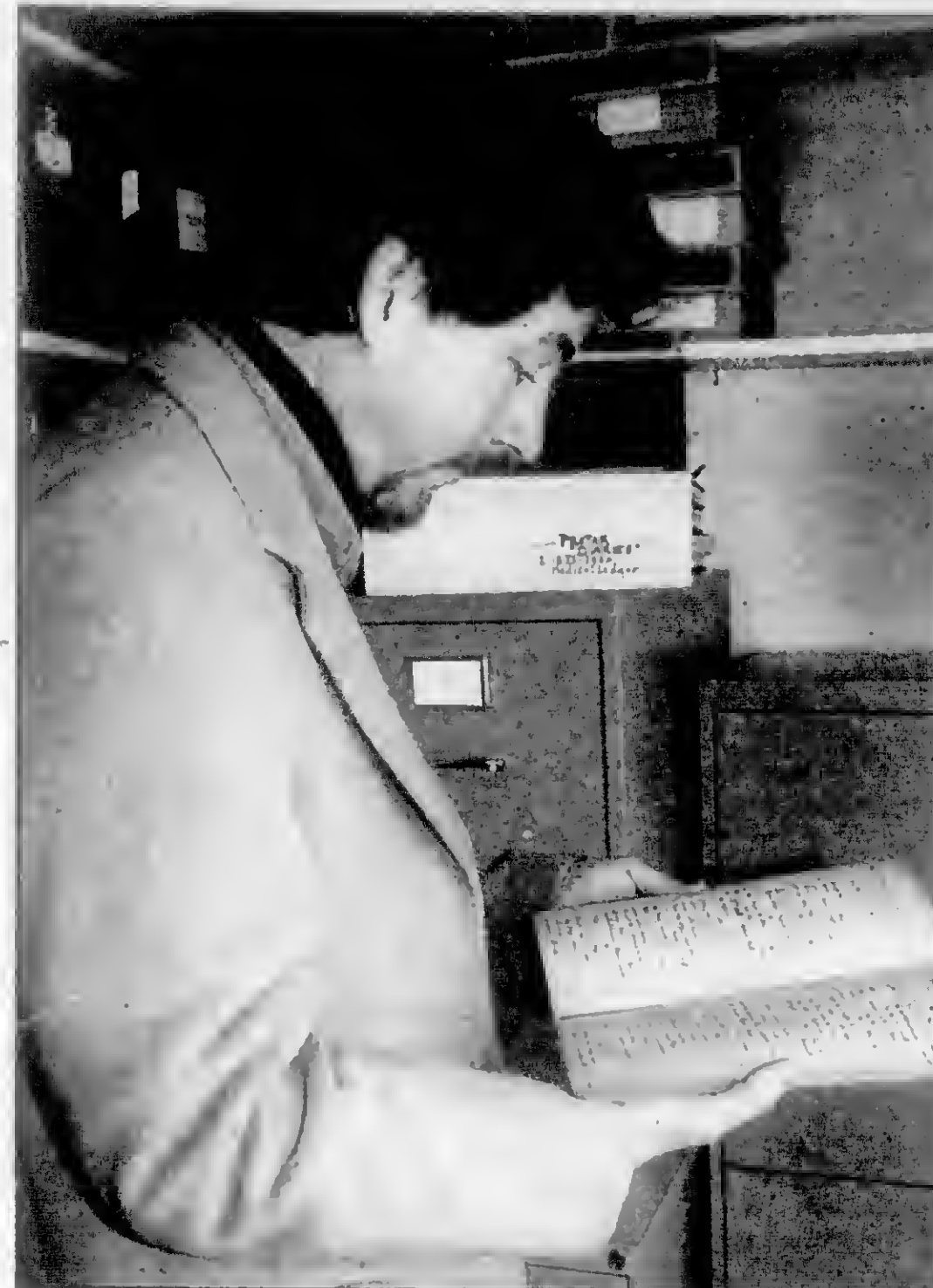
"They die without very much warning," he said.

Another problem Cole must overcome are the logistics of getting to these people.

"Some subjects live far away. It takes considerable time and money to get to them," he said.

In order to find subjects in time to record their memories, Cole is appealing to the public to contact him if they know of someone they think would be a good person to interview for this project.

Cole can be contacted by calling (213) 448-2254 or writing to the Beaver Island Historical Society at P.O. Box 263, Beaver Island, 49782.



Robert Cole looks through one of the historical texts located at the Print Shop Museum on Beaver Island. He is currently working on an oral history project of the island. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Featured event



Singing boys

The "Singing Boys of Pennsylvania" will perform at the First Congregational Church at 1010 State Street at 4 p.m. on Sunday. The group consists of 18 young artists between 10 and 14 who sing a variety of music from Bach, Schubert and Stephen Foster. There is no admission fee, but a free-will offering will be appreciated. (Courtesy photo)

Reunion

Charlevoix area people who currently reside in Florida are being invited to the third reunion in Sarasota. The date is March 26, when the Michiganders will gather for a luncheon. Anyone in the Sarasota area with Charlevoix roots is invited. To learn more, contact Susan Van Wieren by phone at (941) 918-0436; mail at 1617 Bathhouse Court #221, Sarasota, FL 34231-6728; or e-mail

COMING EVENTS

About these coming events...

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 10 a.m. Monday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Grandvue meetings

The Grandvue Auxiliary will resume regular monthly meetings beginning at 2 p.m. on Thursday at the Grandvue Medical facility. Hostess will be President, Helen Deming, Boyne City. The program will be presented by Elke Myerhoff, a Grandvue employee. She will relate her experience of the "One-on-One Activities" workshop held in East Lansing.

Garden club

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will have Thomas Priest, a Master Gardener and Professional Landscaper, at their meeting March 10. This

meeting is open to anyone interested in gardening or becoming a member of the Charlevoix Area Garden Club. The meeting will take place in the lower level of the Charlevoix Public Library. For more information about the club please call Mona Bergeon 547-3526.

Sewing guild

The Northern Michigan Sewing Guild will meet on Thursday at the Charlevoix Reformed Church. The lending library will be open at 6:30 p.m., and the meeting will begin at 7 p.m. Anyone who enjoys sewing is welcome to attend. For more information call Marlin 547-2254.

Blood drive

The student council of Charlevoix High School is hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive at the high school on March 15 from 8:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Community members are invited to stop by or may set up an appointment ahead of time. See any student council member or call their advisor, Gail Cherry at 547-3165.

CPR, First Aid classes

CPR and first aid classes available

at Charlevoix Area Hospital. The following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

March 14 — Infant CPR for new moms from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

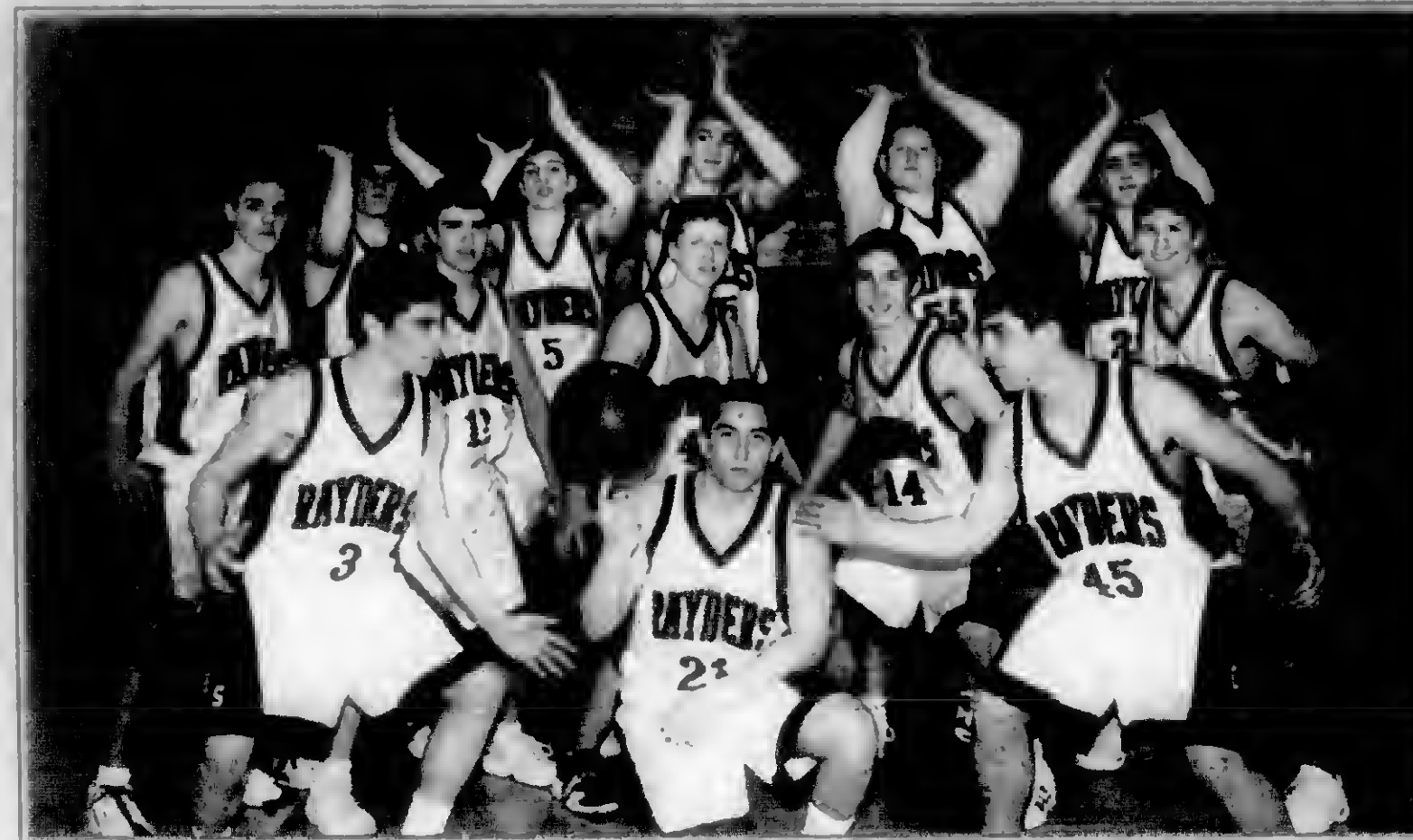
April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

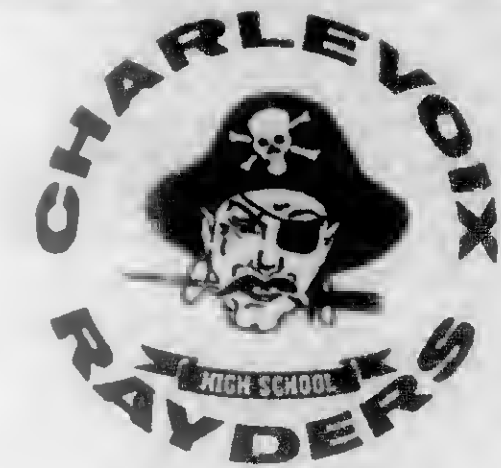
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Good Luck in the District Tournaments!



Front from left: Dale Williams, Ryan Lietner, Doug Reick
Middle from left: Nate Tuescher, Dennis Avery, Shawn McDonough, Ryan Rafacz, Keith Daly
Back from left: Patrick Gowell, Jeremiah Tuescher, Scott Parrish, Rob Boss, Jim Shepherd
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Students get good marks on state test

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Many bank accounts belonging to Charlevoix High School seniors looking ahead to college will be \$2,500 ahead this fall.

According to recent reports 62.7 percent of the class scored high enough on the MEAP test to receive the Merit award, a \$2,500 scholarship. The 62.7 percent is the calculation before the state adjusts for special education.

This means that, like last year, Charlevoix High School has proven its academic success in the state of Michigan.

Last year, 78 percent of the graduating class received the Merit award which placed Charlevoix fifth in the state for their performance on the test. High school testing director John Prescott said that Charlevoix was beat by three class A schools and one gifted and talented school in Grand Rapids.

MEAP testing scores are not required by all Michigan colleges like the national test, the ACT, but Prescott said that there are three in the state that do ask to see students' results. Colleges that request the results include: Saginaw Valley State University, Western Michigan University and Northern Michigan University.

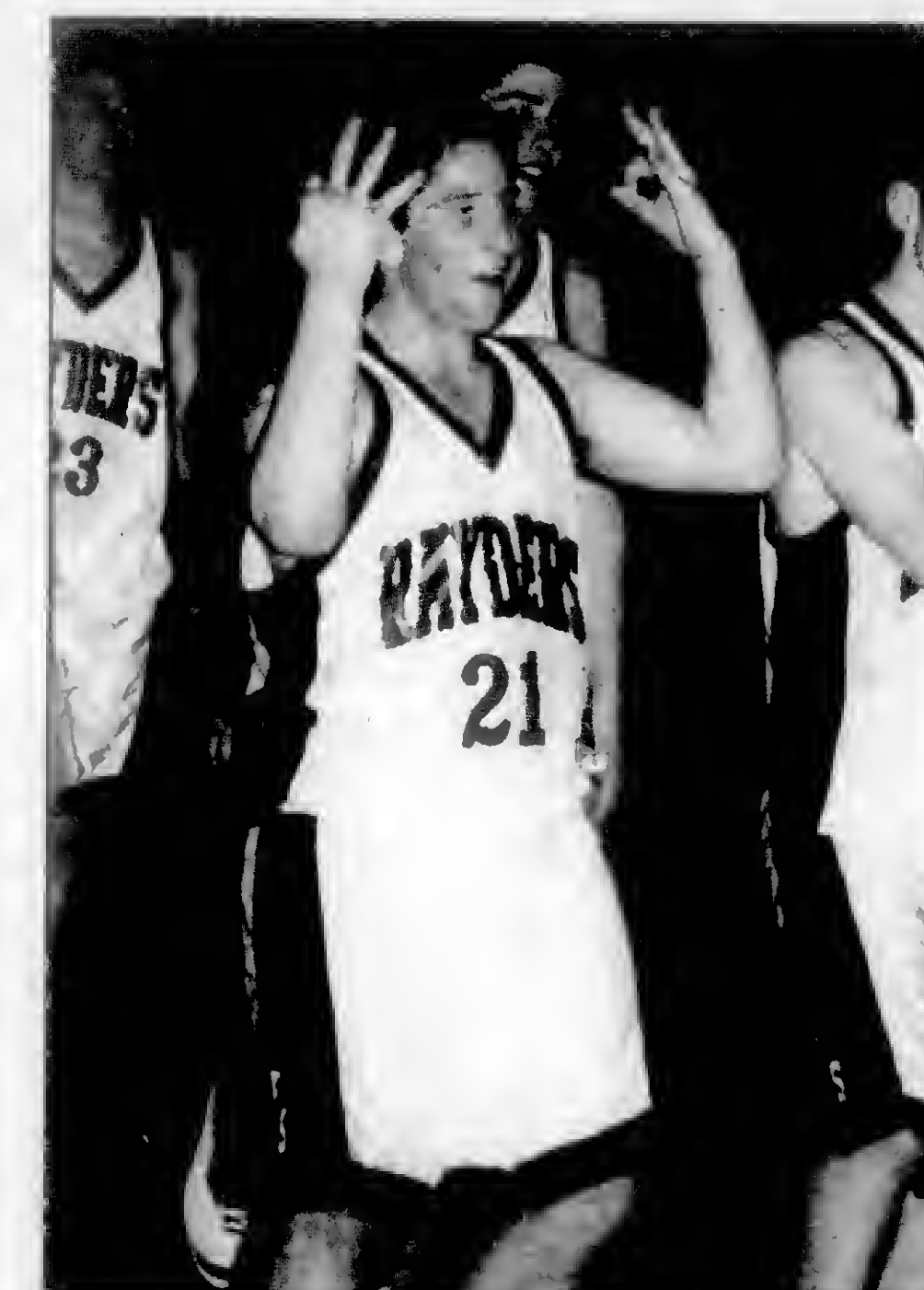
However, as Prescott explained, the intent of the test is not to help get Michigan students into college but it is an avenue used by the government to monitor Michigan school districts.

"The purpose of MEAP is to make sure schools are teaching the curriculum as dictated by the state of Michigan. The state is being the teacher saying, 'Here is what you should have learned. Let me make sure you've got it,'" Prescott said.

After reviewing a complete set of all Michigan schools test results from the 1999-2000 school year at MeritAward.state.mi.us, it is evident that Charlevoix has "got it."

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It's a threepeat!



District champions

(Left) Rayder Ryan Leitner celebrates the Charlevoix High School Basketball team's third straight district title following last Friday's win over Harbor Springs. (Below) The Rayder basketball team poses with their new trophy. They are: (front, from left) Ryan Rafacz, Dennis Avery, Patrick Gowell, Ryan Leitner, Jeremiah Tuescher, Doug Rieck, (back) Rob Boss, Scott Parrish, Jim Shepherd, Keith Daly, Shawn McDonough, Dale Williams and Nate Tuescher. Coach Keith Haske and assistant coaches, Bret Erskine and Matt Dennis are missing. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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Former student acquitted of drug dealing charge

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After about an hour-and-a-half of deliberation, a jury acquitted Nathan Zukowski, 17, March 7 in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix.

The jury found the former Charlevoix High School senior not guilty of delivery of the controlled substance, marijuana.

Zukowski was charged with the crime following an incident Dec. 6 at Charlevoix High School. According to reports and testimony, after lunch on Dec. 6, teachers at the school discovered a freshman student "high" in class. The student, John Curtis, 14, admitted to smoking marijuana with fellow student, Will Granath, 15, at lunch nearby. School officials searched Granath's locker and found the marijuana.

Under questioning, Granath said Zukowski had sold him the drugs. School officials suspended Curtis and Granath for three days and Zukowski for nine. Granath was also charged with possession of a controlled substance in teen probate court and given community service and probation. Zukowski was charged with selling the drugs to Granath.

Unlike Granath, police did not search Zukowski's locker or person the day of the incident. This is because school had let out for the day.

In an interview after the trial, Zukowski said the case should have never gone to court because Granath's testimony was the main source of evidence and his testimony was inconsistent.

"I feel that I was unjustly treated. The school kicked me out when they had no evidence or proof," he said.

Anne Zukowski added, "I am

very happy and relieved it is all over and my son can finally get on with his life."

Zukowski completed his requirements for graduation at Hemingway School in Boyne Falls. He said that he plans to attend Grand Rapids Community College in the fall.

Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas said testimony of a change in stories by Granath to school officials may have lead the jury to their verdict.

"That always causes difficulty with juries in terms of credibility," Pajtas said.

According to testimony, after Zukowski returned from his nine day suspension, Granath came to Charlevoix High School principal Gary Grundman with a different story than he told Dec. 6.

However, based on Granath's demeanor at the time, Grundman testified he believed the student had been threatened to change his story. He added a teacher had seen Zukowski and Granath talking during a class Dec 18.

But, during Granath's testimony on March 6, he said he did not feel threatened during the conversation that took place between the boys.

Police chief Dennis Halverson, who arrested Zukowski, said that the jury's decision doesn't effect city officers' approach and they will continue to battle drugs in local schools.

"We are there to help the school out. Our resolve isn't affected by this. We have a role to play in keeping the proper education environment," Halverson said.

"We are going to be aggressive in combating drugs in schools. We did our part and the jury did their part, this doesn't affect our direction in this area. We consider this (drug use in school) to be a priority issue."

On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Robert Dwight Furgeson, 50, Charlevoix. Unlicensed contractor. Fines and costs totaling \$200.

Joel Thomas Huren, 17, Livonia. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Thomas Allen Doss, 25, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense. Bound over to circuit court.

Matthew Scott Feenstra, 22, Grand Rapids. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense; bribery of a public officer; and driving while license suspended-second or more. Bound over to circuit court.

David Ernest Howard Jr., 32, Walloon Lake. Driving

while under the influence of alcohol-third offense. Bound over to circuit court.

Brenton Allen Rake, 18, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third or more. One year probation; \$220 in fines and costs.

Angela Yvonne Dean, 20, Kingsley. Minor in possession of alcohol-third or more. One year probation; 80 hours of community service work; attend IMPACT weekend; \$370 in fines and costs.

Douglas Joseph Lauber, 20, Flint. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Steve A. Martin, 47, Charlevoix. Attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer. Nine months probation; 180 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 164 days held in abeyance;

\$1,492.96 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

2 Shabby Girls, 11501 US-31 North, Charlevoix, by Charity Closson and Glenda Wilhelin

Informative Computers, 05799 M-66 North, Charlevoix, by Anthony Wade Michigan Process Servers, P.O. Box 454, Boyne City, by Mellisa Howard and Marvin Baker

MODE, 122 Belvedere Ave., Charlevoix, by Michael Picha

Marriages
The following people have been granted a marriage license by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

James George Young, 54, Boyne City and Patricia Ann Taylor, 42, Boyne City

Correction

Last week's "featured event" on page 26 failed to state the Singing Boys of Pennsylvania will be appearing at 4 p.m. Sunday, March 18, at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix.

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School working on solutions to drug, alcohol use

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Increased reports and incidents of drug and alcohol use in Charlevoix High School among students from November to December last year prompted school and local law enforcement officials to take action.

According to Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson, he was receiving reports of alcohol use and rumors of drug use in the school last fall. He even had a couple of incidents where officers were called in due to students drinking at school and at basketball games.

"We had meetings with the administration and the student body to address those concerns," he said. "Obviously that activity is a bad reflection on all of us."

Halverson said the school took action on it and started studying ways to address the problem.

He added he has not heard of any more problems at the school since December.

At the time, it was determined one of the best ways to stop drug use and drinking at the school was to appeal to seniors in the high school.

"Students have to help establish their own good environment. I think it is pretty safe to say they

rose to the occasion," Halverson said.

High school principal Gary Grundman said the seniors at the school took the initiative to talk to the younger students.

"The seniors felt the same thing, that there was a problem. They were very concerned about this," Grundman said. "They actually went into the classrooms and spoke to the students without the teachers being present."

Grundman added the seniors that took part in this have also inquired about talking with students in the middle and elementary schools on drug and alcohol use.

For further help in this problem, the school has also been talking with Scott Kelly, the director of BASES, a local teen center that specializes in helping students with drug and alcohol problems.

Kelly said he sat down with the school and looked at a number of possible solutions to drug and alcohol use on campus. He stressed he did not think this latest rash was an indication of increased use among teens, but only some really out-in-the-open use by a few students.

The first thing the school and Kelly did was take a survey of the students on drug and alcohol use. The preliminary results of that survey were returned recently and

"(Students) have to help establish their own good environment. I think it is pretty safe to say they rose to the occasion."

Dennis Halverson,
Charlevoix police chief

are just waiting for the finishing touches to the document.

Kelly also said it was decided that more education needs to be given to the students and parents about drugs and alcohol. He said it will be easier to determine what type of education is necessary when the surveys are finalized.

The school currently requires all freshmen to take a drug and alcohol awareness class.

Additionally, Kelly said there was talk at the meeting about closing the campus.

"In December there was a lot of concern about how long it will be before someone gets hurt real bad," Kelly said.

Grundman confirmed the school is looking at ways to close the campus at lunch. He added he is unsure if it will take place before the construction on the new high school.

"We would have a real difficult time closing it here because of the size of our cafeteria. But, we are

looking at ways to close the campus as early as next year," he said.

Further solutions to the problem discussed at the meeting were: Educating and updating the staff at the schools, more referral for student assistance and the consideration of an alternative education setting in the city of Charlevoix.

Grundman said an alternative education school in Charlevoix is being worked on right now by Charlevoix schools superintendent John Sturock.

But, what does the school do right now when it catches a student using drugs or alcohol on campus?

Grundman said the school currently has a policy of immediately calling the student's parents and the police. Students are also suspended from school for a length of time that is determined by the offense, he added.

"The whole idea is at that point there is a problem that needs to be addressed. That is why it is real

important that we involve parents," Grundman said.

A student caught doing drugs or alcohol on campus can also expect to go to mandatory drug screening at BASES Teen Center. They can choose to go elsewhere, but this would be at their parents expense, Grundman said.

To help students with substance abuse problems, Grundman said the school has two full-time counselors on staff. The school is also very good at communicating between teachers, students and counselors to determine what students are in need of help.

"It gives us a chance to be proactive rather than reactive," Grundman said.

Off campus, students can get help for substance abuse problems at BASES Teen Center, located at 208 West Lincoln Street in Charlevoix. All of BASES services are free of charge and students will be with trained professionals.

Kelly added, "I think as a community, we need to try to get some of these things pulled together. We need to increase the level of education and increase the awareness of available resources. We need to accept some responsibility for taking care of our little corner of the world."

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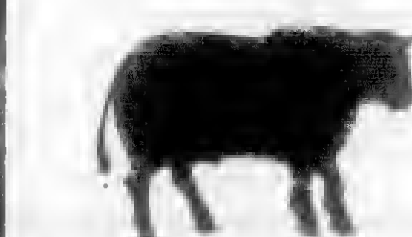
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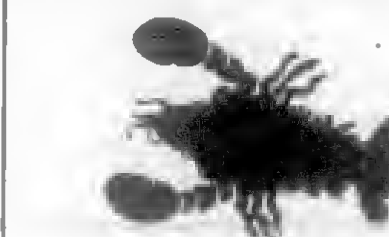
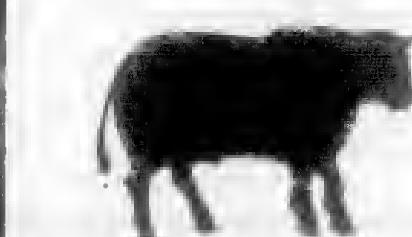
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OPINIONS

Alternative ed, closed campus are needed

EDITORIAL

Well, you can't say officials in this community look the other way.

Last fall and into December, Charlevoix High School was experiencing a problem with students using alcohol on campus. To make matters worse, their were rumors of drug use on and near campus — which in at least one case, proved to be true. It wasn't as if more students were doing illegal things, it was just that some students seemed to have a brazen attitude toward the rules and openly broke them.

But, rather than look away and pretend there wasn't a problem, school officials, local law enforcement officials and even the students rose up and started to work on solutions. Through meetings they determined a plan of attack and students even started telling other students the dangers of these substances.

It was and continues to be a cooperative effort on the part of a number of different groups.

We would like to salute them for taking a stand, especially the students. The students are showing the community just how good of leaders they will be in the future through their actions to help stop this problem on campus.

However, we would also like to encourage the school to follow through with the implementation of some of these solutions they worked out in the meetings.

Specifically, the creation of an alternative education environ-

ment and creating a closed campus at lunch.

Currently, the only source of alternative education for students is located near Boyne City. This creates a tremendous burden on Charlevoix students needing this service and their families.

Secondly, it is a fact that an open school campus at lunch has and will continue to create problems for the students and community.

This doesn't just mean students taking part in illegal activities. With so many students leaving the safety of the high school grounds at lunch, it is only a matter of time before someone gets hurt.

A closed campus helps keep the students safe by keeping them in a controlled environment throughout the day. We urge the school to continue looking at ways to close the campus as early as next year.

Don't wait for that new school to be built, the problem is already here.

Furthermore, as a community we all need to realize that Charlevoix is not encased in a bubble that keeps out the problems the rest of the world faces.

Only through our combined efforts as a community can we solve these problems. While they are doing a great job addressing it, school officials and students still need our help.

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Be cautious when reading 'scientific study' results



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

We have all read or heard the phrase "studies show that..." Most often when someone is trying to convince us to buy whatever they are selling, whether an idea or a product.

We are likely to believe that a "study" is significant science that proves something. It is important to know just what a study is. If I keep six laboratory rats in cages, feed three of them garlic and the other three something else, see how long each rat lives and what it dies from, when I publish the results somewhere (even on the Internet,) I have conducted a study. If one of the garlic eating rats lived longer than all the others, I could claim on the basis of my study that garlic can increase cardiac health or even life-span. After such a study, someone could say, "Studies show that garlic can decrease the risk of heart attacks and premature death."

The general community of scientists will not say that, but someone wanting to sell garlic capsules could.

What sort of study would make certain the efficacy of garlic? It would require not six rats, but thousands of people. The people would have to be divided into two groups perfectly matched by age, sex, ethnic origin and geographic locality. Both groups have identical diets with the exception of garlic. One group eats some quantity of garlic each day and the other does not.

Then we would follow both groups for years to see whether one group lived longer, developed heart or circulatory disease more frequently or was generally healthier. It is pretty easy to say that no such study has ever been conducted. If our large study showed no difference between the groups, we would still not know for certain whether garlic had positive health effects. If the garlic eating group lived much longer and healthier lives we could say with some confidence that garlic is a valuable health aid.

Science can be used in all sorts of ways to support an individual point of view. It is possible to arrange a study small enough or uncertain enough to find the result someone might want.

Real science doesn't work that way. Real science is looking for that elusive thing we might call a fact or some small fragment of truth. Science in the pay of commercial or ideological interest is only concerned with buttressing a previously decided point of view: only concerned with finding or conducting "studies" that support that point of view. Such studies can almost always be found or provided. We should all try to understand the difference between real science and the mostly bogus science that is meant to deceive.

The finest example of science in the thrall of a political or ideological point of view I have encountered recently is what is framed in the press as the "debate" about a link between abortion and breast cancer.

There are a number of studies, some of which seem to suggest that there is an increased risk of breast cancer among women who have had an abortion.

Other studies seem to sug-

gest that there is a decreased risk of breast cancer among women who have had an abortion.

Abortion opponents use one set of studies and supporters of abortion rights use another set of studies.

Proper scientific approaches would rightly argue that while this is surely an important health matter, when studies show no consistent results then nothing has been proven or even suggested. "There is no proven link between abortion and breast cancer," is an appropriate scientific statement.

However, political groups have too much at stake. Laws have been passed on the basis of the flawed conclusions of interest groups.

Already, three states have laws requiring that women be informed of the potential risk of breast cancer associated with abortion and other states are contemplating such legislation.

I take no serious side in the debate about abortion, but I must object most strongly to the haphazard, ignorant or positively dishonest use of the information provided to us by the activities of science.

We could learn whether there is a real link between abortion and breast cancer, or between garlic and heart disease, but we are unlikely to be able to in a political climate that uses selected bits of science for its own selfish ends.

Science rules, but only if we know what constitutes real science.

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Letters to the editor

Names shouldn't have been used

Editor:
This letter is about the high school drug case. Since when are you allowed to print the names of minors in the paper?

This story could have been told in the same way without using names. I am sure this was hard enough on the kids and parents when it happened, but now it is in their face again and everyone knows who the kids were. Someone should have thought twice before writing this story in such detail.

If this happened with my kids, I would want to deal with it in private to protect the kids. I am glad to see the school is doing something about the drug and alcohol problems, but the paper was wrong putting the names in the paper. The kids are going to be labeled now whether they were guilty or not.

Please don't think I am not supporting the school because I am. I just don't agree with telling everyone the names of the kids involved and if this is such a huge problem, why is this the first one we have read about?

Sue Macks
Charlevoix

Editor's note: The story being discussed is about a drug offense trial involving minors in last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier. This was a public trial and the incident in question took place near a public school. It is the policy of this paper to print the names of witnesses, defendants and plaintiffs in almost every trial story, regardless of age. The exception to this rule is names of sexual assault victims. There are no laws preventing minors' names from being published in a newspaper.

Case highlights zero tolerance's failure

Editor:
The chief of police, the Charlevoix Public School Administration and

the Charlevoix County prosecutor's office have forever changed the lives of young Nate Zukowski and his family.

For the Zukowski family, the last three months have been a nightmare. Nate was suspended from high school in the last half of his senior year and for over three months, the threat of imprisonment for a crime he did not commit hung over his head. Nate has no police record, was a good student and is known for being a hard worker and a "good kid." How could this injustice happen? A freshman student was caught coming to school high and having marijuana in his locker? On the witness stand, this young man stated that he was advised to name names so "things would go smoother." The freshman student told police that he had purchased the marijuana from Nate. Nate proclaimed his innocence and even under the frightening information from (Charlevoix Police) Chief (Dennis) Halverson that he could be imprisoned for up to seven years, Nate stood his ground.

Incredibly, the police never asked Nate what he was doing and who he was with at the time of the supposed crime! Nate never even knew when the sale supposedly took place. Two weeks after he was suspended from school, Mrs. Zukowski was able to get a copy of the police report. If the police had bothered to ask Nate, they would have discovered that Nate could not have been guilty, but no one asked. In spite of a startling lack of evidence and in spite of the freshman accuser's attempt to change his story, the authorities went forward with prosecution. The case came down to the word of a scared freshman student against Nate. The freshman was suspended for three days and is on probation. Nate was forced to leave friends and the school he had attended since seventh grade. In order to finish his senior year and go onto college, Nate enrolled in the Hemingway School in Boyne City. He has completed his requirements and will graduate, but he will not receive his diploma with old friends and teachers at Charlevoix High

School. Three months after he was first accused, Nate was found innocent by the jury. But, Nate and his family have paid a huge price.

No one wants kids to use drugs. Drugs take a horrible toll on our world every day. But the law must be enforced equitably and fairly. It has not been. When the war on drugs and zero tolerance policies become a war on our children and loved ones, something is very wrong.

P.S. It is not helpful for the Courier to name the minor freshman student. The young accuser is also a victim of an ill-enforced, punitive drug policy.

Jo Anne Beemon
Charlevoix

Cabin fever cures

Editor:
I should have written sooner, but I am suffering from a bad case of cabin fever.

After reading the "cures" in the recent edition of the Courier, I feel obligated to add my two cents worth. There is no cure for cabin fever. Only spring. Green grass, 50 degrees, blue sky, no snow, bare ground, dirt, you know what I mean.

I know how you feel and no amount of dancing, or exercise, or snowmobiling, or skiing, or skating, or sledding, or anything connected with the outdoors is going to help. It's cold out there and the ground is covered with white stuff. I'm tired of it. I'm tired of putting on 14 layers of clothing to go out and snowmobile boots, and heavy socks, gloves, hats, long underwear, so many layers it's hard to move. Your arms stick straight out from your body and God help you if you happen to fall down. You'll never get up without a tow truck.

So, what will we do? What can we do? Spending money always makes me feel better. If I had any to spend. Going by-bye in the car is fun. Just point it south and keep going until the temp is 20 degrees warmer and there is no snow on the ground. The only thing wrong with this is you eventually have to turn around and go back home. If there is not a rag-

ing blizzard by the time you turn around to go home. And anyway, who can afford gas just to go by-bye. A nice weekend getaway at a local resort would be nice, too. If they have a pool and a world class restaurant. Just think of it, three days without having to go outdoors. Sounds good to me. And my final suggestion, which also costs a bundle of money, just hop in your private jet and fly somewhere sunny and warm.

I'm sorry, all my suggestions seem to be for millionaires who probably don't suffer from cabin fever anyway. I guess we'll just have to wait for spring. Can't be long now.

Sue LaJoie
East Jordan

Start school later

Editor:
I am writing to you about starting school later in the morning. First of all, every morning we're waking up at approximately 6 a.m. to go to school at 7:41 a.m. We're going to bed at about 10 p.m. trying to get all of our homework done, but that's a different topic.

Also, we need more rest. Kids that are older tend to stay up later. This means they don't get enough sleep. Kids are too sleepy when they get to school because it's really hard to get up that early. Scientists say the kids need nine to 12 hours of sleep per night. Yet, we're only getting seven to eight hours of sleep. In addition, scientists also say that middle and high school students do better in the morning. Another point that I might add is the bus drivers might be confused. A possibility might be that we could just exchange bus times with

the elementary school students. I think this because elementary school students start at 8:55 a.m., which would be more convenient to us older kids.

I hope you consider letting middle and high school students start later in the morning. If you do not see this as a possibility now, then I hope you do in the future.

Janay Drost
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

No homework

Editor:
I am a student at the Charlevoix Middle School. Teachers shouldn't assign students homework.

First, students would have more time with their family. Family events could be planned more freely. Students could then have better relationships with their siblings and parents. Second, teachers and students would have to use class time more effectively. If this happened teachers wouldn't have to assign homework.

Later in life, students would be able to work at their jobs and plan their schedules better.

Lastly, students would have lighter backpacks because we wouldn't have homework. This could prevent dangerous back problems. Backpacks should not exceed one-fourth of the weight of the student. Kids could then be able to focus in class better because their backs wouldn't be sore.

This is why we shouldn't have homework.

Trevor Mays
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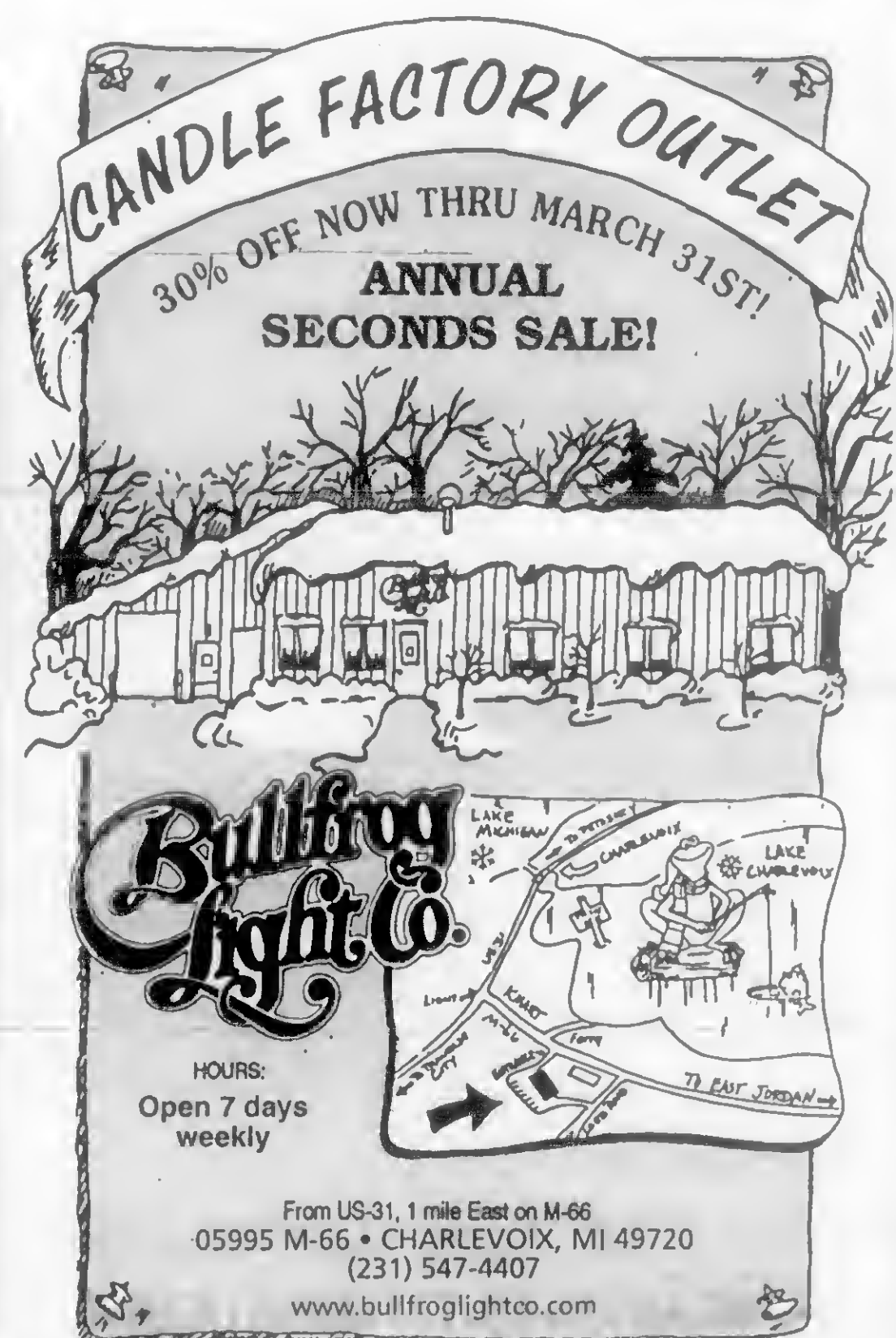


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Students score high on MEAP test

MEAP

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Detailed score results from the Charlevoix class of 2000 reveal the local class exceeded the state average for graduating classes in all of the tested subjects with the exception of social studies.

Prescott said that the social studies section of the test is extremely difficult and that the state is in the process of revising the section. He added it doesn't count toward the Merit award.

Prescott expects to see the revised social studies section included in testing for 2002.

MEAP categorizes the students scores into four levels. Level one exceeds Michigan's standards, level two meets Michigan's standards, level three is performance at the basic skill level and level four is unendorsed.

Twenty percent more of the students in the Charlevoix class of 2000 scored at level one in math, writing and reading than the rest of the graduated classes in the state.

There was less of a difference between Charlevoix students' scores and those of the rest of the state in both science and social studies. Only 7 percent of the graduating classes in 2000 across the

state scored at level one in science while 15 percent of the Charlevoix class scored at level one.

The percentage of Charlevoix class of 2000 students who scored at level one in science is much lower than those that scored at level one for math, writing and reading.

Roger Gowell, head of the science department at the high school, said that each year he meets with his staff and makes sure that the department is giving students the chance to learn the objectives they will be tested on.

Gowell added that no major changes have been made to the curriculum this year.

Charlevoix also struggled in social studies, a subject where no local students in the class of 2000 scored at level one and only .5 percent of the graduates across the state placed in level one.

But, changes to the MEAP test itself may prove that the test and not the curriculum are at the root of the low social studies scores.

Ann Marie Conway, head of the high school social studies department said she feels the department is giving the students all the resources possible and that the test is extremely difficult.

"Our scores weren't where we would like them to be. We

have done a lot to work with the kids as far as getting prepared for MEAP," she said.

She added that there is currently no social studies class at the ninth grade level, but this is not feasible with the current staff and would be a lot to ask of the students. The additional class would mean the students would have six required courses and only one elective on their agenda.

Prescott foresees the same detailed information of MEAP test results for the class of 2001 being available some time after graduation and as of now 62.7 percent of the class will receive the Merit scholarship.

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Homeless shelter to open

COTS

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The program is not designed to provide long-term housing. The house has a three day limit. During those three days members of the program plan to help

get people back on their feet by offering their guests information and contacts.

The Ezra House will accept anyone not under the influence of substances and will not allow minors unaccompanied by an adult to stay.

Two "Innkeepers" will be on-site with all house guests.

COTS board president Tim Boyco said that the program shows that Charlevoix is a caring community.

Each church has also pitched

in by taking a room and scrubbing, painting and polishing every inch of it.

COTS will be ready to open their doors on Thursday.

However, they are still in need of floor covering and they are asking anyone willing to donate to call Schairbaum at 547-9122.

Those in need of assistance can call Schairbaum at the number listed above or contact the Innkeeper's pager at 516-1769.



George Rowe paints the trim on a door in the new shelter for the homeless to prepare for the opening of the Ezra House. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Poor economy causes layoffs at local plant

Hoskins closes doors for one week, 25 workers laid off

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Due to poor economic conditions facing the country right now, Hoskins Manufacturing in Charlevoix has been forced to shut down for a week and layoff about 25 of its 90 employees.

The manufacturing plant shut down Friday and the downsized employees received notification that day, Michael Paliwoda, vice president of manufacturing at Hoskins said.

"We are suffering a 20 to 25 percent reduction in sales volume due to economic conditions," Paliwoda said. "The length of the layoffs are undetermined at this time."

Paliwoda added the layoffs took place at all of the company's facilities. Hoskins, based out of Novi, has facilities in Charlevoix, Hamburg, Lewiston, Mio, Mt. Carmel, Penn. and Kildare, Ireland.

A total of 57 people were downsized by the company, which were a combination of manufacturing and salaried employees, Paliwoda said.

He added the layoffs and poor

sales numbers have even caught the company by surprise. Because of this, Paliwoda said he is unsure if more layoffs will be necessary.

Paliwoda said the company will know more after the shut down this week.

Currently the company is not doing anything special to help its laid off employees.

"If it progresses further, we will have to look at some assistance. Either a resume generator or job placement services," he said.

The decision to shut the plant down for a week and layoff some of the workers was finalized March 7, Paliwoda said.

According to the company's corporate profile, Hoskins was formed in 1908 to manufacture products from newly developed nickel-chromium alloys invented by its founder, Albert Marsh.

The company now produces a variety of alloys for electrical control and resistance heating, temperature measurement and control, spark plugs, welding and metal sprays.

Hoskins products are used in everything from hairdryers to nuclear generators, Paliwoda said.



Heather Marie Jones (fourth from left) is the recipient of this year's Young Women in Public Affairs Award. She is pictured with: Joan Buday, Karen Manial, Maura A. Snabes, Teri Jones — her mother — and Gena Cross. (Courtesy photo)

Zonta names award winner

Heather Marie Jones, a senior at East Jordan High School, was named the winner of this year's Charlevoix Area Zonta Young Women in Public Affairs Award.

The competition for the award is designed to encourage women to pursue decision-making positions in their communities in order to impact the policies that affect the lives of women locally and throughout the world.

The Zonta Young Women in Public Affairs program looks to the young women of today who will be the leaders of tomorrow.

Jones was chosen because of her

involvement with her community and her focus on her career goals. Jones is an exceptional student at East Jordan High School. She plans to attend Grand Valley State to pursue a general business degree. Eventually, it is her intention to become a financial consultant or an accountant.

Jones demonstrates her commitment to the community through her volunteer work at Charlevoix Area Hospital, Charlevoix County Community Foundation, Girl Scouts, Youth Advisory Committee and helping with canned food drives, Toys for Tots and blood drives. She

is also very involved in school activities, including student council, National Honor Society, cross country, SADD, basketball, Spanish Club and two years as a class officer.

Zonta is a worldwide service organization of executives in business and the professions working together to advance the status of women. The award is one of the many programs for young women sponsored by Charlevoix Area Zonta.

Applications for next year's award will be available from Charlevoix Area Zonta in late fall of 2000.

SPORTS

Rayders basketball wins third straight district title

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

The Charlevoix Rayders proved they were more than a one-man show this week, trouncing East Jordan 80-44 and Harbor Springs, 91-53 to win their third consecutive district championship.

They also did this without leading scorer Scott Parrish being the one doing most of the damage.

Parrish suffered a severe sprained ankle against East Jordan on Wednesday night and played about half of the game on Friday against Harbor Springs. Fellow juniors Rob Boss, Jim Shepherd and Patrick Gowell picked up the slack and carried the Rayders to the convincing victories.

"I thought we had better focus (in the district games) and played a little bit more intense than we did down the stretch," Coach Keith Haske said. "The tournament re-energized us a bit."

On Wednesday, the Rayders traded baskets early with East Jordan and only seven straight points at the end of the half gave Charlevoix a somewhat comfortable 32-22 half-time lead. The second half was all Rayders as Boss took control down low with Parrish on the bench. The advantage was extended to 57-37 in the stanza. The fourth quarter was more of the same as the Rayders steadily pulled away to the 80-44 win.

Boss led the Rayders with 15 points. Parrish had 12 in limited action, ten coming in the first quarter. Keith Daly scored 10 and Shepherd had nine. Ryan Rafacz had seven steals and four assists.

Against Harbor Springs, a hobbled Parrish started and scored five points early, but he didn't score the rest of the way. The game saw back and forth for much of the first with the Rams holding a 16-15 lead at one point and tying the game 18-18. But Shepherd's hoop with 1:44 left in the period put Charlevoix ahead to stay.

In the second period, the pace slowed considerably early, but Boss (five points) and Jeremiah Teuscher (three points) carried the load, as the Rayders edged out to a 30-24 lead with six minutes left in the half. In the following three minutes, Charlevoix blitzed the Rams with a 10-0 run, leaving them in the dust.

Gowell hit two free throws followed by back-to-back steal and layup conversions from Jeremiah Teuscher and Rafacz. Jeremiah scored two more in the run and his brother, Nate, fed Keith Daly with a beautiful pass for a layup. Harbor never threatened again. Charlevoix led at the half, 46-29 and pulled away the rest of the night.

Twelve of the 13 Rayder players got into the scoring act as eventually the 40 point margin led to the running clock and another

Charlevoix blowout. This margin was very surprising because of Harbor's recent resurgence (nine straight wins) and the Rams' home-court advantage.

"Scott was about 80 percent. Robby played a great game and everybody else seemed to pick up a bit," Haske said. "That's the response you hope for as a coach."

With the win, the Rayders have now won 15 straight and hold a 19-3 record overall. For the game, Boss led Charlevoix with 19 points, seven rebounds and five assists. Shepherd poured in 18 while Gowell scored 12, dished out five assists and grabbed four boards.

The Rayders faced Mio (22-1) in the regional semi-final in Cadillac on Tuesday night. Results were not available at press time.

If they are victorious, they will face either Suttons Bay (22-0) or McBain (21-2) on Friday night at 8 p.m.



The Rayders celebrate their district victory last Friday night. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Men's Senior League March 5, 2001			Paul Bunyan Lanes R & R Crooming Howard's Optical St. Mary's Townhouse Bar Luthers			Birdies Beauty Shoppe Haves Layke Shop HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			SeriesGame				
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South Down Cement	21	11	St. Mary's	244	306	Jane Pittman	500	213	Jeanne Ranki	733	256	Michelle Poston	191		Rita Oliver	534
Volchuk Lumber	18	14	Townhouse Bar	243	307	Jane Pittman	500	213	Linda Mossoryq	699	225	Barb Kurkiewicz	479	191		Wendy Sloan
Top Rank Disposal	18	14	Luthers	239	311	Diana Speigl	521		Debbi Grass	200						
White Boy II	15	17				Cathy Sullivan	513	200	Linda Balentine	200						
Mark White Paint & Stain	14	18	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			Linda Ward	169		Janette Muma	200						
State Farm	13	19	John Fiedorek	654	248				Suzy Boggeman	690						
Central Drug Store	11	21	Bill Gengle	672	245	Monday Madness										
Team 8	0	23	Mark Giesiak	597	234	March 5, 2001			W	L	Friday Night Ladies March 2, 2001			W	L	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			Tuesday Night Ladies Secretary: Liz Meadows March 6, 2001			W	L	Paul Bunyan Lanes	329	141	W	L	Connie & Bernie	116	62	
Bill Gengle	612	229				Bogart Roofing	267	203	A Touch of Spring	25	11	W	L	Wanda & Trina	93	63
Tom Potter	599	223				Elzinga County Crafts	219	211	Snowbirds	23	13	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES		Rebecca & Barbara	70	98
Joe Lee	595	221	W	L		Buzs Brees	244	226	Frames & Photos	21	15	W	L	Teresa & Julie	58	98
Mark Grzesiak	597		Charlevoix Foot Clinic	18	16	Biggs & Co.	240	230	Central Electric	20	16	Team 6	12	60		
Church League March 7, 2001			W	L		Top Rank Disposal	24	20	Legs & Co. Hair Design	197	73	W	L	Mary O'Brien	426	156
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00-0008-033-009-25	E1/2 OF NW1/4 SEC 33 T33N R4W EX-BEG AT WIR LI 1/4 EWALIA LI TH N 45W1/2 TH S 147.5FT TH N 167.0FT TH W 417.5FT TH S 167.0FT TO POB THIS EX CONTAINS 15A ML ALSO EX-BEG AT GEN 1A LOCK REFS T33N R4W LI ON N551/4 LI 491.4FT TH W 37.0FT TH S 491.4FT TO EWALIA LI THE TO POB THIS EX CONTAINS 4.7A ML) ALSO EX: HUFFMAN LAKE RD R/W A CO RD BEING PT OF E1/2 OF HWY 5 SEC 33-35 CONT 59.5A	1998	1,102.96
00-0008-035-025-10	NW1/4 OF SE1/4 & E1/2 OF SW1/4 OF SE1/4 OF SEC 35 T33N R4W	1998	615.11
00-0008-300-032-00	PLAT OF HUFFMAN SHORES LOT 32	1998	84.25
00-0008-600-010-00	THUNDER VILLAGE LOT 10 AND SELV 1/2 OF LOT 9.	1998	1,878.43
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00-0009-015-019-35	SW1/4 OF SE1/4 SEC 15 T33N R4W EX-BEG AT SE1/4 COR SEC 15 T33N R4W TH N 147.26FT TH W PARALLEL S L I SD SEC 516 FT TH S 1314 FT TH E 1/8 LI TH SODEE0406'W TO S L I SD SEC TH WAL S L I TO POR ALSO EX: BEO 174.59FT N OF SE1/4 COR SEC 15 T33N R4W TH N 180 DEG 11' N AL SD CL 1150FT TH N89DEG 59'03"E 861.90FT TH S 1150FT TH N89DEG 59'03"E 861.90FT TO POB BEING PT OF SW 1/4 OF SE1/4 SEC 15 T33N R4W 17.48A ML	1998	103.83
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Accident

Wet, heavy snow fell during the late afternoon Monday causing slippery roads and accidents. This accident occurred at 4 p.m. that day at the intersection of Michigan Avenue and Petoskey Avenue in Charlevoix when Kimberly Renee McClellan, 21, of East Jordan was traveling south, making a turn around the curve in her 1991 Mercury, when she lost control and struck a vehicle driven by Janice Lynn Ruback, 54, of Boyne City, who was headed north. No one was injured. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



Man hurt in Chandler Township accident

At approximately 3:30 p.m. March 1 on the snowmobile trail near CCC Road in Chandler Township, Charlevoix County, an accident occurred that injured one man.

A snowmobiler, Jeffery B. Camper broke his right leg after his foot slipped off the running board of his 2000 Polaris xcr800 snowmobile.

Camper's foot caught in the snow causing his leg to snap backwards and break.

Camper was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey, where he was treated and released.

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THIS IS to inform Alex Bardy, last known address: P.O. Box 513, Alanson, MI 49706, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #128. A brief description would be a washer, stove, refrigerator, table, chairs, shovels, lawnmower and hose. You have until April 13, 2001 to reclaim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US 31 Highway S., Charlevoix, MI 49720, 231-547-5838. (3-14-2-076)

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STAFF PERSON needed for busy non-profit. Looking for someone well organized and detail oriented. A background in social sciences is helpful. Must have previous office experience. Flexible hours. Please send resume and cover letter to: NCM, Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720. (3-7-3-086)

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THE CHRISTMAN COMPANY and Charlevoix Public Schools plan to contract to remodel the existing high school and construct a 5,700 square foot addition and remodel the elementary school. Bids will be received for the following scopes of work; which are not limited to: Excavation & Paving, Masonry, Steel, TPO Roofing, Glass/Glazing and Aluminum Storefronts, General Trades (includes demolition, concrete, and specialties), Ceilings and Partitions, Floor Coverings, Fire Protection, Mechanical, and Electrical. This is not a prevailing wage project.

The existing Elementary School will be receiving new ceilings, new heating system, new electrical service and fire protection. This scope of work will be completed summer of 2001. The existing High School work consists of remodeled science labs, new electrical service and construction of paved play areas.

Bid documents will be available after Monday, April 2, 2001, for a refundable \$100.00 deposit per set at The Christman Company, 308 State Street, Suite 9, Petoskey, MI 49770. Phone (231)348-0001. One set includes plans and specifications for each project. There will be a separate mailing fee of \$40.00 if so desired. Documents are also available for review at Builders Exchange of Grand Rapids, Builders Exchange of Northwest Michigan, F.W. Dodge Report of Grand Rapids, and Construction Association of Michigan.

A pre-bid conference will be conducted at the Middle School cafeteria, 204 Grant Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, on Tuesday, April 10, 2001 at 9:00 p.m. Sealed proposals with 5% bid security enclosed are due Thursday, April 19, 2001 at 4:00 p.m. local time, at the Superintendent's office at 208 Clinton Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720. Proposals shall be addressed to the attention of: Dr. John Sturok. For additional information contact Brad Kranig or Kevan Flory with The Christman Company at (231) 547-3180. (B/3/14)

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Bid documents will be available after Thursday, April 12, 2001, for a refundable \$100.00 deposit per set at The Christman Company, 308 State Street, Suite 9, Petoskey, MI 49770. Phone (231)348-0001. There will be a separate mailing fee of \$40.00 if so desired. Documents are also available for review at Builders Exchange of Grand Rapids, Builders Exchange of Northwest Michigan, F.W. Dodge Report of Grand Rapids, and Construction Association of Michigan.

A pre-bid conference will be conducted at the High School Cafeteria, on Tuesday, April 24, 2001 at 3:30 p.m. Sealed proposals with 5% bid security enclosed are tentatively due Tuesday, May 1, 2001 at 4:00 p.m. local time, at the Superintendent's office at 1025 Boyne Avenue, Boyne City, MI 49712. Proposal shall be addressed to the attention of: Mr. Dana Compton. For additional information contact Jason Beckman or Leigh Woodbury with The Christman Company (231) 582-4450. (B/3/14)

BIDS WANTED 209

THE CHRISTMAN COMPANY and Charlevoix Public Schools plan to contract for "Bid package A" to remove the blown-in insulation; which is directly above the lay-in ceiling system by using a vacuum method at the Elementary School. This is not a prevailing wage project.

The existing Elementary School will be receiving new ceilings, new heating system, new electrical ser-

vice and fire protection. This scope of work will be completed summer of 2001. The abatement contractor's work will be completed in a timely manner after school commencement to allow successive contractors to complete their work.

The insulation abatement Bid documents will be available after Tuesday, March 12, 2001, for a refundable \$100.00 deposit per set at The Christman Company, 308 State Street, Suite 9, Petoskey, MI 49770. Phone (231)348-0001. There will be a separate mailing fee of \$40.00 if so desired. Documents are also available for review at Builders Exchange of Grand Rapids, Builders Exchange of Northwest Michigan, F.W. Dodge Report of Grand Rapids, and Construction Association of Michigan.

A pre-bid conference will be conducted at the Elementary School lobby, 13513 Division Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, on Monday, March 19, 2001 at 10:00 a.m. Sealed proposals with 5% bid security enclosed are due Thursday, March 22, 2001 at 4:00 p.m. local time, at the Superintendent's office at 208 Clinton Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720. Proposals shall be addressed to the attention of: Dr. John Sturok. For additional information contact Kevan Flory or Brad Kranig with The Christman Company at (231) 547-3180. (B/3/14)

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The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking).

There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's AA Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton Streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities and fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30

p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7

p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

The Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through

Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

Business organizations —

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-2101.

Hoffman gave a lot more to the city than just a park



Marilyn Boss
'Days gone by'

Charlevoix has a lovely park to enjoy because of the generosity and forethought of a man who was a visionary and had a great love for the town.

Doctor Walter Hoffmann, came to Charlevoix in the early fifties and bought a lovely old home on Park Avenue, which overlooked the channel. It was in disrepair, and he renovated it for his residence and dental office. The view of the channel and the bridge was spectacular. He was our dentist during the years our children were growing up.

When you entered the front door, you were in a lovely atmosphere, with ivy vines draping from the ceiling and clocks of every type surrounding the room. When they went off on the hour, it was an experience to remember. His beautiful cat would greet you as you walked in. Our daughter, Diane Priess remembers being teased about being the milkman's kid. He would say something about mooing cows, etc. She especially liked to go there to have her teeth fixed. His dental chair faced a picture window which looked out at the bridge. His office was really homey, an unusual feature for the time. As many Charlevoixians remember, he had a silver artificial Christmas tree which was displayed year-round in the upstairs front window. Today, it is across the street in the house that is used by the Charlevoix Conservancy.

Dr. Hoffmann was always thinking up ways to promote Charlevoix, and when he was councilman, in the

early sixties, he suggested that all outgoing mail from the Chamber of Commerce and the city, be printed with the slogan "Charlevoix the Beautiful."

One of the first things I vividly remember was the minstrel show he organized and took part in. It was put on in the present middle school gym, to capacity crowds. It was really a wonderful production and one that any of those taking it in would never forget. It was a musical, and was a great treat for the audience.

Dale remembers Doc going down to the back room of Neff's store every morning, where a group of local guys would have coffee. They would talk over town problems, and ways to make things better. He was truly the ordinary man's councilman. He was responsible for purchasing for the city of Charlevoix, a tract of land from Alex McSauby, located on Mt. McSauby Road, directly across from the gate of the MacGillivray property known as "Turtle Hill."

He said someday the city would need this for the expansion of the golf course. Due to the ten-fold increase in traffic on US-31, Doc's dream will some day in the future become a reality. Lou Orlovski has already drawn plans to show how it will work, and so when the time arrives for it, everything is in place.

In the Aug. 6, 1964 issue of the Charlevoix Courier, there is a picture of him in a beautiful 1930 rich yellow Hudson Roadster Eight, which he bought in Detroit. It was in mint condition and he was a familiar sight, driving it around town. His friend, Julius Gilbert, was driving a beautiful 1927 baby blue Rolls Royce roadster, at the same time. Charlevoix has always lent itself to unique people driving fun cars. Doc also had a nice old Model T roadster, with no top on it, and he would enjoy driving that around town too. He had a friend, David Beck, who lived out in Norwood Township, who would regularly be seen on

Park Avenue, tinkering up Doc's T so it would run good. It's always needed a great deal of tinkering to make them run smoothly.

In 1980, I was told that I would need an expensive operation. I decided to get a second opinion at Cleveland Clinic. We had a land contract which we were collecting payments on, and Dale put it in his pocket and went downtown and saw Doc checking out his groceries at Oleson's. Dale told him he would discount the land contract 10 percent and it took less than 2 minutes in the checkout lane to complete the deal. He told Dale to stop in at LoAnne Brown's desk at the County Bank in the morning and the check would be ready.

As it turned out, I was given a clean bill of health, but this shows what used to happen in a small town. People trusted and were willing to help each other.

Two days before the end of the 1983 year, Dale got a call from Doc, telling him that he wanted him to be his representative in conveying to the city a warranty deed for the Park Avenue property. He said it was to be for park purposes, so that the poor people would have the same opportunity to enjoy the views as others who owned condos along the street. Dale picked up Ken Saley, the mayor, and Bea Parton, the deputy city clerk, and they went out to his home on a day that was so stormy, that US-31 was only one lane. They obtained the deed, with one verbal restriction, that a 6 foot high chain link fence be erected on the eastern edge of the property along the alley.

A neighbor had been renovating a building on the channel and was encroaching on Doc's property and he didn't want this to happen with the new park. One day in the spring, Ken Saley and Bob Hunt, the city



Dr. Walter Hoffman's house in early times. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

manager, called Dale to come to city hall and told him the arrangements were all taken care of, to make the big move. Dale was given a letter addressed, "To whom it may concern" and had complete authority to erect a fence, beginning at 3 a.m. on a Saturday morning. (Naturally, the court house was locked at this time). Dale went down at 3 a.m. and Apple Fence Company out of Traverse City came with several trucks, a big cement mixer, a big bank of lights to light the scene, and a lot of men. Even the city police had no clue as to what was happening, thus the reason for the letter. At 6:50 A.M., MISSION ACCOMPLISHED. The neighbor came down to his building at 11 a.m., and the cement was hard.

Doc was happy with the result. That same summer, 1984, Doc passed away in the Charlevoix hospital, on the same day that his friend, Julius Gilbert died, in the room next to him.

Doc was a great addition to Charlevoix, and his works to better the city were numerous and much appreciated.

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EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

St. Patrick dinner

St. Mary's of Charlevoix presents St. Patrick's dinner at 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 18. The dinner will be served in the St. Mary's Family Center at 1003 Bridge Street. Their menu will include corned beef and cabbage, ham, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad bar and homemade desserts! Take-outs and deliveries available. Call 547-9441 and leave your name and number. Cost for adults is \$7, senior citizens \$6, children \$3.50. Please join us for good food and fellowship.

Singles group to meet

The Casual Singles will meet at 6:30 p.m. Friday at the Holiday Inn in Petoskey. Call Nancy at 547-4867 for reservations and information.

Blood drive

The student council of Charlevoix High School is hosting a Red Cross Blood Drive at the high school from 8:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. on Thursday. Community members are invited to stop by or may set up an appointment ahead of time. See any student council member or call their advisor, Gail Cherry at 547-3165.

CPR, First Aid

CPR and first aid classes available at Charlevoix Area Hospital. The following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

March 14 — Infant CPR for new moms from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Code classes

The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical up dating to the new 2000 code's on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Rd. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. plumbing will be covered and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop, and donuts will be provided.

Tax help

The Charlevoix Senior Center will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings. For more information call 547-5361.

Featured event



Singing boys

The "Singing Boys of Pennsylvania" will perform at the First Congregational Church at 1010 State Street at 4 p.m. on Sunday. The group consists of 18 young artists between 10 and 14 who sing a variety of music from Bach, Schubert and Stephen Foster. There is no admission fee, but a free-will offering will be appreciated. (Courtesy photo)



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CHARLEVOIX ROD & GUN CLUB

ANNOUNCES:

JIGGS WHITLEY MEMORIAL SHOOT

In honor of Jiggs, and his years of service to the Rod & Gun Club and to the community, the Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club is hosting a memorial shoot - the proceeds of which will go to a scholarship fund for his son, Lucas.

Sunday, April 1st, 2001, 11:00 am - 4:00 pm
Lunch will be available

Three separate events: Shotgun, 75 Birds
Rifle, 9 shots
Pistol, 30 shots

For more information and registration assistance, please contact Kim Jones at 547-0554.

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 14, 2001 - 2:00 pm Downtown at East Park

Children will be divided into three age categories - 3 years and under, 4-6 years and 7-10 years. Then they will search for 5,000 Easter Eggs filled with special prizes! Remember to bring an Easter basket to collect all those eggs.

Parents can win a special Easter Basket filled with merchandise and gift certificates from our local stores. Just bring a receipt from a purchase at any Charlevoix business for the date of Saturday, April 14 into the chamber of commerce office, and you'll be entered into a drawing. The winner will be drawn on April 17, 2001.

Lunch and a free picture with the Easter Bunny will also be available at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant from 11:30 am - 1:30 pm. For reservations, call 547-4311.



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Business Briefs

Congratulations to Linda and Richard O'Leary, who are again the owners of the Acorn Café on Park Avenue. Linda and Richard expect to re-open later this spring with the same fine menu and friendly service they previously provided. Welcome Back!

New Ownership for Mayfield Village Apartments

Mayfield Village Apartments on May Street, were recently purchased by Keystone Properties, Inc., of Mount Pleasant. The resident manager in Charlevoix is Tom Elliott, who lives on the property. Annmarie Spahn is the new area property manager. Annmarie makes her home in Houghton Lake, but we will frequently see her in Charlevoix as she oversees the operation of the complex.

Welcome Cindy Seelye, CPA
Robert B. Hoffman, Certified Public Accountant & Consultants are

pleased to announce the association of Cindy Seelye, CPA with the firm's Charlevoix office. The firm specializes in small business & management consulting for the construction, retail and general business community as well as income tax preparation for businesses and individuals.

Welcome Derek Chowen
Derek is an investment representative with Edward Jones Investments, and has opened an office in Charlevoix. Derek, his wife, and their eight year old son and seven month old daughter recently moved to Charlevoix from Alpena.

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

March 18 - "The Singing Boys of Pennsylvania" 4pm. First Congregational Church (547-9122)

March 18-21 - Capital Experience 4-H (582-6232)

April 14 - Easter Egg Hunt (FREE)

April 19 - Business After Hours, Charlevoix Yacht Club, 5-7 p.m. Sponsored by: Pat McKeown Ford/Lincoln/Mercury and the Charlevoix Yacht Club.

April 29-May 5 - Bowl for Kids (Big Brothers/Big Sisters 231-943-4601)

May 6 - 3rd Annual Young Artists Series Concert 4pm (547-9122)

May 10 - Silver & Gold Jewelry Sale (Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild - Rose Mary McGee 547-9751).

May 24 - Operation Pelunia (547-5494).

May 26 - Plant Sale - Charlevoix Area Garden Club 8:30am-2pm (Margaret Heath 547-1978).

May 28 - Memorial Day Parade 10am - (Charlie Bulcher 547-4724) American Legion & VFW.

Next Business After Hours - Join your

friends tomorrow night, March 15th, 5-7pm, at the Villager Pub. This month's Business After Hours is sponsored by the Villager Pub and Cross Fisheries.

First Friday Business Breakfast

May 4 - 7:30 am at the Grey Gables restaurant. Our speakers will be Heather Nalbock, Yvonne Looze and Jim Schumann from The Learning Center.

ATTENTION PUBLIC SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

The Chamber of Commerce has prepared the Charlevoix County Calendar of Events for 2001. Please check out the calendar at www.charlevoix.org, and let us know whether or not you have any additions.

Any organization wishing to have its event listed on our calendar may send us the information, either by mail (408 Bridge Street), fax (547-6633), or e-mail (info@charlevoix.org). Please include the name and phone number of a contact person and brief description of your event.

FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

Easter Basket Giveaway - If you would like to donate merchandise or a gift certificate to the Easter Basket Giveaway Promotion, you must do so by March 15th! Gift certificates can be dropped off at the chamber, and merchandise can be dropped off at The Clothing Company. You can also contribute to the promotion of this event by being a sponsor for only \$25, regardless of whether or not you donate merchandise!

The next Retail Committee Meeting is March 15, 2001 at Stafford's Weathervane at 9am. We will finish planning the Easter Egg Hunt and we will plan promotions for the Spring and Summer. Jacqueline Mabey and Kirby Dipert are the new Committee Chairpersons!

Tax Sale Listings Enclosed

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Beaver Island celebrated St. Patrick's Day in grand fashion once again.

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Bridge history



The Charlevoix Historical Society will be providing a monthly series on the channel bridges starting this week.

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Pothole contest

Remember, the Charlevoix Courier is looking for your pictures of the biggest and the widest potholes in the Charlevoix area. You could win a front-end alignment. The deadline for entries is by 5 p.m. Friday.

Who pays the most in taxes?

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Of the top 10 taxpayers in the city of Charlevoix this tax season, the top two are summer resorts.

According to city treasurer Rick Brandt, the Belvedere Club and the Chicago Summer Resort in Charlevoix are the top two taxpayers in the city, respectively.

"I guess in a city with this much lakefront property, our evaluation isn't very unusual," Brandt said. "It depends on the community and the way it evolved."

While these resorts are composed of private residences, they pay taxes as a single entity.

These two resorts were part of a top 10 taxpayers list released by the city. According to this list the top 10 taxpayers, as of the summer of 2000, are:

- 1) Belvedere Club
- 2) Chicago Summer Resort
- 3) Leo and Maureen Quinn

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Rollin' along

The Charlevoix Rayders took the regional title last week in a win over McBain. They are: (Front) Ryan Leitner, Doug Rieck, Ryan Rafacz, Dennis Avery, Dale Williams, Jeremiah Teuscher, (back) coach Keith Haske, assistant coach Bret Erskine, Scott Parrish, Patrick Gowell, Rob Boss, Jim Shepherd, Nate Teuscher, Shawn McDonough, Keith Daly and assistant Matt Dennis. (Photo courtesy of the Petoskey News-Review)

Fenton Man killed in snowmobile accident

A 44-year-old Fenton man was killed Friday, as the result of a snowmobile accident around 9:30 p.m. Friday on private property in Eveline Township, near the intersection of Ridge and Wurn roads.

William Baisch was driving his 1997 Arctic Cat, followed by his son and a friend on a private trail, when he left the trail and drove across a pasture/cornfield area and struck a two strand electric fence, said Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater.

Baisch suffered face and neck injuries and was treated at the scene by Boyne City ambulance EMT's. He was then transported to Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey where he was pronounced dead.

Lasater said it did not appear alcohol was a factor in this accident at the scene, but blood test results are still pending. He added speed and reckless driving were not a factor.

Reports indicate Baisch knew the area he was traveling in, Lasater said.

"No one can explain why he went in that direction," he added.

An investigation into this accident is continuing.

Charlevoix Golf Course named a survey favorite

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A recent survey conducted by AAA Michigan named the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Club a "favorite" in a rating of the best county, city and park courses in Michigan.

"The Charlevoix Golf Club provides the public with an affordable facility while offering a sporting challenge to various levels of players ability while focusing on the integrity of the game through an aesthetically appealing community showcase," director of golf of the Charlevoix Golf Club, Tom Heid stated.

Writers for the AAA March issue of the publication, Michigan Living, surveyed golfers, sports writers, association executives and pros

from around the state and compiled a data set to guide readers to their course of choice.

Heid, who is in his seventh season as the municipal course's director, attributes the high ranking in large part to the Golf Course Master Plan, the 1990 brain child of the Charlevoix City Council.

Heid explained that the plan's aim is to further beautify and improve the historic course through upgrades and the provision of essential equipment.

Since the plan's inception the city has worked to rebuild course tees and in 1999 installed a new irrigation system. Heid said the watering system was a big step up for the course — improving course conditions and quality including that of the turf grass.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Chad Allen Stoinski, 20, Charlevoix. Possession of weapons by a felon; larceny-building; and sex offender, failed to register. Bound over to circuit court.

Michael John Rice, 36, Ellsworth. Driving a snowmobile while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Deborah Delong-Baker, 28, East Jordan. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Suzanne C. Baughman, 25, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Jeffrey Delane Cook, 34, Charlevoix. Assault and battery. Jail for 45 days with credit for 32 days, serve 13 days.

Peggy Melke, 35, Charlevoix. Non-sufficient funds, more than \$200. Fines and costs totaling \$1,506.25.

Patrick Irv Overmyer, 21, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IM-PACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 10 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 20 days on electronic monitor, 52 days held in

abeyance; \$1,045 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Nathan Padgett, 19, East Jordan. Probation violation-home invasion-second degree. The defendant shall continue on probation and abide by the terms of probation; and the defendant shall complete residential treatment.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Field of Dreams Flying Machines, 2399 Grove Street, P.O. Box 27, Boyne Falls, by Norman Hausler Sr.

P.H. Caldecott Property Management and Maintenance, 611 Mill Street, East Jordan, by Paul Henry Caldecott

M & M's Merchandise, 03379 Fulsome Street, Charlevoix, by Michael Lutz and Michelle Lutz

Charlevoix Electronics, 403 Antrim Street, Charlevoix, by Wayne A. Russell

More to Life Than Lawn Care, 02266 South Advance Road, East Jordan, by Kale L. Zimmer and Jeffrey W. Komondy

Doug's Landscaping, 087 Winters, East Jordan, by Douglas E. Perrault and Marianne B. Perrault

Shane's Painting and Stain, 604 Sheridan Street, Charlevoix, by Shane D. John-

son

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

James Edward Fernatt Jr., 21, Charlevoix and Monica Ann Follette, 19, Charlevoix

Jason Anthony Staph, 25, Charlevoix and April Leah Sliwinski, 26, Charlevoix

Tracey Alan Segraves, 34, Boyne City and Rhonda Jo McKenney, 33, Boyne City

Calvin Coolidge Gillespie III, 28, Boyne City and Catherine Sue Brent, 44, Boyne City

Divorces
The following people have been granted judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Catheryn Bryant vs. Christofer Bryant

Rachel Jefferson vs. Michael Jefferson

Timothy J. Hoffman vs. Doreen Hoffman

Angelina Blair vs. Gabriel Blair

Births
Jonas Howard Russell, was born to Megan Potter and Justin Russell on March 16 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Kornya Rose Russell, weighing 8 pounds, 11 ounces was born to Timothy and Danielle Russell of East Jordan on March 14, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Prison parole absconder sighted in Charlevoix area

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office is investigating the report of a prison parole absconder being sighted around 7 a.m., March 10 in Charlevoix Township.

A local businessman checking a storage unit found a blue-gray Chevrolet Blazer in his driveway with the man inside. The man was asked what he was doing, and he said he was waiting for the police.

The businessman reported this incident to the sheriff's office and gave them the vehicle's description and license plate information.

A record's check revealed that the man was Barry J. Sparks, 43, of Cadillac. Sparks is 6 foot, 3 inches tall and weighs 245 pounds. He is wanted nationwide for absconding from prison parole from multiple convictions of obtaining money under false pretenses.

Deputies responded in minutes to the area, but the vehicle was gone.

Contact with the parole agent revealed that Sparks owes over \$300,000 in restitution to prior victims and has been tracked through the Chicago/Detroit/Grand Rapids/

areas over the last several weeks.

The sheriff's office believes Sparks was in the area trying to set up a new victim. One of his many ploys is trying to sell new motorcycles at less than wholesale prices due to him having factory connections.

Once he gets money for the item, he leaves the area.

Several recent victims have been swindled out of \$30,000 or more and are reluctant to prosecute or report the incident.

Anyone who has had contact with him in Charlevoix County is requested to contact Sheriff George T. Lasater or Det./Sgt. Don Sproul at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office at (231) 547-4461.

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Students taking part in dual enrollment option

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Sixteen Charlevoix High School students are enrolled in a college course that takes place in the comfort and convenience of their own school.

"I think one reason we have such a diverse curriculum (131 sections of classes and dual enrollment) is to give the kids that need a challenge, a challenge. Certain kids are ready for it and certain kids aren't. Dual enrollment has a place in a vast curriculum," high school principal Gary Grundman said.

The program referred to at the high school as dual enrollment has been an option available to students for some time. However, in the past, students drove to Petoskey to take North Central Michigan College courses, now the college is coming to them.

Testing administrator and school counselor John Prescott said that the new set-up means there are 16 less students on the road and 16 more in school. He thinks that the new program increases camaraderie because students don't miss important aspects of the high school environment like time with friends and assemblies.

The class currently being of-

fered is an introductory communications class. Prescott said the material students are focusing on relates to how an individual's physical and emotional past is related to the way in which they communicate.

Not only do the kids earn three social science college credit hours, the credit hours are free and the students only pay for their textbook, which is \$40.

Two seniors currently enrolled in the course, Corey Bascom and Michael Grosberg, said that the savings, the opportunity to "get ahead" and getting a taste of collegiate expectations all combined to rope them in.

Bascom said he has found the instructors expectations are different than what he was accustomed to in high school. The college professor places more reliance on the student's personal responsibility to learn the material.

"They don't care if you don't do your reading. It's your own responsibility to get the work done," Bascom said.

Grosberg said that as he expected, the course requires the students to work a little harder, but he and Bascom both agreed that these requirements are helping them to prepare for what they will face on the campus they choose for the fall.



Corey Bascom, 18, and Mike Grosberg, 18, are both enrolled in Interpersonal Communications, a college course offered at the high school. The students are shown above reading through college course guides in the guidance office at Charlevoix High School. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Students taking the course are required to complete three tests, three speeches and three papers — a substantial load for a four month class.

The two said that there were a couple of D's on the last test and their instructor was less than pleased to see them.

"She wasn't happy with the test scores, but that's a transition thing. Each teacher gives tests in a different way," Grosberg said.

Bascom said that he plans to at-

tend either Grand Valley State University or Central Michigan University in the fall. Grosberg is looking to attend either Grand Valley or Ferris State.

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You don't need to know what is under there



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

I knew she had something planned from the moment she came up to me....just by the look in her eyes. I just knew she was going to try and find out if I had underwear on.

You see, last weekend I visited Beaver Island to take part in the island's St. Patrick's Day festivities. I was asked to bring my bagpipes and my kilt and play a few tunes. I agreed to do it, and showed up at the Shamrock Bar in downtown St. James wearing my kilt and carrying my bagpipes at my side.

Now, I should point out here that the kilt is not — I will repeat in bold type — is not an Irish article of clothing. The kilt is of Scottish origin and represents the Scottish family of the wearer. Many bagpipers prefer to wear this item

whenever they are playing their bagpipes — also Scottish — in public, as I was doing on St. Patrick's Day.

Inevitably everyone asks the ultimate question: "What do you wear under the kilt?" So, it wasn't long before people were coming up to me in the Shamrock Bar, asking if I was going "traditional."

Which brings me to the story of the woman. Seeing me from across the bar, her eyes locked onto me and she made her way through the crowd with a sly smile on her face. Instead of standing in front of me though, she walked just to the left of me and asked, "What do you wear under that kilt?"

As she slowly tried to walk behind me, I noticed her staring at the bottom uniform. I knew what she was doing; she was trying to sneak behind me to lift up my kilt. So I spun around, like a man treading water with a shark circling him, and kept her at arms length.

She didn't get her answer and didn't find out through force that day. I have learned a thing or two from my many experiences wearing a kilt in public.

However, later that night as I

stood on the stage at the Shamrock to play a tune on the pipes, some man came up behind me and lifted up the back of my kilt. I wasn't prepared for it and I didn't see him coming, but I sure felt a breeze.

Luckily, I was already facing the audience at this time and he was the only one who saw the answer to the question.

It baffles me why people would even want to know what we wear under the kilt. Usually I do not tell them the answer. Why should they know? I don't care what they are wearing under their pants, so why should they care what I am wearing under my kilt?

Have you ever walked up to someone and just blurted out, "Do you wear underwear under your pants?" And, then, if they don't answer you, have you ever tried to take a peek?

Sounds silly, doesn't it? You could be slapped with a harassment suit or arrested for assault for doing that in today's society. So, why do people find it necessary to act like that when I am wearing my family's historic costume?

And it is not just me; pipers all

over the world continue to be hounded. But, we have come up with some clever ways of answering the question or dealing with it.

While many of our sayings when asked this great question are unprintable, my favorite answer is, "I wear shoes and socks under my kilt."

And, one piper I know got so tired of people lifting up his kilt that he bought a jock-strap and glued rhinestones to it. Then he would wear it whenever he had his kilt on and whenever someone would try to lift up his kilt to have a peek, he would just let them.

The pipers I know also love to tell the tale of a woman who laid down in the middle of the street with a camera pointed into the air during a parade. She was hoping to get a picture of the underside of the pipers' kilts as they marched over her. But, the bagpipe band just marched around her, leaving this woman lying in the street and looking like a fool.

But, even with our cocky answers, pipers will continue to be questioned about their undergarments. And, many pipers will continue to have their personal space invaded by some moron wanting

to flip their kilts into the air.

The bottom line is: Please refrain from asking this question when you see a bagpiper with a kilt on. Also, I am demanding a stop to the practice of trying to lift up a kilt of a piper.

It is already cold enough when there is a strong breeze, let alone when you create a bigger draft.

Side note: The response to last month's "What do you think" editorial has been great. The question was, "What do you think of the city's marina plans?" We will continue to collect your responses this week and they will be published in next week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier. Please keep them brief and remember to include your name. They can be mailed to P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720, dropped off at 112 Mason Street in Charlevoix or e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com.

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Clarification on story

Editor:
I would like to express my thanks to Julie Musilek for including Charlevoix Children's House in the article on area non-profit preschools. She did a nice job of briefly introducing some aspects of Montessori, an often misunderstood educational program.

I would like to clarify some important points about the Children's House and Montessori in general. While the parents of our community don't actively participate in the classroom, they are always very welcome observers and lunch guests. As the first and most important teachers of each of our children, Montessori parents are the backbone of our program. Our parents are also incredibly supportive, bringing many special programs into the classroom and providing countless hours of volunteer time, as well as much-appreciated donations of materials and services. Even with a professional, well-trained staff, we could not provide the rich environment at Children's House without the participation of our parents!

Because of the individualized approach of the Montessori program, there are very few children who do not benefit from the properly directed, child-centered environment of

the Children's House. In my 21-year association with Montessori classrooms, I have never met a child who was unable to thrive in this environment. However, there are parents who want a more teacher-centered atmosphere than we provide. Parents sometimes also have separation or other issues, as well as mixed feelings about how dependent they want their young child to be, and don't desire such an empowering program. For these reasons, we make every effort to provide information about the Montessori program to prospective parents and ask them to observe our program in action before enrolling.

Also not mentioned in the article was that the Children's House offers a kindergarten program and daycare (from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. week days). Our present enrollment is 22 children. The school is operated by a parent and community board, and is tuition-based; however, a very successful scholarship program is available.

The Children's House is more than just a school — it is a community of families investing in the future of their children!

Deb Sayers Hobbs
Director
Charlevoix Children's House

More laws for being on ice

Editor:
I'm a student at Charlevoix Middle School and we should have more laws protecting people on ice. Two laws would be, stay near land

and have another person with you on the ice. My mom's friend had a brother who went on the lake with his snowmobile and he went through the ice. He froze to death. They didn't find him for three years. They found him washed up on the beach. The Coast Guard went out, but they had no luck at all.

Finally, there should be a law where you must have a life jacket, or an orange jacket with you at all times on the ice. That's why, I think there should be laws for people on ice.

Chelsea Nemchak
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Make school into shelter

Editor:

I am a sixth grade student at the Charlevoix Middle School. I know that we need a place for the homeless to stay, other than on the streets and in boxes. I know that we shouldn't just waste the Charlevoix Middle School. It should be turned into a place for the homeless to live, so they have a place to call home.

Next, the Charlevoix Middle School will be deserted. So, then we can move the homeless that are from the counties that surround Charlevoix to the Charlevoix Middle School to live. This way the homeless humans will learn how to

cook food, serve food and clean rooms. So then they may be able to get a job and earn money.

Last and most importantly, I know the homeless need a shelter over their heads (other than boxes). I know they don't deserve to live on the streets and freeze to death. God made us to help the people in need. I know there are some people who don't believe in God, but I do, and I know that these homeless humans need our help today.

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Teresa Potter
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The island's 'Great Day'



Beaver Island was once again filled with revelers for the annual St. Patrick's Day festivities — also called The Great Day by Irish islanders. (Above) A couple of the contestants for the St. Patrick's Day King and Queen contest. (Right) Contestants in the "shopping cart race" struggle to move through one of the tests. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



Francis Pike aims to knock down all the bowling pins with his frozen chicken in the "Chicken Bowling" contest. (Photo by Phyllis Moore)

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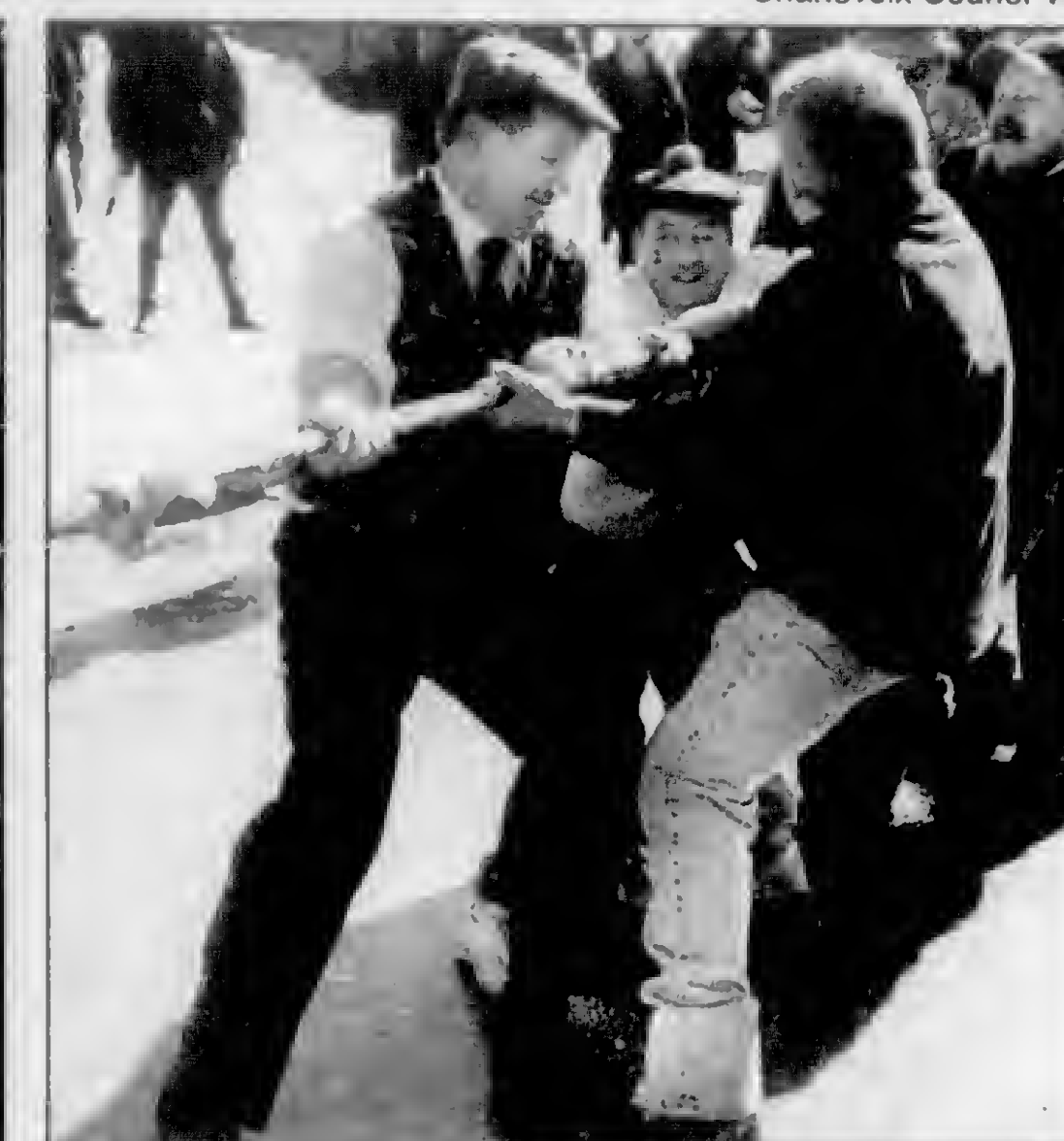
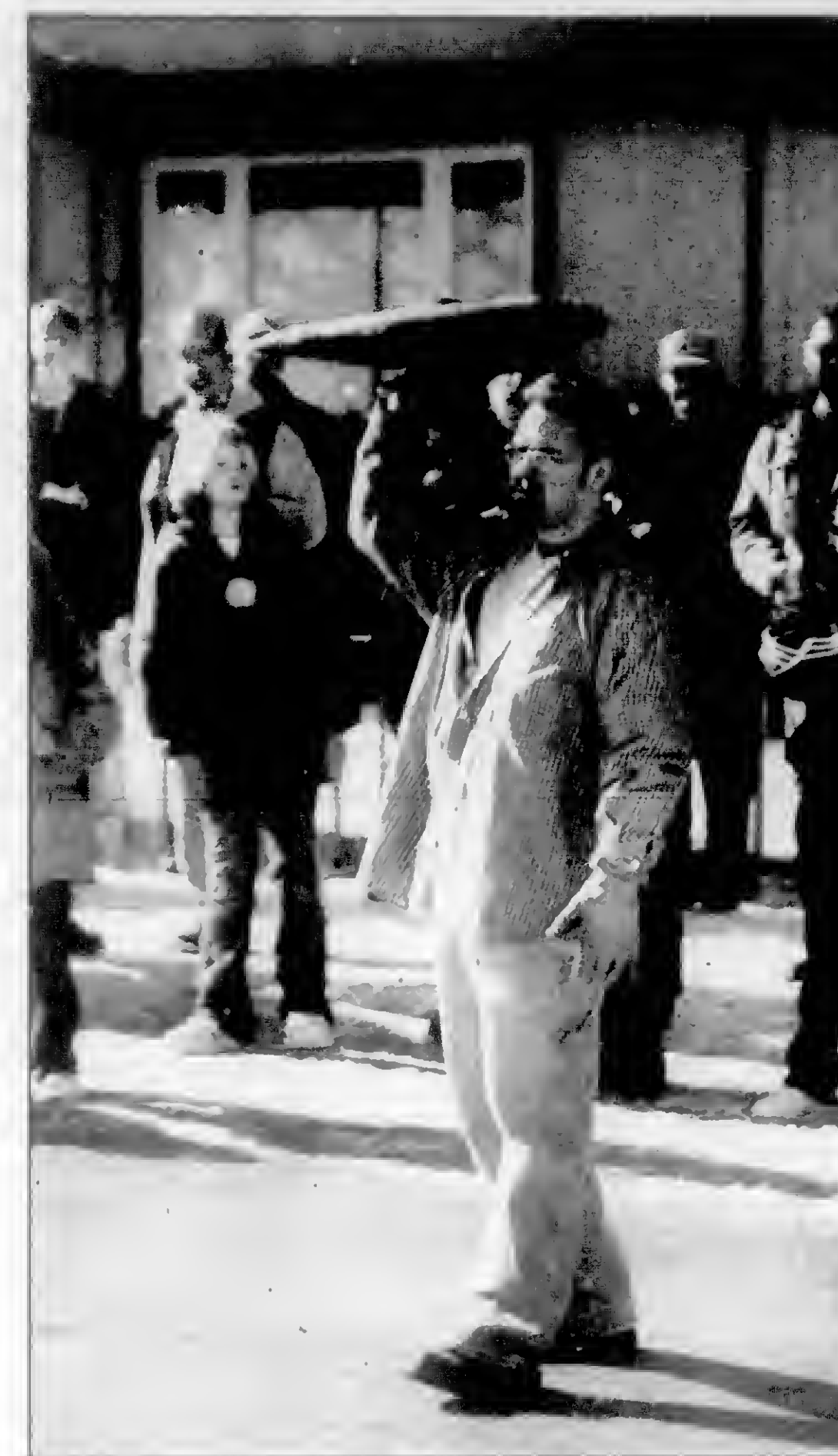


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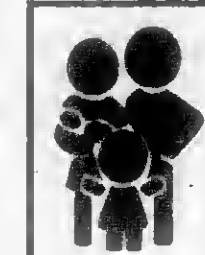


Island native Richard Gillespie, and MC for the events, dressed in his finest for the St. Patrick's Day festivities. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

(Above) Islanders teamed according to where they lived and battled each other in the tug-of-war. Those that lived in town were the "Fishchokers" and those outside of town were the "Hayseiders." (Right) The winners of the King and Queen contest, Laurine Adams and Helen Pike. (Above photo by Jeremy McBain. Right, by Phyllis Moore.)



Island native Mike Moore tests his fish before attempting to give it his best toss in the "fish throw." Participants would toss the frozen fish like a shot-put and try to get the most distance. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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Your help is needed for the 'least of these'

By CARA HOCHHALTER
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"Who's doing for the least of these?"

In Matthew 25: 31-46, Jesus tells the story of the Son of Man returning surrounded by angels and surveying all the nations. Looking to the people on his right, he told them they were blessed because when he was hungry they had given him food. And when he was thirsty they gave him drink. He was alone and away from home and they invited him into their homes. He was without clothes and they gave him something to wear. He was sick and they cared for him. He was in prison and they visited him.

The people were amazed and asked, "When did we ever do these things for you?"

He replied, "Any time you did any of these things for even the least of my people, here you also did them for me."

There are many ways in which our community reaches out to those in need. There are two community food pantries, a thrift shop, a soon-to-open Ezra House for transitional housing, a community lunch program, and The Christmas Project. Most of these stem from The Charlevoix Ministerial Association with ecumenical committees organizing and running them through the help of many volunteers from different churches. There are also community agencies such as

Beacons of Blessing

the Family Independent Agency, Charlevoix-Emmet Housing Coalition, the Health Department, Head Start and Community Mental Health.

The Bush administration is offering some funding to "Faith-based organizations" for programs such as these. However, there are some questions that we need to ask. Why is there such a need for food pantries, homeless shelters and soup kitchens in the first place? Wouldn't Christ want us to look at the whys and not just focus on temporary solutions? Are there some basic issues that could help alleviate the problem? What are the reasons for poverty?

Often circumstantial, people are caught between jobs, lose work due to their or their children's illness, lose transportation, experience divorce or abuse, are mentally ill, and along with that, have exorbitant health care costs that are not covered. It is disturbing to me that many employers, (even in our area), limit workers' time so that they do not have to pay benefits. It is also disturbing to me to hear that more and more doctors are refusing patients on Medicaid.

As much as we are proud of

"The American Dream," the idea that anyone who works hard can make a good life for himself or herself, this dream lacks one element that I believe Jesus promoted. That is a compassion for our fellow human beings, and I might add, all of creation. Jesus preached of a compassion that builds people up, stands by them in times of pain and most of all, offers love and respect.

At a time when many people are looking forward to some money back from a tax cut... let us not forget to ask how "the least of these" are being helped. How well are we caring for the poor? How difficult is it to get help if you are poor and mentally ill? How difficult is it to work two jobs as a single parent, raise children and still not receive health benefits?

Granted some people make some bad choices that lead to disastrous consequences, but there seem to be many people who become "victims" of their poverty. One misfortune leads to another and it doesn't take long to be in deep need.

Christ's message is one of hope, however. No matter how poor or ill or even sinful a person was, Jesus brought hope, compassion and "new life." This can be our message as well. Through faith, we must continue to ask ourselves as individuals, as a community, a country and a world, "Are we doing the best we can for the least of these?"

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Dawsons arrested on several charges

Susan Rae Dawson and her husband Charles Lee Dawson, of East Jordan, were arrested Tuesday on charges that they violated Michigan racketeering laws, failed to file state income taxes and failed to pay employee withholding taxes.

In a 13 page warrant Charlevoix Prosecutor Mary Beth Kur alleged that between 1997 and 2000 the Dawsons, as owners of at least two trucking companies, withheld money from 19 employees' paychecks for health insurance and that they failed to pay the premiums. In addition to the racketeering charges, the Dawsons are also charged with five counts of failing to file taxes.

The trucking companies owned by the Dawsons are EJ Transportation and Up North Trucking. Both are based in East Jordan. Kur is also seeking the criminal forfeiture of the businesses' real estate located at 04331 Waterman Road and at least 21 tractors and 34 trailers owned by the Dawsons or their companies.

The case began after Michigan State Police Detective/Sergeant Bruce Dykehouse was contacted by several employees of the Dawsons beginning in November 2000. One employee had prescription coverage denied at a local drug store after presenting their insurance card.

In an affidavit supporting the arrest warrants, Dykehouse also alleges that Up North Trucking is not and never has been properly registered under Michigan law and that they are operating illegally. Also alleged in the affidavit is that for at least two years the couple failed to file Michigan income tax returns.

Both Dawsons were arraigned today in the 90th District Court. Bond was set at \$10,000 cash or surety. A condition of bond is that the company not operate any of its equipment illegally and that they not liquidate any assets.

A preliminary examination was set for 1 p.m. April 16.

Summer resorts top the list of major taxpayers in city

TAXES

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(own Captain's Corners property)

4) Lexalite International Corp.
5) CPI Products LLC
6) Charles and Patricia Koucky (property owners in downtown Charlevoix)
7) Harbor Industries
8) David Guanci (property owner)

9) Citizens Bank
10) Irish Boat Shop

Using the taxable value listed for each taxpayer on the list and the total county millage rate — including county, school and city taxes — which is 48.9756, and the total city millage rate, which is 12.56, the Charlevoix Courier was able to figure, with a formula provided by Brandi, an estimate of the money these property owners pay to the city and county. Those with property in the Downtown Development District have an additional 1.36 mills added to their tax bill.

According to the numbers, The Belvedere Club has a taxable value of \$7,716,300. It paid about \$377,000 in total property taxes. Of that amount, \$93,000 is

city taxes.

The Chicago Summer Resort has a taxable value of \$3,459,800. It paid about \$169,000 in total property taxes. Of that amount, \$42,000 is city taxes.

Leo and Maureen Quinn have a taxable value of \$2,092,300. They paid about \$102,000 in total property taxes. Of that amount, \$25,000 is city taxes.

Lexalite International Corp. has a taxable value of \$1,818,700. It paid about \$89,000 in total property taxes. Of that, \$22,000 is city taxes.

CPI Products has a taxable value of \$1,498,600. It paid about \$73,000 in total property taxes. Of that, \$18,000 is city taxes.

Charles and Patricia Koucky have a taxable value of \$1,290,400. Since they are in the Downtown Development Authority, they had an additional 1.36 mills tacked onto their tax bill. They paid about \$64,957 in total property taxes. Of that, \$15,686 is city taxes.

Harbor Industries has a taxable value of \$1,177,000. It paid about \$57,000 in total property taxes. Of that, \$14,000 is city taxes.

Because of an expansion, this

company was given a tax abatement for next year, which is not reflected in these numbers. When the tax abatement takes effect, that means the company will not pay taxes for a period of time on its new facilities. Brandi said.

David Guanci has a taxable value of \$1,042,700. He paid about \$51,000 in total property taxes. Of that, \$12,000 is city taxes.

Citizen's Bank has a taxable value of \$959,100. It paid about \$48,000 in total property taxes. Of that, \$11,000 is city taxes. Since Citizen's Bank is in the Downtown Development Authority, it had an additional 1.36 mills tacked onto its total tax bill.

Irish Boat Shop has a taxable value of \$884,000. It paid about \$48,000 in total property taxes. Of that, \$10,000 is city taxes.

The total taxable value of these top 10 taxpayers is \$21,938,900.

Brandi added this top 10 list changes each year based on changes made to properties that impact their taxable value.

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Marguerite Laske: Dec. 24, 1921 - March 16, 2001

Marguerite Laske, 79, of Petoskey, died March 16, 2001 at Bortz Health Care of Petoskey.

Memorial service will be at 11 a.m. today at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. John Tupper of St. Francis Xavier in Petoskey.

Interment will be at Fort Custer National Cemetery in Augusta.

Marguerite was born on Dec. 24, 1921 in Detroit, the daughter of Joseph and Frances (Zech) Nicolai.

On May 30, 1937 she married Steve T. Laske in Bowling Green, Ohio. He preceded her in death on January 30, 2001.

Marguerite spent her life doing what she loved most, being a wife to Steve, a mother to her 10 children, grandmother and great grandmother. She felt she was truly blessed by her family.

She was a member of St.

Francis Xavier Church.

Survivors include nine children, Steve, Larry, Tom, Jim, Phil, Joe, Vicky, Mike and Michelle; 32 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; one brother, Joe; one sister Mary.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Kathy. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Envelopes are available at Winchester Funeral Home.

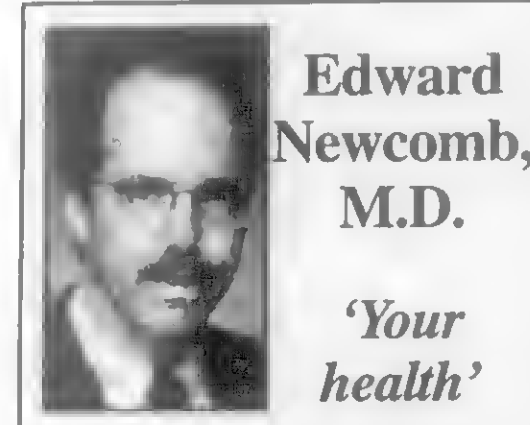
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Communication is a very important tool



Edward Newcomb, M.D.

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The health care system of the United States has been a hot topic of conversations, journalistic articles and even political debates in the recent past.

Concerns over affordability, accessibility and the changing relationship between physicians and their patients are frequently voiced. As a practicing physician, the apparent erosion of the "doctor-patient" relationship is of great importance to me. Statements such as "the doctor didn't listen to me" is indicative of the frustration felt by many patients. Physicians are frustrated as well by time consuming demands of insurance carriers, regulations and documentation

requirements that take away time spent with the patient.

Most frustrations experienced by patients are due to a failure in the dynamic communication that takes place between a physician and a patient. Communication goes both ways and there are several things that physicians can do to improve their skills, but this is another topic. What I would like to present in this article is a few ways that patients can decrease their frustrations by becoming "better" or more effective patients. These suggestions are essentially recommendations on how to communicate more effectively, how to get your concerns and questions addressed.

It begins with the phone call to make the appointment. The receptionist needs to know how much time to schedule you for and to do this they will ask you a few questions about why you need to see the doctor. This is not to be nosy or embarrassing, but a brief idea of your concern allows the receptionist to set aside an appropriate amount of time. The

more accurate the scheduling will be. You may ask the receptionist how much time you have been scheduled for and if you feel you will need more time, the receptionist may be able to schedule you a longer appointment, or may need to offer a second appointment at another time. If you make an appointment to have a cough evaluated, but when you get to the appointment you ask for an insurance physical or some other more extensive evaluation, there may not be an adequate amount of time available and this can be frustrating.

A second way to be a more "effective" patient is to bring a written list of your concerns to your appointment. Some patients become intimidated in the office by the hustle and bustle and end up forgetting some of the questions they had. A list prevents these memory lapses. Physicians aren't afraid of lists; in fact it makes their job easier by allowing them to know exactly what is on a patient's mind. If the list is quite long, it may

become obvious to both the patient and the physician that more time is needed and follow up visits should be made. With less confusion about what concerns you, you are more likely to get what you need.

Bringing a list of your medications or actually bringing in your medications with you to your appointment is also helpful. Many patients see more than one doctor and it prevents confusion if your physician knows what you are taking. It makes the appointment go more efficiently and leaves more time for other issues. Remember that over the counter products such as pain relievers, antacids, vitamins and herbal products should also be included in the list as they may interact with prescription drugs.

Finally, patients need to remember that physicians are human beings. At times we can seem rather dense when it comes to picking up on patients' concerns.

However, physicians are not mind readers and are unable to

answer questions until they are asked. If you feel your doctor is not listening or not understanding your problem, tell the physician, we really do care.

If you continue to be frustrated, by all means ask to be seen by, or referred to another physician. Patients are not obligated to stay in a "doctor-patient" relationship that isn't working.

Hopefully these few suggestions will make your next doctor's appointment more efficient and less frustrating.

Becoming better at communicating is something we all can work on. Being a more "effective" patient will increase the likelihood of you obtaining what you want, as well as what you need from your physician. Being a more "effective" patient will help your physician be more "effective" too.

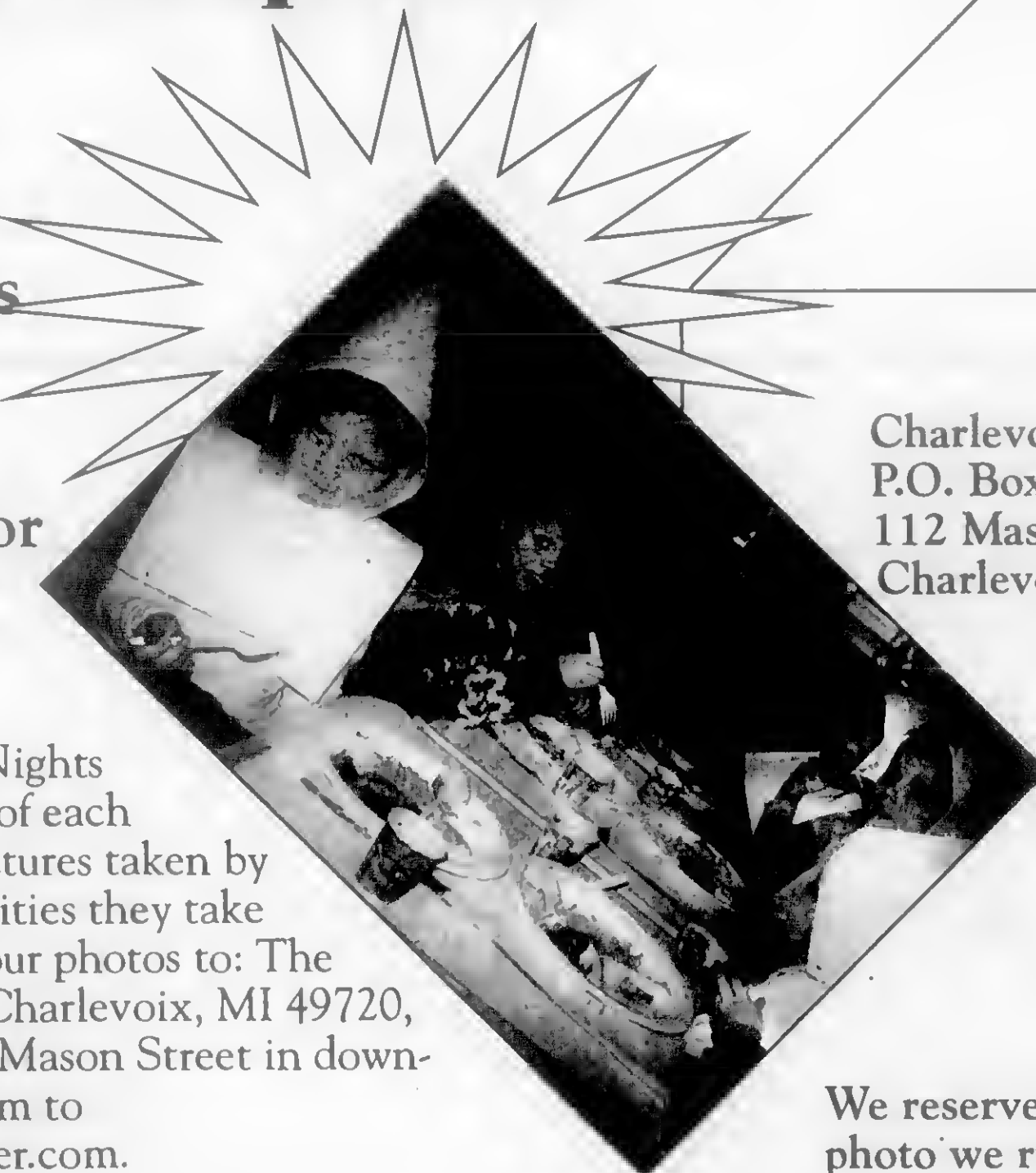
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New coach picked for junior varsity softball

BY JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The junior varsity girls softball team will be lead by a new coach this spring.

Former coach Don Potter resigned in December after "a few frustrating seasons." One of varsity softball coach Phil Butler's assistant coaches from last year, and also his daughter, Courtney Butler, 20, of Boyne City will be taking over the JV girls team.

He said that the low turnout in players coupled with the long bus rides the team took became too much. He added that varsity softball coach Phil Butler was looking to take the team in another direction.

"It was a mutual agreement for me to leave. I'll miss the girls, but I won't miss the long bus rides," Potter said.

Potter has coached middle school girls' basketball for nine years and coached middle school soccer in the past. He hopes to return to his post as middle school soccer coach.

His replacement, Courtney, played softball while she was a student at Charlevoix High School.

In a statement written to the Charlevoix school board by Keith Haske, high school assistant principal and athletic director, Haske stated she was an outstanding pitcher. He also referred to her as, "an enthusiastic coach who will help our program a great deal."

However, when it came time for

the school board to accept the appointment of Courtney at their March 12 meeting they did not vote unanimously for her to be hired by the district to fill the void left by Potter. School board treasurer Larry Leveugood voted against her taking the position.

Leveugood said Courtney's age was the factor that made him question her capability of leading the team and ultimately to vote against the appointment.

Leveugood said that there was no discussion at the meeting to back up the placement of Courtney in the coaching position so he voted no.

"I'm not hung up on age normally and I don't know her personally. It is my understanding that she helped out last year as an assistant on the varsity team which probably at that age is more of an appropriate role for her," Leveugood said.

After watching her perform last year in her role as an assistant coach, Haske said that he has great confidence in her ability to coach the team.

"She wouldn't be coaching for us unless she was going to do a great job," Haske said.

The teams started practicing on March 12. Phil Butler said he is pleased with this year's turnout. Of the 30 girls looking to play, Butler said he plans to carry 17 or 18 and the rest will be on the JV team.

Courtney could not be reached for comment by press time.



Missing troop

Last month's boy scout pages missed a troop. Above is Boy Scout Troop 6, which should have been included in those pages. They are: (Front, from left) David Ruehle, Patrick Russell, (back) assistant scoutmaster Bobbie Ruehle, Matthew Heimruch, Kevin Kusina, Dayveon Meadows, Rob Shutler and Scoutmaster Carl Shutler. Missing from the picture are: Benjamin Castiglione, Thomas Castiglione, Brian Davis, Andrew Mallory, Caleb McCary, Cody McCary, Nicholas Miller, Andrew Riley, Jeffery Riley, Robert Tripp and Patrick Wilson. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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City golf course honored in Michigan Living magazine

GOLF

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City course golfers can look forward to other possible future improvements that may include rerouting of holes and a new practice center.

These changes are some of the many the historic course recognized by the United States Golf Association as the oldest existing public golf course in Michigan has undergone.

The course was founded in 1896 by Chicago Club members John P. Wilson and Edward Waller. The club members employed the design resources of renowned Scottish golf course architect, Willie Watson. When the course was built in 1896 it was a nine hole course spanning

2,645 yards located west of Mercer Boulevard. Four years later, 100 additional acres of land were purchased by Chicago Club members allowing the 1903 addition of another nine holes.

In 1937 the Chicago Club turned the course over to the City of Charlevoix for one dollar. The city transformed the course back to nine holes and has since maintained it.

Heid said that currently, during the average golf season of a 26 week period, about 20,000 rounds are played. He estimated 70 percent of those 20,000 rounds to be played by pass holders.

Season passes and various course packages are currently on sale. This year's rate schedule is available at the city website, ci.charlevoix.mi.us.

Heid added that the course rates fall below those charged by other courses.



A painting of the Charlevoix Golf Course back when it belonged to the Chicago Club. (Painting by Jim Annis)

"We are trying to give something back to the community," he said.

He added that the start of the golf season is contingent on weather, but

the course is usually ready for play in early to mid-April.

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Students talk about violence in schools

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

In the wake of several school shootings recently across the country, local parents may wonder whether the students at Charlevoix High School think of their school environment as threatening or violent.

Students from each grade level were chosen at random and asked to share their thoughts on the topic of school violence.

Of the six questioned many said that they have witnessed and in some cases been involved in fights on school grounds. However, they all responded with a resounding yes to the question, "Do you feel safe at Charlevoix High School?"

The following are the exact questions we asked students and their answers:

Have you ever felt threatened at school?

Andrea Ruhlman, freshman — "Not really with this type of environment. I trust the people here for some reason."

Nicole Higdon, freshman — "No. I've always felt comfortable around here."

Liz McSawby, sophomore — "No. I've lived here all my life and I feel comfortable."

Zack Simmons, junior — "A couple of times maybe, but not really a lot."

Brad Ramsey, junior — "No."

Katie Yager, senior — "No, not in my school. But, I don't know, there have been a lot of

shootings lately. I think there was one that happened yesterday in a Catholic school. That makes me wonder if it could happen here too."

Do you see violence in school as a problem at Charlevoix High School?

Ruhlman — "I have heard jokes about it before. I have actually seen a fight in the hallway before but other than that, nothing really that drastic has happened here."

Higdon — "No. You don't have to carry weapons to keep yourself protected."

McSawby — "I don't think so, but I've heard of kids getting beaten up. But that was in middle school."

Simmons — "I haven't heard of kids bringing guns and stuff like that, but I have seen fights. I've been in a fight before. It's not all that big. I haven't seen that many really. I've seen people talking trash that want to start fights, but it never happens."

Ramsey — "I've never been in a fight and I've never seen anybody in Charlevoix actually get in a fight."

Yager — "No, I'm sure people kid around, but I don't think anyone would do that (bring a gun to school) here."

What do you think about your school's effort to curb violence? Is the administration's effort too much or too little?

Ruhlman — "I haven't heard about our school policy, but when something comes up in school they (school administra-

"You don't have to carry weapons to keep yourself protected."

Nicole Higdon,
Charlevoix student

tors) gang up on it. We deal with it and they work well with what they have right now."

Simmons — "I've never heard of a policy. I know if a fight does start I've seen teachers back out until somebody is finally done. I've seen Mr. Certa jump in the middle of a couple and he got his pounding before for jumping in but other than that teachers don't really try to stop them."

Ramsey — "I haven't heard anything. I don't think it is that big of a problem here."

Yager — "It doesn't seem like there have been many problems. From all the media coverage, it seems like the shootings are all building off each other and those kids might be feeding off of the publicity other kids have gotten."

What the school does to keep students safe

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Efforts made at the Charlevoix High School to ensure campus safety according to school officials include:

- **School size:** Principal Gary Grundman said that the high school currently has 440 students and that the administration tends to know each one.

- **The seminar concept:** Each class is divided into seminars that meet two times each week. Students from each grade level are intermixed placing responsibility on the older kids to lead by example. Students stay in a given seminar throughout their stay at the high school.

Grundman said that this set-up is aimed at making students more comfortable.

- **Community/family setting:** Grundman said that the door decorations, hall decorations and seminars help to break down barriers that cause problems in the hallways and classrooms.

- **Teacher training:** The high school periodically trains its teachers as to what they should be doing to maintain a non-hostile environment, including signs to look for in students.

- **In-house experts:** The high school has two on-site full-time counselors that, according to Grundman, offer a lot of one-on-one interaction.

- **Early student orientation:** The high school has a close relationship with the middle school. Eighth grade students going into high school are asked to sit down with teachers and their parents. Grundman said that they do this so students will feel more comfortable with the high school setting and teachers can get to know incoming students.

- **Crisis management team:** The management team involves all high school teachers. The team is educated using bi-annual updates helping them to be aware of what to look for as a potential problem.

- **Caring staff:** "The key thing we have going for us is that we have a staff that really cares about these kids," Grundman said.

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Charlevoix girl a finalist for 'Princess' pageant

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Hannah Jane Sandow, 3, of Charlevoix was recently selected as a state finalist for the Miss Michigan Princess Pageant to take place at the Dearborn Hyatt in May.

Hannah's mother Alison Foster said that Hannah's first appearance in pageant competition was in February when Alison and her husband Richard Foster were

shopping in Traverse City. The couple stumbled upon a most beautiful baby contest, entered their daughter and Hannah later placed runner up in the competition.

Shortly after the Traverse City competition Alison said that the family received information on the Michigan Princess Pageant. They selected a photo and entered Hannah in the pageant.

She said that after a week the family received word

back from pageant coordinators, American Coed Pageants, saying that Hannah was named a state finalist.

Gearing up for the May competition Hannah found time to compete in a third pageant. On March 6 she placed second runner up in the Miss Sunburst pageant.

Alison explained that Hannah currently competes at the baby level which means that during competition she

goes up on stage, smiles and "looks cute for the judges."

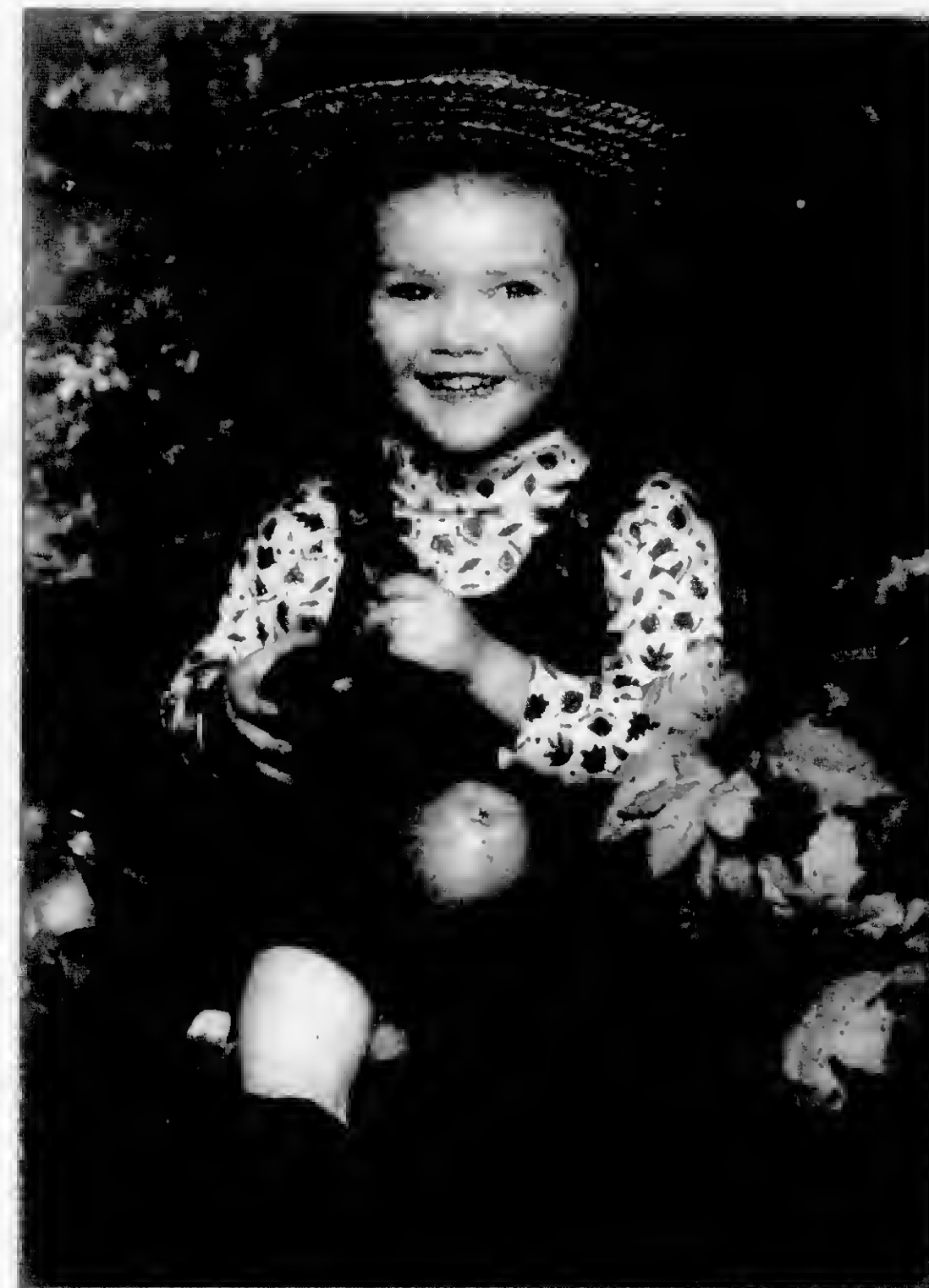
Alison added that as she gets older Hannah will get into talent and modeling competitions.

Alison said Hannah's interest in participating in pageants was sparked by the family's neighbor who had competed in similar events in the past. She said that Hannah asked her parents to compete.

"My husband and I agreed

that she can continue to compete as long as it is fun for her. She's having a good time and meeting new girls her age. She is gaining self-confidence from it, she is learning to talk more and is more outgoing," Alison said.

When Hannah is not busy with pageants she enjoys playing with her dog, Kipper, and her cat, Miss Gooch, watching Shirley Temple videos and shopping.



Hannah Jane Sandow, 3, is a finalist in the Miss Michigan Princess Pageant. (Courtesy photo)

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doesn't offer the same level of protection as other vehicles. It's designed to carry cargo, not kids."

According to the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP), travel in the cargo area of a pickup truck is a major occupant protection issue that disproportionately involves youth. Persons injured when traveling in the open bed of a pickup are more likely to sustain multiple injuries, injuries of greater severity, and have a greater likelihood of death than do passengers riding in the cab.

Neither do enclosed cargo areas (camper shells) provide adequate protection against occupant injury. AAP said that in 1997, 14 percent of cargo area deaths of children and adolescents younger than 20 were in

enclosed cargo areas.

The cab itself can also pose safety issues for young passengers — there are questions surrounding age-appropriate restraint use, appropriate seat location in the cab, appropriate use of rear seating positions in various models of extended cab vehicles and risk of air bag-related injuries.

In addition, Miller said restraint use in the cab of pickup trucks has been reported to be lower than restraint use in other passenger vehicles.

"Basically, we're asking that parents consider the safety aspects of any vehicle when selecting the primary mode of transportation for the family," said Miller. "Pickup trucks are becoming an increasingly popu-

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Young Spanish teachers

The Spanish Four Class from Charlevoix High School will be at the elementary school once a week over the next six weeks to teach first graders numbers and colors. The class is: (First row, from left) Jeremiah Teuscher, Molly Arnold, Amber Parsons, Lisa Miller, Melissa McDonough, Cailin Dulaney, (middle) Ben VanGuilder, Tanya Wyniawskyj, Kendra Willett, Sally Beemon, Amanda Daniel and (top) Ben Speigl. Jim Shepherd is not pictured. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Art work on display

Emily Martinus, of Charlevoix and a student at Adrian College, is displaying her artwork titled "Kimono" at the Michigan Small Colleges Art Student's Exhibition through March 23 at the Spring Arbor College Gallery. Emily is the daughter of Stephen and Jennie Martinus of Charlevoix.

Hunter Kirby joins fraternity

Hunter Kirby, the son of Tom and Kathy Kirby of Charlevoix, has become an active member of Delta Chi fraternity at Northern Arizona University. He is also a snowboard instructor at Snowbowl Ski Resort.

Sara Kirby on Purdue honor roll

Sara Kirby, the daughter of Tom and Kathy Kirby of Charlevoix, has been placed on the semester honor roll and the Dean's list at Purdue University. Sara has also become an active member of Chi Omega sorority.

Kemp joins Red Cross staff

Laura Kemp, of Charlevoix, has joined the staff of the Petoskey Red Cross recently. Her duties include running the Petoskey service center and overseeing the disaster activities in a 12-county area of northern lower Michigan.

Gels named to dean's list

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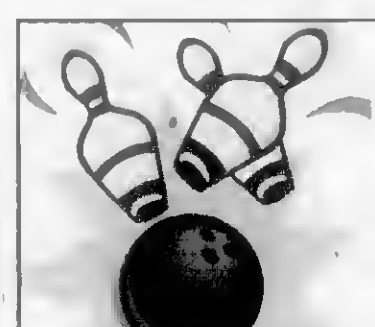
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Groups offer grief programs in area

Beginning April 19 through May 17, the Rev. Milton Walls, Jr., and Pastor Carl Litchfield, will present a weekly program on Grief Recovery from 6:30-8 p.m. at the St. Joseph Catholic Church at 207 Nichols Street in East Jordan.

The program is sponsored by the Charlevoix County Hospice, Inc., Charlevoix Area Hospital, Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency and the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health.

Anyone interested in attending the program is asked to call the Hospice office at 536-2842 to indicate your desire to participate. Class size is limited to 10. No one will be admitted to the session after the first night. There is no charge to attend.

Additionally, from 1-5 p.m. on April 18, there will be a special Hospice Foundation of America — National Bereavement Teleconference "Caregiving and Loss: Family Needs, Professional Responses," at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Anyone interested in participating in this teleconference must call 547-8570 for reservations.

Summer programs will be offered Tuesdays, at 6:30 p.m. July 10 through Aug. 14 at the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health building at 222 West Garfield in Charlevoix. Dr. Andrew Sahara will be the facilitator.

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Charlevoix named a 'Tree City USA' for the ninth year

Charlevoix was recently named a Tree City USA by the National Arbor Day Foundation.

This is the ninth year that Charlevoix has received this national recognition.

The city is also a recipient of a Tree City USA Growth Award, for the third year. This is for demonstrating progress in its community forestry program in interpretive program, publicity and youth education.

The Growth Award was created to recognize environmental improvement and higher levels of tree care

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LOST ITEMS 073

PRO DIVING watch lost in the Charlevoix area. Black and gold steel bracelet. Reward: 237-9179. (3-21-1-073)

SPECIAL NOTICES 076

THIS IS to inform Matthew Krynski, last known address: 414 Antrim St., Charlevoix, MI 49720, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #182. A brief description would be a clothes dryer, chest of drawers, boxes, tools, gun rack and skis. You have until April 13, 2001 to reclaim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US 31 Highway S., Charlevoix, MI 49720, 231-547-5838. (3-14-2-076)

THIS IS to inform Alex Bardy, last known address: P.O. Box 513, Alanson, MI 49706, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #128. A brief description would be a washer, stove, refrigerator, table, chairs, shovels, lawnmower and hose. You have until April 13, 2001 to re-claim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US 31 Highway S., Charlevoix, MI 49720, 231-547-5838. (3-14-2-076)

SERVICES AVAILABLE 084

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DOMESTIC HELP 085

NANNY POSITION. Experienced and loving caregiver needed for a healthy 4-month-old baby boy. Position to begin mid-May, 3 days per week, at home in Charlevoix. References required. Please call 231-547-7535 (3-7-3-085)

HELP WANTED 086

DRENTH BROTHERS, INC. is accepting applications for mill workers and nailers for the wood pallet operation. Full-time and/or part-time. Must be at least 18, reliable, have good references, and willing to participate in our drug and alcohol testing program. Good wages and benefits including BC/BS health insurance and a 401 (k) plan. Apply in person, 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday-Friday, at 9448 Six Mile Lake Road, Ellsworth, 231-588-2345. (3-14-2-086)

HELP WANTED 086

ARTIST WANTED for a fine art gallery. All media. Send slides and curriculum vitae to Art Above the Coop, 216 S. Main, Cheboygan, MI 49721. For information call 231-627-2121 or 800-441-0850, evenings 231-627-4469, ask for Ann. (3-21-6-086)

SPEECH-LANGUAGE pathologist to provide direct communication therapy with developmentally disabled adults living in Otsego, Emmet, Charlevoix, and Cheboygan counties. The primary focus of this position will be evaluation, implementation and monitoring for use of augmentative communication systems and other non-verbal methods. Additional consultation for swallowing disorders, and general communication needs may be included. Prefer CCC-SLP, but arrangements can be made for CFY supervision. This is a contractual position. Send resume, credentials, three (3) professional references and proposed hourly rate to: Contract Manager, Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770. E-mail at mhemstreet@nmcmh.org. FAX: (231)347-1241. (3-21-1-086)

STAFF PERSON needed for busy non-profit. Looking for someone well organized and detail oriented. A background in social sciences is helpful. Must have previous office experience. Flexible hours. Please send resume and cover letter to: NCM, Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720. (3-7-3-086)

HAPPY 30TH ANNIVERSARY



Love, Mom, Jason, Sarah, Jerry & Laura

HELP WANTED 086

NORTHERN MICHIGAN Community Mental Health is seeking to contract the services of a speech therapist, licensed in the State of Michigan, for the provision of outpatient services to individuals with developmental disabilities, in the four counties of Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet and Otsego, on an "as needed" basis, up to forty hours per month. To be considered for this position please submit a current resume, which minimally includes past employment history, scope of education, proof of current licensure, three professional references and proposed hourly rate to the Contract Manager at Northern Michigan CMH, One MacDonald Dr., Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770. 231-347-7890. FAX: 231-347-1241. (3-21-1-086)

HELP WANTED 086

FOSTER FAMILIES and respite providers needed. Excellent compensation and support. Please call the Child Guidance Center's Professional Parenting Program for information at 231-929-1783 or 1-800-872-5861. E.O.E. (3-14-1f-086)

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Dishwashers
Banquet Servers
PM Food Servers
Spa Specialist
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Nail Technician

PART-TIME HELP 087

AIRPORT MANAGER - Charlevoix Municipal Airport. Part-time position (approximately 25 hours per week). Excellent public relationship skills a must, management experience preferred. Position has the ability to accommodate short to medium term absences during the off-season. Position reports to the City Manager. E.O.E. Applications can be obtained from the City Manager's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI. 231-547-3270. Application deadline is March 29, 2001. (3-21-1-087)

MISC. FOR SALE 134

MUST SELL - 2 buildings. Corporate repos. 16x32, 25x38. Perfect condition. Save thousands with quick delivery. Easy financing available. Will not be undersold. Call now! 1-800-222-6335. (3-21-2-134)

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LOTS & ACREAGE 157

TWO OF THE BEST LOTS on Lake Charlevoix, sandy beach, 200x450 feet each, \$895,000 each. Don Hodney Broker. 517-349-5365. (4-26-1f-157)

BUSINESS PLACES/RENT 168

CHARLEVOIX: Wanted to lease or purchase office space/building. 1,000 to 1,500 minimum. Must be ground level within the city of Charlevoix. Respond to File Box 510, c/o Charlevoix Courier. (7-5-1f-168)

COMMERCIAL BUILDING, approximately 2000 square feet. Two floors plus basement storage. Available May 1st. 1101 Bridge Street. 248-681-7999. (3-21-1f-168)

APARTMENTS FOR RENT 169

BOYNE CITY: Parkview Apartments in Boyne City. 1 & 2 bedroom apartments available for immediate occupancy. Rent starts at \$325. Barrier-free units available. No pets. For application or information call Tresa, 231-582-7071, or stop in the Parkview office, 326 E. Division, Apt. 27, TDD 800-649-3777. Equal Housing Opportunity. (1-3-1f-169)

CHARLEVOIX - Two bedroom condominium. Appliances include washer, dryer and air conditioning. Walking distance to public beaches. \$650 monthly, plus utilities. Year lease only. No pets. Deposit and references required. Available April 1. Call 547-9950. (3-14-2-169)

HOUSES FOR RENT 170

CHARLEVOIX NORTHSIDE - Furnished 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, available May 1 for 12 month lease. \$850 per month plus utilities. Call 941-764-8495. (3-14-3-170)

RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT 171

FAMILY COTTAGE on Lake Charlevoix, off Oyster Bay. Sleeps 12 in master house and guest house combined. Availability in all months exist. Saturday to Saturday rental. \$3,500 per week. 810-694-0065. (3-21-1-171)

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STORAGE SPACE FOR RENT 174

SELF STORAGE UNITS 50 to 5,000 square feet, drive-in units, heated areas, Charlevoix northside. Call Bob Kern, Real Estate One, 547-5100. (9-1-f-174)

STORAGE UNITS available. Charlevoix Mini Storage. 547-5838. Closed Thursdays. (12-28-f-174)

WANTED TO RENT 175

WANTED - Office suite to share facilities for independent insurance agent. Call 231-881-1028. (3-14-3-175)

AUTO FOR SALE 191

1993 CHEVY 4-wheel-drive truck. Extended cab, 5.7L, automatic, matching fiberglass top, power windows, AM/FM cassette, air, remote start, cruise control, running boards, new brakes. 104,271 miles. Asking \$10,500. 547-9636 or 547-2062 after 7 p.m. (3-7-3-191)

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

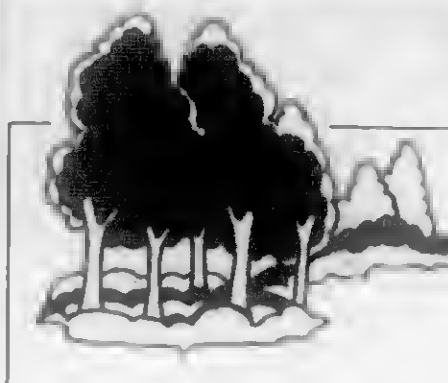
STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS DECEDENT'S ESTATE FILE NO. 01-010247-DE

Estate of Marjorie J. Coleman
Date of birth: December 2, 1914

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Marjorie J. Coleman, who lived at 102 E. Hurbut St., Charlevoix, Michigan died January 7, 2001.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF EMMET NOTICE TO CREDITORS DECEDENT'S ESTATE FILE NO. 01-010250-DE

Estate of William E. Fochtman, deceased

Date of birth: February 21, 1928

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, WILLIAM E. FOCHTMAN, who lived at 204 Burns, Charlevoix, Michigan, died January 13, 2001. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Pamela S. Fochtman, 321 E. Lake Street,

March 15, 2001
Robert L. Hoffman (P15046)
103 Belvedere Avenue
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-9941

Martha E. Barrett
9929 Alba Highway
Elmira, MI 49730
(231)548-3710.

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Petoskey, MI 49770, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, and the named/proposed personal representative within four months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: March 14, 2001

James T. Ramer (P25070)
One Hundred Spring Street,
P.O. Box 5
Harbor Springs, MI 49740
(231) 526-6214

Pamela S. Fochtman
321 East Lake Street
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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addition help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays

and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's AA Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrill at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of

the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

The Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from

2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

Business organizations —

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-2101.

Featured event

Ragamuffin Theatre

The Ragamuffin Theatre Troupe and the Lutheran Child and Family Service will be presenting the play, "For Such a Time as This." The event will take place at 6:30 p.m., March 23 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus Hall. Tickets are \$13 a person. For more information call, 237-9686 or 547-5632. (Courtesy photo)



hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Code classes

The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical updating to the new 2000 codes on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Road. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. plumbing will be covered and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop, and donuts will be provided.

Income tax help

The Charlevoix Senior Center will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings. For more information call 547-5361.

ty of Christ Church located at 202 Jordan St., East Jordan. The worship theme is "Behold the Tree." The public is invited and encouraged to come. A free-will offering will be taken during services to support the ministerial association emergency relief fund. A soup and salad lunch will follow each service at no charge.

CPR, first aid classes

CPR and first aid classes available at Charlevoix Area Hospital. The following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

March 14 — Infant CPR for new moms from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Norwood Church

The Norwood United Methodist Church is open for prayer every Thursday 3 to 4 p.m. until April 12, during Lenten season.

Lenten worship

The East Jordan Ministerial Association is having a series of five Lenten Worship Services. Each service will begin at 12:00 p.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 207 Nichols St., East Jordan except on Mar. 28, the service is at Communi-

SCRAPBOOK

A history of the channel bridges

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society

This is the first of a series appearing at regular intervals on the six known bridges that have spanned Pine River, the channel, in Charlevoix.

A bridge across the channel neck has always been Charlevoix's focal point, its fulcrum, its center of gravity. Loved, tolerated and hated in equal measure, it is the one manmade component that has truly defined the city. Its story over 130-odd years contains comedy, hair-raising calamity, joy, sadness and tragedy, wild horses and Conestoga wagons, elephants and oxen, huge loads of logs on sleds, prankish kids, bureaucratic dilly-dallying, the passage of magnificent passenger liners, hundreds of stately schooners and palatial heart-stopping yachts, tugs filled with so much fish they flopped off the decks into the channel waters and at least one snort of disgust from a titan of American industry. Its stories are legendary. This series will highlight them, interspersed with when and most often why each bridge was built.

A specific date of origin for the first structure is not known. After the first arrivals settled in the 1850s, their first chore was to clear the meandering creek that led from Round Lake to Lake Michigan of obstacles. From a few inches to six feet deep, averaging two feet, it was overgrown with trees that arched to touch over the water. Fallen trunks, branches, and rocks clogged it at several points to create a small series of rapids. Not even a canoe could enter without portage at some point.

The settlers had to hack a pathway along the south bank to move any vessel into the harbor, on which they hauled and tugged as much over solid objects as water. Some attacked it with shovels, then as it slowly began to give way like wood shavings under a plane, horses towing scrapers succeeded in giving it a useful depth. While this was happening, a rumor of a bridge surfaced, if nothing

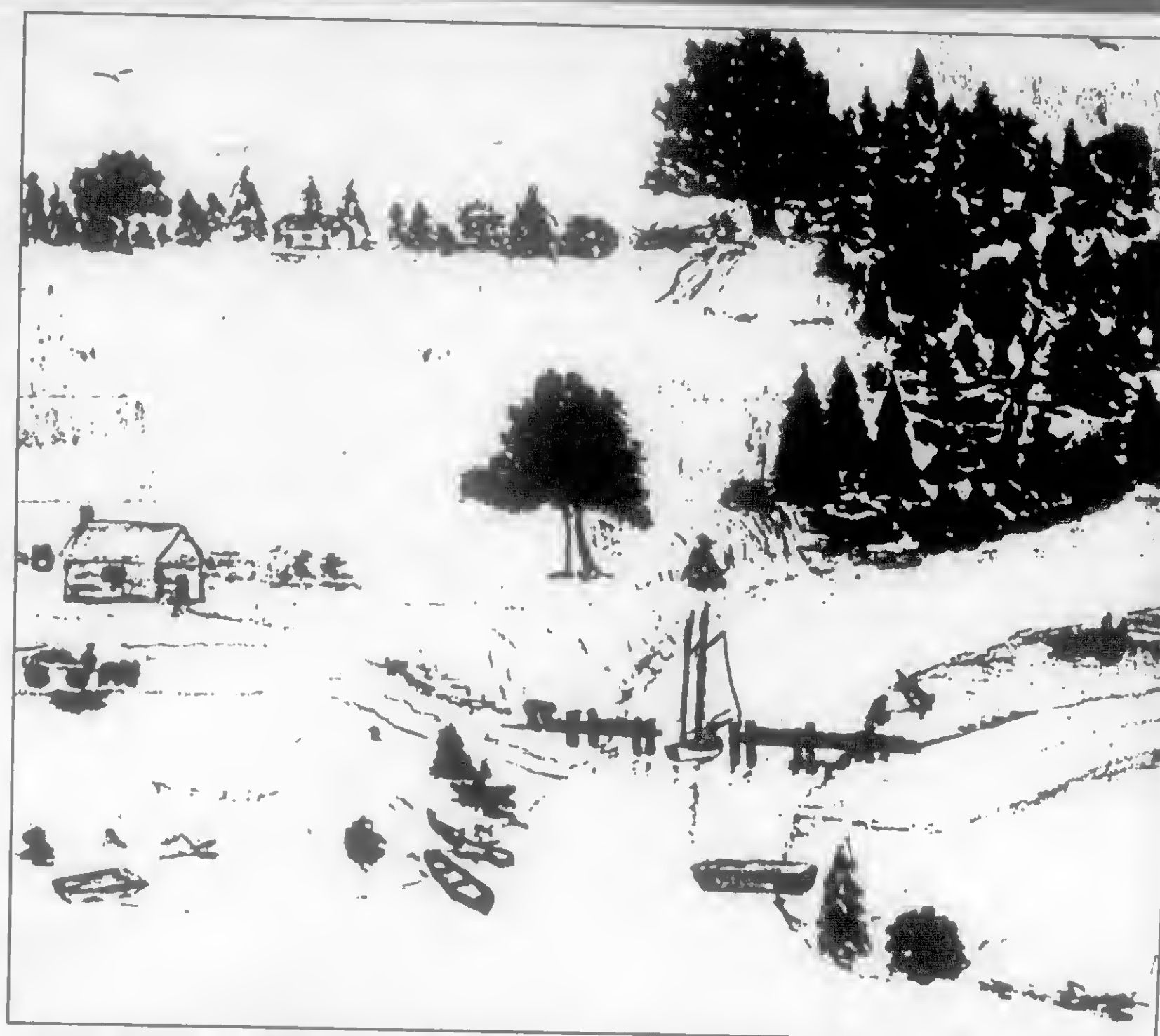
more than logs lashed together and anchored at each end. This might be discounted, for that type of structure would have been troublesome to move, not allowing passage of any vessel without difficulty.

There might have been a crude bridge in place by the mid 1860s. The difficulty dating precisely stems from a statement in the *Charlevoix Sentinel* newspaper of June 19, 1870: "New Bridge-A.M. Ross, Esq., the contractor, has commenced the construction of the new bridge across Pine River, of this village." But does "new" refer to a first one, or a replacement? The word is ambiguous.

For when David C. Nettleton, one of our prominent pioneers, wrote his memoirs, he mentioned "the Fountain City House (now Weather-vane Terrace Hotel), north side, about 200 feet west of the bridge" upon landing her in 1867, three years prior to Mr. Ross's "new bridge." Nettleton may have simply been orienting any future reader as to the site of the hotel, not a bridge nearby, which may have come later.

In any case, 1867-1870 is a safe guess. The first known tiny span was a foot-traffic-only affair, some 4 feet wide and about 2 feet above the water. Its small pilings were driven by hand, stringers connected them except in the center, then planking was laid across these, a mostly do-it-yourself apparatus for those who couldn't glide under, such as those boats with masts. They simply reached up from their vessel, took up the central planks to move them aside, inched through, then replaced the boards behind them. Or a considerate soul who happened to be at the scene might do it for them.

All heavy crossings both prior to and after the bridge's erection were made either by ferry rafts and scows or wagons pulled by horses or oxen, a task easily accomplished since the waters ran not much more than 2 feet deep within a 50 to 60 foot width. Intrepid pedestrians hitched up their trousers and



An old rough sketch of the first bridge over Pine River that was up from the 1860s or 1870s to August, 1873. (Courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

waded across.

A close look at the primitive drawing indeed shows a man on the left of the bridge bent over to remove the planks for the passage of the sail, while behind him an ox-drawn wagon approaches from the south. Note how the roadway, future US-31, doesn't include the bridge. The oxen will pass through the low water alongside it.

Longtime resident and historian Ralph Hamilton recalled being told that schoolboys took a devilish delight in crossing this bridge from the north side and hoisting up the planks behind them should they be followed by female classmates, who screamed in fear they'd arrive late for classes (the school was on Antrim Street near Ole-son's). Off the boys trotted from the gaping hole in whoops of laughter, until someone on that side came along to shove the planks back into place and the indignant little ladies could cross and scurry on to school.

The summer of 1873 brought the first commercially contracted dredging of the channel, to a

width of 35 feet and a depth of 12 feet, for \$1,000. They began in July, reached the bridge in August, and had to remove the pilings to finish the job. Hence, no bridge. In August, the county Board of Supervisors met to discuss the feasibility of erecting a metal bridge, and did what all good bureaucrats do by appointing a committee to study the problem and report by the October session. The formula then proposed was for Charlevoix Township to bear 50 percent of the cost, the rest of the county the remainder, because Charlevoix had more taxable property. It was voted down.

By December, the situation was causing Willard Smith of the *Sentinel* no end of anxiety, and he pulled no punches in his disgust. "Dangerous - Those upon whom devolves the duty of highway repair are guilty of gross neglect leaving the old bridge in a shape which imperils the life of man and beast. No obstruction is placed across it and a stranger entering town on a dark night would be certain to precipitate himself into

the river. A narrow escape from such an accident occurred to a Cheboygan gentleman on Thursday night. Let the matter be attended to." It wasn't. For nine full months the span remained down, while the ferry rafts and scows carried everybody over the newly deep waters.

The same 50/50 proposal came up for a vote in February, and was defeated once more, probably by the Charlevoix Township advantage in voter numbers. The shipping season was fast approaching, the bureaucrats dithered in indecision, until pioneer businessman, mover and shaker Amos Fox, who had co-built the gigantic shipping dock off the north beach at the channel entrance nine years before, stepped forward with a proposal to build a wooden bridge for \$400. There was no argument now. Time was of the essence after the winter without a bridge. He began in April, 1874, and by May bridge #2 was up and running.

(Next: "Winches" and Tipplers Keep the Bridge Moving)

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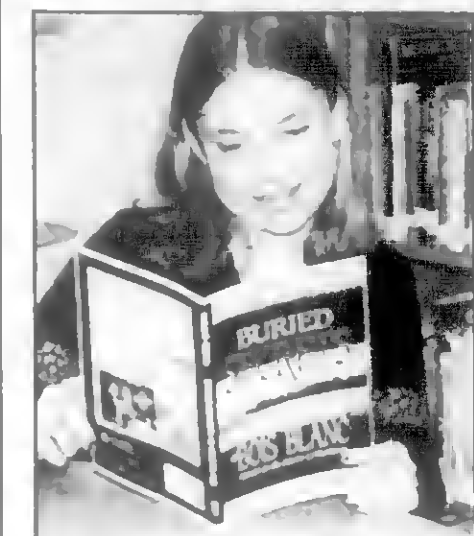
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Inside...

Young reviewer



A Michigan author liked the review of his book by a Charlevoix Middle School student so much, he included it on his book's jacket.

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Final night



This edition of the Charlevoix Courier contains the final regular feature of the monthly Northern Nights section.

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Rayder poster

Look inside this edition for our special pull-out poster commemorating the Charlevoix High School varsity basketball team's visit to the Breslin Center.

So close to victory....

Rayders **stopped in** **final game** **for title**

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports stringer

The future is already on the minds of the Charlevoix Basketball team, even moments after the Rayders' heartbreaking loss in the state finals to Kalamazoo Christian, 72-69.

"We'll be back," said Coach Keith Haske following the game.

The game was witnessed by 12,608 fans at the Jack Breslin Student Event Center on the campus of Michigan State University. The appearance in the finals was the first for Charlevoix since 1938 when they also fell to another Kalamazoo parochial school.

Going into the season, many thought this would be one for the young squad (only one senior starter) to gain experience and that next year would be the tournament run.

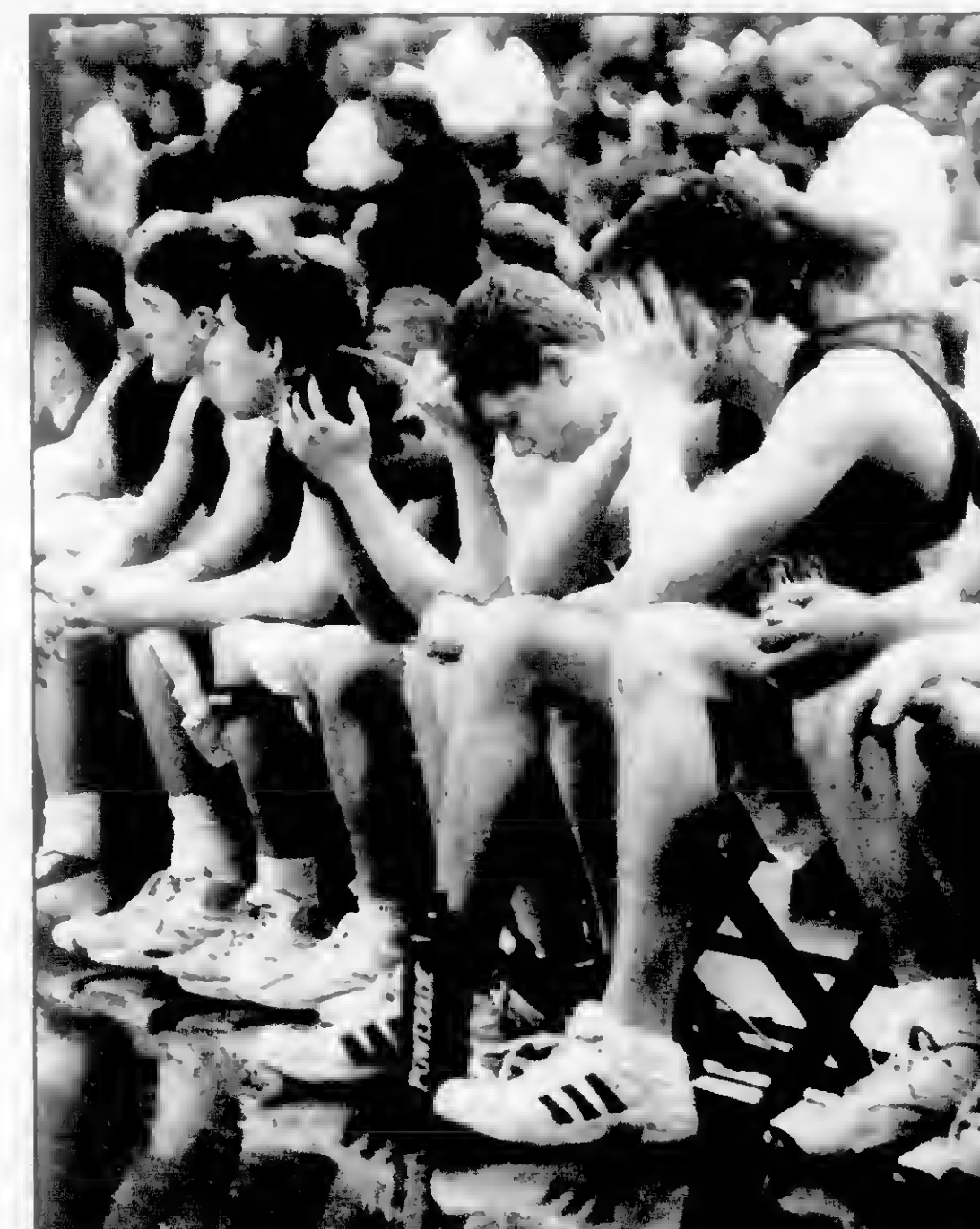
But these Rayders had a different idea.

Before the tournament, junior forward Scott Parrish said the team's goal was a state championship this year—and one again next year and as of Saturday, they came up just short.

The Rayders started off last week's play by beating the top-ranked St. Ignace, 75-71, in overtime on Tuesday for the quarterfinals and beat second-ranked Detroit St. Martin dePorres 83-74 on Thursday for the semifinals before their frenzied rally came up short in the finals.

When asked about all of the players he has returning, Haske said, "These are great kids, great student-athletes and they are great to be around. I look forward to just spending time with them as much as coming down here (to the final four)."

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(Left) The Charlevoix Rayders react to the realization that they are about to lose in the final game for the state championship in Class C March 24 at the Breslin Center in East Lansing. The team did take a Runner-up honor. (Below) They pose with their trophy after the game March 24. The Rayders are: (from left) assistant coach Bret Erskine, coach Keith Haske, Ryan Leitner, Dale Williams, Ryan Rafacz, Dennis Avery, Scott Parrish, Jim Shepherd, Patrick Gowell, Keith Daly, Shawn McDonough, assistant Matt Dennis, Rob Boss, Nate Teuscher, Jeremiah Teuscher, assistant Tim Volovsek and Doug Rieck. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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OPINIONS

The First Amendment
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What do you think about snowmobiles?

The responses are in from last month's "What Do You Think?"

The question was: What do you think about plans to expand the city marina? Nine people responded to this call for comments and every one of them did not support the expansion.

Therefore it seems clear from our little unscientific poll the city has its work cut out for it when it tries to convince the community this expansion is needed. The community just doesn't buy it at this point and basically considers this expansion nothing more than a Round Lake boat parking lot.

On to this month's question. While it is — supposedly — spring, many people in the community are still voicing their anger at an ordinance that allows snowmobiles to be driven within the city limits of Charlevoix.

Snowmobilers must stay on certain routes in the city and they can only operate their machines during certain times of the day. They may also ride their snowmobiles through the city in order to travel to a designated snowmobile trail outside of the city.

Proponents of this ordinance say by allowing the machines in town more potential shoppers will be downtown. They admit some violations of the ordinance has occurred, but this can be solved through further education.

What do you think?

I am for/against the snowmobile ordinance because:

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"What do you think?" results

Against

I am against this marina expansion because I oppose anything that significantly encroaches on the sailboat racing after Oct. 15. The plans I've seen move toward "Round Parking Lot," not a better Round Lake!
Ron Willey
Charlevoix

Against

There must be a public hearing on the proposed marina. The Charlevoix City Council and the city administration should listen carefully to the citizens of Charlevoix. Although development grants are sometimes tempting, they can be costly to quality of life and can create nuisance and safety problems. This decision is too important to be made behind closed doors. It should be made by the people who are affected the most, the residents of Charlevoix. Bigger is not always better.

Remember, keep your responses short. Tell us your opinion in no more than 250 words so we have room to publish everyone. And, stay on the subject please. If your response becomes a personal attack, we will edit it or just throw it out. Also, remember to sign your name to the response. We will not publish unsigned comments.

As was the case with the first topic, we will collect responses for this throughout the next month and they will be published in the last edition of the *Charlevoix Courier* for the month of April.

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Against

Why wouldn't Charlevoixans welcome with open arms the expansion of the Round Lake Marina? Aren't we already used to: 1) Scheduling trips that cross the bridge so any travel avoids the half-hour back-up traffic for blocks? 2) Having to leave early and/or arriving late for scheduled appointments when the bridge crossing is necessary and we get "caught?" 3) The clutter that already exists in our beautiful harbor. So what's wrong with twice as many boats? 4) Hearing friends and acquaintances say they avoid traveling through Charlevoix because of the current delays with traffic and constant bridge openings? 5) Forming lines with our boats on a busy sunny day so we can get out to enjoy Lake Michigan and Lake Charlevoix? 6) Giving and more giving! Our lake shores have already been sacrificed for condo buildings. What's the difference in giving up a little more of our natural beauty and quality of life? Come on Charlevoix friends and city officials! Is there any doubt? No problem in modernizing our exist-

ing docking facilities and improving our parks, but anything more.....
Dean Davenport
Charlevoix

Against

Regarding the DDA plans to increase dockage in our beautiful, natural harbor — Let's try to keep it priceless, as it is! When attending the summer concerts, we always remark how Charlevoix is the "most beautiful spot in the world!" We hear this same remark from the summer guests and tourists. Please don't spoil it, DDA. Increasing dockage means more boats, more people, more pollution and more crowding of our harbor! Just a suggestion, but maybe the boat visitors could throw anchors in Lake Charlevoix? "No wheels," you say — DDA could bus them downtown to spend their coins.

P.S. It would be really great if DDA could maybe help our city with improvement of the city roads — not downtown, but up town (northside and southside).
Mary M. Geiken
Charlevoix

Against

I am against this marina expansion because: 1) It will make Round Lake too crowded. 2) Private docks are not allowed to expand. 3) It will devalue property values in Round Lake. 4) Pollution and increased bridge openings. We do favor a limited expansion.

Bob and Sue Piesko
Harbour Club

Against

How can any citizen with a real love of our town let (the city) have the leverage to put the expensive docks in Round Lake. They are making our little New England-like town look like a boat parking lot. All the ambience of our view of the lake, as you drive through town, will be destroyed. We've lost the sailboats now. I see this town has three problems: 1) The bridge — This move will back the traffic back to Boyne City Road. 2) Lack of diversity in the kinds of stores in

town — also going out of business. 3) Parking — It's even bad off-season, let alone in the summer. When will these guys look at the real problems. I am sorry to say there is little hope for our future.

Shari Saunders
Charlevoix

(Editor's note: This letter was edited due to what we deemed was a personal attack on an individual.)

Against

I am concerned about an expanded marina downtown because it may detract from the beautiful scenery of Round Lake itself. To view Round Lake while strolling through downtown Charlevoix is breathtaking and never fails to excite me. What other place has a beautiful lake in the heart of town to enjoy while shopping. That is a big part of Charlevoix's uniqueness and why we are "Charlevoix the Beautiful."

If the boats extend into the lake, lessening the view of the lake itself, it would be an eyesore the same as the cement plant on our beautiful Lake Michigan shoreline. Many of us still remember that beautiful shoreline prior to the cement plant and the wonderful shoreline drive or walk to Bells Bay. To remove some of the beauty of Round Lake with an extended view of docked boats would be a sin.

Bennie von Hellens
Charlevoix

Against

I am against this marina expansion because this will further destroy the very reason people come here — the beauty of the area. When is enough, enough?
Judy Willey
Charlevoix

Against

The time has come for the economic exploitation of East Park to stop. Residents of Charlevoix rise up and demand a vote on the plan to change your park and the adjacent boat docks.
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March is the best month of the year for Charlevoix



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

I have been a year-round resident of Charlevoix for only about six years and I am still learning what I can about the glories of this place. I have learned enough to have a preference for certain months of the year, and I here admit that March is my favorite Charlevoix month.

I did not start out with a preference for March. I can still hear the grumbling voice of a colleague of many years in another life who would say at this time of year, "Don't make any important decisions in March." He had in mind what is called Seasonal Affective Disorder or sometimes cabin fever, although the tiny, cramped, cold, dark, smoky dwellings that produced that disease have long since been replaced by centrally heated, spacious, brightly lit, filtered air houses where we now spend the winter months in comfort unimaginable for generations ago.

The large part of my life lived in northern climates has not made me into one who enjoys the out-of-doors in winter. Skiing, skating, winter camping and such are not of paramount interest to me. My interest in them would have to be grown to be cursory. It's cold out there, and while the air may be crisp it is mostly not comfortable. My house is comfortable in the winter, and so are all the local watering holes.

March is that first time for months when the sun has some force. And even if the air be cold, a sheltered sunny spot is almost always summery. March is that month when daffodils begin to push green shoots into the warming air.

March is the month when Skunk Cabbage is in full bloom. March is that month when tree and bush buds are noticeably bigger. March is that month when sap begins to push out of my maple tree and the annual quest for maple syrup can begin.

March is that month when you can splash in puddles, listen to water running and watch the lawn reappear. March is that month when spring officially begins. March is the month that has a few strolling shoppers on our downtown sidewalks during the sunny hours.

It is not only the growing biological promises of March that lift it to the top of my list. A few days ago I went for a late dinner at one of our fine local restaurants (I won't mention the name). Three of us had the entire staff and facility for ours alone. That's right, no one else was there. But the kitchen was in fine form and the wait-staff was extraordinarily attentive and very relaxed. This does not happen during other, less-favored months of the year.

I do not suspect that Charlevoix will become a spring-break destination, and there will never be a flood of people who enjoy March as I do. But maybe we could convince a few of those who live in less beautiful places that March is when it's at.

To those who say at this time of year, "I have had it with the cold and gloom. I am leaving for sunnier places until all signs of winter have passed." My response will be, "Look around you. This marvelous place on this pleasant peninsula is magnificent year-round and March is as good as it gets."

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Letters to the editor

Action on student was wrong

Editor:

My 17-year-old son, Nate Zukowski, was found innocent of selling marijuana to a ninth grader at Charlevoix High School. The jury took less than an hour to bring back a not-guilty verdict. This case, however, should have never been brought to trial at taxpayer's expense. It illustrates an abuse of power by school administrators and law enforcement officials. Nate has been forced to pay a high price because of it.

For the past three months, Nate has had the threat of a prison sentence hanging over him for a crime he did not commit. Instead of worrying about getting his homework done or who to take to the next school dance, he had to defend himself against people who assumed he was guilty just because he was accused.

The only "evidence" in this case was the word of one scared ninth grader who got caught with marijuana in school. Officials demanded the ninth grader give up a name to make things easier on himself. The ninth grader later tried to say Nate didn't sell to him. He was then interrogated until he changed his story back to implicate Nate. At the trial, the ninth grader stated he regularly bought marijuana at school, but never from Nate. Three other students testified that Nate was not with the ninth grader during lunch when the sale supposedly took place. Perhaps officials were hoping to use this case as an example to "prove" to the public that they have "cleaned up" the drug problem at Charlevoix High School. What I don't understand is how they can so callously disrupt and disregard the life of a 17-year-old boy who was doing well in school and has no criminal record. In their zealotry to try to make an example of Nate, they have let the guilty party off the hook, who is still out there.

Even though Nate's name has been cleared legally, he is still paying a big price. The ninth grader caught with the marijuana was suspended from school for three days. Nate, on the other hand, was suspended permanently and expulsion procedures were started. The school board would have to approve expulsion, but how fair of a hearing would that have been when the Chief of Police — who was also the arresting officer — is also on the school board! Nate's only choice was to enroll in the Hemingway Alternative School in Boyne Falls in order to graduate on time and proceed with his plans to attend college this fall. It was a difficult decision. He has been cut off from teachers he knows and respects and friends he has gone to school with for years. He will not be able to participate in graduation ceremonies with his class.

Drugs are a serious problem in our society and they certainly need to be kept out of our schools. But, in the process, do we want our schools run in such a way that a simple accusation of wrong-doing is all the "proof" necessary to throw a student out of school and have him/her arrested? How would you feel if this happened to

your son or daughter? I believe this case has set a dangerous and counterproductive precedent.

P.S. I would like to thank the staff and teachers at the Hemingway school. With their help and support, Nate was able to complete the necessary requirements to graduate.

Ann Zukowski
Charlevoix

Congratulations

Editor:

An open letter to the Charlevoix High School basketball team:

On behalf of the community of Boyne City Public Schools and the All School Boosters, we would like to congratulate you on your championship season. Playing for the state championship is a fantastic accomplishment; the memories of a championship run will stick with your students, parents and community for a lifetime. Thank you for representing the Lake Michigan Conference and making us all proud! In Boyne country we are proud of your efforts. A proud Rambler cheer for the Rayders!

Steven M. Beyer
Athletic Director
Boyne City High School

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City to increase hangar fees despite protests

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Even after hearing public comment from local pilots opposing further increases in their monthly hangar rental rate on March 19, the Charlevoix City Council approved the increase.

"My feeling is that we (the city) have an asset out there that we can charge for and we should charge the market price," city manager Mike Wiesner said.

He explained that he sees no reason for taxpayer dollars to subsidize expenses at the local airport when a city-owned building at the site is bringing in revenue below its market worth.

The issue stems from an agree-

ment the city made with hangar renters back in the early 1970s when a group of airplane owners approached the city requesting their permission to build hangars at the site of the airport, city-owned land.

The city entered into an agreement with the private individuals. The contract said if the users paid 100 percent of the facility's construction costs they could use the hangar free of charge for 20 years.

The contract further stipulated that after the 20 year period expired, the hangars would become the property of the city.

Two decades of free use expired in September of 1995 at which time Wiesner conducted a survey of comparable area hangars. He found

that the market rental rate was \$125 per month, per hangar. The Charlevoix facility has 10 hangars.

Don Seelye who has used the hangar facility since it was built in the early 1970s told council that when they built the facility they used top-of-the-line design and materials. He argued that because of the hangar's high quality as opposed to being a pole barn, the less expensive alternative, they should enjoy a continued price break.

Some members of council inquired as to whether or not the hangar users who were part of the original contract could continue at the old rate of \$115 per month.

Wiesner brought to council's attention that the city has other existing agreements, similar to the con-

tract once held with the renters. He was concerned that by making an exception in the case of hangar rental fees the city may "set precedent" and be asked to make similar exceptions in the future.

Council ultimately decided that the price break was not in the best interest of the city and subsequently set the monthly hangar rental rate for the next three years at \$125.

Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING
PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT
CHARLEVOIX CITY PLANNING COMMISSION
City Hall, 210 State Street
April 16, 2001 -- 6:00 p.m.

Reference: A zoning ordinance amendment which provides for a rezoning change from "R-1" Single Family Residential to "R-2" Single Family Residential

Applicant: Country Days
Ed Amick, Lakeside Realtors
105 East Clinton Street
Charlevoix, MI 49720

Lazer Construction
Larry Shawn
615 Bay Street
Potoskey, MI 49770

The City Planning Commission will meet to consider an ordinance which in summary amends the zoning classification of the lots which are commonly known as the "Shadko property" located at 615 and 621 Petoskey Avenue from "R-1" Single Family Residential to "R-2" Single Family Residential.

The proposed rezoning application may be viewed at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's office at City Hall during office hours. Oral and written comments from the general public are welcome.

The abbreviated legal description is attached:

Exhibit A
Legal Description
March 19, 2001

123-052

Beginning at a point 1967.5 feet West and 330 feet South of the Quarter post between sections twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24); thence south five hundred forty-four (544) feet to the centerline of Petoskey Avenue, otherwise known as the Emmet and Grand Traverse State Road; thence Southwesterly along the centerline of Petoskey Avenue 252.45 feet; thence North 629.6 feet; thence east 242.44 feet to beginning being a part of North Half of Southeast Quarter, Section 23, Township 34 North, Range 8 West

123-058

Commencing 1805 - 7/8 feet West of the quarter post between Sections 23 and 24, Township 34 North of Range 8 West and 330 feet South of the east and west 1/4 line of said section; thence South 483 - 1/4 feet to the center of Petoskey Avenue, City of Charlevoix; thence Southwesterly along center of said Avenue 168.3 feet; thence North 544 feet to a point due West of place of beginning; thence East to the place of beginning, being a part of N 1/2 of SE 1/4, Section 23, in Township 34 North of Range 8 West.

123-054

Beginning on the East and West quarter line of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West, 1981 feet West of the East quarter corner of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West; thence South 330 feet; thence West 263.2 feet, more or less, to a point 130 feet East of the East line of Meech Street; thence North parallel with said Meech Street 330 feet to said quarter line; thence East on said quarter line 263.2 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning; being a part of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West. The above described land is subject to the right of way of Division Street along its North boundary. The aforesaid East line of Meech Street being established as intersecting said Quarter line at a point 2374.2 feet West of said East Quarter post.

123-053

Commencing at a point 1849 feet West of the Quarter Post between Sections 23 and 24, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; thence South 330 feet; thence West 132 feet; thence North 330 feet; thence East along the center line of Division Street 132 feet to the place of beginning; and being a part of the West Half (W 1/2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of said Section 23, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; SUBJECT to the right of way of Division Street.

Gerry Harsch, City Planner

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Ken Winter named new publisher for Courier

The Kirk Schaller family has named Ken Winter as the publisher of the Charlevoix Courier and the Petoskey News-Review. The post was effective Monday.



Ken
Winter

News-Review as well.

"This is something I never anticipated, but I'm honored to help the Schaller family maintain its long tradition of excellent community newspapering," Winter said.

Winter was general manager of the Charlevoix Courier for the past 17 years, and was elected president of the Michigan

Press Association at the annual meeting in Grand Rapids in January.

Winter, 50, is a Michigania through and through, having grown up in Lansing, attending Adrian College, and graduating with honors in journalism from Michigan State University. He also attended the University of Michigan on a National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship for Journalists.

He started his career at the Lansing State Journal, as a 14-year-old youth writer and then reporter. He joined the Petoskey News-Review staff in 1973, and in 1974 became editor of the Charlevoix Courier, also owned by the Schaller family.

He returned to the News-Review in 1976, serving in management positions since that time. He became general manager of both newspapers in 1979.

Winter served two times as a jurist for the Pulitzer Prizes and has received numerous state and

national journalism awards.

In addition to his work on the board of MPA since 1991, he is a past president of the Michigan Associated Press Editorial Association and is a member of the American Society of Newspaper Editors, where he serves on the Small Newspaper Committee.

He is a member of the Michigan State University Journalism Professional Advisory Council.

Winter is involved in civic activities in the community, and has served on the board and as president of the Kiwanis Club of Petoskey, president of the United Way of Emmet County, board member and vice president of the Crooked Tree Arts Council, trustee and former chair of the Little Traverse Conservancy and treasurer and board member of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

Winter and his wife, Ginger, live in Petoskey. He has a son, Michael, who is a student at Petoskey High School.

Band takes state honors at Big Rapids festival

The Northwest Academy Music Department competed in eight events at the State Solo and Ensemble festival in Big Rapids March 24.

The group received superior ratings in six of the eight events while the remaining two received excellent ratings.

Proficiency 1 is a solo category open to sophomores — students must perform scales by, memory and sight read in addition to performing the piece they prepared. Sophomore Carolyn Bellairs received an 86 percent in this category and her twin sister Rachel received 94 percent.

CJ Toton also received an excellent rating in Proficiency 1 for his solo performance on baritone.

Rachel Bellairs was also nominated to the Michigan Youth Arts Festival

which features outstanding soloists from throughout the state.

Joe Sievertson earned a superior rating on Alto Sax as a ninth grade solo entry.

A flute duet performed by Carolyn Bellairs and Kristy Trudeau received an excellent rating.

The trumpet trio, the brass sextet and the sax quartet all received superior ratings.

Northwest band director Gary Stutzman said, "These students all represent the best young musicians throughout the state of Michigan. They are very dedicated to their instruments and to music in general."

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Obituaries

Alisha Jewel Johnson: Sept. 25, 1981 - March 25, 2001

Alisha Jewel Johnson, 19, of Boyne City and formerly of Charlevoix, died March 25, 2001, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

A funeral service will be 11 a.m., Thursday at the Community Church of God Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Neil Turner and Ray Ard will officiate.

A burial will take place in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Alisha was born on Sept. 25, 1981, in Charlevoix, the daughter of Connie Whitley. She was raised and attended school in Charlevoix, gradu-

ating with the class of 2000.

Alisha worked at Olesons in Charlevoix for two years before joining the staff of Northern Michigan Hospital in the Day Care, where she enjoyed working with the young children.

In high school Alisha participated in the band and was on the ski team. She also was a member of the Charlevoix 4-H Market livestock and showed horses.

In her spare time she enjoyed playing piano.

Survivors include her parents, Mark G. and Connie L. Johnson; one

brother, Chad A. Johnson all of Charlevoix; fiancé, Nick Carrow of Boyne City; paternal grandparents, Gladys and Graham Johnson of Mayville; maternal grandparents, Stanley and Patricia Whitley of Charlevoix; biological father, Jesse Salinas of East Jordan; several half brothers and sisters, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alisha Johnson Memorial Ski Scholarship Fund. Envelopes are available at the Winchester Funeral Home where friends may call from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m., today.

Dianna G. Raginia: June 18, 1940 - March 20, 2001

Dianna G. Raginia, 60, a resident of Charlevoix from 1980 to 2000, died March 20 at Providence Hospital in Mobile, Ala.

She was born June 18, 1940 in Detroit.

Mrs. Raginia was a homemaker and owned the Fireside Inn from 1980 to 1987.

She is survived by her chil-

dren, Patricia (Mitchell) Toth of Algonac, Carolyn Raginia of Chicago, Ill., James (Kimberley) Raginia of Brighton and Susan (Peter) Picard of Chicago, Ill.; brothers, Dennis (Fran) Pasternak of Pittsburgh, Penn. and Michael Pasternak of Roseville; grandchildren, Ian Raginia and Gabrielle Picard.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Marion.

A funeral service was given on March 24 in Gendernalik Funeral Home, Inc., New Baltimore. Memorial contributions may be made to Karmanos Cancer Institute, 30464 Twenty-three Mile Road, New Baltimore, MI 48047.

Kathryn E. Oless: Died Feb. 23, 2001

Kathryn E. (Clark) Oless, 66, died at home in Phoenix, Ariz. on Feb. 23, 2001.

Kate was the daughter of Albert and Margaret Clark of Charlevoix who preceded her in

death along with her brother Albert Clark Jr.

She is survived by her children: Robert Oless, Chris Oless, Jacqueline Niles and Debbie Ludwigton; brother, Robert N. Clark

of Penrose, Colo.; sister-in-law Fern Clark (Albert Jr.) of Charlevoix and nephew Michael; and six grandchildren, Amie, Joshua, Eric, Brandon, Sean and Mikey.

Marguerite Laske: Dec. 24, 1921 - March 16, 2001

Marguerite Laske, 79, of Petoskey, died March 16, 2001 at Bortz Health Care of Petoskey.

A memorial service was 11 a.m. March 21 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

The Reverend John Tupper of St. Francis Xavier in Petoskey officiated. Interment will be at Fort Custer National Cemetery in Augusta, Mich. Marguerite was born on Dec. 24, 1921 in Detroit, the daughter of Joseph and Frances (Zech) Nico-

lai.

On May 30, 1937 she married Steve T. Laske in Bowling Green, Ohio. He preceded her in death on Jan. 30, 2001.

Marguerite spent her life doing what she loved most, being a wife to Steve, a mother to her 10 children, grandmother and great grandmother. She felt she was truly blessed by her family.

She was a member of St. Francis Xavier Church.

Survivors include nine children, Steve, Larry, Tom, Jim, Phil, Joe, Vicky, Mike and Michelle; 32 grandchildren; 25 great grandchildren; two brothers, Joe and George; one sister, Mary.

She was also preceded in death by a daughter, Kathy.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Envelopes are available at the Winchester Funeral Home.

Paxton Lee Warner: April 29, 1947 - March 18, 2001

Paxton Lee "Packy" Warner, 53, died March 18, 2001 at Marin General Hospital in San Anselmo, Calif.

A funeral service was March 23 at the United Methodist Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Todd Thompson officiated.

A burial took place at Barnard Cemetery.

He was born on April 29, 1947 the son of Millard and Marjorie J. (Smith) Taylor. Millard died in 1948. Following his death, Marjorie married Harley Warner who adopt-

ed Paxton as his son.

Packy was raised in the Charlevoix area and attended Charlevoix High School. Following high school he left for the US Navy where he served in Vietnam.

He moved to California in his 20s where he worked as a maintenance supervisor with the Headlands Government Environmental Center. He then became facilities manager at Wildcare in San Raphael.

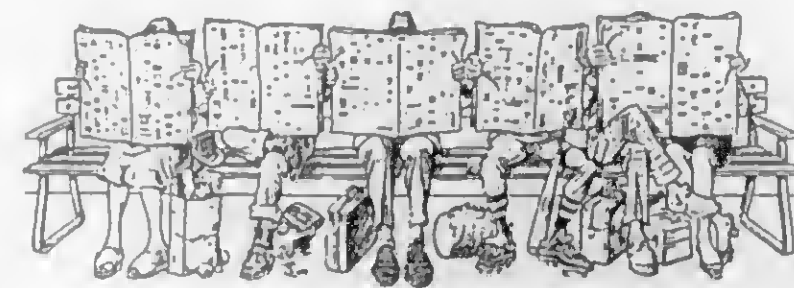
He served on the board of directors of the San Anselmo Children's Resource Center and was past pres-

ident of Concerned Citizens of Marin County.

Survivors include his son, Nicky Warner; foster son, Russell Case; mother, Marjorie Warner; two brothers, Stanley (Sue) Warner of Spring Lake and Robert (Julie) Warner of Myrtle Beach, S.C.; one sister, Dawn LaJoie of Leigh, Fla.; several aunts, uncles and nine nieces. Special friends Thelma and Fran Zukerman and Packy's girlfriend, Suzie Olivin.

Visitation will take place at the Winchester Funeral Home.

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Pastor: Duane Nelson	547-5711	Sunday School	10:15 a.m.
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Reverend: Neil Turner		Worship	11:00 a.m.
COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH of Charlevoix Petoskey Avenue		Sunday Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Morning Worship	9:00 a.m.	Interim Pastor: Joe Norris	547-6283
Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.		
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH South Bridge Street	
Pastor: Larry Grooters	547-9482 or -2509	Saturday Night Mass	5:30 p.m.
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Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Masses	8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Father Tom Neis	547-6652
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.		
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Students extend study of language to actual country

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

How many times have you said "this year I'm going to take a trip to Europe?" But when vacation time comes either your bank account is tapped or you've got other things to take care of.

Well, 14 French speaking students from the Charlevoix High School can cross the "what if I took that trip to Europe" thought off their list of possible to-dos.

At 7 p.m. March 26, 13 juniors

and one senior, a couple of whom have never flown, accompanied by their teacher Susan Kessler and French speaking chaperone Melissa Marchand, flew out of Traverse City airport en route to la belle France.

For the first week of the trip they are touring Paris and other surrounding points of interest and then they are off to Switzerland for a second week of exploration.

While in Switzerland they will stay with Swiss families in Geneva, the center of the French

speaking region of the country.

The program is designed by Intercultural Student Experiences, a touring company based in Minneapolis, Minn.

Kessler explained that the touring company specializes in total language immersion travel which she considers to be a valuable learning tool.

"Primarily, I think the students will take away a much richer understanding of the French culture. Their language skills will also be elevated to such a degree that we

couldn't equal with classroom exposure. It will be a magical learning experience," Kessler said.

Prior to embarking on the European exploration the touring company sent information about sites that the students will tour and other relevant materials to help them prepare for their adventure.

The students left armed with three years of French instruction and according to Kessler should return with a better understand-

ing of the cultural basis of the language.

After returning Kessler said there will be plenty of stories to tell. They'll share their experiences in presentations equipped with photos.

The trip cost each student \$1,700 which includes; round-trip airfare, accommodations while in Paris and any scheduled tours. Additional spending money was left up to them. Some of the money for the trip was raised through fund-raisers.



These students are headed to France. (Front, from left) Kathryn Ricks, Elissa Wood, teacher Susan Kessler, Andy Gels, (middle) Adrienne Winchester, Betsy Tebeau, Lesley Pollar, Anastasia Soullier, Jenni Liotta, (back) Stephanie Dickinson, Kate Madison, Krista Swenor and Megan Richards. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE Charlevoix City Planning Commission April 16, 2001 -- 6:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 16, 2001 at 6:00 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room of City Hall, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 to receive public input to discuss a proposed ordinance which amends Chapter 51, Article X, Board of Appeals, Section 5.256 (6) of the City Code. The amendment will permit the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant a six month extension for the start of the project construction.

A complete copy of the proposed language is available at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's Office.

Interested citizens can make comments at the public hearing or written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, Michigan.

Gerry Harsch, City Planner

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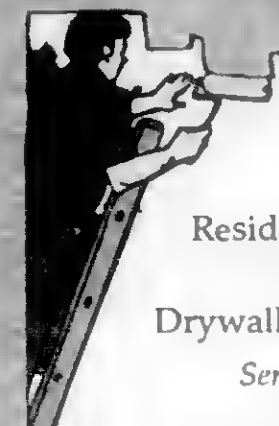
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Captain signs off WKHQ

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After 20 years with WKHQ "The Captain," Bill Vogel, and Charlevoix resident, has bid adieu to his loyal morning show listeners, sitting a breach in contract as the reason for his dismissal.

"Forever and ever get the heck out of bed," he said in an interview last week, just before he left for vacation in Florida.

Vogel said he was ready for a break after a disheartening contract dispute with his former employer, WKHQ owner Trish McDonald-Garbar that ended his 20 year term as the "Captain" at the WKHQ radio station.

When asked about the matter, McDonald-Garbar said, "It's a personnel issue."

Vogel explained that he signed on with the Charlevoix based Michigan

Talk Radio Network which made its debut in January. However, McDonald-Garbar, was opposed to him taking on the position network.

Vogel said that because of this opposition it was very difficult for him to do both.

The issue that ended the captain's double decade stay at WKHQ comes down to what is called a non-compete contract. The clause is used to prevent an employee from functioning as a competitor to their current employer, either as a freelance agent or with another firm.

Vogel said he signed a non-compete clause when he took the job with WKHQ.

In Vogel's case, the clause labels his work with the talk radio network as him working for WKHQ's competition.

As a result of pending litigation Vogel won't be heard on his usual WKHQ or WLXT in this neck of the

woods, but listeners in Grand Rapids, Flint and Iron Mountain are all tuning in.

The talk radio network's northwest Michigan stations, including those in the local listening area don't carry the captain's show. He said that in this area, the show "is blacked out..."

In his new post with the Charlevoix based network Vogel is no longer getting listeners "the heck out of bed" but he is offering an afternoon boost from 3 p.m. to 7.

He said, "It has been a great ride in the morning. I guess I'm just getting too old to get up that early."

According to Vogel, the content afternoon listeners are hearing includes, "nothing serious" but he and his co-hosts do discuss odd topical happenings.

He said that listeners in the Charlevoix area can look forward to hearing his line-up "at the very least in the fall."



Ragamuffin performs

A play put on by the Ragamuffin Theatre Troupe this weekend was a big success. The play, For Such A Time As This, is based on a true story. (Right) Marvin Witthoef, playing Demitris and (left) Tyvin Whittaker, playing Rio, in Act New Beginnings. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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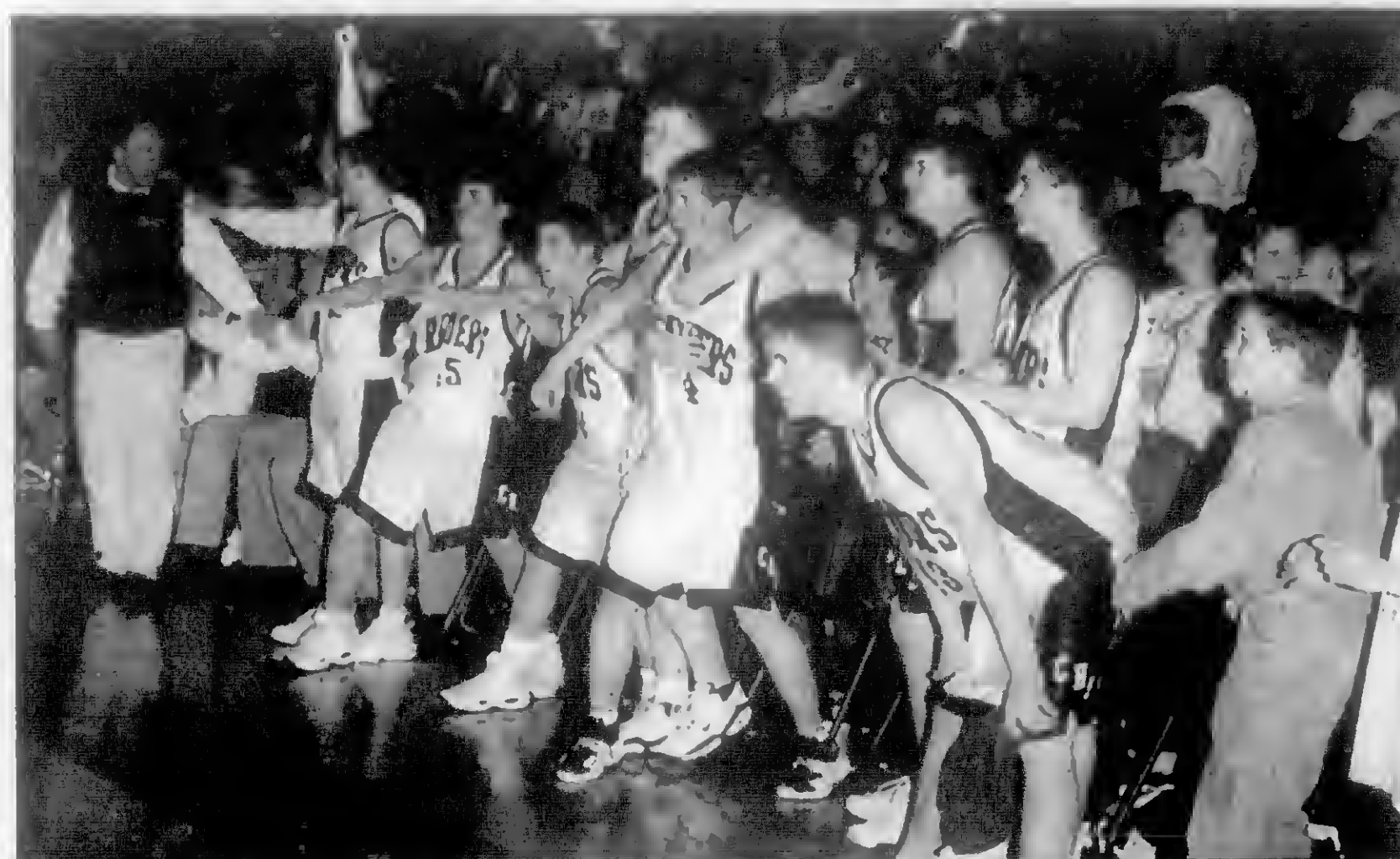
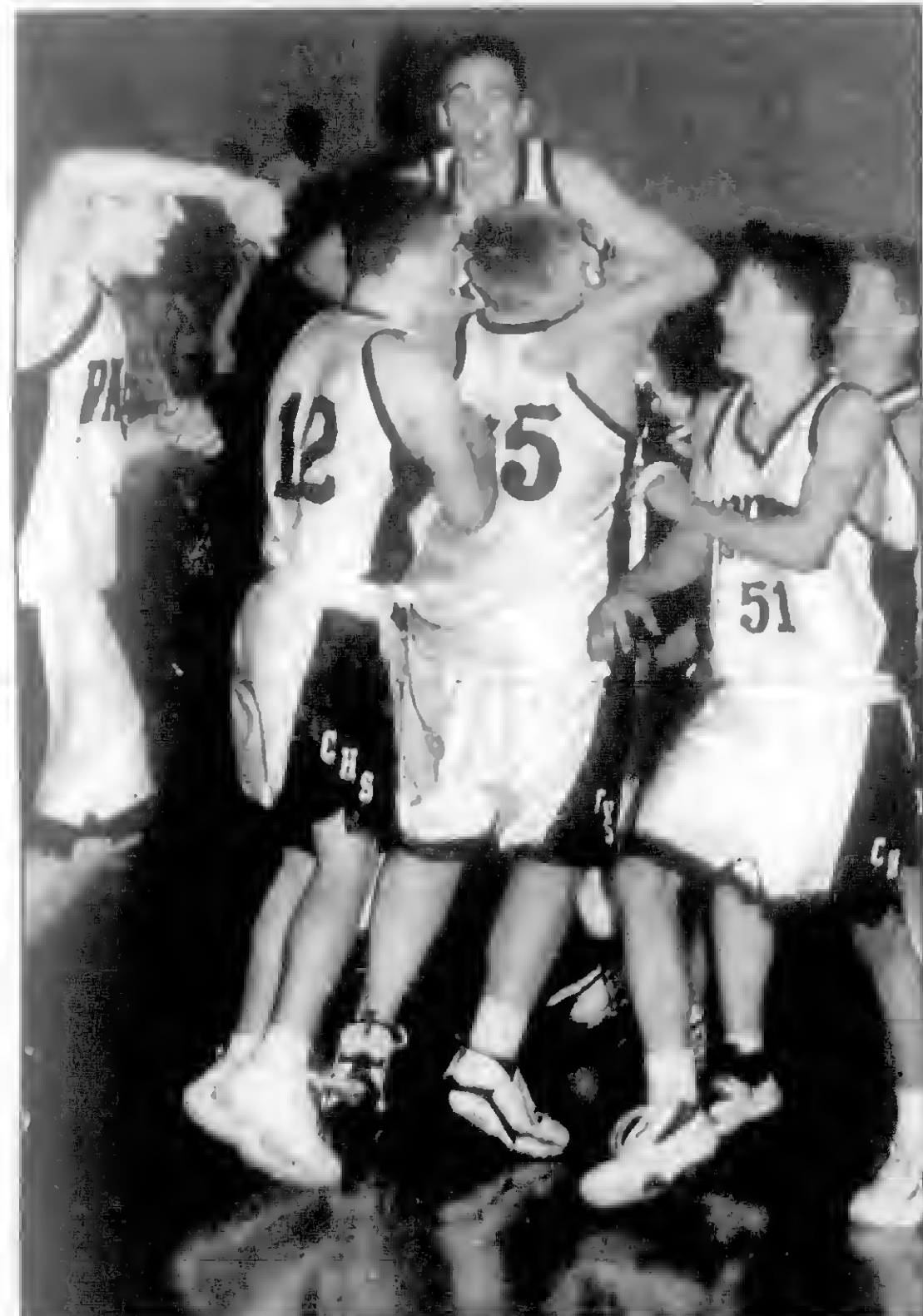
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The Quarterfinals

The Rayders road to the state final started with their quarterfinal win over St. Ignace March 20 in Traverse City. (Below) The team celebrates after the victory. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



(Left) Jim Shepherd takes to the air for two points in the game against St. Ignace. Shepherd went on to tie a state record with his three point shooting in the semifinal game. (Above) The Rayders react to the realization that they are going to be going on to the semi finals in East Lansing. (Right) Rob Boss shouts his support to his fellow teammates. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



The Rayders found lots of hometown support while in East Lansing. (Left) The Charlevoix crowd screams its support. (Upper left) Ryan Leitner encourages the crowd during a timeout. (Above) A Charlevoix cheerleader helps get the crowd fired up for the game. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



To the Breslin....

The Rayders went on to the semifinal game at the Breslin Center in East Lansing, where they beat all odds and won, sending them to the final dance. (Below) Rob Boss, Jeremiah Teuscher and Scott Parrish celebrate a good play. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



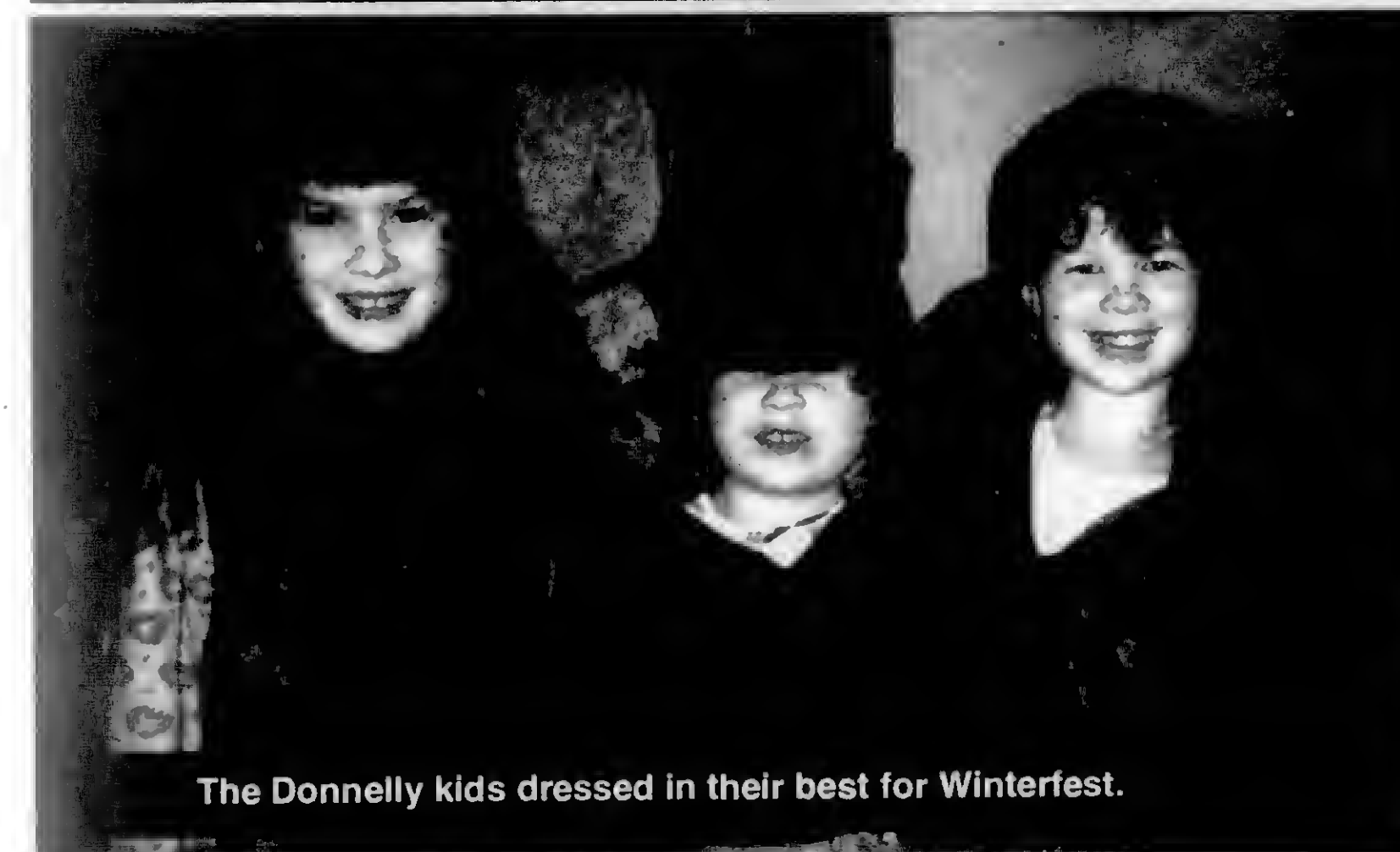
NORTHERN NIGHTS



A young Charlevoix fan down at the Breslin Center having the time of her life.



Krystal Brannon-Bales' birthday party on Jan. 26.



The Donnelly kids dressed in their best for Winterfest.



St. Mary's fourth grade class made baby gift baskets for the Charlevoix hospital for Catholic School Week



Molly Arnold, of the Winterfest Court, with her cousins, Caitlin and Allison Donnelly

From the Editor: As of this edition of the *Charlevoix Courier*, we will no longer be featuring the monthly "Northern Nights" page due to a lack of submissions from readers on a regular basis. This section may be published again at various times throughout the year based on the number of submissions for it from readers. Sometimes new ideas work, and sometimes they don't. We would like to thank everyone who has contributed to this page in the past.

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SPORTS

Rayders are state runner-up

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In the finals, the Rayders jumped out to a 5-2 lead early but fell behind with 4:01 left in the quarter. Charlevoix would never lead again in the game. Blown assignments on the Rayder press and missed switches on defense led to five first quarter layups for the Comets of Kalamazoo Christian.

At the same time, Charlevoix had open looks but couldn't convert, shooting only 25 percent in the first quarter. Christian hit at a 70 percent clip, racing to a 16-9 lead.

In the second quarter, the Rayders heated up a bit more, but the Comets continued their torrid pace, with six more layups, leaving for the half with a 33-24 advantage. The closest Charlevoix came in the second was five at 16-11 and 29-24.

The third quarter proved to be the Rayders' downfall as the Comets extended their lead to 50-34 with only 1:36 left in the stanza. Scott Parrish and Ryan Rafacz both converted layups for the Rayders in the final minute of the period to bring the Rayders to within 12.

With the over 2,000 Charlevoix fans in attendance on their feet and screaming, the Rayders made one final run.

At the 4:56 mark, the Comets

clung to a 58-49 lead. Parrish scored on a feed from Nate Teuscher to cut the lead to seven. Seconds later, Jeremiah Teuscher was fouled and hit one of two, cutting the lead to six at 58-52.

Following two Kalamazoo free throws, Rob Boss converted a three-point play inside and the noise was deafening as the Rayders stormed to within five at 60-55 with only 3:53 to play.

Following a TV timeout, the Comets missed the front end of a one-and-one. Jim Shepherd continued his shooting magic with a deep three-ball cutting the lead to only two. On the boxout, Boss was bodyslammed by a Christian player and went to the line with a chance to tie the game.

All season long, Charlevoix has worn teams out in the second half and it looked like this day in the Breslin would be no exception.

Boss made one of two to cut it to one with 3:38 to go. Following two Comet free throws, Pat Gowell just missed a three-pointer that would have tied it. The next trip down the court, in a pivotal call, Boss appeared to take a charge but the referee saw it differently and whistled Boss for the block, sending Christian to the line where they converted one of two.

In the last two minutes of the game, the Rayders were forced to foul and the Comets converted sev-

en of eight free throws to preserve the win.

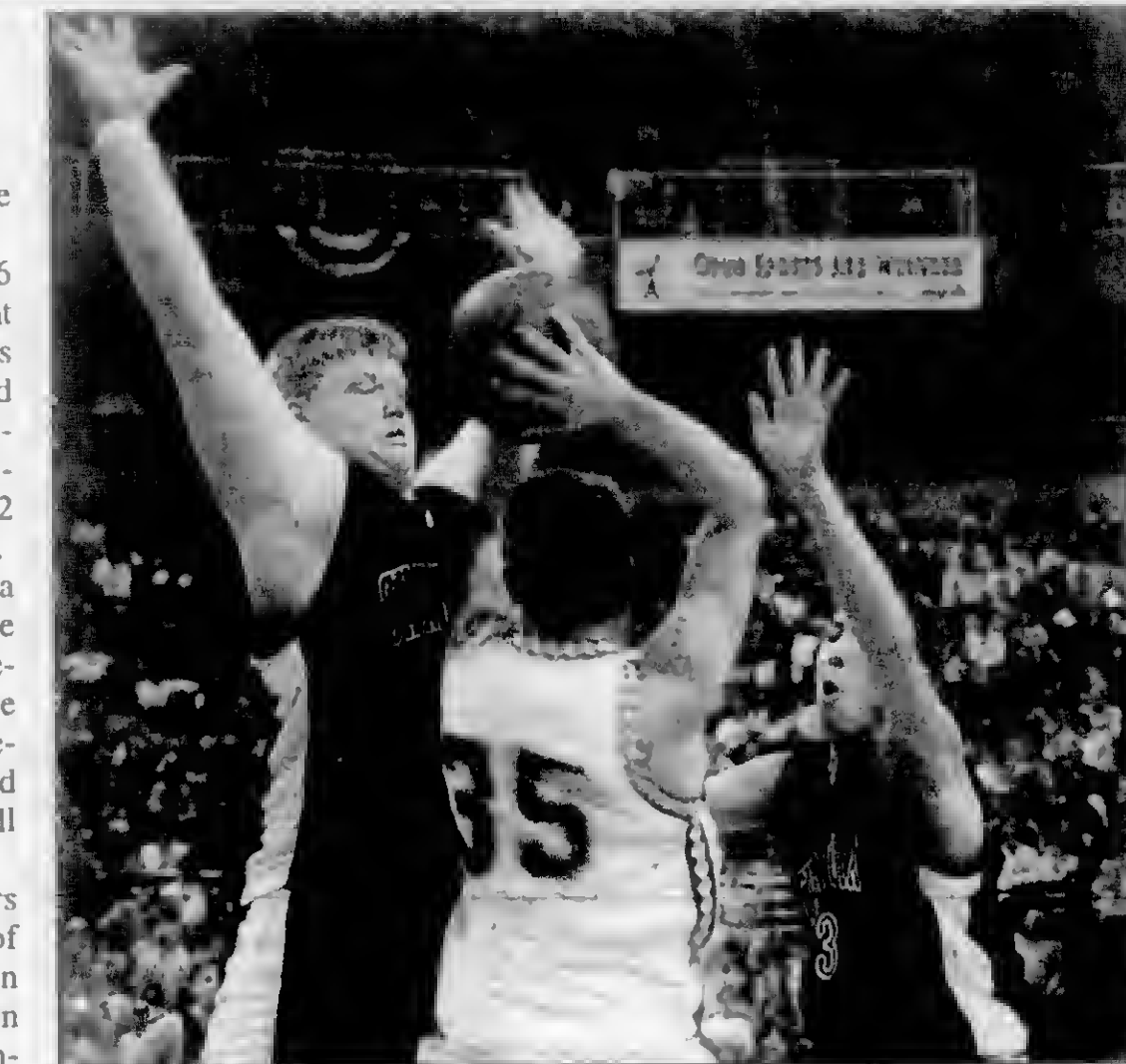
Parrish paced Charlevoix with 26 points. Shepherd added 20 on eight for 14 shooting. Boss had 10 points and seven rebounds. Gowell had five points, five assists, three rebounds and three steals. The Rayders forced 21 turnovers to only 12 of their own but couldn't capitalize.

"I think that if we shot the ball a tad bit better, we're the state champs right now," Haske told reporters after the game. "Maybe we were a little too hyped up at the beginning. We got open looks and missed shots we've been hitting all year long."

In the semifinals, the Rayders played perhaps their best game of the season, beating tradition-laden dePorres. The Eagles have been frequent visitors to the finals, winning championships most recently in 1996, 1998 and 1999. They bowed out in the semifinals in 2000.

Shepherd led the way with a record-setting day, hitting on 8 of 11 from three-point land, tying a state record for most three-pointers made in a quarterfinal, semifinal or final game in any class. With his four for seven from beyond the arc in the finals, he also tied a state record for most three-pointers made in semifinal and final games combined.

The Rayders trailed 39-32 at the half and rallied late. Charlevoix



Rayder defenders try to stop Kalamazoo from running down the court. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

pulled to within one at the end of the third quarter and took a 57-56 lead on two free throws by Jeremiah Teuscher with 5:43 to go.

Free throw shooting was the key down the stretch. The Rayders were a perfect 14 for 14 in the fourth period, including eight for eight by Jeremiah Teuscher, who scored 14 himself in the quarter.

Charlevoix hit at an 82 percent clip from the floor in a near-perfect

final eight minutes.

Shepherd led the Rayders with 26 points. Parrish had 22 points, eight boards, five assists and three blocks. Jeremiah Teuscher finished with 16 points. Gowell added 11, dishing out six assists.

After the game Parrish said, "We've been playing together since seventh grade and it's always been our dream and our goal, to win a state championship."

Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT CHARLEVOIX CITY PLANNING COMMISSION City Hall, 210 State Street April 16, 2001 - 6:00 p.m.

Reference: A zoning ordinance amendment which provides for a rezoning change from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

Applicant: Robert L. Hoffman
103 Belvedere Avenue
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

The City Planning Commission will meet to consider an ordinance which in summary amends the zoning classification of 103 Belvedere Avenue from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

The proposed rezoning application may be viewed at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's office at City Hall during office hours. Oral and written comments from the general public are welcome.

The abbreviated legal description is as follows:

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Wolohan Lumber	26	14	W	Paul Bunyan Lanes	21	31	W	Don's IGA	19	33	W	Conville Pischner	441	157	31	17			
South Down Cement	25	14	L	Hayes Legal Crew	14	38	L	Tina Houghton	441	157	31	John	30	18					
Top Rank Disposal	24	16	L	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				A Touch of Spring				Young At Hearts March 8, 2001							
Mark White Paint & Stain	22	27	L	SeriesGame	29	15	W	Frames & Photos	23	21	W	Herboldsheimer	29	19					
Central Drug Store	18	22	L	Suzanne Johnson	207	27	L	Eaton Electric	23	21	L	Horton	29	19					
White Boyz II	16	24	L	Elaine McDonald	540	200	W	Central Drug Store	16	28	W	Bowman	27.5	20.5					
State Farm	13	27	L	Mary O'Brien	534	198	W	Bullfrog Light Co.	0	44	L	O'Leary	27	21					
Team 8	0	40	L	Marlene Evans	530	198	L	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Funny Four							
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Monday Madness March 19, 2001				SeriesGame				3 Guys & 1 Gal							
Jeff Campbell	622	259	W	SeriesGame	582	224	W	Billy Grody	582	224	W	Corbett	22	26					
Dave Hoyt	636	230	L	Paul Bunyan Lanes	391	179	L	Mary Latnes	514	182	L	Mason	16	32					
Darrel VanLoon	232	232	L	Ezinga Country Crafts	313	257	W	Jessica Johnson	466	171	W	Mettler	13.5	34.5					
Mark Grzesiak	623	232	L	Bogart Roofing	310	260	L	Irish Rollers	21	27	L	LaVake	13	35					
Gutter Gals March 15, 2001				Big Girls Enterprises	288	284	L	Misfits	17	31	W	Team 16	0	48					
SeriesGame				Buzzy Bees	280	290	W	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES							
Legs & Co. Hair Design				280	290	W	Chet Otamianowski	197	SeriesGame				SeriesGame						
Argonne Supper Club				254	316	W	Jim Bowman	521	192	Scott Mackinder				612	238				
Juliet's				339	339	L	Mary & Jane	141	67	Jeff Novotny				559	235				
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				215	355	W	Ken Schoenholt	495	180	Jim Bowman				575	229				
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Charlevoix Foot Clinic				32	20	W	Rebecca & Barb	79	129	Shan Kline				517					
Central Drug Store				29	23	L	Team 6	8	80	Guys and Gals Mixed Doubles				February 25, 2001					
Healing Hearts				28	24	W	Jeane Rankle	760	227	SeriesGame				W	L				
Top Rank Disposal				28	24	L	Leanna Mosorayak	738	211	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Amy Russell	523	196			
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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's AA Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Church.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton Streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. The legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

The Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday

through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an addition open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

Business organizations —

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-2101.

CHARLEVOIX LOSES OUT IN STATE MEET

DEFEATED 27 TO 23 BY ST. AUGUSTINE OF KALAMAZOO IN FINALS AT GRAND RAPIDS

Charlevoix's Red Rayders missed a state basketball championship by the narrow margin of four points Saturday night at Grand Rapids. They were nosed out in the class C state finals 23 to 27 by St. Augustine of Kalamazoo, a school which has probably topped the class more times than any other in Michigan.

In meeting their first defeat of a brilliant season, the Rayders went down fighting to the last second and by a margin that while meaning the difference between winning and losing, was too close to provide a comparison between the two teams.

Charlevoix opened the scoring within seconds of the starting whistle. The goal provided their first and only advantage, for St. Augustine evened the count and went into a lead which

they never relinquished. They lead 6 to 5 at the quarter and counted 7 points to Charlevoix's 3 in the second period to gain a 13 to 8 margin at the half.

That 5-point advantage, the result of three long goals and a free throw, later proved the margin of victory. Charlevoix pulled up within two points of the leaders as the two teams tallied 9 each in the third quarter. Carey's two goals and three free tosses started a rally which was halted when St. Augustine broke loose for two goals in quick succession. The period ended with St. Augustine leading 23 to 17. Charlevoix outscored the winner 6 to 4 in the final period to keep within striking distance of victory, but two goals by St. Augustine sewed up the game.

Carey gathered 12 points to lead Charlevoix. Jurwiak with 13 and McGuire with 11 were best for Kalamazoo.

Personal fouls—Gleason 3, Muth 4, Jurwiak McGuire 4, Shimmers, Manjak, Richardson, Brown, Gallagher, Bergmann 4. Free throws missed—Muth 2, McGuire, Carey 2, Richardson 2, Brown, Gallagher.

Win from Sterling

Charlevoix buried Sterling 28 to 12 in the quarter finals at Big Rapids, Thursday night. Their first quarter advantage was 8 to 0, they led 18 to 3 at the half and 19 to 4 at the third intermission. The reserves played about half of the contest.

First State Finalists

To the 1937-38 Red Rayder aggregation goes the honor of being the first Charlevoix team to reach the state finals. It was coach Kipke's fourth team in down-state competition in ten years and his sixth district winners. One Charlevoix team went to the state semi-finals prior to Kipke's coaching regime.

Close of the 1937-38 season breaks up the most brilliant basketball team ever to represent Charlevoix High School. Graduation next spring will close the local athletic careers of Keith Carey. "Chick" Gallagher, Charles Richardson and Dick Bergmann of the regulars, as well as Gengle, Allison and Smith of the reserves. Brown, Pearl, Withers, Tom Carey and Driggett will be available for next year, the latter until March 3 when he reaches the age limit.

Keith Carey has had no peer in local basketball history in view of his



The 1938 Charlevoix basketball team. They are: (front, from left) Danford Gallagher, Russell Driggett, Lewis Brown, Keith Carey, Charles Richardson, (middle) Bert Pearl, Warren Allison, Tom Carey, Richard Bergmann, (back) coach Ray Kipke, Harry Withers, Perry Smith, Ed Gengle and Barnaby Chambers. (Photo courtesy of Perry Smith)

scoring record. Richardson, following Carey in points scored, was an outstanding performer, and Gallagher, while not figuring so prominently in scoreboard totals, was probably the best ball feeder Coach Kipke has ever

developed. Bergmann, considering the time he played as a regular, and Brown alike, played brilliant basketball.

Charlevoix Courier March 23, 1938

Writer experiences a high school flashback on assignment



Julie Musilek
'Stepping out'

When I walked into room A-5 at the Charlevoix High School, I wondered just how bizarre the next hour was going to be, after all, this was the first high school class I'd attended since June of 1996 when I tossed my cap in the air and swore I'd never return.

I took a front row seat and fidgeted awkwardly for a couple minutes while I waited for Karen Peterson, the publications instructor, to rattle off her lesson.

I was there to experience a sound bite of what a day in the high school newsroom where the school paper, The Insider, is created, was all about.

Students sporting the latest hair styles and fashions filtered in from lunch. They took their seats and chatted with their friends; I sat back and watched.

A few moments later, senior Tanya Wyniawskij took the desk behind me. Tanya is involved in a ton of school and community events, so I recognized her right away and said, "Hello."

She returned the greeting and said, "your hair looks cute short." I immediately responded, "Yours looks great short too."

That was all it took; I was back in high school and felt right at home with the students.

Then, I ran into Hal Evans Jr., co-editor of the Charlevoix High School newspaper. Hal had originally planted the idea in my head of coming to class and checking out how they published the yearbook and The Insider sent to district residents.

Being surrounded by a group of local, bright, young minds was refreshing and I was surprised to find the high school news room shared quite a few characteristics with a typical day at the Charlevoix Courier office.

Thus far in my experience as a news writer, I've found a newspaper is not produced in the average, low key setting. The news office tends to be a little more animated. In reality it can get down right loud — ideas are commonly shouted, heated debate ensues and stress relieving screams reverberate off the walls. In essence, the same managed chaos one would commonly find in high school hallways and classrooms.

In Peterson's classroom, advertising project ideas were swapped, files were requested and students typed furiously as

they tried to meet their deadline.

I even saw the beginning stages of a serious physical and emotional condition in some of the students, that I've classified as "the news junky syndrome."

I recently realized I was a junky. I was on St. George Island, Fla. with my family a couple weeks ago and after only one day off the job I had to have the local news. The Island Eye-opener, or whatever it was called, wasn't cutting it.

I called my editor, Jeremy McBain, who immediately made up a mirage of lies about buildings burning down and basically the town having been ruined. He followed the stream of fibs up with, "Why are you calling here? Go back to the beach."

Don't get me wrong, I enjoy being informed, but I also fully soaked up fun on

EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Alzheimer's support group

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group will be at the Charlevoix Commission on Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. This group will begin meeting on April 17, from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. and will continue meeting the third Tuesday of each month. Please contact the Alzheimer's Association North-

west Michigan Chapter at (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Book amnesty

National Library Week will be April 1-7 this year. In honor of this occasion the Charlevoix Public Library will be having a free time to return overdue books! You will be able to return any past due library book, checked out at any time, and it will not cost you one cent.

CPR, First Aid

CPR and first aid classes available at Charlevoix Area Hospital. The following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B. The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at

547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Code classes

The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical updating to the new 2000 code's on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Rd. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. plumbing will be covered and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

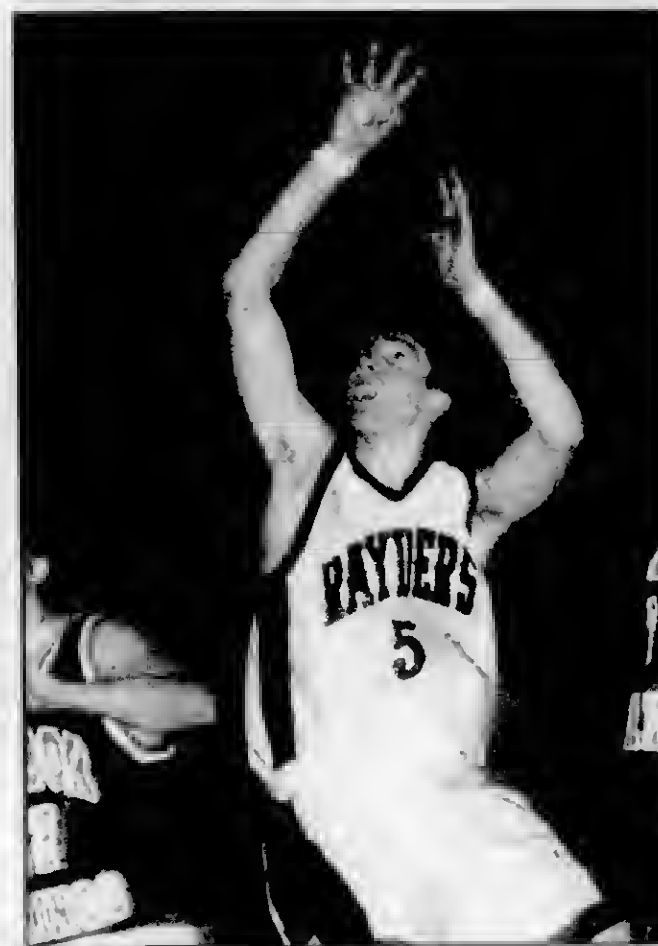
Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop, and donuts will be provided.

Tax help

The Charlevoix Senior Center, will assist with Income Tax Preparation on Thursday mornings. For more information call 547-5361.

Featured event Rayder honors

A ceremony for the Charlevoix High School varsity basketball team will be given at 7:30 p.m. April 16 in the gym at the Charlevoix High School. The public is invited to this event. (File photo)



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Official Notice

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS March 19, 2001 • 7:00 PM

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

Mayor Russell signed a proclamation declaring May 14 - 19, 2001 as "PLANT-A-TREE WEEK."

The 2001 airport hangar rates were reviewed and accepted as budgeted.

Council approved a resolution allowing the cable TV franchise transfer from Bresnan Communications to Charter Communications. The City is unable to challenge Charter's recent price increase for expanded basic programming.

Council approved the project engineering for C & O sewer and water extension and Garfield Avenue sewer and water extension to be completed by Performance Engineers Inc.

A public hearing date of April 2nd, 2001 has been set for consideration of a lot split request made by Jodi Lyons of Home Planning Design for Terry Left's vacant parcel bounded by Newman, Sherman and West Hurlbut.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE Charlevoix City Planning Commission April 16, 2001 -- 6:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, April 16, 2001 at 6:00 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room of City Hall, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 to receive public input to discuss a proposed ordinance which amends Chapter 51, Article IV, Use Districts, Section 5.33 (1); Section 5.43 (1) and Section 5.48 (1) of the City Code. The amendment will establish minimum lot width requirements. The proposed ordinance also adds the definition of "building line" to Section 5.5.

A complete copy of the proposed language is available at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's Office.

Interested citizens can make comments at the public hearing or written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, Michigan.

Gerry Harsch, City Planner

Woman killed in accident at Boyne Highlands

An unprecedented accident that occurred at approximately 1:45 p.m. March 25 during a ski competition at Boyne Highlands claimed the life of 2000 Charlevoix High School graduate Alisha Jewel Johnson, 19, of Boyne City.

"Right now people at the area are in shock and even more than that they are grieving and concerned for her family and friends," Boyne Highlands general area manager Joel

Woods said.

According to Woods, Johnson was competing in the downhill event on the "Olympic" run when she fell and slid off the run. In downhill competition he described the turns skiers make as large and sweeping.

On the day of the event the National Ski Patrol lined the course and were thus able to attend to her almost immediately. The patrol was equipped with trauma gear including

oxygen, backboards, trauma kits and defibrillators.

"They did everything humanly possible. We are blessed with a highly trained ski patrol at the Highlands," Woods said.

He said that when the ski patrol transported Johnson to the patrol room an ambulance was waiting to further perform first aid. She was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital where she was pronounced dead.

He said that in the 12 years the Highlands has ran this event no injuries have ever been sustained by participants. He added that the ski hill's management has called the competition off three times in the past because of unsafe conditions.

However, Woods described the afternoon of March 25 as sunny, 22 degrees, "about as perfect racing conditions as you could ask for."

Rayder pride

Fans of Charlevoix High School Varsity basketball were out in force last week at the various March Madness tournament games. Many members of the community even made the long trek south to East Lansing to attend the Rayders showing at the Class C final championship game March 24 at Michigan State University's Breslin Center. While the team lost, the fans kept hope alive throughout the game by shouting their encouragement and they rarely sat down in their seats.

(Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Basketball team to be honored on April 16

There will be a ceremony honoring the Charlevoix High School varsity basketball team for their recent achievements that led them to the Class C final championship March 24 at the Breslin Center in East Lansing.

The ceremony will be at 7:30 p.m. April 16 in the Charlevoix High School Gym.

The public is invited.



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PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT CHARLEVOIX CITY PLANNING COMMISSION City Hall, 210 State Street April 16, 2001 -- 6:00 p.m.

Reference: A zoning ordinance amendment which provides for a rezoning change from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

Applicant: Martha L. Soderberg
Lloyd G. and Dorothy L. Kirby
103 Belvedere Avenue, Apt. A
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

The City Planning Commission will meet to consider an ordinance which in summary amends the zoning classification of 103 Belvedere Avenue, Apt. A from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

The proposed rezoning application may be viewed at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's office at City Hall during office hours. Oral and written comments from the general public are welcome.

The abbreviated legal description is as follows:

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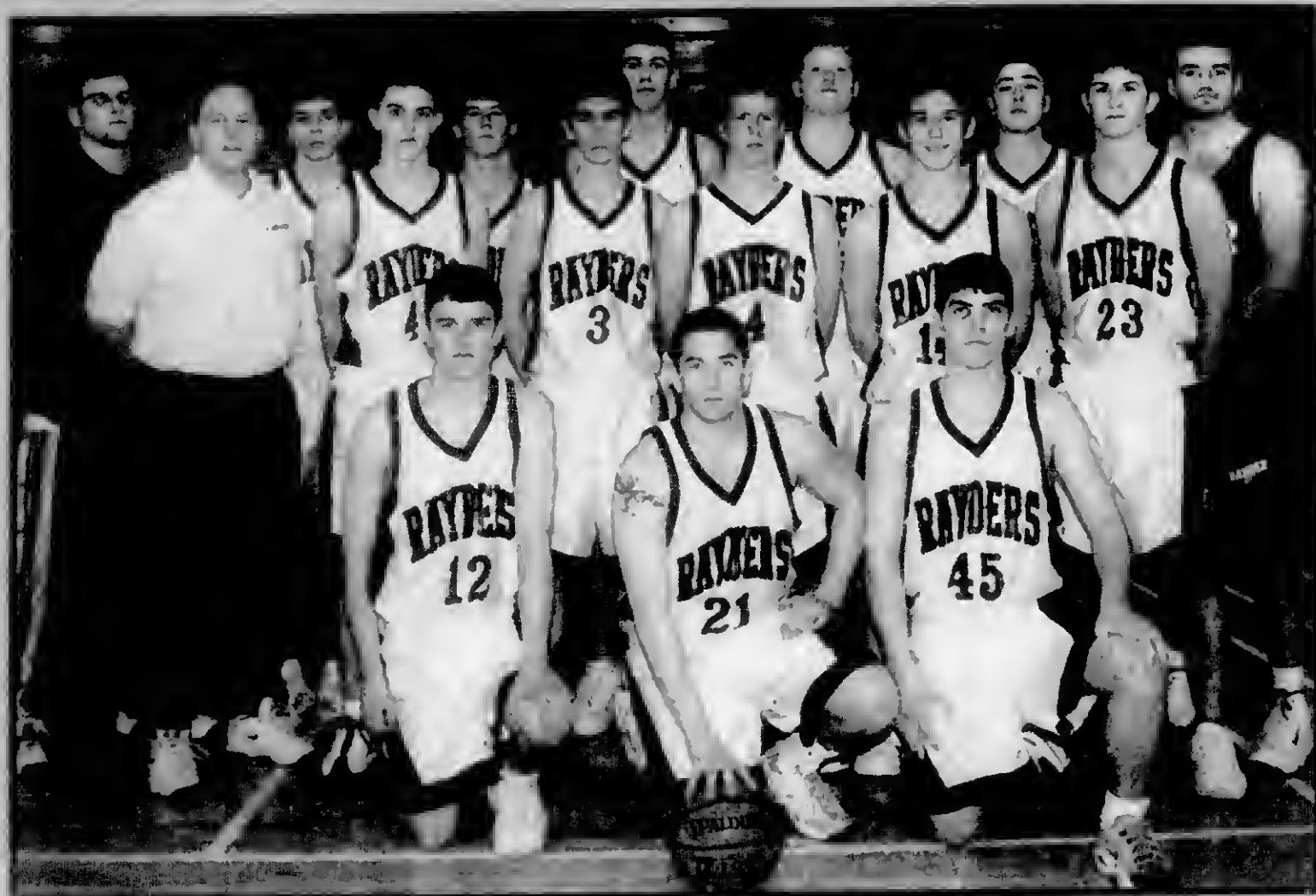
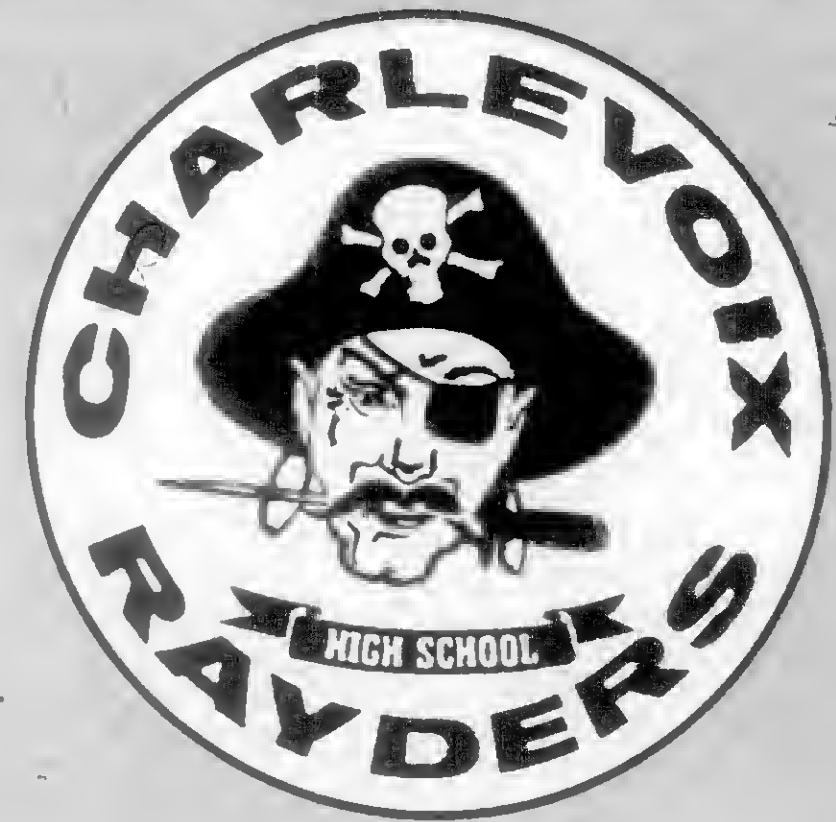
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Congratulations Rayders!



The 2000/2001 Varsity Basketball Team:

Front: (left to right) Dennis Avery, Ryan Leitner, Doug Reick
 Middle: (left to right) Coach Haske, Nate Teuscher, Dale Williams, Shawn McDonough, Ryan Rafacz, Keith Daly
 Back: (left to right) Coach Dennis, Jeremiah Teuscher, Patrick Gowell, Scott Parrish, Rob Boss, Jim Shepherd, Coach Erskine

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93	Benzie Central	69
91	Harbor Springs	60
100	East Jordan	58
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65	Elk Rapids	45
69	Petoskey	64
91	Boyer City	59
88	Kalkaska	56
75	TC St. Francis	57
74	Benzie Central	64
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Rayders Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Class
3	Dale Williams	G	5-10	150	Jr.
4	Shawn McDonough	G	5-10	160	Jr.
5	Jeremiah Teuscher	F	6-1	170	Sr.
11	Patrick Gowell	G	6-1	170	Jr.
12	Dennis Avery	G	5-10	160	Jr.
14	Ryan Rafacz	G	5-10	170	Jr.
21	Ryan Leitner	G	5-7	185	Sr.
23	Keith Daly	F	6-1	180	Jr.
25	Scott Parrish	F	6-6	180	Jr.
33	Jim Shepherd	G	6-1	175	Jr.
43	Nate Teuscher	G	6-1	160	So.
45	Doug Reick	G	5-7	165	Sr.
55	Rob Boss	C	6-4	270	Jr.

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Island history



Read about Beaver Island's Father Alexander Zugelder in this week's Scrapbook by Robert Cole.

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Pine River residents evacuated due to fire

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Firefighters were able to stop a blaze Friday at Pine River Place from consuming the entire building and causing any serious injuries.

The fire had the potential to consume all of the 62 units comprising the complex, a three story apartment building located on West Garfield Street in Charlevoix, but ended up destroying only apartment 117 — where Robert Harrison, 53, executive director of the complex lived.

"There was a timing element. Everyone reacted quickly and we were able to keep the fire contained. We could have had a disaster," Charlevoix City Fire Department shift commander, Joe Schwartzfisher said.

The Fire Department's alarm sounded at 10:26 a.m. March 30 and fire units were dispatched to the scene of what was then only "a possible structure fire."

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(Above) A resident of Pine River Place is led away to a waiting school bus. The residents were treated to snacks and beverages while they waited for fire crews to put out the blaze. Many were able to return to their homes within hours of the fire. (Right) Firefighters work to keep the fire contained in the first-floor apartment where it started. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



Farmers discuss changes created by disease scares

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

As the infectious "foot and mouth disease" looms on our country's horizon and bovine tuberculosis spreads further through Michigan, local farmers are employing defensive strategies to protect their livestock from infection.

Measures being taken across the country to halt the progression of foot and mouth disease into the U.S. reflect the serious threat posed by the disease. If it does in fact arrive in this country, it has the potential to devastate the livestock economy which is a major concern for local beef and dairy farmers.

But, local farmers say they have started looking at ways to protect their businesses.

"The TB thing brought us around to realizing we aren't immune to anything," Marion Township beef farmer Tom Wieland said.

Dairy farmer Doug Warner uses what he calls "bio-security" at his farm near Norwood to protect his herd. Warner won't let outsiders tour the facility and his employees are the only people authorized to enter the barn.

Warner's isolation tactics may end up saving him his herd since the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) claims an outbreak can occur easily. People wearing contaminated clothes or footwear or using contaminated equipment and are in contact with susceptible animals can potentially transfer the disease.

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Farmers are taking extra care to keep their cattle healthy. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Leah Denise Boston, 27, Sterling Heights. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Marc Anthony Russell, 26, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Luke Watson Fairbairn, 20, Harbor Springs. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Benjamin Ross Vanguilder, 19, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Pamela Mae Rahn, 32, Boyne Falls. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Montgomery Scott Wilhelm, 34, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Edward James Tyson, 18, Charlevoix. Malicious destruction of fire and police property. Bound over to circuit court.

Andrew Maynard Pressnell, 26, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Jessie James Wisdom, 18, Petoskey. Criminal sexual conduct-third degree-victim 13 to 15.

John Douglas Doherty, 17, Boyne City. Violation of restricted license; and minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$210 in fines and costs.

Christopher John McKenney, 25, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Stacey Leigh Hansknecht, 18, Rockford. Transporting an open

intoxicant. Sixty hours of community service work; \$210 in fines and costs.

Nicole Louise Reed, 18, Rockford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Six months probation; 60 hours of community service work; \$210 in fines and costs.

Sarah Marie Meek, 18, Rockford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Bethany Joe Granger, 18, Rockford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Douglas Eugene Cutler II, 28, East Jordan. Malicious destruction of property, less than \$200. One year probation; 93 days in jail, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 73 days held in abeyance; \$2,106.74.

David Michael Matuzeski, 25, Twin Lake. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Kevin Watson Denise, 24, Rudyard. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Chad Waylon Parrish, 22, Muskegon. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Darcy William Pickarski, 25, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol; and driving while license suspended. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 32 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 60 days held in abeyance; \$1,505 in fines and costs.

Shannon Michael Rake, 26, East Jordan. Domestic violence. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for five days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 78 days held in abeyance; \$1,705 in fines and costs.

Cody Lee Belford, 19, Boyne

City. Controlled substance possession-marijuana. One year probation; attend BASES classes; 180 days in jail, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 175 days held in abeyance; \$640 in fines and costs.

Melinda June Startzel, 38, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Two years probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 32 days, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 30 days on electronic monitor, 45 days held in abeyance; \$1,115 in fines and costs.

Chad William Dunn, 19, Sanford. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Edward James Tyson, 18, Charlevoix. Attempted criminal sexual conduct-second degree assault. Jail for a minimum of 23 months and a maximum of five years with credit for 121 days.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Thomas Charles Looze, 39, Boyne City. Contractor fraud-use of building contract funds. Three years probation; nine months in jail with credit for one day, serve six months; \$18,028.07 in fines and costs.

Andrew William Kenwabikise, 19, Charlevoix. Attempted larceny, \$20,000 or more. Court recommends defendant receive cognitive behavioral therapy; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; jail for a minimum of 23 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 204 days; \$32,634.34 in fines and costs.

Andrew William Kenwabikise, 19, Charlevoix. Attempted breaking and entering of a building with intent. Court recommends defendant receive cognitive behavioral therapy; jail for a minimum of 23

months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 102 days; \$3,277.69 in fines and costs.

Andrew William Kenwabikise, 19, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle-unlawful driving away. Court recommends defendant receive cognitive behavioral therapy; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; jail for a minimum of 23 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 163 days; \$4,640 in fines and costs.

Andrew William Kenwabikise, 19, Charlevoix. Two counts of resisting and obstructing a police officer. Court recommends defendant receive cognitive behavioral therapy; jail for a minimum of 24 months and a maximum of 48 months with credit for 136 days.

Jonathan Michael Nelson, 25, East Jordan and Shannon Marie Wilde, 20, Boyne City

Wildwood Balloon Adventures, 513 South East Street, Boyne City, by Lesley Pritchard S & J Maintenance Plus, 620 East Lincoln Street, Boyne City, by Scott D. Leist

Bedlam Creations, 1909 Genett Road, Charlevoix, by Joshua N. Muma

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: David Edge Chartier, 62, Boyne City and Wanda Ruth Drewane, 60, Boyne City

Rodney Fredrick Benson, 63, Charlevoix and Margaret Elizabeth Bauer, 63, Charlevoix

Claude Eugene Pearsall, 82, Charlevoix and Thelma Nettie Cihak, 87, East Jordan

Jonathan Michael Nelson, 25, East Jordan and Shannon Marie Wilde, 20, Boyne City

Births
Garrett Darnell Bice, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to William and Shannon Bice of Charlevoix on March 23.

Hayden Lee Sweet was born to Sanford and Tresa Sweet of East Jordan on March 21, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Abigail Jo Nachazel, weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces, was born to Joseph and Yvonne Nachazel of Ellsworth on March 28 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Addison James Bemis, weighing 9 pounds, 4 ounces, was born to James and Erin Bemis of Charlevoix on March 28 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Fund created to honor 19-year-old

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Nick Carrow, 19, of Boyne City said he will always remember his fiancée when he sees the enormous white blooms of the stargazer lily.

His fiancée, Alisha Johnson, 19, also of Boyne City was killed in a tragic skiing accident March 25 at Boyne Highlands — "she loved the stargazer."

While physically, Alisha is no longer able to be with Carrow, her family or her friends, memories of her life are alive and well in their hearts and minds.

To help share Alisha's memory with the community that she grew up in, Charlevoix, her family has initiated, The Alisha Johnson Memorial Ski Scholarship Fund.

Alisha's former ski coach and a close friend of the Johnson family, Tori Fisher of Charlevoix, helped the family establish the fund at Charlevoix State Bank.

She explained that the fund seeks to incorporate three of Alisha's greatest joys in life, skiing, being involved in 4-H and children.

"The fund will give kids the opportunity to be involved in things she was involved in," Fisher said.

Fisher added that Alisha's parents, Mark and Connie Johnson of Charlevoix, want the fund to be used to help kids who can't afford ski equipment or who need financial help to be in the 4-H program.

Alisha learned to ski at Mt. McSaubia where she and her brother Chad would spend time developing their skills on the slopes. The brother and sister duo took the skills they learned at McSaubia into successful competition.

Alisha was a member of the Rayder varsity team from 1996 until her graduation from Charlevoix High School in 2000. Chad, is a member of Charlevoix's varsity ski team that placed second in the class C state championship this year.

Fisher and Carrow both said that they hope the fund will give others the opportunity to realize some of the same successes in life and on the slopes that Alisha knew.

Those who receive one of the fund scholarships may some day say that Alisha impacted their life as she has the lives of others.

"I wouldn't be where I am today if it wasn't for her. She would have thought that (the fund) was a good idea. She was always helping people," Carrow said.

Those who wish to contribute to the fund should make checks payable to, The Alisha Johnson Memorial Ski Scholarship Fund. Donations can be deposited at Charlevoix State Bank, 111 State Street, Charlevoix.

School election deadline

The filing deadline is approaching for anyone wanting to run for a seat on the Charlevoix school board.

Those interested in a seat on the school board need the signatures of at least 20 voters in the school district and have the proper paperwork turned in to the Charlevoix superintendents office, located at 208 Clinton Street in Charlevoix, by April 9. The school board election will be June 11.

School board members Barney Way and Scott Boss are up for reelection this year. Both men have already turned in their paperwork.

Michigan law requires that a candidate be a registered voter in the Charlevoix school district, be at least 18 years old, a resident of the state of Michigan for at least 30 days and a resident of the Charlevoix school district for at 30 days before the election.

For more information about running for a seat on the

Census shows loss for city, gains in townships

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Growth percentages for the county

According to the latest census numbers, while the city of Charlevoix loses population, the surrounding townships are seeing significant increases.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner said the city's population loss may be the result of more people purchasing a second home in the area and not claiming residency.

"For whatever reason we are becoming more desirable for people to purchase second homes," he said. "It wouldn't surprise me if in 10 years the population dropped again. 'We haven't talked about it this is good or bad.'"

Wiesner said the lower population will hurt the city as far as state funding, but he added the city's tax base has gotten higher to rising property values.

"Yes, we are effected by revenue sharing because of the population count, but that appears to me to be with the higher tax base that has been offset to a degree," he said.

According to the latest census numbers that have been released, the Charlevoix County's population went up by 21.5 percent since the 1990 census. While every area in the county experienced some

growth, the exception was the city of Charlevoix with a lost 3.9 percent of its population.

Currently the city's population is at 2,994, which is down 122 people from the 1990 census count of 3,116. Charlevoix is still the second most populated city in the county behind Boyne City.

In contrast however is Charlevoix Township which saw

67 percent growth in this latest census count.

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OPINIONS

What is a column and what is an editorial?



Jeremy McBain
'Just a thought'

Sometimes I forget that many people do not understand the newspaper business. It is a strange little world at times, filled with stress, laughter, writing on deadlines and the feeling that you are the most hated person in the area.

Many readers have no idea why one story has the name of its author above it and others don't; why we are not at every event or meeting in the county; why we do not include some of the news items they send in and the difference between a "column" and an "editorial."

So, I thought I would use a little

space this week to let you in on the newspaper world.

Let's start with the reasons behind putting an author at the top of some stories and not at the top of others. It all depends on if the story was written by a staff member of the *Charlevoix Courier*.

Sometimes people send in information on events and it needs very little added to it. So we just type it in and print it in the paper with a few grammar and style changes. Since no one from the staff wrote it, no one from the staff takes credit for it. If it needed some expansion and a total rewrite, then you may see a name above it.

Information that is sent into us in the written form is called a press release. And not all press releases sent in will get printed word for word. We do edit them for length. Plus, if the press release has nothing to do with Charlevoix, the surrounding townships or in some cases the county, the chances of it being printed are slim.

Another reason some news items are missed in the *Courier* is because the news department consists of two people: Me and the Staff Writer Julie Musilek. As much as we would love to cover every aspect of life in the Charlevoix area, we need to sleep and visit with our loved ones at times too. Therefore, sometimes we are forced to make a choice: Do we attend this event or do we go home and visit with our families — who we haven't seen in days?

We are only human and are just as prone to human weaknesses, like rest and family. However, for some people, the idea that we are not robots that can be everywhere at once is a hard one for them to understand. But, I realize that in many cases, people who send in information are very excited and very proud of these events or groups and we try to give them as much coverage as we can.

Another point you should remember is: We do not usually cov-

er events in Emmett County, Antrim County or Traverse City. We are called the *Charlevoix Courier*, therefore we cover the Charlevoix area. I do get a little confusion now and then about this.

Now on to the opinion page. Many people ask me what is the difference between a "column" and an "editorial"? The difference is usually in tone. For me a column is written with more colorful words than an editorial. It is one person's view on the little things in life or even the current events we face. An editorial is shorter and more to the point. It is usually a little harder than the softly written column.

For example, what you are reading right now is a column from me. Other weeks you will see a smaller piece of writing on the left-hand side of this page that is labeled "Editorial." This is my opinion on a controversial matter being faced by the city, county or school district. I stress it is only my opinion

and not representative of the way any news story is written in the paper. There is a big difference between the opinion page and the rest of the paper, and I try to keep those differences in place.

The reason you don't see both this week is I do not want to give you too much of my opinion on this page. So when I write a column, I do not write an editorial for that week. I think it adds more diversity to the page by allowing more room for other writers' points of view to be put on it. I want to give people as much room as possible to have their letters to the editor published on this page and page 5.

Well, that is all for this week's peek into the world of newspapers. I hope this helps our readers understand our rationale a little more.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com

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Charlevoix Township Board meets the second Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, 107 Waller Rd., Charlevoix.

Charlevoix School Board meets the second Monday of the month at 7 p.m. at Charlevoix High School.

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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Don't build bigger marina

Editor:

I'm from CMS and I believe we should not have a bigger marina in Charlevoix. One reason is there would be boat overcrowding in Round Lake. There would be too many boats in Round Lake, making it harder for boats to navigate. Also, if the lake levels keep dropping, will that work? Large boats could become grounded in low areas of Round Lake. Will facilities such as restrooms, showers and hookups be adequate to handle all the people from the extra boats? If there aren't enough restrooms, there might be some pollution in Round Lake. This could lead to more garbage in the park too. The bridge would be up more and longer. This could cause more traffic backups, which could also detract people from coming to Charlevoix. Also, people will become aggravated and put stress on Charlevoix residents. In conclusion, I do not feel a bigger marina in Round Lake is in the best interest for the people of Charlevoix.

Patrick Russell

Sixth grade student

Charlevoix Middle School

Guns not always bad

Editor:

I am a sixth grade student at Charlevoix Middle School. I am writing to state my opinion about gun control. It seems to me that most people don't see the obvious about guns. First of all, guns can't kill someone without a person behind the trigger. Also, without guns, how do we hunt? Without hunting, how does the deer herd stay down? The deer are already running out of room in the woods. I don't know many people who like hitting deer. The deer are also depending on people's feed stations more now. They have to eat crops. The deer should be able to find food on their own and in the woods. This shows that the deer herd is too large. We need our guns to help keep the herd down.

Scott K. Plude

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Against marina plan

Editor:

I am a Charlevoix Middle School student. I don't think we should have a bigger marina here in Charlevoix. Here are some of my reasons. There will be more pollution because there

Fix Shanahan

Editor:

I think the BMX tracks at Shana-

will be more exhaust from the boats, and litter or garbage in Round Lake. Round Lake doesn't have enough room to expand the marina. Another reason is that the bridge will be up longer. That means the cars will burn up more gas, and put more pollution into the air. One last reason is more pollution will kill a lot of fish here in Round Lake. That's why I think we should not have a bigger marina.

Felicia Moses

Sixth grade student

Charlevoix Middle School

han Field need to be fixed up. The main reason is there are a lot of potholes. Potholes make you fall and you can get injured and go to the hospital. One of my friends cut his leg and needed stitches. I also think that they could use a concession stand. Kids like to play at that park and they would be able to buy snacks and drinks if they got hungry or thirsty. I think the profits could be used to help pay for the repair. More kids would be happier and then that would help kids stay out of trouble. I think this would also help our community. Please try to help with this project.

Zack Lake

Sixth grade student

Charlevoix Middle School

Pick weeds

Editor:

I am a sixth grade student attending Charlevoix Middle School. I feel that in the summer, after we plant the petunias, a volunteer group should go around town, pick the weeds and make the petunias look better. I feel that way because when you look at the petunias in the summer, people probably have run over them with their cars and they are full of weeds. The town should have a day when groups of people are assigned to a block and they pick weeds and if needed, re-plant petunias. By making the petunias look better, we're making the town look better. Also, if we do

this about once a month during the summer, just imagine how beautiful our petunias in Charlevoix would be.

Another reason why we should do this is because the people that help will get more team spirit. They will also have more sportsmanship, which everyone needs. Also, they might have a better perspective of themselves and they will feel better about themselves because they volunteered to help out in their community. That is why I feel that we should do this. Thanks for your cooperation and for listening to me.

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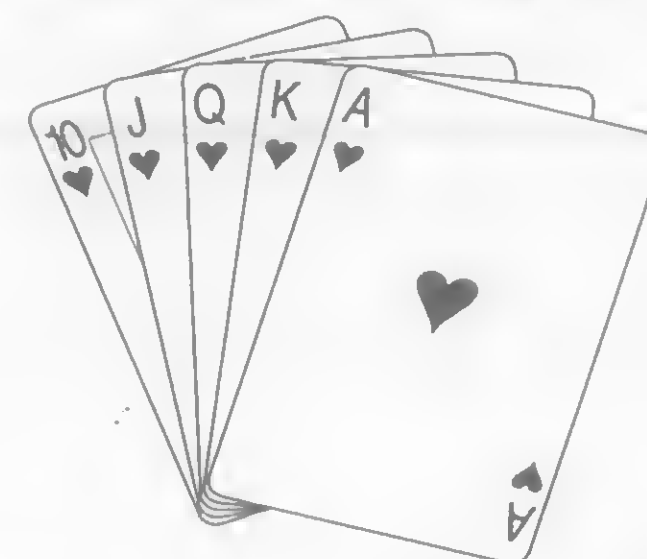


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COMMUNITY

Police office manager leaves for greener work

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Some people who have spent extended periods of time at the city police station want to forget the incident, but Charlevoix resident Janine Warner says she will miss the time she spent there.

Janine, 45, is a Charlevoix resident of almost seven years and she has been at the station for pretty much her whole stay.

No, she is not an inmate, she was the local station's office manager.

Recently, rumors of her having a "green thumb" escaped Charlevoix and spread to the Emmet County MSU extension office. They contacted her to join their team, filling the esteemed position of Northern Michigan Master Gardening Coordinator, covering four counties. Janine decided she would turn in her scanner and the attached CB in favor of top-soil and a hoe.

"Gardening is a very important part of my life," she said.

Aside from sinking her hands in soil she said she also enjoys teaching and the new position has opened the door for her to teach more too. She will be setting up programs and teaching a master

gardener's course this fall.

The course is a 12 week series fully equipped with quizzes and a final. Students' final assignment is 40 hours of volunteer gardening work. Course completion is recognized by the awarding of a master gardener title.

Janine is not only busy with the MSU job, but she has also started up a new local business with business partner, Charlevoix resident Linda Purdy, called Les Jardins Design and Maintenance.

The gardening duo's tag line is, "We plant the earth with color."

During Janine's stay with the city police, she said she developed a close rapport with police chief Dennis Halverson and the city officers. In fact, she said that after being absent from her familiar position she misses them the most.

"They've become my family over the time that I have been here," she said.

When Janine took her work to the great outdoors she left her seat at the head of the office vacant and in stepped former Ann Arbor resident Annette Herbert, 35.

Annette and her family relocated to Charlevoix in September.

"We are happy to be up north. We wanted to be by the water,"



Janine Warner (right), and her replacement as the office manager for the Charlevoix Police Department, Annette Herbert. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

she said.

Annette's husband Eric Herbert joined the Charlevoix Middle School teaching staff.

She started at the city police office in February.

The position includes everything

from processing officers reports, parking tickets and traffic tickets, filing incident reports and dealing with the public.

"There is a lot of lingo to learn but so far it has been a lot of fun. It is a great position to get to know

who is who in Charlevoix," she said.

She said the job fit her work needs perfectly as she was looking for an afternoon part-time position to fill while her daughter was in school.



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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Kemp joins Red Cross

Laura Kemp, of Charlevoix, has joined the staff of the Petoskey Red Cross recently. Her duties include running the Petoskey service center and overseeing the disaster activities in a 12-county area of northern lower Michigan.

Leitner named to honor roll

Gary A. Leitner, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the Dean's Honor Roll at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield. To be named to the honor roll, a student must maintain at least a 3.5 grade point average for the term.

Kirby earns academic honors

Sara E. Kirby, of Charlevoix, earned academic honors recently in the field of agriculture at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Ind. To earn honors, students must have at least a 3.5 semester or cumulative grade-point average.

Real Estate One of Charlevoix awarded

Real Estate One of Charlevoix received the "Perfect Partner Award" during the Real Estate One Franchise Group's annual award dinner recently in Mount Pleasant. The award is presented each year to the organization in the network with business practices best reflecting the ideal balance for leveraging the benefits of franchise affiliation.

Dennis Martin, co-owner of the company along with Bob Kern, was also named "Sales Associate of the Year" as the top individual producer in the group during 2000. Additionally, sales associate Joan Chodak, was recognized for "Distinguished Sales Achievement" for her efforts during 2000.

Art awards given

Marguerite Bolt and Krista Pischner, students at the St. Mary School, were given awards recently at the 2000 4-H International Children's Art Festival. Bolt received a "copper" and Pischner received an "outstanding."

Gels named to dean's list

Sherry Lynn Gels, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the dean's list at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. To be named to the list, Gels had to have a 3.5 or better grade point average.

Re/Max of Charlevoix takes awards

Several Re/Max of Charlevoix owners were honored at the recent Re/Max of Michigan Twenty-second Annual Regional Conference. Judy Petkewicz was inducted into the Re/Max Hall of Fame. Steve Andreae, Greg Bryan, Joe Vogelheim, Petkewicz and broker Dave Campbell were honored with the 100 percent Club Award, given out based on sales production for the year. Kevin Heard was given Executive Club honors, and Catherine Campbell and Sandy Haertter Sheridan were awarded President's Club honors.

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Hanging flowers to grace city's downtown

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Charlevoix will get one more addition to the petunia planting in May.

Visitors and residents will see hanging baskets full of the colorful flowers adorning the light poles in its downtown business district this summer.

Last week, the Downtown Development Authority in Charlevoix unanimously gave approval for Charlevoix street and sewer superintendent John Martin to purchase brackets and 24 inch baskets that will be hung on the light poles.

Martin said the baskets will cost about \$20 a piece and he has put the brackets out for bid. The city will need about 60 of the baskets and brackets for light poles.

Hugh Mason, of the Downtown Development Authority, said the brackets could cost right around \$200 a piece. But, Martin said he does not think the cost will get that high.

Flowers for the baskets will be provided by Keep Charlevoix Beautiful. In addition to purchasing the baskets and brackets, the city will be responsible for watering the flowers.

Martin said he expects all of the bids will be in by next week and the baskets will be on the poles by May 24, when the community has its traditional petunia planting.

He added the baskets and brackets are very sturdy, leaving very little chance of one falling down.

"You and I could probably hang on those," he said.

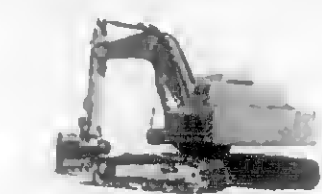


(Above) The city will be installing baskets such as this one on light poles downtown this spring. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Obituaries

Alfred F. Jannausch: Aug. 30, 1921 - March 31, 2001

Alfred F. "Doc" Jannausch, 79, of Traverse City, formerly of Charlevoix and Grand Rapids died, March 31, 2001 at the Grand Traverse Pavilions in Traverse City.

He was a pilot and a Lieutenant in the U.S. Navy during World War II in the Pacific Theater.

Doc was retired from Marathon Oil Co.

He was a very active parishioner serving his church in many ways when he was not sick. He was a member of St. Francis Catholic Church in Traverse City and former member of St. Mary's

Catholic Church in Charlevoix and a former member of Holy Spirit Catholic Church in Grand Rapids.

He enjoyed gardening and many outdoor activities.

Doc was born on Aug. 30, 1921 in Grand Rapids, the son of Alfred F. and Kathleen (Burke) Jannausch.

On Aug. 17, 1946 in St. Andrews Cathedral in Grand Rapids, he married the former Doris M. Farrell, who survives.

Also surviving is a son Thomas (Pat) Jannausch of Ann Arbor; three daughters Ann (Dale) Cramer of Coop-

ersville, Marie (Jay) Hooper and Beth (Terry) Mol both of Traverse City; a sister Mary Arford of California; eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral mass was celebrated at St. Francis Catholic Church in Traverse City on March 2. The Rev. Father James Gardiner officiated. Entombment was in Oakwood Cemetery in Traverse City.

Memorials may be directed to the Grand Traverse Pavilions or to the Grand Traverse Alzheimers Association.

Lauretta René Swanson: Feb. 28, 1914 - March 29, 2001

Lauretta René Swanson, 87, of Charlevoix, died Thursday, March 29, 2001 at the home of her daughter, Jean Swanson, in Charlevoix.

A funeral service was March 31, at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. Eugene Baughan of the Barnard United Methodist Church officiated. A burial was at Barnard Cemetery in Marion Township.

Lauretta was born in Horton Bay on February 28, 1914 the daughter of Guy and Mabel (Coleman) Stutzman. She attended Charlevoix High School graduating in 1933.

On September 14, 1934 she mar-

ried Edward C. Swanson in Charlevoix. He preceded her in death in October of 1982.

Lauretta worked for many years at Kroger's in Charlevoix as a clerk and as the manager of the dairy department.

She played organ at the Barnard United Methodist Church. Lauretta also played piano with her brother Joe Stutzman and Jap Warner for Granges and at private functions and also in Fiddlers Jamborees. What she enjoyed most was her family and being a loving grandmother and great grandmother.

Lauretta was a member of Re-

bekah's where she had been a Past Noble Grand.

Survivors include her four children, Jean Swanson, Guy Swanson, Sharon (Tom) Davis, all of Charlevoix, and Carl (Jamie) Swanson of Grand Rapids; eight grandchildren; nine great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Roberta A. Wegner; brother, Joe Stutzman; and an infant sister, Clara Belle; great granddaughter, Samantha.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Charlevoix Senior Center. Envelopes are available at the Winchester Funeral Home.

Barbara Douglas Dixon: Dec. 23, 1908 - March 26, 2001

Barbara Douglas Dixon, 92, died March 26 at St. Lukes Hospital in Cedar Rapids, Iowa following a short illness.

A celebration of life memorial service took place March 29 at Grace Episcopal Church. A private family entombment was at the Douglas Mausoleum, Oak Hill Cemetery prior to the memorial service.

Surviving are three daughters, Mahala Burck Greenberg of Israel, Borden Burck Stevens of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and Francie Dixon Martin of Charlevoix; two sons George Douglas Burck of Mill Valley, Calif. and Bruce Douglas Dixon of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; 12 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

She was born on Dec. 23, 1908 in Cedar Rapids, Iowa to George and Irene (Hazel) Douglas, the only

child to be born at the Douglas estate known as Brucemore. She and her sisters, Margaret Douglas Hall and Ellen Douglas Williamson grew up on the Brucemore estate.

In 1934, she was married to Gail Burck and they moved to California where they lived for 15 years prior to a divorce in 1946. She then moved back to Cedar Rapids, Iowa where she married Bruce Dixon.

Her father George Bruce Douglas was a co-founder of the Quaker Oats Company. He later founded Douglas Starch Works, which produces Brier Rabbit Corn Syrup, which became Penick & Ford Company.

She attended grade school in Cedar Rapids, Iowa and was a graduate of the Miss Porter's School in Farmington, Conn., The French School in New York City, N.Y. and

the Diller-Quail Music Academy in New York City, N.Y. She was a member of the DAR, Ladies Literary Club, Cedar Rapids Garden Club, the Mu Phi Music Organization, The Junior League of Cedar Rapids and the White Cross Society of which her mother Irene Douglas was the founder.

At the time of her death she was the oldest living member of the Chicago Club in Charlevoix, where she spent every summer of her childhood. In 1947 she moved out to her property on Oyster Bay where she summered until 1999.

Her love for Charlevoix extended in generosity by her donating waterfront property to the Little Traverse Conservancy in 1981.

Friends may make contributions to Brucemore in memory of Barbara Douglas Dixon.

Clara Naomi Harrison: Jan. 2, 1921 - March 27, 2001

Clara Naomi Harrison, 80, of Charlevoix died March 27 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

She was born Jan. 2, 1921 in Noble County, Ind., the daughter of H. Arthur and Vada I. (Reynolds) McCoy.

She spent her childhood in Albion and graduated from Albion High School. She then attended college in Adrian.

Clara married Dr. Robert E. Harrison on Sept. 11, 1943 and they made their home in Blissfield. She moved to Gaylord in 1968.

In the late 1970's she attended the Christian Science Nursing Pro-

gram in Princeton, N.J. This prepared her to care for the elderly in their homes which she did until 1990 in the Monroe, Ga. area.

Clara was a member of the First Church of Christian Scientist, was treasurer of the Tenants Association of Pine River Place and had been affiliated with the Lake Louise Christian Community since the 1930s.

Her family was most important in her life. She was a wonderful mother and grandmother — she especially enjoyed her grandchildren.

Clara is survived by her children, Rob (Rona) Harrison of Charlevoix,

Barbara (John) Thurmond of Monroe, Ga., Marianne (Bob) Hunt of Georgetown, Ky., Judith (Matt) Longfield of Erie; nine grandchildren, Cecy Bailey, Liberty Purdy, John R. and Sam Thurmond, Mason and Cory Hunt, Matthew, Samantha and Robert Longfield; two great-grandchildren, Caitlyn and Kyle Bailey; brother Edgar McCoy of Albion.

A memorial service will be given at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Lake Louise Christian Community, c/o Winchester Funeral Home, 209 State Street, Charlevoix 49720.

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Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121 or -9765
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
BARNARD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Barnard at Klossier Road		FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAY SHORE US 31 North	
Church School	8:45 a.m.	Worship & Children's Worship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:15 a.m.	Minister: Morris Cole	547-5728
Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	547-5269		
BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 1407 Bridge Street		FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST State St. at Park Ave.	
Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study	10:30 a.m.	(winter)	11:00 a.m.
Pastor Michael Teuscher		Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
		Pastor: Phillip G. Schairbaum	547-9122 or -5803
BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH M-66		GOLDEN RULE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH 07444 Old U.S. 31 North	
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Service	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Pastor: Rev. Cosie Allen	547-9601 or -7916
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.		
Thursday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor: James Green	547-4300		
CHARLEVOIX UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 104 State Street		GREENSKY HILL INDIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Old U.S. 31 North	
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Worship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Fellowship	10:30 a.m.
Pastor: Todd Thompson	547-2654 or -8168	Pastor: Geri Litchfield	582-9262
CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH State Street at Clinton		HIDDEN SPRINGS COMMUNITY CHURCH Marion Township Hall, Marion Center Rd.	
Sunday Worship Service	10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Holy Communion	Wednesday 12:15 p.m.	Pastor: Alan K. Leese	237-9204
Fr. E. James Gunn	547-6322		
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 206 Clinton Street		IRONTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Ironton	
Sunday School	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
First Wednesday of Month	7:00 p.m.	June, July & August	10:00 a.m.
		Pastor: Michael C. Smith	547-3008
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Corner of U.S. 31 and Waller Rd.		Pastor: Harold E. Kruse	599-2321
Sunday School	11:00 a.m.		
Sunday Worship	9:30 a.m.		
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.		
Wednesday Service	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor: Duane Nelson	547-5711		
COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD 202 W. Hurlock		NORWOOD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Norwood	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Sunday Worship	11:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	10:15 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Eugene Baughan	
Reverend: Neil Turner			
COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH of Charlevoix Petoskey Avenue		SAFE HARBOR SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH US-31 & Old US-31	
Morning Worship	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.	Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Pastor: Larry Crook	547-9482 or -2509	Interim Pastor: Joe Norris	547-6283
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Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Saturday Night Mass	5:30 p.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Evening before Holy Days	7:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Masses	8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.	Father Tom Neis	547-6652
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Going back to school

Area mom finds enrichment with classes

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A few Charlevoix moms have sharpened up their pencils, strapped on backpacks and headed back to school.

"I think one of the greatest gifts we can receive is the gift of knowledge," one of the back-to-school moms, Barbara Haske, said.

Haske, 39, of Charlevoix said that when she and her husband Keith moved here three years ago she couldn't find work as a medical ultrasonographer, a position she had for 14 years before the move.

Haske said she panicked; she was living in a new town, her kids were in school and her husband was at work — everything she had known and her identity had changed.

She said one day she decided to truly enjoy her time. She joined a tutoring program focused on helping Native American students thrive academically.

Working with the students sparked a fire inside her that ignited her spirit.

She woke up one day and decided to go for her elementary education teaching certificate, a degree that would allow her to pursue something we all seek — working in a profession that is our passion.

"I think that maybe I can make a

little difference in their (elementary students) lives. After a word of praise or a hug, I saw them (those she tutored) stand up straighter and take pride in themselves. What a reward for a teacher to be able to experience that," Haske said.

She found her dream was waiting no more than 20 minutes away at North Central Michigan College. She enrolled in the program and started back in the fall of 2000.

She soon found out that enrollment was the easy part. Being a student tackling 15 credit hours is a job, as is being a mother of two and a wife, as is being part owner of a local business.

She had transformed from a state of panic when she asked herself what direction is my life going in, to an accomplished woman consumed in three demanding roles.

She said that she realized how much she truly did before going back to school and found it difficult to try and keep up the pace.

"The most important moment was when I sat down and set my priorities straight and saw that some things just aren't going to get done," Haske said.

At the top of her priority list is her family. Haske said that her family is one aspect of her life that does not suffer. In fact, she has

seen her role as a student positively impact the lives of her two children, Tyler, 12 and Chelsea, 9.

She said that they think it's cool that mom is back in school. They discuss current events the kids are learning about in social studies class that she is getting into in school too. Then, after school, the Haske clan sits around a table studying and working on homework together.

She also said that she values the subjects she is involved in and applies them more readily simply because she has been in the work force and has seen how it operates.

"Back in September I was in a philosophy class. I was like a sponge, soaking it up," Haske said.

Haske's business partner, Kris Balasz, 39, a Charlevoix resident of seven years has also decided to kick life into fifth gear and is extra busy hitting the books.

She said that when she was younger and studied to build a career in public relations, she may have underestimated how that career would mesh with motherhood.

Balasz found the late hours her public relations position required infringed on her time with her kids and she knew it was time for a change.

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Barbara Haske, with backpack ready, is joining other area moms and heading back to school. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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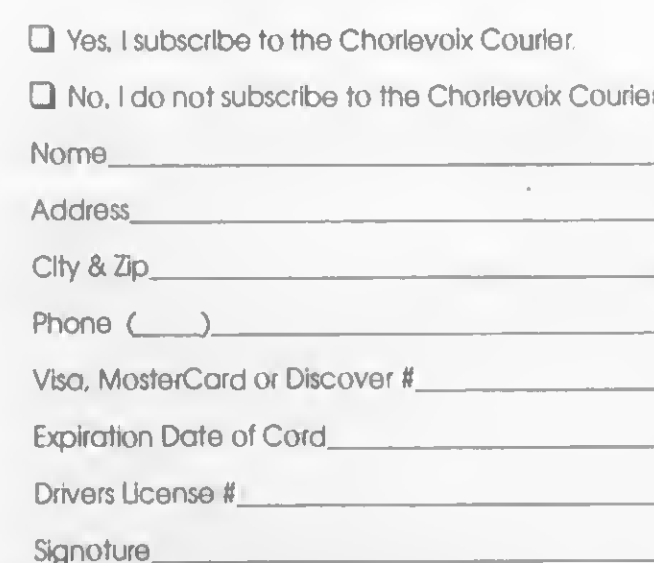
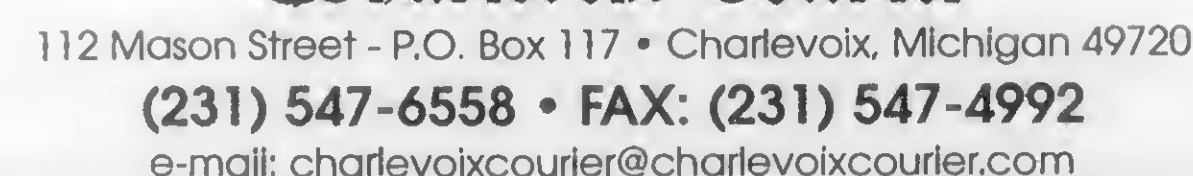
Members of the local Brownie Troop 262 recently made more than 35 Get Well cards and potpourri containers for patients at Charlevoix Area Hospital. They delivered their creations to the hospital, where they were placed on patient's meal trays and delivered to their rooms. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Area Hospital)

"I think it is a wonderful thing for the kids to see that you can al-

"Even though we are intimidated to go back, because it is something we feel inferior about, it is an opportunity for women to grow stronger, to build bonds with people younger than us and to learn from them and for them to learn from us," she added.

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Project Superintendent Kevan Flory (far right) gives (from left) Courier staff writer Julie Musilek, Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson and Charlevoix Rotary Club member Dan Barron a tour of the new high school construction site. (Below) The new school as seen from Marion Center Road. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)

A high school is starting to appear in muddy field

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A tour of the site of the new Charlevoix High School in Marion Township proved that even though all the walls aren't complete and classroom floors are made of sand, ice and mud, the school is beginning to take shape.

The tour started as Project Superintendent for the Christman Company, Kevan Flory stopped through the muddy site stopping at the location of the entrance. He pointed up and outlined the way the walls will progress and pointed left into a block room where administrative offices will be located.

The front office will be equipped with many windows which may help administrators monitor the flow of traffic through the school.

Trudging through the entrance into the heart of the building, the classrooms, like the administrative offices, are block with dirt floors.

Down the hallway from the entrance, on the left there is an open space carved out where an elevator will be installed. The elevator will transport students, visitors and teachers to the second level of the new facility as will stairs.

Winding further into the school you come upon the library or what Flory called, "the media center." The li-

brary area will be bi-level with an attached technology center on the bottom level and two more labs on the top level where students will have access to computers.

Across from the media center is a sizable open space that will be a landscaped courtyard or commons area where students can read or catch an afternoon breath of fresh air.

The layout of the second level includes both classrooms and a walking track. Marion Township's natural scenery will be visible through windows that will be installed on the upper level facing Lake Michigan.

To access the walking track located above the gymnasium on the right wing of the school, a bridge will be constructed. The bridge will travel over the hallway that the main entrance leads into, connecting the upper level of the gym to the classrooms.

The site tour came to a close at the auditorium. Envisioning the auditorium requires a lot of imagination at this stage — Flory said that Christman has planned to save work on the auditorium for last as it requires a high-



Mud covers the shoe of Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson as he tours the construction site of the new high school on Marion Center Road.

(Photo by Jeremy McBain)

er level of finish work. The orchestra pit is enveloped in concrete and the concept they'll employ of tiered seating, that will soon be filled with spectators, is imaginable. Construction crews are waiting for warmer weather to really get their hands dirty in there.

Flory said that the majority of the work that is currently done is in the administration/entrance area and the classroom areas. They are currently working on roofing. The biggest remaining task for the high school construction crews is for the masons who will place the exterior brick.

The new school is expected to open its doors in the fall of 2002.



Various bovine diseases have farmers on guard

FARMERS

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This is a serious issue because of how highly contagious the disease is; nearly 100 percent of exposed animals do become infected.

Wieland added if a group from Europe or anyone likely to have been exposed to foot and mouth disease wants to tour the facility, they will be asked to wear disposable coverings on their shoes.

He said while isolating the herds may lower the threat of foot and mouth infection you can't totally isolate the animals from deer, which could be infected with bovine tuberculosis (TB).

In Warner's case, even if you can effectively keep intruders away from the animals, as anyone who has driven through the

Norwood area knows, more deer inhabit the land than do people and livestock combined.

Both farmers say their livestock are tested for tuberculosis annually.

Wieland said that one cow in his herd was suspected of having been infected with TB during the last test that was done at his farm. The cow was consequently sent away and slaughtered. Results of further tests came back showing the cow was not infected.

Wieland added he was adequately compensated by the state of Michigan for the loss.

Neither said that the lifting of Michigan's TB free status has negatively affected their operations.

Warner sends his milk down to be bottled and it is then distributed within Michigan under the Dean's label carried at Glen's. Wieland also sells his beef with-

in the state.

Farmers dealing with border states like Wisconsin — many of whom are located in the Upper Peninsula — are being negatively impacted by the TB outbreak, Warner said.

While many see the threat of foot and mouth disease and bovine tuberculosis as a foreign invader, the USDA has combated both diseases before. In 1929 the last of nine U.S. outbreaks of foot and mouth disease were eradicated.

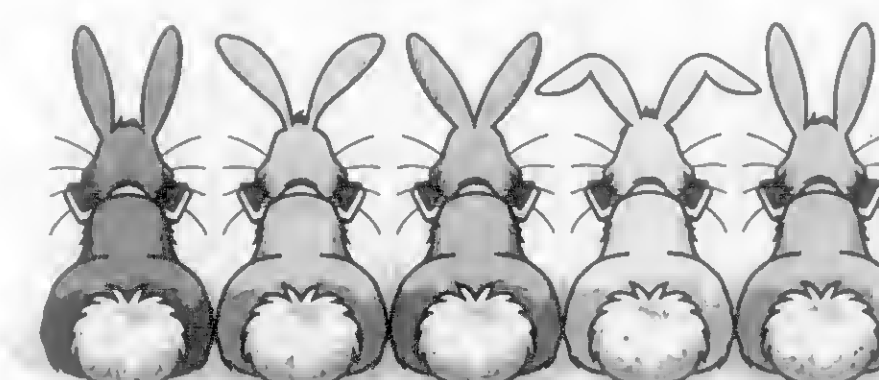
So, with all of these potentially industry devastating diseases threatening business some may wonder why farmers stay in this business.

Wieland summed up the reasons, saying: "I could sell the 270 acres and all the buildings on it and make some money, but I like riding a tractor and watching the sun set. I would just as soon be out turning dirt."



Tom Wieland shows Charlevoix resident Jean Musilek and her son, Camden, some of the corn that he feeds the cattle at his farm. Wieland and other area farmers are taking special precautions to keep their herds healthy. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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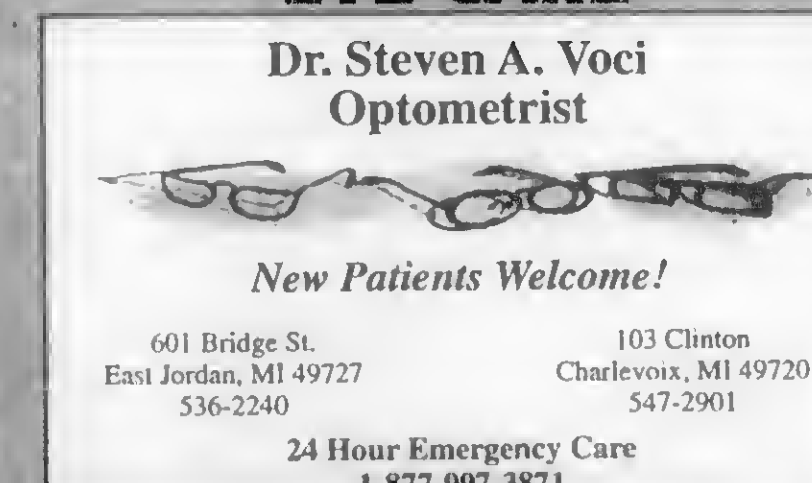


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Numbers show growth in county, but a loss in city

CENSUS

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Currently the population of the township is 1,697, which is 681 more people than the 1990 census number of 1,016.

Other numbers for townships in the Charlevoix Courier's coverage area are:

• Bay Township — 29.5 percent growth with a current population of 1,068.
• Eveline Township — 41.8 percent growth with a current population of 1,560.
• Hayes Township — 43.7 percent growth with a current population of 1,893.

• Marion Township — 32 percent growth with a current population of 1,492.

• Norwood Township — 38.4 percent growth with a current population of 714.

• Peaine Township — 90.6 percent growth with a current population of 244.

• St. James Township — 11.2 percent growth with a current population of 244.

The city with the most growth in the county was East Jordan, which saw a 11.9 percent increase in population from 1990. Currently the population of East Jordan is 2,507, which is 267 more people than in 1990 when it was 2,240.

Kelly Chesney, spokesperson for

the Office of the State Budget for Michigan said the entire northwestern area of the state saw a lot of growth in this census.

"It isn't surprising considering the number of things you have in northwestern Michigan," she said. Added onto the scenic splendor of the area is the fact that there is a lot more open land than in southeastern Michigan, giving more room for growth.

"In the Detroit area the land is tapped. It makes sense that you would want to move up north," Chesney said. "It is a quality of life issue."

She added northwest Michigan has been rated as the fastest growing area of the state for the past three decades.



Builder's Club

The Kiwanis Northwest Academy Builder's Club was officially formed at a ceremony March 22. They are: (Front, from left) Riki Lent, Destarte Loveless, (back) Patrick Hand, Josh Louiselle, Luke Herriman, Kristina Moreno, Emily Hagen and Greg Toton. Some members are not pictured. (Courtesy photo)

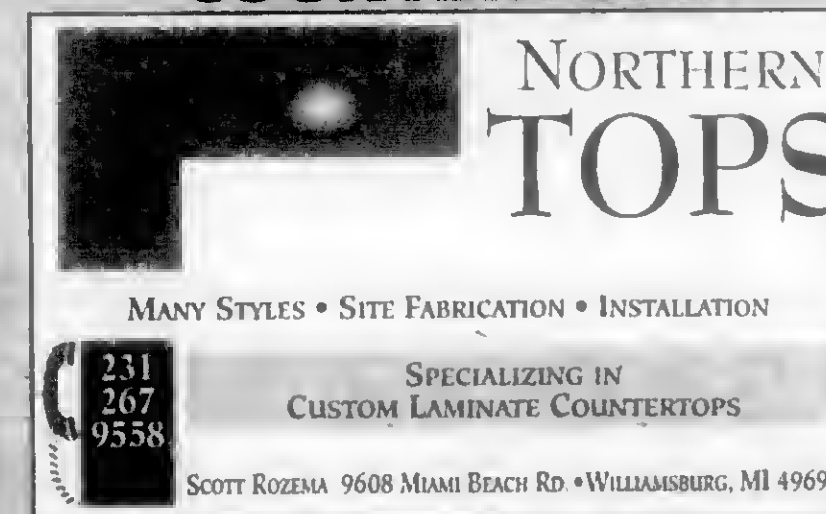
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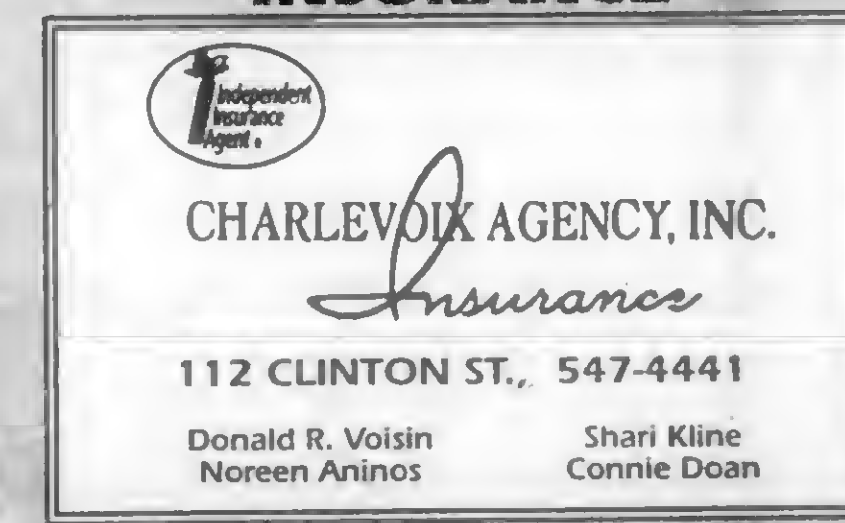
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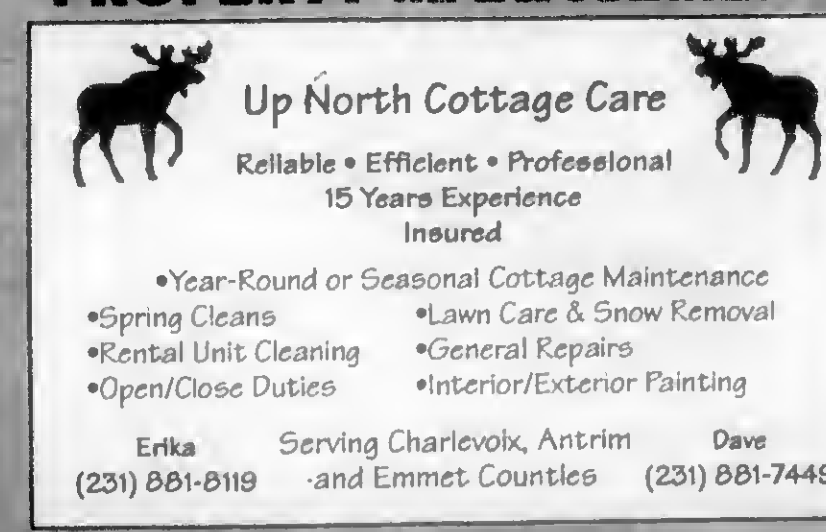
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YOUR HEALTH

Prevention is the key to keeping your health



Daniel Mann, M.D.

'Your Health'

Everyone has heard the expression "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure." This applies to our health, as well as to many other aspects of our lives. Preventative health is a major emphasis of family practice and primary care medicine. Below are some general health recommendations and screening guidelines based on age groups to help promote healthy living for you and your family.

PEDIATRICS

After a child's first several years, children generally require yearly check-ups to ensure a healthy transition to adulthood.

There are a multitude of important issues, from vaccinations, injury prevention and sports physicals to ensuring proper growth and development, both physically and mentally.

WOMEN'S HEALTH

Women generally need yearly pap smears and pelvic exams from the time of becoming sexually active throughout the reproductive as well as post-menopausal years. Breast cancer screening with mammograms should generally begin at 40 years of age or younger depending on personal or family history. In addition monthly self-breast examinations are recommended and any suspicious areas should be brought to medical attention. If you are planning or attempting to become pregnant, a preconception appointment is helpful for addressing general health, proper nutrition, vitamin supplements and vaccination status.

MEN'S HEALTH

Many men think that health

check-ups are unnecessary if they don't have any active medical problems. However, exams are generally recommended every 2-3 years and annually starting at age 40-50. Important issues for men, as well as women, include cancer screening and addressing risk factors for heart disease, such as tobacco use, high blood pressure, diabetes, high cholesterol and obesity. Screening for prostate cancer with a digital rectal exam and PSA testing can be discussed with your physician. In addition, just as women perform self breast exams, it is recommended that men perform self exams for testicular cancer, especially in men 20-40 years old, who are at an increased risk.

OSTEOPOROSIS PREVENTION

Osteoporosis places an individual at an increased risk for fractures due to decreased bone strength. Many risk factors include smoking, poor nutrition, immobility or lack of regular exercise and certain medical conditions. Ensuring adequate calcium

and Vitamin D is important for optimal bone strength. I generally recommend 1200 mg of Calcium and 400 units of Vitamin D daily beginning in early adulthood as American diets are usually insufficient in these vitamins. In women, post-menopausal hormone replacement can help decrease the risk of osteoporosis and other medical problems. Screening by ultrasound guided bone density testing is recommended for all women 65 years and older and younger women with certain risk factors. In addition, although women are at higher risk, osteoporosis also develops in men and should be discussed with your physician.

COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING

Colon and rectal (colorectal) cancer is the second most common cancer in the U.S. Screening generally begins at age 50 with testing for blood in the stool and/or scope tests, such as flexible sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy. The timing and frequency of screening

may be affected by you or your families' medical history.

VACCINATIONS

Vaccinations are needed throughout one's life. Tetanus boosters are needed every eight to 10 years. Influenza (flu) vaccines are now recommended for everyone over 50 years of age. Pneumonia vaccine (Pneumovax) is recommended for people over 65. A new pediatric vaccination called Prevnar helps reduce the risk of ear infections, pneumonia's and meningitis. Certain health conditions may require earlier immunizations. There are many other vaccinations available that can be discussed with your physician.

In addition to these recommendations, proper nutrition, appropriate sleep and exercise are important in maintaining a healthy and strong life for you and your family. If you have any questions, please schedule an appointment with your family physician.

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SPORTS

Writer shares some of his memories of state

Allen Telgenhof Sports Stringer

My "Road to the Breslin" as a reporter began a couple of months ago when I saw an ad in the Courier looking for a sports stringer. In case you wondered, a stringer is a type of low-maintenance, independent contractor.

I thought that with my journalism background (high school and hometown newspaper writing, sports stringer in college) and the fact that I already go to all the games, I'd be a natural. More importantly, it turns out that no one else was interested in the job, so Jeremy McBain, my editor, gave me a shot.

The Rayders' basketball team was 7-3 at the time and was headed into their biggest week of the season against rivals Traverse City St. Francis and Kalkaska. Who knew that with me covering the team, they'd reel off 16 straight wins and play in the state finals?

Covering games in Charlevoix or East Jordan is one thing, but heading down to the finals at Michigan State, that is big time. Jeremy told me that I'd have a press pass just like all the "real" reporters. He said that it'd get me in most everywhere. I thought to myself, "Where would I want to get in?"

One thing was for sure, my Ray-

der Final Four T-shirt would be frowned upon by my new media colleagues. I knew that hollering and screaming at the refs wouldn't be tolerated.

I left Charlevoix Thursday morning with my son in our "Honk for the Rayders" painted car. I wore my Final Four T-shirt under a sweatshirt, hoping I would have a chance to unveil it after a Rayder win. In other words, I was walking a fine line between professionalism and fandom.

I showed up at the Media Will Call window to get my press pass and tickets. Almost immediately, doors began to open for me. No one batted an eye as I walked into "reserved" and "for press only" areas.

We took a walk down to the court and peeked at the famed "press row," a row of seats just off the court, closer than anyone except the teams themselves. To my dismay, I found that they used assigned seating. I saw nameplates for the Detroit News and Free Press, the Grand Rapids Press but no matter how hard I looked, I couldn't find one for the Courier. I did spy a couple of spots taken by writers from Kalamazoo who were following the game before Charlevoix's.

I surmised that they wouldn't be hanging around for a game between Charlevoix and Detroit St. Martin dePorres. As the clock ticked down, sure enough, I was right and my boy Ty and I were just a couple of feet away from the action. No sense scamming seats if you can't include a 10-year-old in your fun.

It was so exciting; I got a little

carried away and snapped a few pictures with my own little camera.

In these great seats, I watched Charlevoix beat Detroit dePorres, which probably has been the top basketball program in Class C the past 10 years. At the end of the game, when I just had to cut loose and cheer, I moved a row back with the rest of the Rayder Rowdies.

Right after the game, I was in a conference room under the stands for the teams' postgame press conferences — you can't see that without a pass. I saw the dePorres kids crying and heard their coach talk about how they had no idea Jimmy Shepherd could shoot like that. I also got to hear him say that Charlevoix was the better team that day.

While we waited for the Charlevoix players, I heard some of the other writers talk about Charlevoix and their exciting wins over Mio, McBain, St. Ignace and dePorres. They also talked about Jimmy and his record setting day. You don't get to hear that without a pass.

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Allen Telgenhof and his son, Ty, concentrate on the Charlevoix Rayders' semifinal game against Detroit dePorres at the Breslin Center in East Lansing March 24 from their press row seats. The Rayders beat Detroit and went on to the state finals. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Men's Senior League March 26, 2001			Monday Madness March 26, 2001			Wanda & Trina March 26, 2001			Lutherans March 26, 2001								
South Down Cement	W	L	157	89	Paul Bunyan Lanes	407	213	W	L	152	96	Corrie & Bernie	152	96	Townhouse Bar	309	391
Wishkah Lumber	26	18	Bogart Roofing	356	264	Teresa & Julie	105	131	Rebecca & Barb	91	157	Howard's Optical	303	397	St. Mary's	283	417
Top Rank Disposal	25	19	Elzinga Country Crafts	327	293	Team 6	8	96	HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES					
Mark White Paint & Stain	21	23	Big Girls Enterprises	296	324	Series Game			Series Game			Series Game					
Central Drug Store	21	23	Legs & Co. Hair Design	294	326	Jane Pittman	560	191	Larry Potter	550	245	Joe Otmanski	627	230	Bill McKay	627	230
White Boyz II	20	24	Buzy Bees	284	336	Wanda Rann	189	191	Mark Greslak	604							
State Farm	15	29	Argonne Supper Club	267	353	Trina Houghton	166										
Juliana's	0	44	Juliana's	249	371	Mary Keam	421	406	Double Deckers Mixed League March 18, 2001								
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			Young At Hearts March 23, 2001											
Ron Gurry	612	238	Sheryl Denny	719	212	W	L	Webb	37.5	14.5	Crain Lamb	33	19				
Mark Murry	582	223	Laarna Mosoryak	719	212	W	L	36	20	Sladek J & Lisa	30.5	21.5					
John Murray	578	223	Lisa Sladek	714	209	Sparetime	36	20	Ferguson	29	23						
John Fiedorek	578		Linda Balentine	701		3 Guys & 1 Gal	31	25	Spencer	28	24						
			Jeanne Bogart	701		Funny Four	30	26	Russell J & A	27	25						
						Has Beens	30	26									
						Alley Cats	29	27									
						Missis	23	33									
						Twilighters	22	34	Hart	26.5	25.5						
						Irish Rollers	22	34	Whitley	25.5	26.5						
						HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES								
						Ken Schoenheit	538	215	Russell/Duckworth	25	27						
						Eldon Potter	525	204	Stadek J & Laura	24	28						
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A view from the press table at the state finals

PRESS

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Then Coach Haske came in with Jimmy and Scott Parrish. I fulfilled a mom's request and took some pictures of her son under the bright TV lights, answering questions.

I did get to hear the standup comedy of Coach Haske. He poked fun at himself, Jimmy, Rob Boss and even the reporters themselves. I was so inspired; I even asked a question. I knew I could always ask them questions later, but I thought, "Hey, my question might make it into the Free Press." (It didn't.)

After the press conference, I ran into Jeremy. He agreed to show me the one thing that every reporter must know. The location of the press room.

Man, those guys get free food and drink, programs, stat sheets, press notes and everything. Did I mention free food and drink? I guess I should say WE got those things, since I had my own press pass.

All my note taking during the game was for naught. They gave me a printout with all the stats and a play-by-play of what happened. Some of the information was pretty interesting. I knew that Charlevoix lost in the finals in 1938 and in the semis in 1999, but I didn't know they had lost in the semis six other times. That 23-5 loss in 1932 must have been brutal.

I left the semis determined to do better as a reporter for the finals. Well, specifically to use my press parking pass rather than spending the five bucks and to grab some press releases and free food before the finals.

After all that, the finals were a bit anticlimactic. Not to mention the fact that the Rayders lost, despite a great comeback and a great turnout by the whole town, it seemed. Now that all the fun of the weekend was over, it was time to make the long trip home and do the hard work of writing my article. Like I had been telling everyone all weekend, sure, it's fun to park close, sit courtside and get freebies. But the reason it happened is because I was there to work. Yeah, right.

At least I paid for my own meals, gas and hotel.

You know the Rayders only had three seniors on that team? I can't wait to get back to the Breslin again next year.

Allen Telgenhof is the sports stringer for the Charlevoix Courier. The Charlevoix Courier can be contacted by called (231) 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoix-courier@charlevoixcourier.com.

No serious injuries, one unit destroyed

FIRE

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Fire and rescue arrived at the site around 10:29 a.m. and found the majority of the residents had already been evacuated to the building's front corridor.

The three minute response may have made the difference between a total loss of all three floors and just the devastation of the Harrison apartment. Schwartzfisher explained that on average a fire grows ten times its volume every minute.

He added that when they first came upon the scene, he didn't see smoke but after walking around to the rear of the building he saw the thick, gray clouds rising from apartment 117 located on the bottom floor of the tri-level building. At this time the apartment was half consumed in flames.

The fire team broke the door wall and windows of the apartment dousing the interior with an estimated 2,500 gallons of water.

The day of the flare-up was a perfect northern Michigan spring day, sunny but cool. But, the elderly and disabled residents outdoors were uncomfortable and city police chief Dennis Halverson took immediate action. Officials were able to get a school bus to transport the

residents and provided them with snacks and beverages.

"When I arrived at the scene I saw people in various emotional states, with different medical conditions that we had to get out and do something with. We were fortunate to find a school bus and a transit bus," Halverson said.

Forty residents were transported to the County Sheriff's Department where 33 were served lunch and seven were picked up by friends and family.

While the 33 residents sat comfortably at the sheriff's department, fire fighters worked diligently to contain and extinguish the conflagration.

Resident of Pine River, Mary Ann Hamilton — on behalf of all residents at Pine River Place — said, "We want to thank the sheriff's department, police, EMT's...everyone that was out there. There were so many of them over there. They treated us like royalty. They took cookies and coffee around, snacks, treated us to lunch. They were just super...so caring."

At around noon, all but five residents were permitted to return to their apartment. Apartments 115-120 underwent a cleaning to remove water and the smell of smoke and the residents in them have



Residents of Pine River Place are taken by bus to a more comfortable place while they waited to return to their homes. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

since returned.

According to fire investigator Paul Ivan, the cause of the March 30 blaze was a toaster oven.

The report states that Robert Harrison was toasting a bagel when he was called to help someone in the hallway. When he returned to his apartment it was filled with smoke and flames.

Robert's wife, Rona Harrison called 911 to report the fire while her husband worked furiously to evacuate the 40 of the 65 residents

that were in the building at the time to the outside corridor.

Halverson said that after the blaze was extinguished further investigation found scorching in the ceiling indicating that fire rescue's quick response kept the fire contained to the ground floor.

Harrison said that the apartment itself was a total loss, it will have to be gutted. In the meantime, he and his wife have another residence in Charlevoix that they have relocated to.



The Acacia crushes the ice in the harbor at Beaver Island, signaling the start of spring. (Photo by Phyllis Moore)

landers the ice breaker any time... it means we are no longer so isolated. We can get our cars to the mainland, bring over large items and of course welcome our snow birds home again from those warm places like Arizona, Florida and Texas.

Spring has arrived on Beaver Island!

Phyllis Moore is a Beaver Island resident who contributes island news to the Courier. She can be reached through her website at www.beaverislandtour.com.

Classical works to be performed at church

"A German Requiem" by Johannes Brahms will be presented at 4 p.m. on Sunday, April 8 at the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix, located at the corner of Park and State streets.

The Requiem, under the direction of Ellen Addington, will be performed by the Charlevoix area Community Chorale, orchestra and soloists.

The work is one of the monumental works in choral literature.

Soloists for the concert will be Debra Lehman, soprano and Jeffery Norris, bass-baritone.

Lehman is an instructor of voice at Calvin College and a frequent soloist in the greater Grand Rapids area, as well as Bach's "Magnificat in D" under the direction of Sir David Willcocks. She earned a Masters degree in voice from Indiana University. Norris is one of northern Michigan's most popular artists. He is a voice instructor and director of the opera workshop at the Interlochen Arts Academy. He has performed the Requiems of Faure, Rutter, Mozart and Brahms with the chorale as well as Bach's "Passion according to St. Matthew."

Addington is the director of music at the Charlevoix Congregational Church.

Participants in this program come from a wide area: Gaylord, Traverse City, Elk Rapids, Charlevoix, Boyne City, Indian River, Harbor Springs and Petoskey.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

There is no charge, but a free will offering will be accepted.

A reception will follow the program.

Tenth annual Easter Egg Hunt at park on April 14

The tenth annual Easter Egg Hunt will take place at 2 p.m. April 14 in East Park.

Prior to the egg hunt Stafford's Weathervane restaurant will host the annual Easter Bunny Luncheon from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Children will have the opportunity to have their picture taken with the Easter bunny. Call 547-4311 to make reservations for lunch with the Easter bunny.

Following the luncheon and photographs, the Easter bunny will be in downtown Charlevoix for the Easter Egg Hunt which will begin at 2 p.m. in East Park.

The children will be divided into three different age groups and then they will search for 5,000 hidden eggs with special prizes inside.

Adults can also win an Easter basket filled with merchandise and gift certificates from Charlevoix businesses. Turning in a sales receipt from a purchase made at any Charlevoix business on April 14 with your name, address and phone number written on the back of it, to the Chamber of Commerce will register you in a drawing to win one of the baskets.

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Obituaries

Jack Wallace Paul: March 7, 1925 - March 27, 2001

Jack Wallace Paul, 76, passed away March 27 in Livonia.

Jack was born March 7, 1925 in Punxsutawney, Pa. During his life he worked as a fireman for the Detroit Fire Department. In 1970 he was promoted to sergeant. In 1973 he was promoted to lieutenant. He retired in 1974 after 28 years of service, most of which he spent with the tenth battalion.

He moved from Charlevoix to Plymouth five years ago. He was a Charlevoix resident for 25 years.

He was a member of the St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton and was also a member of the Retired Firefighters Association.

Jack also served in the U.S. Coast Guard during World War II in the South Pacific on the Coast Guard ship Papaw.

He loved antique collecting, photography and traveling.

Survivors include his sons, Thomas J. Paul of Redford, John M. Paul of Plymouth, James A. (Becky) Paul of Wayland and Patrick B. (Kim) Paul of West Bloomfield; daughters Karen M. Paul of Westland, Maureen T. (Richard) Sloan of Dexter, Kathleen M. (Robert) Paul of Novi and Jacqueline A. (John Sobczak) Paul of Bloomfield Township; 22 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral for Jack took place March 30 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church, the Rev. Father George Chamley officiated.

Memorial contributions may be given to the V.A. Ann Arbor Health Care System 2215 Fuller Road, Ann Arbor, MI 48105.

Frank L. Risley: Dec. 2, 1931 - March 3, 2001

Frank L. Risley, 69, first-born son of Frank and Elizabeth Risley, passed away March 3.

He was born in Detroit on Dec. 2, 1931.

Frank joined the U.S. Coast Guard at the age of 17, serving for 21 years with 11 of those years overseas. In 1969 he retired as a chief warrant officer.

Frank's motorcycle travels brought him to Montana. He fell in love with the Big Sky state and decided to move his family from Charlevoix to Missoula in

1975. Frank was involved in many motorcycle club activities and was highly dedicated to the Montana Hope Project, helping Montana's terminally ill children.

Survivors include his wife Carole; his daughter Mary Greil of Missoula, Mont. and her husband Tom and their children Ben and Katy; his daughter Karen Servick of New Castle, Pa. and her husband Joe and their daughter Montana; his stepson Matt Hermes of Missoula and his wife Peggy and their daughter Reilly; his stepson

Jeff Hermes of Greenacres, Wash. and his wife Kim and their son Jacob; brothers Chuck, Bob and Dave Risley and their wives; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

A celebration of Frank's life, with family and friends, took place March 16 at the National Guard Armory in Missoula, Mont.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Montana Hope Project, P.O. Box 5927, Helena, Mont. 59604.

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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. The legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information

call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

The Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from

2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

Business organizations —

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-2101.

The story of the island's German Father Zugelder

By ROBERT COLE

Beaver Island Historical Society

For well over 120 years, Beaver Island was a largely Irish-American culture with close ties with the Catholic Church. The island's Holy Cross Parish was involved in more than just the religious life of its residents; it played an active role in the community's educational, social, and civic spheres as well.

From 1866 to 1898, Father Peter Gallagher had led the parish of Holy Cross. The Irish-born Gallagher's common heritage with the islanders, along with his fluency in Gaelic, helped to embed the priest among his people for thirty-two years.

Upon his sudden death at 67, the congregation found itself at a loss. The islanders appealed to the diocese for a permanent replacement, but it would be almost another year before an available priest could be found. The locals must have waited with some uncertainty as well, for Gallagher's passing was the end of an era, and the future shape of the local Church an unknown quantity.

It was against this backdrop that Father Alexander F. Zugelder arrived in St. James Harbor on July 4, 1899. Born and educated in Baden, Germany, he had led two Michigan parishes prior to his arrival on Beaver Island. After years of building up each pastorate he had served, the 33-year-old cleric had volunteered to lead the island mission.

Zugelder applied a sense of practical foresight to his new station on the rural island. He transferred to Holy Cross upon the condition that two nuns join him there. The Diocese of Grand Rapids and the Dominican Order there agreed to his request. The Order offered to include two additional Sisters, one a musician, the other a cook and

housekeeper. These four nuns were to be the first in a long tradition of Dominican teachers to serve the Island's school system over the next 90 years.

He rented a small house for himself on the harbor and had the nuns set up in a home across the street. The building next to the Sister's abode had been a saloon; Zugelder quickly made arrangements and by the spring of 1900, the tavern had been converted into a chapel.

The Father next set his sights on the Parish complex. Situated near a hillside cemetery a mile south of St. James were the church and an adjoining one-story rectory, built in the 1860's. The rustic buildings had changed little since their construction. The priest used his natural affability and determination to raise large donations of money and labor to conduct major renovations. He had the church nearly doubled in size, added a choir loft, and installed a hot air furnace. Later, the original wood-frame rectory was razed and replaced by a new convent in 1901, into which the Sisters relocated from their harbor residence.

In 1902 Father Zugelder began work on a new rectory sited across the street from the church. Calling on nearby farmers to collect stones and large boulders from their fields, construction began on a two-story cobblestone edifice with walls twenty inches thick, replete with a rooftop deck for observation. Finding work delayed due to a lack of volunteers, local legend has it that in response the good Father lit a nearby woodshed afire; when men scurried in to the area to help, they found the shed in ashes. Having a captive labor pool thus assembled, Zugelder promptly put them to work.

Completed in 1903, the new rec-



Father Alexander Zugelder with his band in a photo from 1903. (Courtesy of the Beaver Island Historical Society)

tory drew the praise of the Charlevoix Sentinel's editor Willard Smith: "Father Zugelder's house is the best on the island (and) the location of it could not have been better. The view from the highest point of the house was cleverly planned...one can see the whole north end...the harbor and point, all neighboring islands, and the north shore of the mainland on a clear day."

The material improvements in Holy Cross Parish certainly bolstered his congregation's sense of pride; yet Father Zugelder's contributions were not limited to bricks and mortar. He was, more importantly, an accessible touch-

stone in his people's spiritual and cultural life. During his six years there, weekly mass attendance doubled. Beyond his clerical role he was active as counselor, leader of musical groups, and organizer of community gatherings.

He strove to raise his flock's own latent sense of religious purpose, reaching across presumed ethnic barriers to speak to the immigrant population in terms relevant to their cultural identity. As Zugelder's friend Willard Smith attested, "It is clearly seen that...he is partial to the Irish, and they, in return, are very fond of him and highly appreciate his labors for their spiritual and temporal wel-

fare." That a German-born pastor could so skillfully effect these changes within an isolated Irish community a century ago reveals much of his vision and breadth of spirit.

Having shepherded his parishioners into a new century and a deepened sense of spiritual and communal purpose, Father Zugelder's pastorate at Holy Cross Parish ended in 1905. Today, the buildings he helped create and improve still stand on Beaver Island. Though now the church has been moved into town, and the other structures serve different purposes, his legacy, both tangible and intangible, remains.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Community lunch

There is a community lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

Garden club to meet

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will have its next meeting at 1 p.m. on April 10 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Steve Tvedten, president of PEST (Prevent Environmental Suicide Today) and a recipient of the Small Business of the Year Environmental Award will be the speaker. He will

help them understand how to control and eradicate pests from our home and garden the safe way.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club is a member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan. Call 547-2742 for more information.

Chicken dinner

The Charlevoix Senior Center, located at 06906 Norwood Road, will serve a special "Chicken Dinner" from 5 to 7 p.m., April 11.

Alzheimer's support group

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group will be at the Charlevoix Commission on Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. This group will begin meeting on April 17, from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. and will continue meeting the third Tuesday of each month. Please contact the Alzheimer's Association Northwest Michigan Chapter at (800) 337-3827 for more information.

CPR, First Aid

CPR and first aid classes available at Charlevoix Area Hospital. The

following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

April 4 — Adult CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Code classes

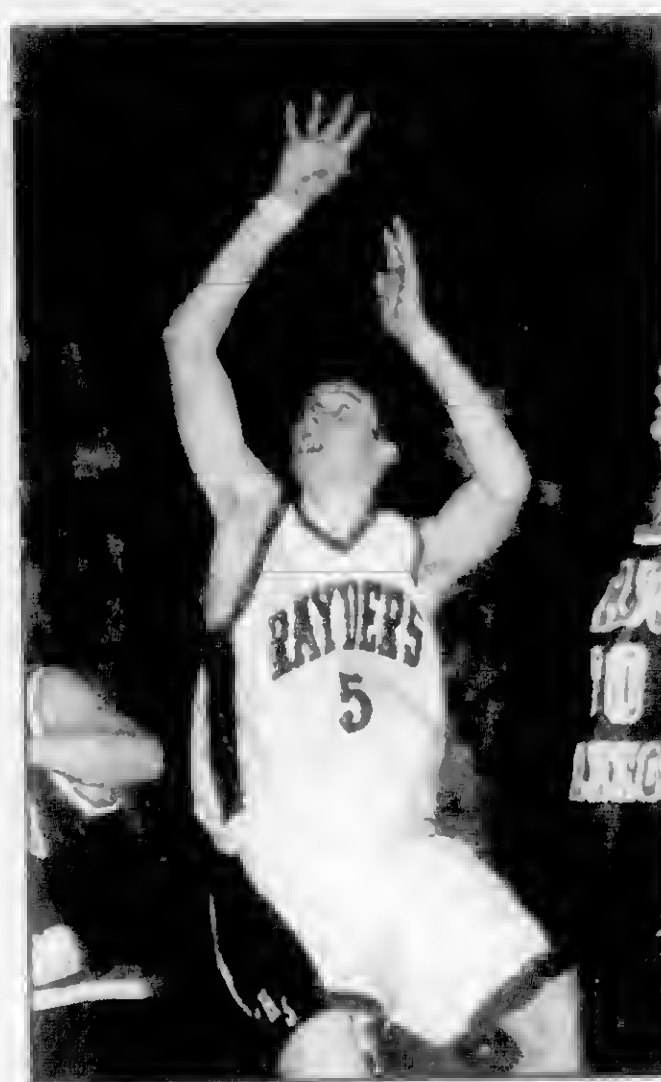
The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical updating to the new 2000 code's on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Rd. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. plumbing will be covered and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop, and donuts will be provided.

Featured event

Rayder honors

A ceremony for the Charlevoix High School varsity basketball team will be given at 7:30 p.m., April 16, in the gym at the Charlevoix High School. The public is invited to this event. (File photo)



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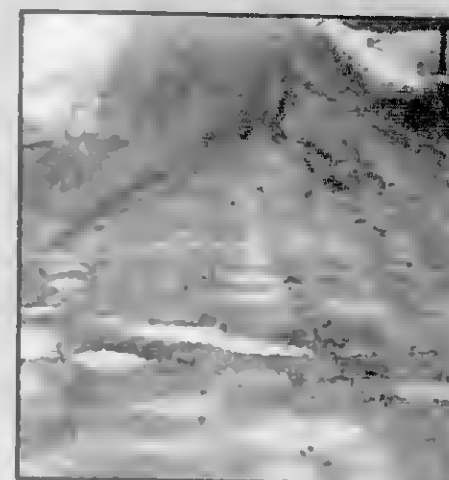
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Pool time



The Charlevoix Area
Pool has announced its
schedul for spring
and summer pro-
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Deer forces EMT to act fast

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

When Superman comes on the scene of a crisis in his bright blue suit and red cape he sticks out like a sore thumb, but Charlevoix hero Bob Roloff saves lives incognito, in a gray sweatshirt and jeans.

Recently, Roloff, the local Emergency Medical Service coordinator, was involved in a situation where he had to rely on his fast reactions and ended up needing help himself.

At around 6 p.m. April 5 while transporting a patient with a broken neck from Charlevoix Area Hospital to Munson Medical Center in Traverse City, Roloff came across a situation many northern Michigan drivers have been in — an unavoidable deer/vehicle collision.

But Charlevoix City Fire Chief Doug Carver explained this collision was anything but average. He said that Roloff thinks of the well-being of his patient above all else and wouldn't slam on the brakes because he risked further injury to the man he was transporting.

A pregnant doe impacted the ambulance on the driver's side, crashed through the window and smashed into the left side of Roloff's face.

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Signs of spring abound



Getting warmer

(Above) The Beaver Island Boat Company's ferry was seen making its first trip from the Island Wednesday morning after a winter of rest. The ship is seen above cutting through ice in order to get to the Pine River Canal as a fishing tug waits. (Left) Kendra Russell, 7, of Charlevoix, took advantage of last week's spring temperatures to enjoy an ice cream cone at Dairy Queen on Bridge Street. (Top photo by Jeremy McBain. Left by Julie Musilek)

False alarms cause many problems in area

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

How does a law enforcement officer better serve and protect the community — by pursuing violators or by chasing false alarms?

This question has become important as city and county police responded to over 300 false alarms in 2000 and each response can take up to 45 minutes of an officer's time.

"One or two (false alarms) could take away the whole force for a period of time," Charlevoix City Police Chief Dennis Halverson said.

Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater agreed. Home invasion alarms are taking up too much of on duty police officers' time, he said.

Last year, Charlevoix county officers responded to 251 alarms, none of which were valid.

"The frustrating part is we treat each alarm as a felony in progress. We drop what we are doing and respond to it. It takes officers away," Lasater said.

Lasater explained that the false alarms have a couple of negative impacts. One, they absorb an officer's valuable time and two, they create the "boy who cried wolf" effect.

The "boy who cried wolf" effect occurs after the station has re-

ceived eight false alarms from the same house; on the ninth officers may be less apt to rush over.

"The unfortunate thing about that is we'll be called to an alarm at so-and-so's place and think it's just another false alarm. Some day it could be valid and someone could get hurt," Lasater said.

Halverson deals with repeated offenders using a tactic based on this same effect.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Anthony John Wormell, 18, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Gary Steven McSawby, 47, Charlevoix. Second degree criminal sexual conduct-multiple variables. Bound over to circuit court.

Kenneth Russell Mathews, 32, East Jordan. Breaking and entering-illegal entry without permission. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Georgia Lee Turnbull, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or more. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 15 hours of community service work; \$310 in fines and costs.

Charles Stuart Gilmore, 17, Boyne City. Driving while im-

paired. Six months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; jail for 34 days with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$590 in fines and costs.

Lawrence Reid Becker Jr., 24, Petoskey. Driving while license suspended. Jail for 18 days with credit for 18 days; \$660 in fines and costs.

Michael Ray Scott, 24, Belleville. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Six months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$590 in fines and costs.

Timothy James Welch, 49, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Nine months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community

service work in lieu of three days in jail; \$685 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Chad Allen Stoinski, 20, Charlevoix. Count 1 — weapons-firearms possession by a felon; and count 2 — larceny in a building. Count 1 — jail for a minimum of 24 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 39 days; count 2 — jail for a minimum of 23 months and a maximum of 48 months with credit for 39 days.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Shepherd's Staff Farm, 15608 Klooster Road, Charlevoix, by Michael H. Dennis

St. Joseph Matrix Mold, 9210 North Pointe Woods Drive,

Charlevoix, by Joshua Wilson Janine's Professional Cleaning Service, 3648 Servers Drive, Kewadin, by Larry D. Wooden and Janine K. Wooden

Lauren's Designs, 6480 Michigan Shores Drive, Charlevoix, by Lauren Hinchman

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Lloyd Burley McPherson, 37, East Jordan and Andrea Rae McGarey, 33, East Jordan

Tracy Allen Morris, 32, East Jordan and Dona Donii Gilland, 32, East Jordan

Divorces

The following people have been granted judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Douglas Sloan vs. Amy Sloan
Keith Metheny vs. Ricka Metheny

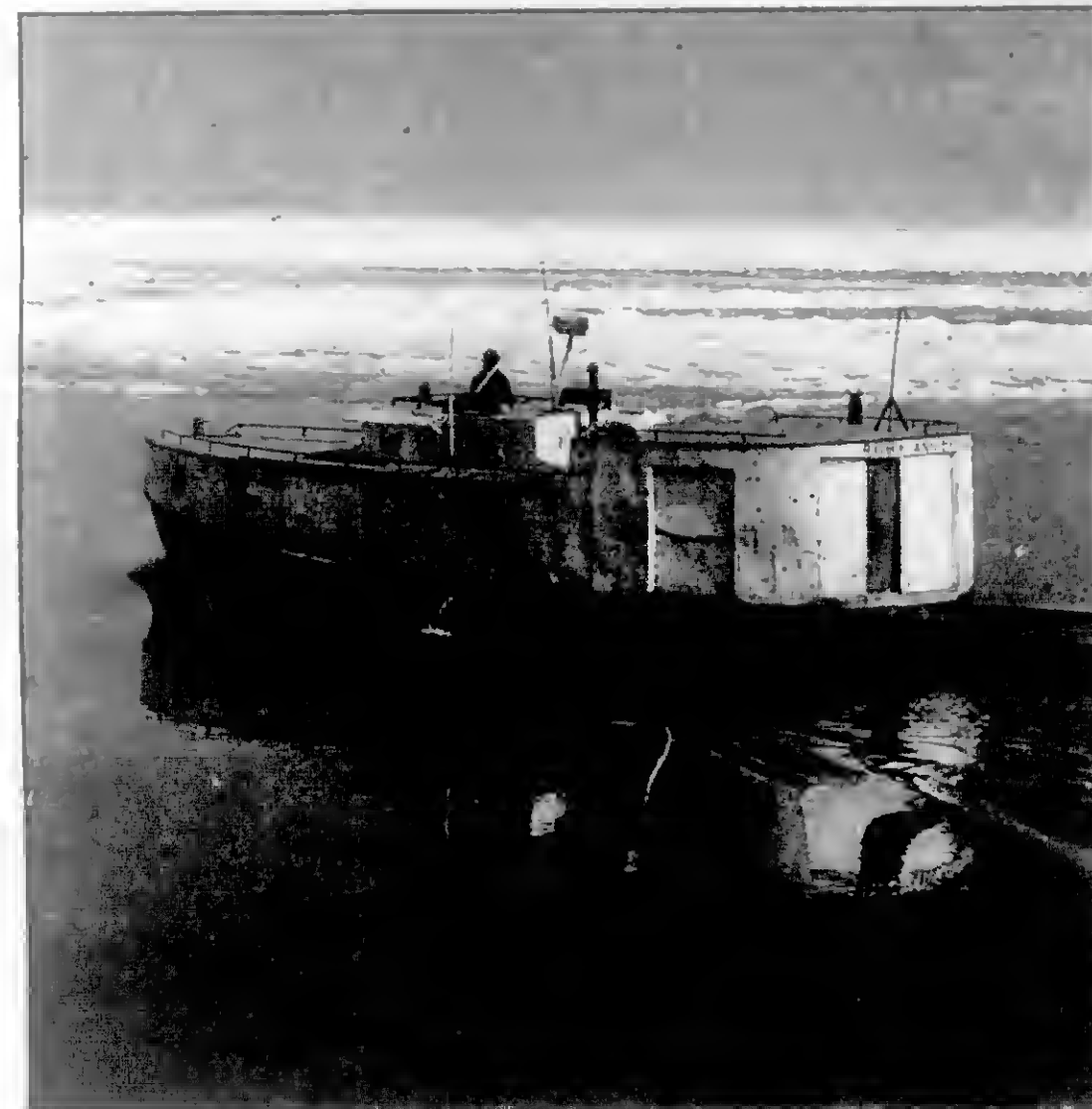
Births

Rylynn Shae was born March 31 to Joe and Laural Sladek of Charlevoix. Grandparents are Sherry and Jerry Phillips of Colorado, Larry and Barb Bradley of Illinois and John and Bev Sladek of Charlevoix.

Morgan Casey Welham was born to Blair and Melissa Welham of Petoskey on April 2, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Morgan weighed 7 pounds, 12 ounces at birth.

Kristen Elizabeth Tharp was born to Russell and Julie Tharp of Boyne City on April 1 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Kristen weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces at birth.

Aaron Jay Roberts was born to Ronald and Heather Roberts of East Jordan on April 1 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Aaron weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce.



Spring fish

This fishing boat was seen gliding out of the calmness of the Pine River Channel to the waiting icy waters of Lake Michigan last week. Warm temperatures also allowed the Beaver Island ferry to make a run. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Warning

Open water maintained around dock on the shore of Lake Charlevoix between Pine Point and Oyster Bay.

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The Charlevoix Rotary Club's Dan Barron and Dennis Halverson just can't wait for the new high school auditorium to be built. They even have already picked out their seats, although they had to brave the mud to do so. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Rotary extends fund-raiser

The Charlevoix Rotary Club is extending its performing arts center fund-raising drive for a few more months.

"Construction engineers are still working on the performing arts center's design, so we will have a few more months to raise the money we need to accomplish our goal," Rotary Reach for the Stars co-chair Dan Barron said.

In October of last year, the Charlevoix Rotary Club under-

took a project to raise \$225,000 to upgrade the new high school auditorium to a state-of-the-art performing center.

This upgrade would allow for a wider variety of performances and entertainment opportunities for the entire community to enjoy. A 192 channel sound system, computerized lighting system and professional-caliber stage rigging and curtains will be the result of the Rotary's campaign.

So far, approximately \$50,000 has been raised with money still coming in.

Contributions are being accepted at any bank in the Charlevoix area. Bronze, silver, gold and "galaxy level" contributions will be recognized on a plaque in the new center.

Also, contributors will be given early opportunities to purchase tickets for performances for a three year period.

Options limited for last-minute tax filers

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

April means more than just rain, it also means tax time.

This year, filing by midnight on April 16 may be hard for local procrastinators as the post offices in Petoskey, East Jordan and Charlevoix will be closing at 5 p.m. April 16.

The Petoskey post office located at 318 State Street has in the past kept late hours for those with last minute changes or late night filers. But, according to post office supervisor Dick Morford, this year budget constraints won't allow the office to offer that service.

"We did a survey during tax times when we were open and found there wasn't enough traffic to

warrant having someone stick around here. Even if we could guarantee 1,000 people would come in we couldn't do it. Things are kind of tight right now so unfortunately that service is one thing we cut back on," Morford said.

Those sitting at home trying to figure out how to get the documents postmarked April 16 when nearby post offices are closed for the day at 5 p.m. are offered an alternative in Charlevoix County.

Boyne City Postmaster Leslie Smith said that the Boyne City post office, 301 East Water Street, will not have an attendant on duty but will have a collection box available that will be picked up at midnight.

Smith said that documents put in the box after 5 p.m. will be postmarked April 16.

Area family featured on television show

The Russell and Susan Bolt Gallery and Studio, Grange Hall Pottery, will be featured on HGTV this month and next.

Segments featuring the business will be aired at 2 p.m. on April 25 and at 2 p.m. on May 14.

The two shows will feature the paintings, ceramics and history of the Bolt family. There will be a demonstration of ceramics and

paintings and construction and completion of their popular art works.

The film will also display work in their gallery on Marion Center Road and at their Charlevoix home, as well as interviews with the family by the host, Carol Duvall.

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Now the city knows plans are a mistake

One of the best gifts is the ability to find out you are going to make a mistake, before you actually make it.

This gives you time to react, time to change your ways and thus time to save yourself from the mistake. This is exactly the position the city of Charlevoix should be thinking they are in right now when it comes to its plans for marina upgrades.

Based on reactions from the community in this newspaper, it seems that the two conceptual plans for a new city marina are too much. One proposed plan would add over 100 new slips to the marina and extend into other riparian areas and the other plan would add over 80 slips, both of which are just too big for residents to sign on to.

Residents rightly point out that this massive addition will turn Round Lake into nothing more than a giant parking lot for boats, not to mention the impacts this could have on the natural environment in Round Lake. Plus, the impacts on the length of time the bridge will be up to allow boats to enter the lake could be tremendous.

It is understandable that the city would want to bring in more boats to Round Lake. More boats means more shoppers in downtown businesses

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and the marina is in need of updates. But there are just too many negatives with the conceptual plans currently out there.

It should be stressed that both of these marina plans are not written in stone. They will change before any work is being done on the marina.

In fact, city officials state they want to hear what the public wants to see done with the marina, and in East Park, before a final plan is drawn up. So, when people comment on their dissatisfaction with the two proposed plans in the newspaper, in public meetings and to their city representatives it should give a strong indication to officials that this is not the direction they want to go in.

It is still early and your comments on what needs to be done with the marina are still needed. City officials say they want the public's opinion, so let's be sure to give it to them.

Speaking out now is the best way to keep the city from making a very big mistake with its marina in the future. And the mistake would be for the city to build a marina like the ones presented in the proposed plans.

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The great month of April and snow naming results



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

April is my favorite month and I have some reason to believe that May will be too.

Now that there are only a very few places where piled up snow still lingers, it is probably safe to declare winter over, but March seems to linger in the thoughts of some.

A number of people have told me in the past two weeks that my affection for the month of March is at least misplaced. Some even suggested what I might do with that particular opinion.

I have a confession to make. I recently reread one of Erma Bombeck's brief tales in a book called, "Motherhood, the Second Oldest Profession." In it she tells of the mother who wrote to each of

her three sons, swore them to eternal secrecy and then explained to each that she had always loved them best.

What I was trying to do with the applause for March was something like that. It would not be difficult to write about each month in Charlevoix as my favorite. Mostly, I like the one I'm living in at the moment.

For those of you with a genuine antipathy for March, lighten up.

Before the last snow mummy melts away, we should conclude the snow naming contest from a couple of months ago. If you recall, readers were asked to offer new names for the many different sorts of snow we see in the course of an ordinary winter.

There were two entries. Maybe people are busier in February than I thought.

Tom Hanna told me that only the light feathery stuff that drifts down with no two flakes alike is real snow and then provided names for the other white things that fall from the sky.

Beebe sized granules should be called "Spelet" and smaller ones,

"Snitt." For sleet that is almost rain, he would like us to use "Snizel." I plan to use "Snizel" whenever that happens.

The other entry came from Mrs. Jeffery Dickson, whose suggestions carried me back to the plains where I grew up. I used to tell people that until I left home, I was not aware that snow fell; I only saw it moving sideways. Mrs. Dickson would have me call that "Sinooin," a short-hand form of side-snow wind. If you say it fast, it sounds like "snowin."

The whiteout produced by sinooin should be called, "Whows" (almost rhymes with "whoa") for what you should be doing instead of driving.

There will be another contest next winter, but don't think snow until you have to. Focus on the cross.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

We need a skating rink

Editor:

I'm a middle school student in Charlevoix. I think Charlevoix needs a new indoor ice skating rink. One reason is because the public rink gets all slushy halfway through the winter because of the weather. Some kids have rusted blades because of the slushy water. Also kids are bored in spring and summer. Have you seen all the kids just walking around with nothing to do? We should have at least one indoor ice skating rink. We can get the money from taxes and you can charge \$10 for one person and \$15 for a family. If we could have an ice rink, kids would be much happier.

Kyle Shearer
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

We need more sleep

Editor:

I think middle schoolers and high schoolers need more sleep in the morning. First of all, if they don't get enough sleep they might stop coming to school in the morning. For example, they might not come to school because they might sleep in and forget about school. They might not come to school because they are too late or tired to come and are not ready for school. They are also tired because middle schoolers and high schoolers stay up later at night and have to go to school earlier in the morning.

Another reason why our schools should start later is because every morning when I go to school almost everyone in my school is tired. We are so tired that in my second hour

class, my teacher makes us stand up and do stretches. My mom and dad also take me to school in the morning because the bus comes to pick me up for school too early and they think I go to school too early.

Most importantly, middle schoolers and high schoolers need more rest. Scientists say that kids need at least nine to 12 hours of sleep a night and we only get seven to eight hours of sleep. We also need more sleep because if we don't get enough, we might not be able to concentrate in school. We do better when we get our sleep and are well rested! I hope you will consider starting school at a later time.

Sasha Spencley
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

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We need a year-round soccer team

Editor:

I am a sixth grader in Charlevoix Middle School. I strongly think we should have a year-round Charlevoix soccer team for all ages. In addition to this, kids would be more involved and would be playing soccer in their spare time and not getting into trouble.

For example, kids or preteens who smoke or do things that are juvenile will maybe stop doing those things because they are worried about their game. I think if a kid gets booted off a team because of their grades, they will care more about their work. Another reason for this is that it gives people more self-confidence and exercise. That also means stronger bones for older people.

Most importantly, it's good for the people of Charlevoix. It gives Charlevoix something else to cheer for. All these reasons are very important. Please consider my proposal.

Brittany Amick
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Children should not be punished as adults

Editor:

I'm a sixth grade student attending Charlevoix Middle School. I feel that children under the age of 18 years old should not be tried as an adult or receive adult punishment. One reason I feel this way is because a child could be put in prison. Another reason that I feel this way is because if a child does

something wrong to make you send them to prison they aren't going to learn any good from being there. They may be sorry for what they did, but I'm sure that they won't pick up very many good habits. I know people who have seen a prisoner before; they do not act very polite. The adult prisoners would be very bad influences on children my age.

Another reason I feel that children under the age of 18 should not be tried as an adult is because children need to see the world around them. If a child is in juvenile hall they are given the opportunity to go outside while on probation. If a child is sentenced to life in prison they don't have the opportunity to be on probation and see town. Gym teachers everywhere will agree with me that students need to have exercise. They also need to be outdoors or even able to go into town so that they can see what kinds of changes and differences have been made in their town and in the world.

A third and final reason that I feel that children under the age of 18 shouldn't be tried as an adult is because children need an education. Teachers agree with me also. If you're a juvenile delinquent you're given the opportunity of an education. If you're sentenced to prison you're not. This means that you will never have received any knowledge other than what you learned before you were sent to prison. You may never be able to assure yourself that you have fulfilled your job as a student.

I would hope that most of the readers of your paper agree with me, and believe in what I stand for. I thank you for your time and cooperation.

Lindi Edger
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

School should start later

Editor:

I am a sixth grade student at Charlevoix Middle School. I am writing to say that school should start later. Students need to be awake to concentrate on their work. Then, because students can concentrate, they can comprehend much better. This may also lead to higher grades and higher MEAP scores. So, then people in other towns and cities can go, "Wow, Charlevoix is really smart!"

Another reason that school should start later is that students rarely get the recommended amount of sleep for people their age. Scientists have recommended that school age children get nine to 12 hours of sleep each night. An example of this is a student goes to bed at 9 p.m. and

has to get up at 5:30 a.m. to catch the bus. That person only got eight and a half hours of sleep! Some kids even get up before their parents! Studies have shown that the time that the majority of the kids get in trouble is between 3 p.m. and 6. This is because that time is after school and before dinner.

We should start school at 9:45 a.m. (after the elementary school) and get out at 4:41 p.m. Having school at this time would enable kids to sleep in and would shorten the time between school getting out and dinner. Our schools say that they put children first but are we really putting children first by starting school so early?

Mia Matchett
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Thank you

Editor:

The residents of Pine River Place and the families of those living there would like to express our thanks to the many people who helped Friday morning when there was a fire on the first floor. Such an outpouring of love and concern — it was absolutely wonderful! No doubt there were 40-50 people doing whatever was necessary and it was deeply appreciated. We cannot name them all — the fire department, sheriff's department, Charlevoix police, ambulance personnel, drivers of both school and county buses and many private citizens who saw a need and responded.

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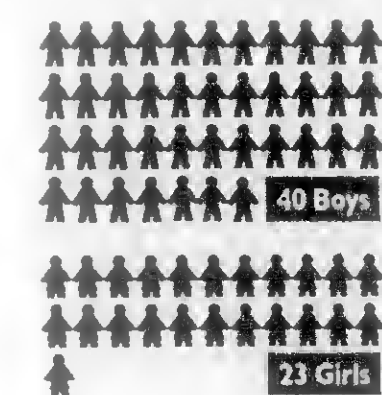
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Charlevoix High School history teacher, Ann Marie Conway, explains the Kohler Scholarship entry requirements to her American Government class. The winner will receive a \$500 award for tuition. (Courtesy photo)



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Historical Society to offer scholarship

The Charlevoix Historical Society is announcing its annual scholarship contest, open to graduating seniors at Charlevoix High School or Northwest Academy in Charlevoix.

The Benona Jane Kohler Scholarship is presented to the student whose project or essay best represents the history of Charlevoix. The winner will receive a \$500 award toward tuition at the college or university of choice. Entry deadline is May 2, 2001.

The first Kohler Scholarship was awarded in 1987 to Geoffrey Reynolds, who is now the Collections Archivist for the Joint Archives of Holland at Hope College.

The most recent award winner was Tyler Lieberman, Charlevoix High School class of 2000 who is now a freshman at the University of Michigan.

The Harsha House Museum at 103 State Street, operated by the Charlevoix Historical Society, is open for student research from 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday and from 1 to 7 p.m. Thursday.

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Marcie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Beaudoin of Charlevoix. Brian is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sladics of Rochester Hills.

A wedding for Aug. 18 is being planned at the First Congregation Church in Charlevoix. A reception is also being planned at the Charlevoix Country Club.

The bride-to-be is a 1996 graduate of Michigan State University in interior design. She is currently employed as a contract designer for Northern Office Suppliers in Petoskey.

The groom-to-be is a 1992 graduate of Michigan State University and a 1996 graduate of the University of Michigan School of Dentistry. He is currently a general dentist practicing with the Maple Ridge Dental Group in East Jordan.

Senior center announces upcoming fund-raisers

The Charlevoix Senior Center has announced several upcoming fund-raising dinners over the next two months.

They will be: Today — chicken dinner; April 24 — roast beef dinner; May 1 — Swiss steak dinner (tickets necessary); May 16 — chicken dinner and May 29 — roast beef dinner.

All ages are welcome. These dinners are necessary so that renovations can be funded and completed before the busy summer months begin.

Renovations will include an elevator, a pantry and a covered entryway. The elevator to the lower area of the building will provide accessibility so that everyone can participate in the computer, craft, wood carving, music and other activities now located downstairs. Installation of the elevator should begin in April. The pantry project involves enclosing the patio just off the kitchen and

will protect the refrigeration units that have been stored there. The third project is to cover the front walkway into the center. This was part of the original plan for the building and will protect visitors from rain and snow.

Much of the funding for the elevator has been secured through grants. In addition, individual fund-raisers have brought the total to over \$32,000. If there is extra money collected for the elevator, the funds will be directed toward supplies for the other two projects. Center volunteer labor will be used whenever possible to keep costs of the lift and all the renovations as low as possible.

These projects will complete what was envisioned for the Charlevoix Senior Center when the first expansions were made to the old Charlevoix Township Hall in 1988. Call the Charlevoix Senior Center at 547-5361 if you would like to volunteer or would like more details.



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Sue Louiselle

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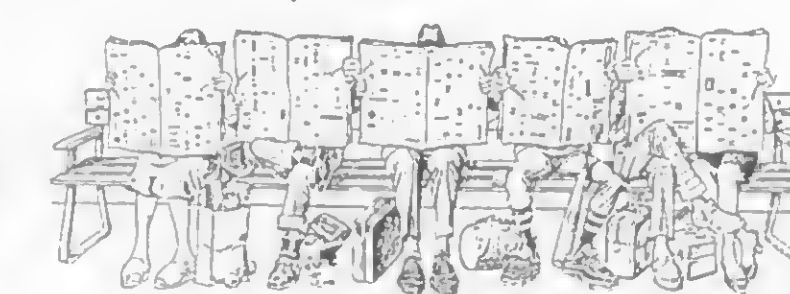
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Obituaries

Franklyn Webster Smith: March 22, 1915 - April 5, 2001

Franklyn Webster Smith, 86, of Jackson and formerly of Charlevoix, died April 5, 2001 at Jackson Medical Care Facility in Jackson.

A funeral service was given April 8 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. Michael Mitchell of the Assembly of God Church officiated. Burial took place in Brookside Cemetery.

Frank was born on March 22, 1915, in Jackson, the son of Otto and Blanche (Melhorn) Smith. The family moved to Charlevoix, where he spent his childhood and attended school and worked in his father's grocery store. Frank en-

joyed speed skating and won the 1930s Northern Michigan Speed Skating Championship.

In 1936, he married Velma Miller. Over the years, Frank sold real estate, owned his own lumber mill, ran a produce stand and sold fish.

He was also a veteran serving in the Civil Conservation Corps in California.

On Feb. 1, 1975, he married Patsy Bennett in Port Charlotte, Fla. They eventually moved to Eckerman, where they owned and operated a tavern.

Survivors include his wife, Patsy of Springport; six children, De-

lores June Kilpatrick of Jackson, Donna (Frank) Rathjens of Charlevoix, Gary (Gail) Smith of Charlevoix, Stanley (Asondra) Smith of Romulus, Maryann "Suzie" (Robert) Wise of Charlevoix and Steven Smith of Charlevoix; three step-children, Sheri Dawn (John, Sr.) Graffius of Easton, Penn., Hope Denise Nau of Jackson and Timothy Brian Nau of Jackson; 16 grandchildren, 35 great-grandchildren, seven great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Dorothy Richards of Arcadia, Fla.

He was preceded in death by one son, Dale.

Robert Cook Ashdon: Died April 2, 2001

Robert "Bob" Cook Ashdon, a retired Chief Warrant Boatswain of the US Coast Guard and a life member of the Charlevoix Masonic Lodge, died April 2, 2001 at age 84 in Daytona, Fla.

CWO4 Ashdon joined the Coast Guard in 1936 as a Surfman and was stationed on Beaver Island. He saw WW-2 service in the North Atlantic on the Iceland run. Then at-

tended invasion landing craft training in Norfolk, Va. and New Orleans, La. before going to the South Pacific on APA-4 McCawley and later AK-53 Lebra for the three USMC invasions of Guadalcanal and the invasions of both Boganvill and Talogie.

He was born as Dallas Eugene Mead, the son of Miss Merle Belle Mead of Rogersville and Flint. As

an infant, he was adopted by Ray and Nellie Ashdon of Charlevoix.

He is survived by his loving wife, Shirley V. Partridge Ashdon of Florida; a sister, Marjory Dalton of Florida; son, Henry A. "Tony," retired USCG of Rockport, Mass; and daughter, Andrea Ashdon, of Florida; two grand-children, Dan R. Ashdon of Florida and Amy Ashdon of Massachusetts.

Gordon William Ward: April 7, 1940 - April 1, 2001

Gordon William Ward, 60, of Littleton, Colo., died April 1, 2001.

Services were given April 7 at the Horan and McConully Funeral Home of Lakewood, Colo.

Gordon was born April 2, 1940 in Charlevoix to Archie and Alta Ward. His foster parents were George Bergmann and

Josephine (Bergmann) Wood. He graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1959.

On Dec. 29, 2000, he married Jackie Plunkett Ward in Littleton, Colo. He was employed at Adams Lumber.

He also enjoyed golf and visiting Charlevoix during the summer. Gordon will be missed

by his family and all his classmates and friends in Charlevoix.

Surviving Gordon are: his son, Scott Ward of Grand Rapids; daughter, Kathy (Mark) Lane of Alto; granddaughter, Amanda and grandson, Ross, both of Grand Rapids and sister, Wanda (Bob) Dixon of Plymouth, Ind.

Stanley Babcock Smith: Nov. 21, 1905 - April 3, 2001

A founding member of the Northwest Michigan Orchid Society of Traverse City and enjoyed reminding his friends that, "Orchids bloom when they're ready." He was a longtime member of the East Jordan Rotary.

Mr. Smith came to the Eastport area in 1954 and built a cottage overlooking his beloved Traverse Bay (using wood from trees that he cut down.) His love of the north and enthusiasm inspired many of his friends to migrate to this area. He retired to his home with its lovely fruit and nut orchard on Maple Hill Road 26 years ago — tending his Lady's slipper orchids, painting and enjoying his grandchildren.

He touched many lives and will be remembered and admired for his kindness, patience, thoughtfulness, unbounded enthusiasm and his wonderful stories and sense of humor. He was a gentle man and a gentleman in every sense.

Survivors include his wife Stanley had many interests, he was a talented lifelong artist, a potter, silversmith and orchid enthusiast. He was

of 72 years, Charlotte E. (Schmaler) Smith; four children, Stanley B. (Barbara) Smith Jr., Theodore L. (Marilyn) Smith, Char Lynn Smith and Frederick L. Smith; eight grandchildren, Stanley B. Smith III, Lorrie Lynn Thibault, Stuart M. Smith, Michael B. Smith, Kelly and Marty Young, Charsie and Phil Evenhouse, Megan A. Scott, Molly M. Scott; four great grandchildren, Corey Thibault, Casey Thibault, Hannah Young, Madelyn Young; one brother, Dr. O.L. (Yvonne) Smith.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to one of the following, Charlevoix County Humane Society, Ellsworth Elementary School Library, Jordan River Arts Council, Northwest Michigan Orchid Society or Charlevoix Area Hospital.

A graveside service will be June 16 at Antrim City Cemetery in Banks Township. Arrangements are being handled by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

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Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.	Sunday School	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121 or -9765
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
BARNARD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Barnard at Kloster Road		FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAY SHORE US 31 North	
Church School	8:45 a.m.	Worship & Children's Worship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:15 a.m.	Minister: Morris Cole	547-5728
Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	547-5269		
BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 1407 Bridge Street		FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST State St. at Park Ave.	
Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Study	10:30 a.m.	(winter)	11:00 a.m.
Pastor Michael Teuscher		Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH M-66		Pastor: Phillip G. Schairbaum	547-9122 or -5803
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.		
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	GOLDEN RULE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH 07444 Old U.S. 31 North	
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Service	10:00 a.m.
Thursday Evening	7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Rev. Cosie Allen	547-9601 or -7916
Pastor: James Green	547-4300		
CHARLEVOIX UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 104 State Street		GREENSKY HILL INDIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Old U.S. 31 North	
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.	Sunday Fellowship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Pastor: Gen. Litchfield	582-9262
Pastor: Todd Thompson	547-2654 or -5168		
CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH State Street at Clinton		HIDDEN SPRINGS COMMUNITY CHURCH Marion Township Hall, Marion Center Rd.	
Sunday Worship Service & Holy Communion	10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Holy Communion	Wednesday 12:15 p.m.	Pastor: Alan K. Leese	237-9204
Fr. E. James Gunn	547-6322		
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 205 Clinton Street		IRONTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Ironton	
Sunday School	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
First Wednesday of Month	7:00 p.m.	June, July & August	10:00 a.m.
		Pastor: Michael C. Smith	547-3008
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Corner of U.S. 31 and Waller Rd.		Pastor: Harold E. Kruse	599-2321
Sunday School	11:00 a.m.		
Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.	NORWOOD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Norwood	
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Sunday School	11:30 a.m.
Wednesday Service	7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Eugene Baughan	10:15 a.m.
Pastor: Duane Nelson	547-5711		
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Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Reverend: Neil Turner		Interim Pastor: Joe Norris	547-6283
COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH Petoskey Avenue		ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH South Bridge Street	
Morning Worship	9:00 a.m.	Saturday Night Mass	5:30 p.m.
Morning Worship	10:45 a.m.	Evening before Holy Days	7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Masses	8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.	Father Tom Neis	547-6652
Pastor: Larry Grooters	547-9482 or -2509		
ELLSWORTH WESLEYAN CHURCH Corner of Elm & Park • Ellsworth		TEMPLE B'NAI ISRAEL Corner Michigan & Waukazoo	
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Rabbinic Intern Yael Splansky	347-8740 or 348-3920
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	President: Hal Willens	347-8033
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Greeting	7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.	Friday Service	8:00 p.m.
Pastor: Rev. Chris Wallace	588-7455		
FAMILY OF FAITH MINISTRIES 203 E. Upright			
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.		
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.		
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
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Obituaries

Lucile M. Cunningham: Oct. 28, 1908 - March 28, 2001

Lucile M. Cunningham, 92, of Charlevoix died March 28, 2001 at Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

The funeral was March 30 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. Elder Jerry Dean of the Community of Christ Church in East Jordan officiated in cooperation with Roger Knutson.

Burial was in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Lucile was born Oct. 28, 1908 in Cross Village, the daughter of Archie C. and Ruth (Carpenter) Belding. She attended Charlevoix County Normal School and taught at the Chad-dock School outside of East Jordan. She then attended Central

Michigan College and taught in Alanson, Copemish and Chesaning.

During World War II she worked in the war plants in Saginaw. In September of 1947, she married Orlin Vere Cunningham in Indian River. He preceded her in death on October 31, 1975.

Lucile sold life insurance and was a salesman/broker for Belding Real Estate in Charlevoix. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star 72 and attended the United Methodist Church in Charlevoix.

She is survived by her daughter, Nancy Ikens Olson and her husband Jerry of East Jordan; stepdaughters, Shirley Mathers

and her husband Jerry of East Jordan; stepdaughters, Shirley Mathers and her husband Bob of Boyne City, Sandra Sniegowski and her husband Ron of Ludington; stepson, Ron Cunningham of Fenton; 18 grandchildren; 63 great and great-great-grandchildren. Lucile was preceded in death by a son, Orlin Ray Cunningham in 1984; brothers Wayne and Rodney Belding; sisters, Vera Wagner and Grace Werner; and a daughter-in-law, Mary Alice "Briggs" Cunningham.

The family asks the memorial contributions be directed to the Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

Neta Louise Hill: June 17, 1957 - March 25, 2001

Neta Louise Hill, 43, of East Jordan died March 25 at Northern Michigan Hospital, Petoskey.

Funeral services were held March 30 at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. East Jordan.

Interment will be in Sunset Cemetery, East Jordan.

Neta was born June 17, 1957, the daughter of John and Mary (Burlington) Doud. She married

Robert Hill on May 30, 1986 in Ohio.

Neta had worked at the Weather-vane Terrace Motel in Charlevoix. She enjoyed working on the computer and researching genealogy.

Neta is survived by her husband, Robert Hill, of East Jordan; four children, Stanley Biggs of East Jordan, Kimberly Biggs of

Charlevoix, Rachel Doud of Monroe and Michael Doud of Taylor; her mother Mary Doud of Taylor; three brothers, Charles (Bianca) Doud of Inkster, Jeremiah Doud of Taylor and John (Theresa) Doud of Alanson; and one sister, Delores (Tony) Rogers of Moody, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her father, John Doud

Ella Sweet: Died April 1, 2001

Ella Sweet, 87, Rancho De Taos, N.M. and formerly of Charlevoix died April 1, 2001 in New Mexico. A memorial service will be given in Rancho De Taos, N.M.

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- Easter Sunday Worship - 11am

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- Worship Service with Holy Communion - 8am & 10:30am
- Easter Breakfast - 9:15am

Assembly of God Church

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- Coffee Fellowship - 9:30am
- Miracle Sunrise Service and Resurrection Celebration - 10:30am followed by Kids Easter Egg Hunt

Community Reformed Church

100 Oak Street • Charlevoix • 547-9482

- Maundy Thursday Communion Service - 7pm
- Community Good Friday Service - 12pm (here at C.R.C.) meet at Don's IGA 11:30am for Carrying the Cross
- Easter Services - 9am & 11:15am
- Pastor Larry Grooters' Message: "Easter's Implications"

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Barnes to study marina's impact on bridge

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Proposed changes to Charlevoix's East Park area have generated community-wide discussion and even inspired one resident to draft sketches depicting his vision of project improvements.

"The public has got the impression that the marina plans (on display outside council chambers at city hall) are cast in stone and that is nowhere near true," Charlevoix resident and bridge impact study coordinator, Josh Barnes said.

Throughout his years as a Charlevoix resident Barnes has had numerous titles — from international businessman, to mayor and engineer.

And city of Charlevoix officials recently shifted the responsibility

of conducting the bridge impact study from city police chief Dennis Halverson to Barnes.

Barnes said the study is aimed at addressing how additional boats navigating through Round Lake will impact traffic delays. He added, the study will most likely be completed in the fall of 2000.

City manager Mike Wiesner said the city expected the Michigan Department of Transportation to conduct the study, but because it deals more with boats than cars, they said it isn't a study they normally do.

Beyond the study, Barnes has also developed some data looking at replacing the currently "jagged breakwall" at the municipal marina. A breakwall is the wall between land and water. His plan uses a straight design that he believes will result in a more usable park.

"The public has got the impression that the marina plans are cast in stone and that is nowhere near true."

Josh Barnes.

Former mayor in charge of bridge impact study

"In my opinion, this (breakwall straightening) could make East Park a more usable, pleasant area by eliminating the steep grades. Without that you really only have half a park," Barnes said.

A second part of his proposal has to do with a floating dock system for the marina. The marina currently has fixed docks. As a sailor, Barnes sees the current system as difficult to use, especially for small boats.

Both the sketch produced by

Barnes and the blueprints of the city's engineer, United Designs Inc. of Cheboygan, propose the use of floating docks.

Barnes said that he has generated two different sketches, one showing his plan using 70 slips and another with 107.

Charlevoix city manager Mike Wiesner said that ideas like those presented to him by Barnes at an April 2 lunch meeting will be considered for review by the community during a public hearing.

Wiesner added that before that public hearing can take place the city needs to do a financial feasibility assessment and also needs information from the bridge impact study.

"There will be no plan until we have had a public meeting to hear from the community what we want to accomplish in the area," Wiesner said. "People have been asking a lot of questions: maybe we haven't done a real good job explaining how we see the process evolving."

The city is currently organizing interviews to appoint a project planner for shore-side renovations. They are looking for firms that have had experience in how to take public input.

Wiesner said that city officials may have a public hearing for shore-side renovations by mid-June.

Norwood Township needs voter approval to fix up roads

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Norwood Township residents may be headed back to the polls.

The Norwood Township board will have a second public hearing at 7:30 p.m. April 16 to decide on a possible August special election which may increase township taxes by 1.5 mills for three years.

According to the minutes from the first public hearing that took place March 19 — in 2002 a 1 mill road millage would generate approximately \$27,450.

At the meeting Norwood Township residents and board members said township roads need improvements and they can't wait for the county road commission to make them.

The minutes from the meeting state that Clipperview Association representative Bill Lovett said, "We depend on

our county road commission to do our road projects and they have no money to do so. If we are going to get any road work done, we are going to have to pay for it."

Board trustee Mark Maynard also sees township residents financial support of roads as a merited request. He

said, "We need to continue supporting the investment we have made in our hard surface and gravel roads."

Lovett added that one mill may not even be enough to make the improvements, and the township board should be asking for more.

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Official Notice

**CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
COUNCIL MINUTES SYNOPSIS
APRIL 2, 2001
7:00 P.M.**

Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Russell presiding. All members present except councilman Witthoef. Approved minutes of 3/19/01 as amended.

Public hearing held RE: Lot split request by Terry Left, Lot 62 & 63 of Upright & Hurlbut addition.

Launch fees waived for the bass tournament June 1 & 2, 2001.

Approved change order #2 for NDB contract, R.S. Wallace, Inc., at airport runway, not to exceed \$9,361.00.

Allowed D.E.Q. to install a monitoring well on city right-of-way at Bradford Cleaners, West Hurlbut St.

Resolution 2001-04-01 adopted opposing NFPA proposed standards 1710 and 1720.

Resolution 2001-04-02 adopted approving lot split request for Terry Left, Lots 62 & 63 of Upright & Hurlbut addition. Councilman Chamberlain abstained.

Council adjourned to executive session at 7:15 p.m.

Council reconvened at 7:45 p.m.

Council adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

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YOUR HEALTH

What happens when you have an eye exam?



Kimberly Molter
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'Your health'

In 1964, the first presidential proclamation was made declaring the first full week in March to be "Save Your Vision Week." In honor of last month's celebration of vision and eye care, I thought I'd discuss some components of a typical eye exam in my office.

First, your vision acuity is measured. This is the 20/20 number. 20/20 is perfect as most people know, but if you have to squint or guess at the 20/20 numbers, you might still have a small correction

that could be beneficial. Sometimes you don't realize how poor your vision is, especially with no other point of reference! This is especially true of children. A 7-year-old with blurry vision probably thinks everyone sees as they do.

Next on the agenda are tests for muscle control. Each eye is controlled by six muscles and sometimes those 12 muscles don't work together as they should. Pupil reactions and peripheral vision is checked to look for any abnormalities. Then a nifty computer scans the power of your eye and gives a baseline poser for glasses, telling me whether you are nearsighted, farsighted or perfect. This test is really great for small children who don't respond so well to more adult tests. Then you get to fine-tune the pre-

scription by choosing which lens is clearest for you.

Following distance vision testing, near vision is tested, especially if you are "40ish" and up. The lens in your eye that changes focus to read starts losing flexibility somewhere in your 40s. That usually means you need one power of lens to focus at a distance and another for near. The most convenient way to do this is bifocals or "multifocals" (progressive lenses), although there are options to discuss.

After the glasses prescription is set, it's time for eye drops! This first drop is for a glaucoma test, also known as checking the pressure in your eyes. Glaucoma under 40 is not common, but not unheard of, and each successive decade you are statistically more likely to have it. The

scary thing about glaucoma is that it rarely has symptoms. You don't "feel" like you have it. You are diagnosed with it by regular routine eye exams, every 1-2 years.

After the glaucoma test, one more drop dilates your pupils. The purpose of this drop is to allow me a better view into the back of the eye, the retina. Here I look at the health of the optic nerve and can directly observe the blood vessels in the back of the eye, the only place in the body they can be seen without skin over them.

Vascular diseases like hypertension and diabetes can sometimes be detected in the back of the eye. I also look at the macular area of the retina, which is the part of the eye that disconcerts fine detail. Some people know about age-related macular degeneration

and may know older people who cannot read small print anymore.

Current research says nutrition is a powerful preventer of macular degeneration. Tops on the list of food to eat are spinach (kale and collard greens too, if you have a little bit of the south in you) and orange vegetables like squash and pumpkins.

Well, I am running out of room so that's enough education for now. I didn't touch on contact lenses which is another whole topic! I hope you learned a bit about your eyes and having them examined. Celebrate the fantastic sense of vision.

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Norwood looks to the voters for road money

ROADS

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Township Supervisor Wayne Boss responded to Lovett's statement with skepticism, saying that the township may have trouble getting one mill passed.

In an effort to gain millage support Lovett suggested educating residents of the costs of road repair work.

Maynard said that by updating the Norwood Township list of priority road repairs and distributing that information in the form of a letter of intention to all of the 685 township property owners the

board may be able to show residents the work that needs to be done.

He added that Ferry and Richardson roads will most likely top that list.

At the close of the meeting the board decided to work on generating the list of priority roads, including the costs of those projects. They did not firmly decide to mail this information to all township residents.

The remaining .5 mill to be included on the ballot if the township has the special election slated for August would be used to fund emergency services in Norwood Township.



Norwood officials hope to fix roads like this with money they will get from a proposed millage in August. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

EMT risks injury to keep patient safe in transport

ROLOFF

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Carver reported that the close encounter Roloff had with the doe caused temporary paralysis in the left side of his face.

Moments later a distress call from Roloff came over the scanner calling for two ambulances near Eastport, one for him and one for his patient.

Central dispatch attempted a couple of times to connect with Roloff to get information about the accident scene, but got no response.

About one minute later a second

call from Roloff came through and he stated he was near Barnes Road in Eastport.

Two ambulances were dispatched and Roloff was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital where he was treated for injuries and released later that same evening. A second ambulance continued the patient transfer to Traverse City.

Carver said that after being released Roloff headed right for the station to get a look at the damage to the ambulance. He saw a missing mirror and window on the driver's side, a front seat full of glass and the body of the vehicle covered in deer hair.

Roloff took April 6 off to recuperate from the accident.

The doe and her two unborn fawns were killed as a result of the impact.



This Charlevoix ambulance still shows the aftermath of its run-in with a deer recently. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Congratulations, Russ and Sue Bolt!

The Russell and Susan Bolt Gallery and Studio - George Holt Pottery, at 63734 Marion Center Road - will be featured on national television. Their story will be broadcast on the Home and Garden Network, Cable Channel 54 in Charlevoix, on Wednesday, April 25th at 2:00pm and again on Monday, May 14th at 2:00pm.

The program will be hosted by Carol Duval, who began her career as a radio and television personality in the Detroit area before joining the Home and Garden Network. Carol and the film crew spent more than 12 hours last September, filming segments in the Bolt's studio and their home

which overlooks Lake Charlevoix. The program will include interviews with Russ and Sue, and their children and grandchildren, along with demonstrations of ceramics and paintings. This is the Bolt's second time to appear on this program. The first program, in May 2000, featured several galleries in the area. This time, the entire program is devoted to the Bolts, their family, their studio, and their home. Congratulations to the Bolt family!

Rose Cottage Antiques will soon become Rose Cottage Antiques and Eats - featuring a Pastry Café Tea Room, at its same location - 107 Mason Street, downtown. Unique new gift lines will also be added.

Rose Cottage Antiques and Eats will open Memorial Day weekend, 2001.

Congratulations, Tim Bruce!

Tim Bruce, local insurance agent with Old Kent Insurance, was recently rewarded for his contributions to membership in the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce. He won two round trip tickets to any destination in the United States from Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan for enrolling the most new members in our Chamber.

For Your Health - Heart Healthy Cooking

Deanna House, author of several cookbooks, will present a "heart healthy" program to help you cook and eat right!

Thursday, April 26, 7:00 pm, Charlevoix Area Hospital, Tickets \$5.00 - Age 65 and over \$4.00.

New Owners of Swan Valley Marina

Geoff and Kelly Britt are now the owners of Swan Valley Marina in East Jordan. Geoff, who is a Michigan native, has a degree in Statistical Quality Control from Washburn Community College, and has been associated with boats for most of his life. Kelly, originally from Arizona, is a graduate of Northern Arizona University. The marina is a certified Mercruiser dealership. Swan Valley also provides boat storage, boat rentals, a marine party store, and snowmobile rentals in the winter. Kelly's artwork will be displayed in the Swan Valley Gallery. Geoff and Kelly, along with their 15 year old daughter and 4 year old son, came to East Jordan from the Brighton area, and they tell us that owning and operating the marina is the fulfillment of a life-long dream. Congratulations!

Huntington Promotes Rochelle Roerig-Whippo

Rochelle Roerig-Whippo has been promoted to Officer. Rochelle will continue the management of the Charlevoix Banking Office, building and expanding customer relationships throughout individual and team sales.

Roerig-Whippo lives in Charlevoix with her husband. She graduated from Hope College in 1991 with a bachelor's degree in both Psychology and Social Work. She is currently involved with Junior Achievement and the Charlevoix Chapter of Ducks Unlimited.

Acorn Café Re-opens

The Acorn Café - "Where Hemmingway never ate" - will re-open on Sunday, April 22nd.

The Acorn will be open for breakfast and lunch every day but Tuesday until Memorial Day. After Memorial Day, it will be open seven days per week. Richard and Linda tell us they will feature the same fine menu and outstanding service they provided in the past. Welcome back!

Hospital Groundbreaking

On Wednesday, April 25th at 3:00 pm Charlevoix Area Hospital will hold its

ground-breaking ceremony for a new larger ER, and other renovations which include a new state-of-the-art Intensive Coronary Care Unit, and doubling the size of the obstetrical family birthing facility.

Chief Shull Retiring From US Coast Guard

The Change of Command for the officer in charge of the US Coast Guard Station Charlevoix will take place on Friday, May 4th, 2001. Chief Boatswain Mate James B. Shull will be leaving his command and retiring from the Coast Guard. Shull will be relieved by Chief Boatswain Mate John E. McLean, who is coming to Charlevoix from Station Cleveland Harbor in Ohio.

Welcome Dr. Rick Randall

Dr. Rick A. Randall and his wife, Audra, have relocated to Charlevoix from Flint, Michigan. They have just opened Randall Chiropractic Clinic at 1302 Bridge Street. New patients are welcome, and Rick and Audra look forward to meeting people in and out of the office.

Harbor North Open House

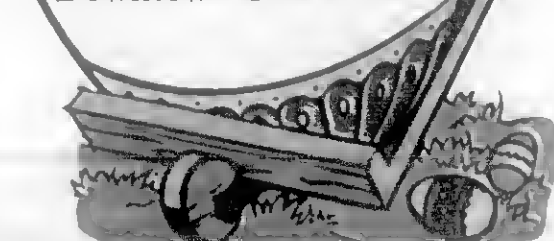
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The deadline for advertising in the 2001/2002 Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Visitor's Guide is Friday, April 27. Please contact Kim Taylor at the Charlevoix Courier (231) 547-6558 if you want your ad included in 25,000 copies of this well read publication.

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 14, 2001
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Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

April 14 - Easter Egg Hunt (FREE) 2 p.m. in East Park.

April 19 - Business After Hours, Charlevoix Yacht Club, 5-7 p.m.

Sponsored by: Pat McKeown Ford/Unicom/Mercury and the Charlevoix Yacht Club.

April 29-May 5 - Bowl for Kids (Big Brothers/Big Sisters 231-943-4601)

May 6 - 3rd Annual Young Artists Series Concert 4p.m. (547-9122).

May 10 - Silver & Gold Jewelry Sale (Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild - Rose Mary McGee 547-9751).

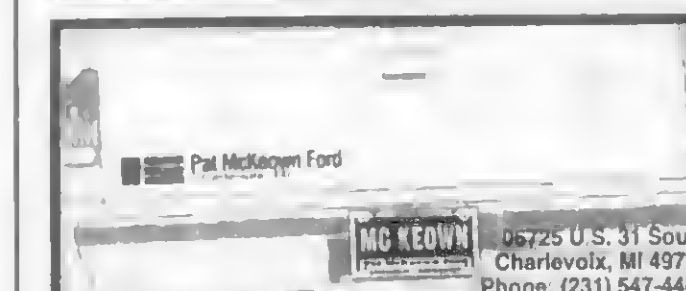
May 12 - American Cancer Society Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Memorial Breast Cancer Walk (547-9751).

May 22 - Spring Quilt Show - Dinner and Jazz 6 p.m. (Charlevoix Historical Society - 547-0373).

May 24 - Operation Petunia (547-5494).

May 26 - Plant Sale - Charlevoix Area Garden Club 8:30a.m. - 2p.m. (Margaret Heath 547-1978).

May 28 - Memorial Day Parade 10am - (Charlie Butcher 547-4724) American Legion & VFW.



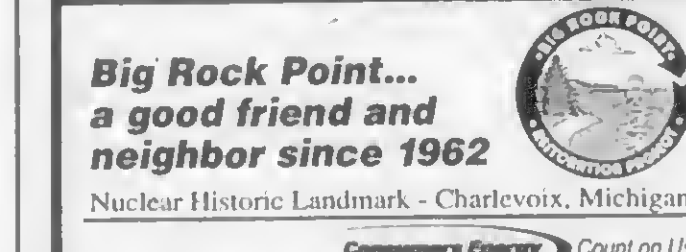
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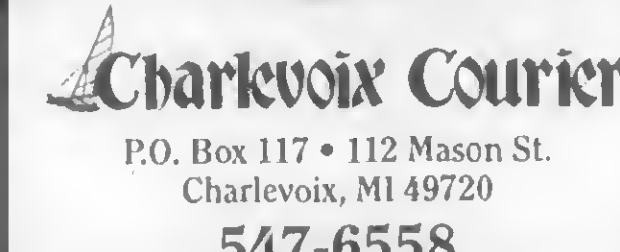
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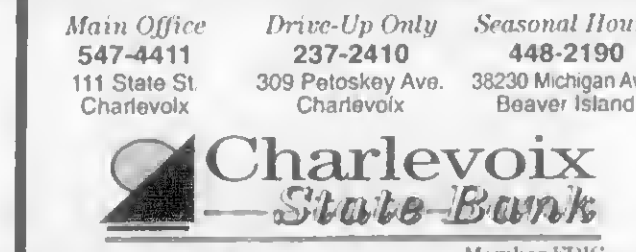
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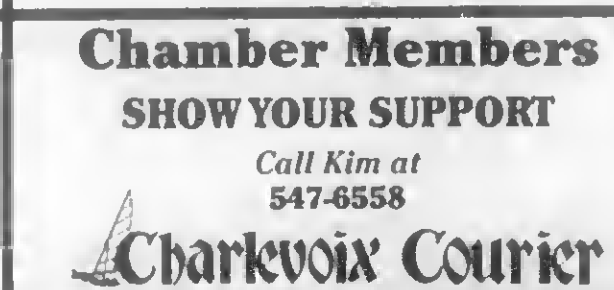
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VanGuilder to step down as principal to be teacher

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After 16 years as Charlevoix Middle School principal, Dennis VanGuilder has informed the school board that he is ready to turn over his administrative position for a spot in front of the chalkboard.

"I'm moving from being quarterback, back to the line of scrimmage. Schools are about teaching and learning. I'm ready to roll my sleeves up and get back into the classroom," he said.

August 31 will mark his final day as middle school principal.

VanGuilder said that what he enjoyed most during his time as principal was the students. He added that he looks forward to interacting with the students on a different level.

"Middle school kids are unique, they are going through a lot, it is a strange time in their lives. The students need a lot of understanding and love but they also need parameters for their behavior. That is why I went into education," he said.

VanGuilder started his career in education 29 years ago in Ubly where he taught and coached. In 1976 he and his new wife Dianne

decided to move to Charlevoix where the couple built a home and had three children.

VanGuilder taught social studies and language arts at Charlevoix High School for four years. Then, in 1980 he became assistant principal under former high school principal Vane Smith, a role he filled for five years.

In 1985 he made the switch to the middle school where he was awarded the position of principal.

"I was 29, just a rookie," he said. VanGuilder has since watched for 16 years as middle school students have come and gone.

"The kids themselves are growing up in a different world, technology, TV, computers — instant everything. The things you deal with as a principal today are not what you dealt with 15 years ago," he said. "I just turned 50, it's time for a change but I still want to be active, the kids keep me young."

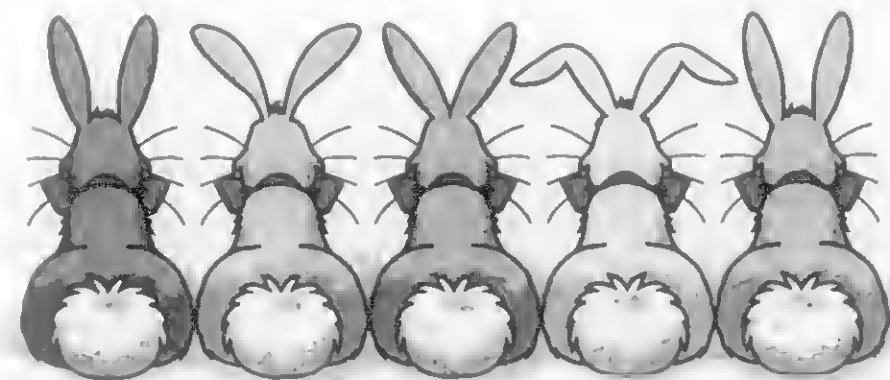
VanGuilder's new role as teacher will start up September 1.

He said that he is not sure where in the middle school he will be teaching yet and that he does plan to continue being the school athletic director in addition to his teaching position.



Charlevoix Middle School principal Dennis VanGuilder will be stepping down from his position to take a new one as a middle school teacher and athletic director next fall. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Registration by mail, fax, and drop off is now going on for all spring and summer programs. Mail registrations to the Charlevoix Area Community Pool, 11905 US 31 North, Charlevoix (49720) or fax to 547-1754.

Swim School starts April 21, June 16 and Aug. 4. These classes are Red Cross certified and meet once each week for six weeks. They are available on Saturdays. During the summer, some classes are offered during the week. A class is also available for adults who would like to swim or improve their swimming skills.

Swim Team starts a six week spring session on April 16 and an eight week summer session starting June 18. This is a competitive swim program designed for ages 7-18. Spring - Blue group meets from 4:15-5 p.m. on Tuesdays for 7, 8, and 9 year olds with a fee of \$30. Gold group meets from 3:45-5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday with a \$60 fee for the season. Summer - All groups meet between 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Masters Swim Team is a competitive program for those 19 and older which is offered from 8 - 9:15 p.m. Wednesday. Written workouts to be followed during lap swims are also available for those who want to practice more than once a week.

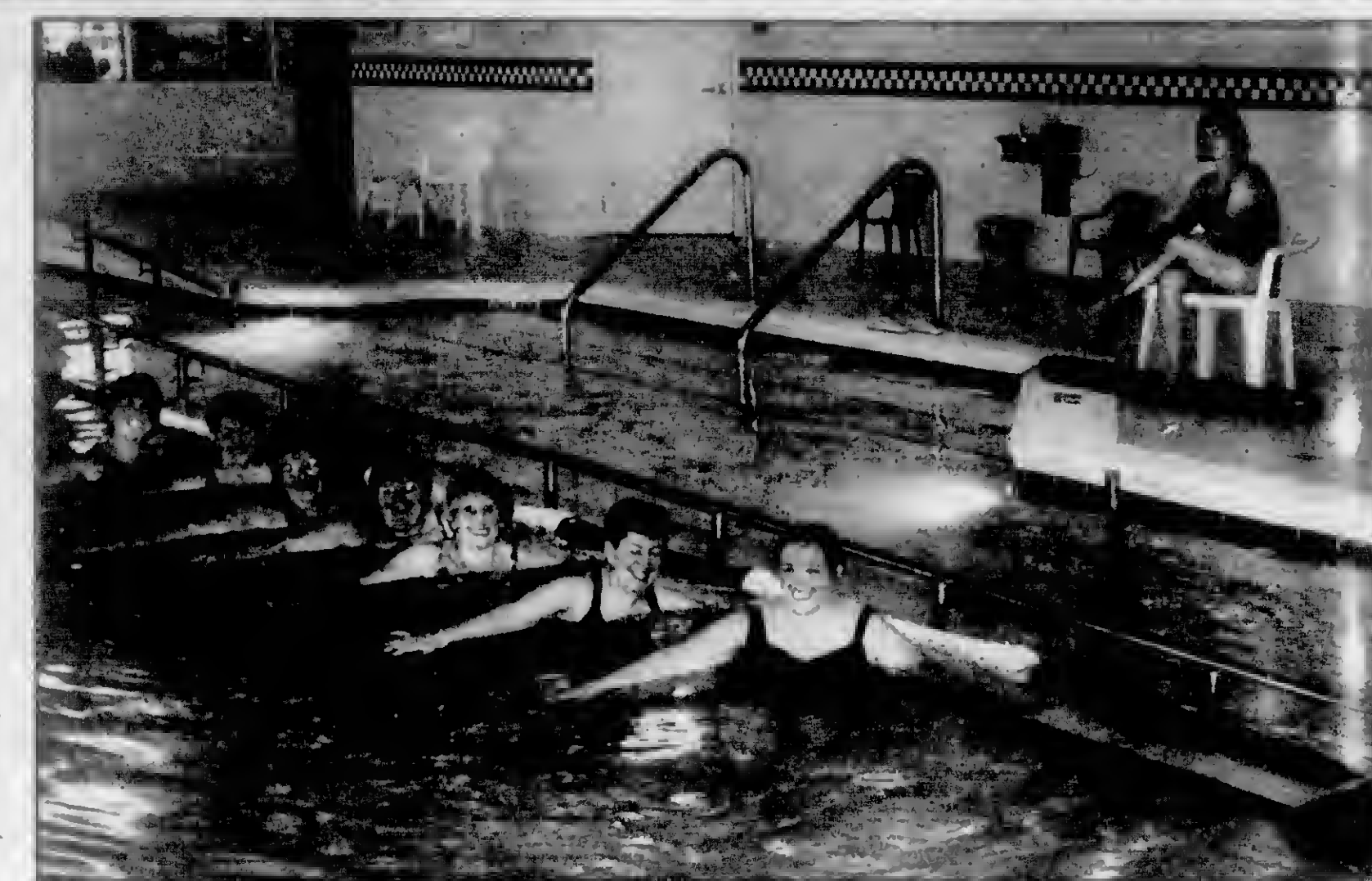
Aqua-Aerobics with Michael Smith is offered eight times each week. These classes meet from

8:15-9 a.m. Monday through Saturday and from 5:15-6 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday. Participants can pay \$5 each time or purchase a six week pass for \$50.

Twinges in the Hinges with Linda Shomin is offered three times each week. These classes meet from 9-10 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday. This class is designed for those with arthritis. Linda is a certified instructor with the National Arthritic Foundation. Participants can pay \$5 each time or purchase a six week pass for \$50.

Water Safety Instructor Course, an American Red Cross certified course, for those interested in becoming swimming instructors may be offered this May if there is sufficient interest. Students need to be 17 years of age and have an intermediate swimming ability. The fee is \$150 for the course and required books. Several scholarship programs are available, call Al Gooch for more information and to be put on a waiting list.

Lifeguard Training, an American Red Cross certified course, for those interested in becoming lifeguards is being offered the week-ends of May 11 and May 18. Students need to be 15 years of age and be able to swim 500 yards. The fee is \$150 for the course and



These ladies are enjoying their session at the Charlevoix Area Pool's Twinges in the Hinges class with instructor Linda Shomin. (Courtesy photo)

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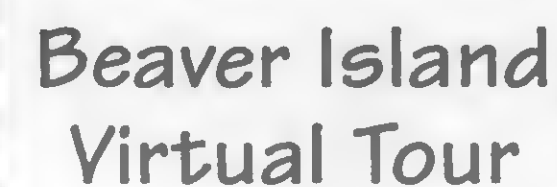
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Charlevoix Campus Life to sponsor Christian artist

And on April 21, Varnadeau will be the special guest at Second Saturday Praise and Worship, a monthly teen praise and worship event, sponsored by YouthWatch — the Potosky area association of youth workers. Second Saturday, with Varnadeau, will be from 7-9 p.m. on April 21 at the Potosky United Methodist Church, located at 1804 East Mitchell in Potosky. Admission is free, but a freewill offering will be taken.



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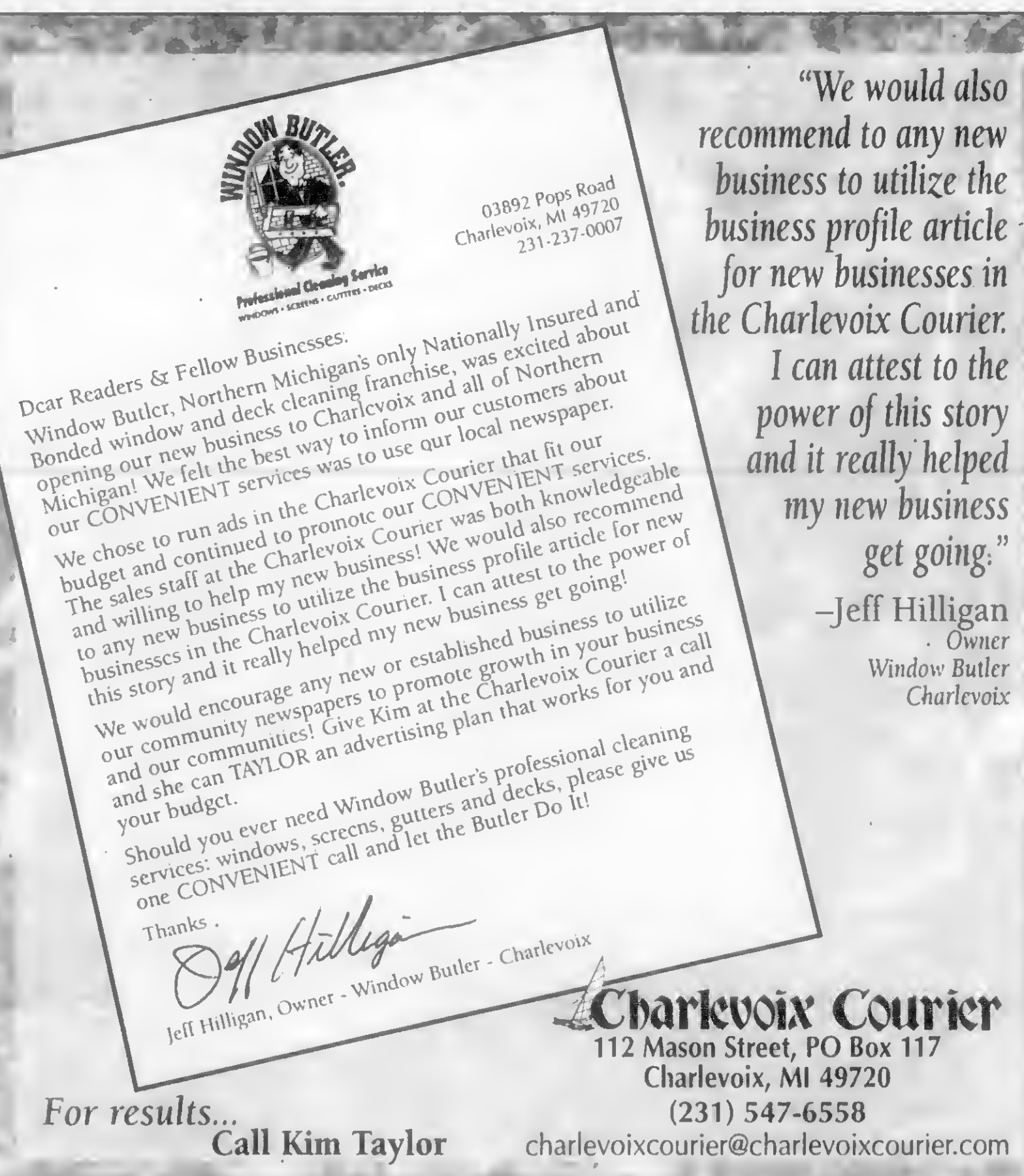
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Charlevoix street superintendent John Martin (far left) discusses Veteran's Park renovations with workers March 5 when they started the project. City manager Mike Wiesner said he expects work to be completed by Memorial Day. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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Eula Thomas, of Beaver Island, used her coat to keep her cat Sean warm while waiting for the first island ferry of the year last week. Thomas and her husband, Bill, own the Emerald Isle Hotel. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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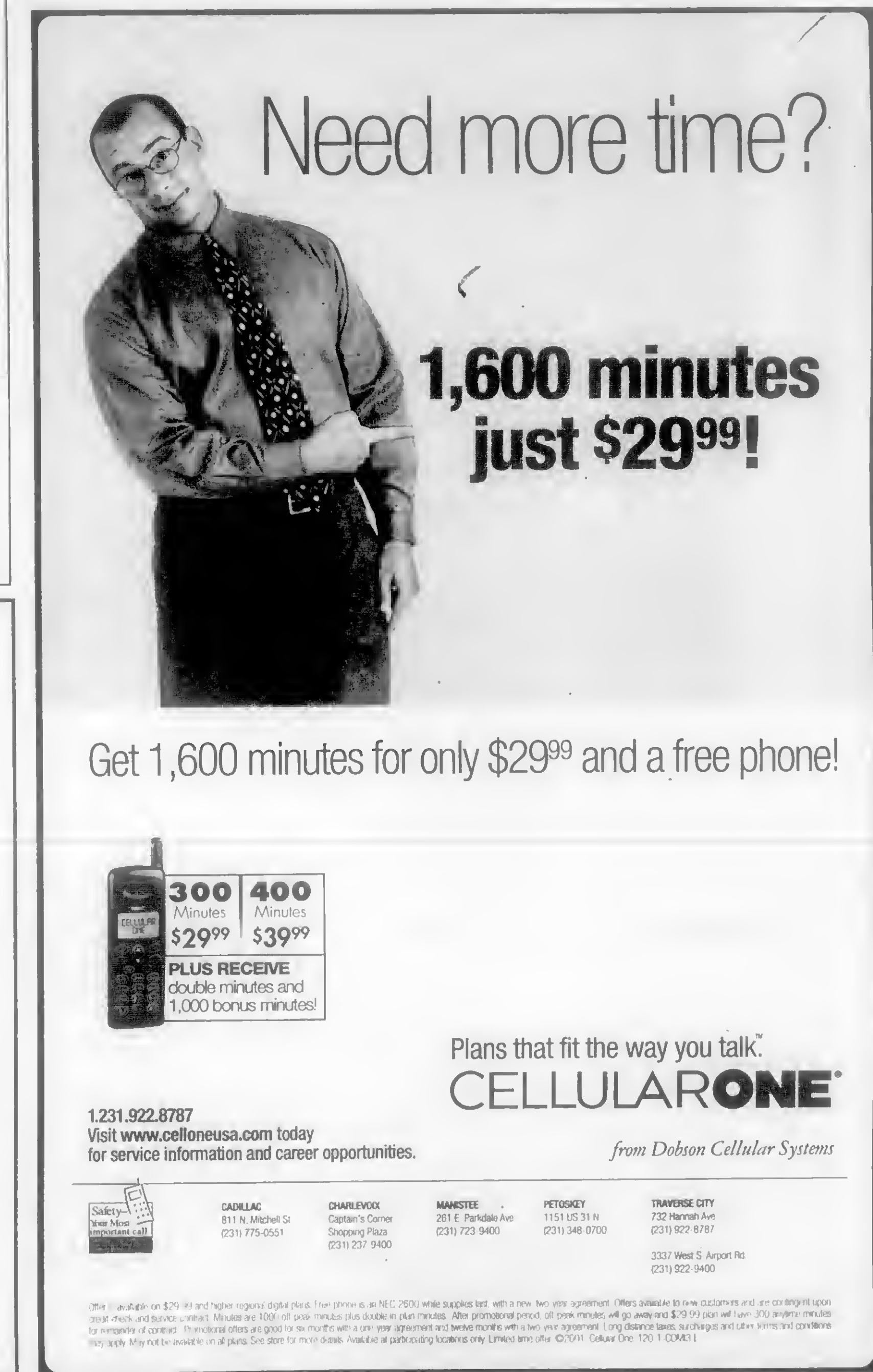
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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's AA Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the RASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 9 a.m., Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Laureate Beta Xi meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month.

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information

call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

The Windjammers Barbershop Quartet singers meet from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street. For more information call 237-9392.

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from

2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

Business organizations —

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Retail Promotions Group meets at 9 a.m. the third Thursday of every month at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-2101.

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A review of the past events in Charlevoix



Marilyn Boss

'Days gone by'

I was reading through some of the *Charlevoix Courier* papers that I had saved through the years, and it was so enjoyable that I thought you might like to reminisce with me. I am such a saver of everything, that I have been going through my boxes of memorabilia, to throw out things which my children don't have an interest in and I always end up reading the old papers, letters, school memories, etc.

In January of 1973 attorney Arthur R. Reibel was sworn in as district judge for Charlevoix and Emmet counties. The County Clerk's office reported 99 babies born in the county in 1972, which was a modern day low. My grandmother, Mrs. Floyd (Matilda) Ikens, cele-

brated her ninetieth birthday. (She died nine years later, in the spring of 1982, when she was 99.) Lou Hollow was named president of the First State Bank. Mrs. Edith Gilbert introduced her new book, "Let's Set the Table." Rev. Donald Schorsch returned to the Assembly of God Church. Wave action destroyed the bank at the foot of West Dixon Avenue.

In February, Jim Williams bought Schroeder's Drug Store and changed the name to Dockside Pharmacy. Robert Lieberman was elected president of the Chamber of Commerce.

In March, the city council reported that sewage rates would double in April to make up a deficit and to pay for more costly operations at the new disposal plant. Former coach, Ray Kipke, was named to the "State Hall of Fame." Robert Miller resigned as Charlevoix school superintendent to accept a position in Grand Ledge. Sundew tests ice-breaking "bubbler."

In April, Richard Fochtman was elected first ward alder-

man, Mrs. Jeannine Wallace, second ward alderman and George Plumm, third ward alderman in city voting. Also elected were incumbent Mayor Edward P. Hansen, clerk Ida A. Heise and treasurer Annabelle Cunningham. The Fochtman Motor Co. store on South Bridge Street was destroyed by fire.

In May, Teresa Ann Phelps was named valedictorian and Wilson Ray Boss, salutatorian of Charlevoix High School, class of 1973. Charlevoix girls captured regional track and field title. Curtis Kipke was named the recreation director. Phil Christ placed second in the freestyle wrestling tourney in Alpena. The proposed city budget showed a 20 percent increase. Hospital board honored retired directors Fred Willis and Gordon Freedman. Fr. E. Francis Denay, pastor at St. Mary's Church was feted on his 40th anniversary of entry into priesthood.

In June, Mrs. Isabell Oliver, 95, Charlevoix's oldest resident died. Max Novak and Larry Warner were elected to the

Charlevoix Board of Education. James McKimmy was hired as Charlevoix school superintendent after Richard Fonger declined to move here.

In July, David Norton, DVM, opened a veterinary medicine practice in town. Submarine veterans from around Michigan dedicated their monument in East Park in memory of lost comrades. Mrs. Jane Lieberman was elected president of the Charlevoix building as an office.

In August, Carole Pence was crowned the 1973 Venetian Queen. Her court was comprised of Candy Klooster, Maurine Wallace, Judy Hamilton, Patti Warner, Cathy Dubey, Cathy Morris, Tori Lager and Darcy McCandless. Norman Ance was appointed city attorney, succeeding Robert Hoffman. Robert Wexstaff was named acting city administrator to replace Thomas Hanna who left Sept. 15. Hufford Industries won a \$500,000 American Motors Corp. contract. Freedman Aircraft Engineering Corp., worked a full year without a lost time injury accident.

In September, Boulder Park residents honored Earl A. Young after a 40 ton boulder was placed on the shore marking the entrance to the subdivision.

In October, Peggy Carey was crowned Homecoming queen.

In November, the American Legion raised funds to purchase a new electrically operated chair for Fran Martin. A bear left his tracks on the north side, and swam Round Lake, rambling through the Belvedere Club. The South Shore was added to the Beaver Island fleet and started its runs in the spring.

In December, a crazed deer attacked Kenneth MacLean's home in Norwood, breaking a window. Last rites were held for Kit Carson, retired lumber dealer and first ward representative on the Board of Commissioners. City attorney, Norman D. Ance died. Vincent Olach was hired as manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

All in all, it was a busy year, and one to remember, as I enjoyed re-reading about the people who made Charlevoix click.

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About these coming events....

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Legion dinner

The American Legion and its Auxiliary, Leslie T. Shapton Unit 226, Charlevoix, will host its annual spring Salad and Casserole Dinner, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m., April 17, at the American Legion Post Hall located at 106 E. Garfield, Charlevoix.

The "All-You-Can-Eat-Dinner" costs \$6 for adults, \$3.50 for children ages 5 to 12 and children 5 and under eat free. The dinner will feature ham, chicken, tuna, Polish sausage and sauerkraut, vegetable and meat casseroles, varieties of

potatoes, beans, gelatin salads and all types of other vegetables, salads, relishes and desserts. Please contact dinner chairman Auxiliary President Katie Curtis, 547-6943 or 1st Vice President Rosalyn Goldstick, 547-2636, to assist.

Chicken dinner

The Charlevoix Senior Center, located at 06906 Norwood Road, will serve a special "Chicken Dinner" from 5 to 7 p.m., April 11.

Alzheimer's support

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group will be at the Charlevoix Commission on Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. This group will begin meeting from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. on April 17 and will continue meeting the third Tuesday of each month. Please contact the Alzheimer's Association Northwest Michigan Chapter at (800) 337-3827 for more information.

CPR, first aid

CPR and first aid classes available at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The following Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation courses and First Aid courses are being offered at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

April 11 — Infant and Pediatric CPR from 6-10 p.m. in Classroom B.

April 18 — Basic First Aid from 6-10 p.m. in the Classroom B.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Code classes

The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical updating to the new 2000 code's on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Rd. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. plumbing will be covered and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop, and donuts will be provided.

Featured event

Rayder honors

A ceremony for the Charlevoix High School varsity basketball team will be given at 7:30 p.m., April 16, in the gym at the Charlevoix High School. The public is invited to this event. (File photo)

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Residents could get charged for false alarms

ALARMS

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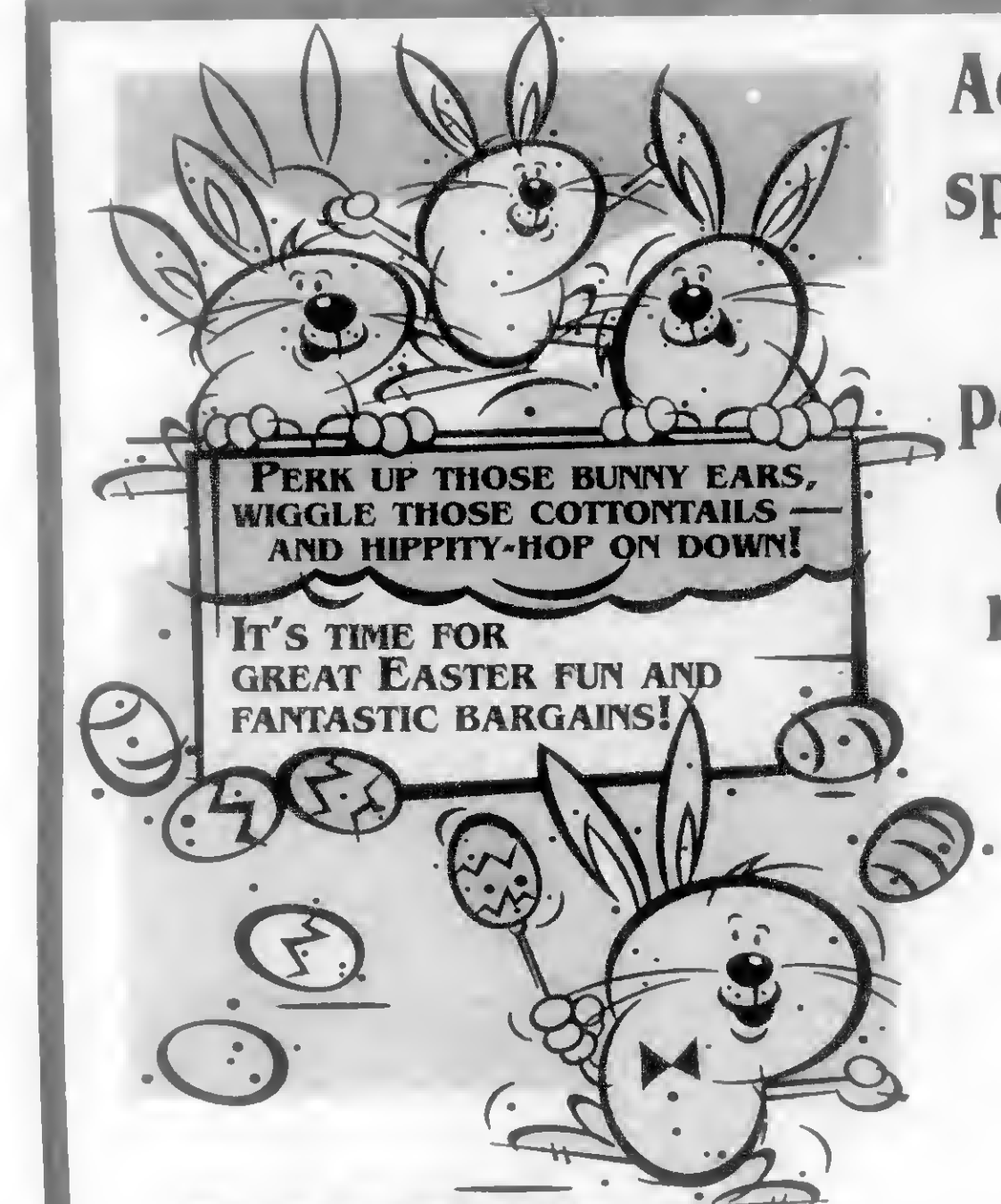
He writes letters to the property owner and if the owner is unresponsive, he won't send his officers there anymore. Lasater has taken the problem

to another level, fining repeat offenders \$100 every time he dispatches an officer to the site of chronic false alarms. He explained that about five or six years ago the County Board of Commissioners passed an ordinance penalizing homeowners for false alarms. After

the first instance homeowners receive letters and after that it's a \$100 ticket every time an officer is dispatched. But, not all impacts of the alarms were sited by the police department heads as negative. Lasater explained that his department has seen a reduction in

breaking and entering violations over the years which he said could be because of home alarms. And, Halverson said regardless of the negative impact of false alarms, they do help his department. "We appreciate more alarms

being installed and are more willing to accept false ones to a point," Halverson said. Both Halverson and Lasater said that in most cases the alarms are triggered due to sloppy workmanship on the part of the installer or negligence on the part of the homeowner.



EASTER EGG HUNT

Saturday, April 14, 2001
2:00 p.m. • East Park

Children will be divided into three age categories: 3 years and under, 4-6 years and 7-10 years. Then they will search for 5,000 Easter Eggs filled with special prizes! Remember to bring an Easter basket to collect all of those eggs.

Lunch and a Free picture from Charlevoix Camera with the Easter Bunny will also be available at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. For reservations, call 547-4311.

Parents can win one of the special Easter Baskets filled with merchandise and gift certificates from our local merchants.

Just bring a receipt from a purchase at any Charlevoix business for the date of Saturday, April 14 into the chamber of commerce office, and you'll be entered into our drawing.

The winner will be drawn on April 17, 2001.

The Easter Egg Hunt is sponsored by the Retail Promotions Committee of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce and the following sponsors: Ace Hardware, Currier Lawn Maintenance, Charlevoix Camera, Charlevoix Wear, Clothing Company, Irish Boat Shop, Kilwin's, Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant, Subway.

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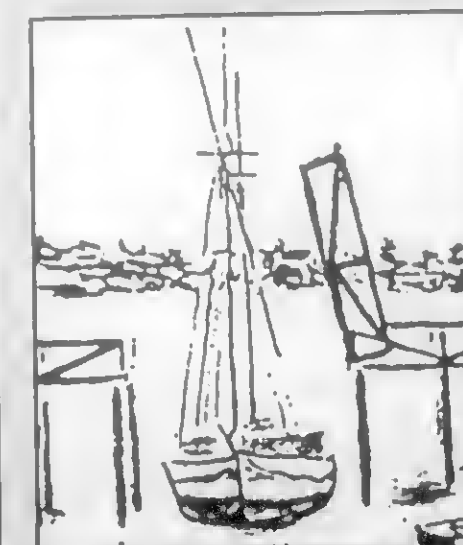
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Rezoned

The Charlevoix Planning Commission approved a rezoning allowing smaller lot sizes on a north-side parcel.

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Second bridge



David Miles writes about the second channel bridge in our continuing series on the Charlevoix bridges.

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Librarian fears for her job

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After 28 years serving the community as director at the Charlevoix Public Library Marybeth Wallick, 54, of Charlevoix fears she may lose her job.

Wallick claims that some of the seven members on the library board are "railroading" her out of her position.

Richard Brandi, spokesman for the library board and board president, said that this is a personnel issue. He declined to comment on most of the

specifics of the situation until after he is able to speak with a labor attorney. Wallick's contract is up for renewal in June.

Brandi explained that discussion of the contract will occur at the next library board meeting to take place at 3:30 p.m. May 10 in the library basement, located at 109 Clinton Street.

"I am not aware of any action the board is taking," Brandi said.

However, the Charlevoix Courier has obtained a retirement proposal given to Wallick on March 16 by Brandi. The first paragraph on the proposal states, "This proposal is

strictly confidential and is not to be discussed with any staff, board member, the general public or the press." Brandi said of the proposal: "That's a concept, an idea. It has to be approved by the board."

But, Wallick still worries and has no plans on retiring.

"This has been going on for a long time. I don't sleep and I have nightmares. I don't want to retire. I'm not financially ready to retire. I don't see how I can win, but I'm not going to go away ashamed," Wallick said.

Wallick said the board is taking calculated steps to remove her from

her post. One of the steps she referred to was a recent performance evaluation completed by the board. She said the results were poor and didn't accurately reflect her level of performance.

And Marion Township library board representative Linny Arnold agrees with her.

"The problem with the evaluation is they (some board members) don't know the position. They have no clue what is involved in the background work of a library."

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MDEQ to clean up contaminated dry cleaning site on Bridge Street

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) is getting ready to clean up groundwater contamination threatening to migrate into Round Lake and the Pine River Channel.

"Residents in the city of Charlevoix are fortunate all city drinking water is treated. There is no risk to people," environmental manager for the MDEQ Bob Wagner said. "It (perchloroethene) is beginning to vent to the surface water and if there is a high enough concentration there could be an aquatic impact."

MDEQ has been investigating the contaminated land located at 701 1/2 Bridge Street, the site of Bradford's Cleaners, for some time.

Wagner said the contaminant, perchloroethene, is almost exclusively used by dry cleaners to get stains out of garments. He added that the contamination caused by the previous site owner, not Bradford's, was not intentional and is a common problem.

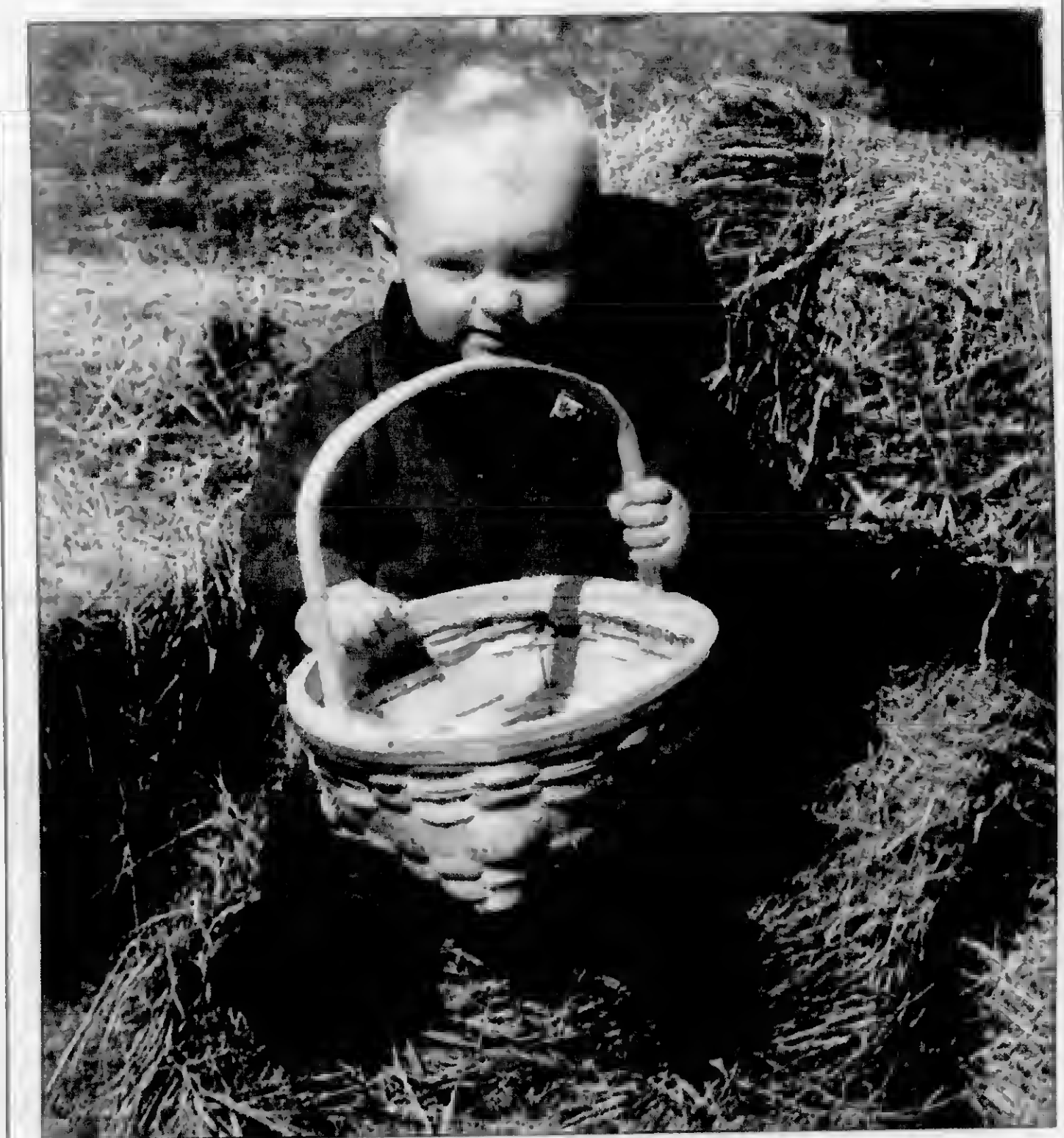
In the mid to late 1970s the MDEQ discovered that the chemical had reached the soil at the property.

The group decided to act now because the contamination has reached the groundwater and is beginning to migrate off-site to where the Pine River Channel and Round Lake come together.

"The MDEQ has a plan to go forward with the installation of a system that will treat the soil and the groundwater at that site," Wagner said.

He added that the clean up effort will not be intrusive and will not interfere with the activities at Bradford's.

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Egg-cited

Dustin Manz, of Charlevoix, relaxes after searching for eggs during the annual Easter egg hunt April 14 in East Park. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Kimberly Renee McClellan, 21, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; jail for 93 days with credit for one day, serve 10 days, five days of community service in lieu of five days in jail, 77 days held in abeyance; \$1,130 in fines and costs.

Kena Marie Beard, 37, Traverse City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol; and no operator's license on person. Nine months probation; jail for 41 days with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$985 in fines and costs.

Marci Lenette Kunkle-Cook, 29, Petoskey. Larceny, less than \$200. Six months probation; 93 days in jail with credit for seven days, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 81 days held in abeyance; \$210 in fines and costs.

William Robert Werner, 40, East Jordan. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three

days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$710 in fines and costs.

Shandi Lynne Grunow, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol; and retail fraud-third degree. Three months probation; attend shoplifter's alternative; 60 hours of community service work; \$330 in fines and costs.

Amanda May Rodriguez, 21, East Jordan. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Heather Lynn Steimel, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Raenel Booth, 47, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Lori Gayle Bogart, 38, Charlevoix. Three counts of stealing and retaining of a financial transaction device without consent. Bound over to circuit court.

Kena Marie Beard, 37, Traverse City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol; and no operator's license on person. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit

for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$830 in fines and costs.

Christopher Lee Osterhouse, 22, Boyne City. Reckless driving. Six months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for five days, 85 days held in abeyance; \$540 in fines and costs.

Scott Hubert Juday, 38, Petoskey. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Douglas Robert Johnson, 54, Rochester Hills. Driving while license suspended-second or more. Jail for six days; \$890 in fines and costs.

David Thomas Berger, 43, East Lansing. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

John Robert Bruesch, 23, East Lansing. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Sunburst Cleaning, 06685 M-66 North 153, Charlevoix, by Donna

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Deborah Fish and Michael Fish

Births

Nicole Ann Heckman was born to Scott and Heather Heckman of Petoskey on April 7, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Nicole weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces.

She has a 2-year-old sister, Kortney Sue. Her grandparents are Dave and Sue Heckman and Douglas and Marilyn Thayer.

Jenna Rose Good was born to Steven and Christina Good of Charlevoix on April 6, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Jenna weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces at birth.

Christina Lynn Barutt was born to Daniel Barutt and Jill Wisdom of Charlevoix on April 10, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Christina weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces at birth.

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Cesar Gomez, 22, East Jordan and Mary Jo Wilson, 21, East Jordan

Robert J. Hinerman, 41, Charlevoix and Karen Sue Hinerman, 44, Moundsville, W. Va.



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Rayder honors

The Charlevoix High School basketball team was honored Monday night by the school and community with a presentation and a buffet for their run at the state title that ended in a loss at the state finals in East Lansing. The evening included award presentations, pictures of season highlights and a buffet. (Above) High school principal Gary Grundman congratulates Varsity basketball player Rob Boss during the ceremony. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Correction

In the April 11 edition of the Charlevoix Courier in the divorce section of On the Record, page 2, Keith and Ricka Matheny's last name was misspelled.

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Beaver Island students take part in international testing

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Two years ago, 10 eighth grade students from the Beaver Island Community School were invited to participate in an international math and science study and the recently published results reveal that within the United States, Michigan school districts are on the cutting edge of education.

"While Michigan schools still have a long way to go to be competitive internationally, great progress has been made in Michigan in the critical middle school years," Michigan Governor John Engler said in a press release.

The Boston College International Study Center conducted the Third International Math and Science Study — Repeat (TIMMS-R) — a worldwide education companion study — by randomly selecting schools and then employing a common measurement of academic success...testing.

The study used 13 U.S. states and 38 countries as its basis of analysis. Beaver Island was one of the 57 urban, suburban and rural Michigan

schools the center used to represent Michigan in the study.

"We feel good about having been invited to participate and we thought of the test as one more measurement of how our kids are doing," principal and superintendent of the Beaver Island Community School Kathleen McNamara said.

McNamara explained unlike Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) testing, which measures progression of education in the state, TIMMS-R is an international measurement tool.

"The TIMMS study is overall very different from the MEAP. It is more of a study, not just a test. It is a much more comprehensive study in terms of math and science instruction worldwide," she said.

The specific scores of Beaver Island students are not available, but as a whole the Michigan group performed better than randomly selected groups from 12 other states including Texas, Indiana and Massachusetts.

However, like previous TIMMS study results have shown, U.S. scores were still below the international edu-

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Public officials — remember who your boss is



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

You cannot govern in secret and still call yourself a democratic country.

Secret governing, that which is done behind closed doors and away from the public, is the worst kind of government. It is basically like having employees try to run the business without letting the boss know what they are doing. In this case, the employees are the governing bodies and the boss is the tax-paying public.

I have very little tolerance for this kind of government at any level. I firmly believe that all of the people's business should be done in front of the people...all of it. My skin crawls every time I hear of a government meeting going into "executive sessions." Whenever I hear of this happening, the folks in the *Charlevoix*

Courier office can confirm my red face and rantings about "closed-door" shenanigans.

But, governing bodies claim they close their meetings for "property acquisition...for contract negotiations...for personnel evaluations..." and the list of reasons goes on and on, with each one being technically right under the Michigan Open Meetings Act — basically an act that says all government business must be done in view of the public unless you have a really, really good reason it shouldn't. But, to me, I believe even the rules allowing government bodies to go into closed session are too much.

Recently, I picked up a copy of a newspaper industry publication "Publisher's Auxiliary" and read an opinion article telling me I am not alone. The piece, written by Jerry and MacLeod Bellune of the Lexington County Chronicle, stated these "executive sessions" should be called what they are, "secret meetings." They hit the nail on the head with that suggestion.

Why should the government have a right to do any business behind closed doors? As a taxpayer and citizen, I am their boss and I have a

right to know what my government is doing.

I will even take it one step further; I do not think it is right for any member of a governing body to discuss the people's business with another member of that same body in private, such as a phone call or during a lunch meeting. We have a right to know what they are saying or thinking on any issue they could vote on.

Furthermore, I am really having a hard time with this latest concept in *Charlevoix* of a "united-front" government body. This is basically a government body — such as the city council, school board or library board — that insists on never arguing out the issues in public in order to present "a united-front." That reeks to me of poor government. Good government is sometimes nasty and messy. People disagree and argue, but it always leads to a reasonable solution to the problem at hand.

By not allowing this, you are not allowing good government.

Also, right up there under the category of poor government are public bodies that only want to have one person speak for them. For exam-

ple, it is poor governing for a public official to tell me, any reporter researching a story or any member of the public any one of these answers to questions:

- No comment
- It is premature to talk about that right now. (My next question is, "Why don't you want the public to have as much information as possible?")
- Our board president is the only one who can respond for me.

Let me address the last one of these answers from public officials.

When a person is named to sit on a public body, I believe they have a responsibility to answer to the public on all issues before them. Furthermore, to have just one person speak for an entire public body goes against the spirit of open government by not allowing the public the ability to hear or read what every official thinks on the issue.

By giving this example they are denying responsibility for their actions on that board and not giving the public any idea what kind of person they have representing them.

The problem is each of these examples I have listed have happened or are happening in *Charlevoix* now

(read our page one story about the library board for some examples) or in the recent past. And they are getting more common as more and more public bodies are taking the public's business behind closed doors and keeping their mouths shut.

Public officials should remember the people's business is not private. It is a disservice to democracy to think so.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com

On a side note: Remember to send in your responses to this month's "What Do You Think?" question. This topic is the *Charlevoix* snowmobile ordinance. We want to know if you think snowmobiles should be allowed in the city of *Charlevoix* or if they should be banned. Send your answers to The *Charlevoix Courier*, P.O. Box 117, *Charlevoix*, MI, 49720, e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or drop them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown *Charlevoix*.

Letters to the editor

Thank you

Editor:
 What a wonderful week the community of *Charlevoix* has had with our basketball team going to the state championship. We are so proud of them!

During these exciting times you may have noticed the special shirts worn by the Rayder fans in huge support of the team. What you may not know is that these shirts were available at a special price and free to the team members, their parents, cheerleaders and band members because of the generous donations of various local businesses and individuals.

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Vince Currier — Currier Lawn Maintenance

Consider the cruise ship

Editor:
 One more consideration should be made regarding the expansion of the *Charlevoix* city marina in Round Lake.

This coming June 21 will be a very special day for *Charlevoix*. At about 10 that morning, the 367-foot, Greek-flagged cruise ship *Arcadia* will enter the harbor for a day-long stay, carrying about 260 passengers. This will be the first scheduled port call by a bona fide cruise ship in *Charlevoix* since the Georgian Bay Lines' steamer *South American* last visited in the early 1960s.

Arcadia is being chartered by a newly formed company, Great Lakes Cruises Inc. (GLCI) of Waukesha, Wisconsin which is offering some 24 sailings with 11 different itineraries calling at 28 U.S. and Canadian ports in all five

Great Lakes between June and October. All cruises embark from Windsor and terminate in Detroit.

GLCI and *Arcadia* are part of a dramatic revival of the cruise ship industry on the Great Lakes. As we know from many old photos of Round Lake and other Great Lakes ports, passenger ships were long a thriving trade in the Lakes. By the 1950s, however, they started to disappear for a variety of reasons and in 1967 the last one, *South American* incidentally, sailed out of the Lakes for good.

In 1997 the industry re-awakened with the arrival in the Great Lakes of the German cruise ship *C. Columbus*, which has visited ports as nearby as Beaver Island. Since then the number of Great Lakes cruise berths sold has jumped about 5,000 percent.

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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Cruises on oceangoing passenger liners — the international standard — have grown from absolutely nothing on the Lakes five years ago to a total of 38 different cruise offerings this coming season aboard four ships, three of which have been built since 1996.

Great Lakes cruise berth sales totaled about 3,000 in 2000, but are projected to jump to over 10,000 this year.

Charlevoix is fortunate to have impressed GLCI enough to be included in *Arcadia*'s first season itinerary. Now the question is: Will the ship return, and more importantly, will others discover what is clearly one of the most attractive and best suited ports for cruise ships in the Great Lakes?

If the community is interested in capitalizing on the dynamic resurgence of Great Lakes cruise ships, any marina expansion plan should consider such questions as whether a sufficient turning radius and dock space is maintained for such vessels, and what impact they would have operating close to floating docks.

Beyond physical requirements, it should be noted that cruise operators look for many things in prospective ports-of-call, but a crowded recreational boat marina is

not one of them. The more *Charlevoix* can preserve the aesthetic attributes of its unique harbor and downtown, the better chance it will have to participate in the exciting and profitable return of Great Lakes cruise ships.

David L. Knight
 Editor
 Great Lakes/Seaway Review

Keep Wallick

Editor:
 I serve on the Board of Trustees for the *Charlevoix* Public Library. The board members represent these entities: *Charlevoix* Public Schools, City of *Charlevoix* and the townships of *Charlevoix*, *Eveline*, *Hayes*, *Marion* and *Norwood*. The residents of *Charlevoix* County need to be made aware of the actions of some board members with regard to the continuing employment of library director, Marybeth Wallick.

Marybeth has had this position for 28 years. Despite limited space, she always has the library stocked with the most recent books, complementing an impressive collection of classics and non-fiction. Additionally, there are numerous magazines, newspapers, videos, audio books and DVD's available. She stays updated with the latest computer and Internet technology and has managed to set aside \$600,000 for library expansion.

But these few board members are

trying to force her to retire — WHETHER SHE'S READY OR NOT!

One of our jobs as trustees is to evaluate the library director's performance. This is difficult, since none of us has any experience in running a public library. Each board member completes an individual evaluation and those results are compiled onto a composite form. Our most recent evaluation composite showed Marybeth's rating result to be poor, even though I had rated her as exceptional all the way through because of my respect for her professional abilities. There were also many derogatory comments and some outright lies. This report would be comical except that it's the lever needed to springboard her dismissal and this board has the power to do it.

Now, the board president has prepared a retirement proposal for Marybeth. He did this without the rest of the board's knowledge or approval and it was presented to her as an ultimatum which she has to act upon by May 1, 2001, and is not supposed to discuss with other board members, her staff or the general public.

Don't take my word in all this. Visit the library, talk to the staff, look at a copy of this terrible evaluation and please attend our next board meeting — 3:30 p.m. May 10, in the library basement.

I am ashamed to be part of this board when some of its members

are behaving this way. I'm quite certain they aren't serving the best interests of the governing entity they are supposed to represent.

I don't understand the purpose for this power trip they are on, but I wish to distance myself from their hidden agenda.

Linny Arnold
 Secretary, Board of Directors
Charlevoix Public Library
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Support Wallick

Editor:

Marybeth Wallick has been at the library in *Charlevoix* longer than I can remember. She practically is the library. With all the huge leaps in technology our little library has kept up very well, all due to Marybeth's vision and perseverance. She's managed to tuck a considerable amount of money aside for a rainy day knowing full well that our library would grow and prosper and when it did the building would have to grow with us.

We have reached that point this year and with the help of Marybeth's nest egg the library will be able to expand to meet the communities' growing needs. Marybeth was hired on 28 years ago by our school board to do the job as librarian. They kept her in her position and approved the job she has done.

In 1997, Governor Engler passed a new law that public libraries had to have a separate millage from the

schools and the *Charlevoix* Public Library Board was born. We have seven trustees on our board representing the five townships plus one for the city and one for the schools.

These people are supposed to represent you, the public. A few members of this board have taken it upon themselves to change our calm peaceful library into a battleground for their own agenda. For whatever reasons, they have decided that Marybeth needs to be rewarded for all of her years of service to our community by being fired with no real basis for her termination.

A member of this board went so far as to say that when they retired from their current job they were going to take over at the public library. I'm not surprised at the politics involved, its par for the course for *Charlevoix*, but I ask you the public to use your voice and stop your library from being torn apart by people who don't represent you, only their own best interests.

Come to the board meetings and decide for yourself. I have attended the last year's worth of meetings and I am amazed at the childish, backstabbing, underhanded antics that are committed at almost every meeting. These people who make up the *Charlevoix* Public Library Board, with the exception of a few, DO NOT represent you and I know they don't represent me.

Patricia G. Brannon
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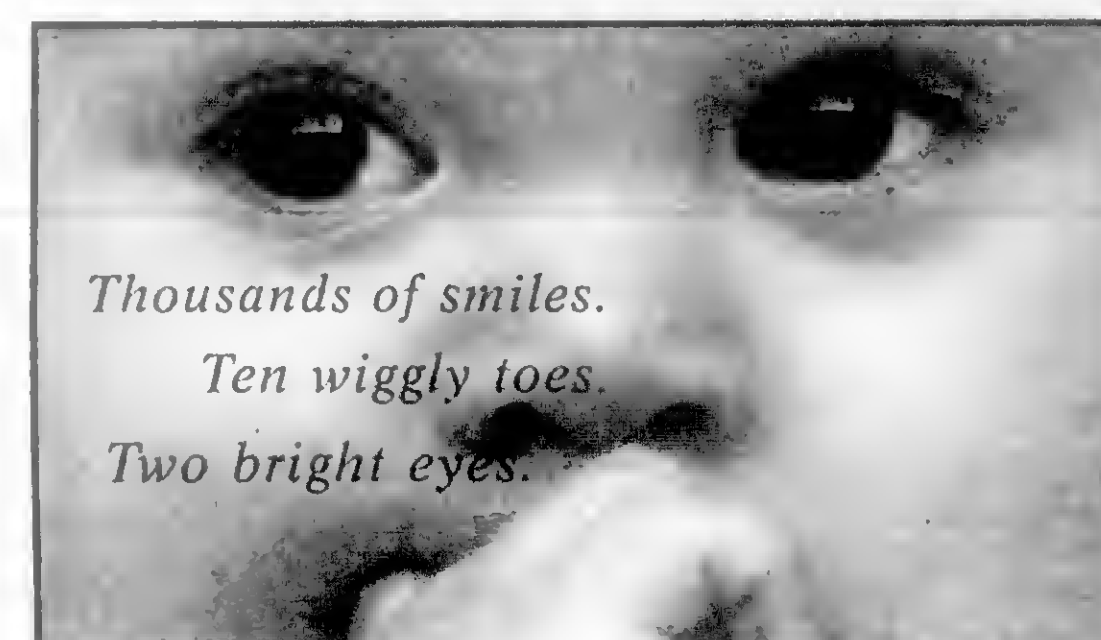
Heather Hope Dietrich and Dr. Roque Pedro Ruggero, both of Austin, Texas, were married at 4:30 p.m., Dec. 29, 2000 in San Pedro, Ambergris Caye, Belize in front of 30 guests. Father Maurice Murray performed the double ring rites. Heather is the daughter of William and Janis Dietrich of Charlevoix. Roque is the son of Beatriz Ruggero of Corpus Christi, Texas and Dr. Pedro Ruggero of Austin, Texas.

Two guitarists provided music at the ceremony. The maid of honor was Heidi Dietrich, the bride's sister. The groom's sister, Ruth Ruggero, was a bridesmaid. Kathleen Russell was the flower girl. The best men were the groom's brothers, Camilo and Peter Ruggero. A reception was given immediately following the ceremony as guests were taken by boat to the Capricorn Resort. A rehearsal dinner was given Dec. 28 at Elvie's Restaurant in San Pedro, Belize.

The couple stayed in Belize after the wedding. They plan on making Austin, Texas their home. Roque is an emergency room physician with the Round Rock Medical Center. Heather is a graduate of Michigan State University and is currently completing her teaching certification.

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Wedding



May — Hoadley

Vanessa Frances May and Daniel Everett Hoadley, both of Big Sky, Mont., were married at 4 p.m., Jan. 6, 2001 at Big Sky Chapel in Big Sky, Mont.

The Rev. Tom Letts performed the double ring ceremony.

Vanessa is the daughter of Dr. James H. and Peggy May of Vicksburg, Miss. Daniel is the son of Paul and Deanna Hoadley of Charlevoix.

The bride wore a strapless dress that was white silk organza with pearls adorning her bodice and train.

Music was provided at the ceremony by one cellist and two violinists.

Lisa Ann Hoadley, a sister of the groom, was the maid of honor. She wore a pewter colored princess cut satin gown.

Readers were Tanya Tash

and Lori Rauschenberg. David May, a brother of the bride, was the ringbearer.

James Neal May, also a brother of the bride, was the best man. Ushers were Brandon Bang and Jamie Roberts.

A reception was given at the Summit Hotel at Big Sky Resort. A rehearsal dinner was given at Buck's T-4 Restaurant the night before

the wedding in Big Sky. The couple went on a wedding trip to Antigua in the West Indies. They plan on making Big Sky, Mont. their home.

Vanessa is attending Montana State University with majors in biology and chemistry. Daniel is the information technology manager at Big Sky Resort.

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Obituaries

Harry S. Baker: Died April 4, 2001

Harry S. Baker, 88 of Longview, Washington died April 4, 2001 in Longview, Wash.

He was born and raised in Hayes Township in Charlevoix and graduated from Charlevoix High School.

He moved to Washington after being discharged from the army, serving in World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Jeanette, of Longview, Wash.; a daughter, Coralee Baker-O'Connor; and son, Marlen Barker, both of Seattle, Wash. He is also survived by three granddaughters of Seattle, Wash.; one sister, Eleanor Coblenz, of East Jordan and many nieces and nephews.

Harry S. Baker wrote an autobi-

ography of his life and living in northern Michigan and about his army days. He donated one of his books to the Charlevoix Library.

A memorial was in Longview on April 7.

Anyone interested in sending a remembrance, can send it to Hospice, P.O. Box 2067, Longview, Wash. 98632.

Robert "Bob" Pancoast: May 22, 1924 - April 11, 2001

Robert "Bob" Pancoast, 76, of Hilton Head, S.C. and Charlevoix, died April 11, 2001 at Hilton Head Medical Center after a brief illness.

A memorial service was yesterday at the First Presbyterian Church of Hilton Head.

Bob was born in Mattoon, Ill., May 22, 1924, to Lawrence Pancoast and Charlotte (Weaver) Pancoast. After serving in the Army Air Force and flying combat missions over Germany, he graduated as a Bronze Tablet Scholar from the University of Illinois.

He joined General Motors, retiring in 1989 as a finance executive.

He was chair of the United Way Foundation of Detroit, treasurer of the La Grange, Ill. Presbyterian Church, president of the Sycamore Creek Country Club of Dayton,

Ohio and served on many boards of directors in Illinois, Ohio and Michigan.

In retirement, he was a member of the board of governors of the South Carolina Yacht Club, a financial advisor to the Charlevoix Area Community Pool and was a reading tutor for students at Hilton Head Middle School. He was a member of the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix where a memorial service will be held this summer.

Bob was a wonderful father and mentor to all of his children and a warm, engaging person beloved by all who knew him. He was interested in everyone he met and no one was a stranger to him. He was a kind and special person and true best friend to his wife, "Jinx," who

survives.

Survivors include a sister, Ruth Costello of Champaign, Ill.; his eight children, Patrick and Kimiko Pancoast of London, England, Christopher and Marilyn Pancoast of Denver, Colo., James and Mary Pancoast of Dayton, Ohio, Curtis and Valerie Pancoast of Pensacola, Fla., Deborah (Whitcroft) and Philip Harmon of Harbor Springs, Lisa (Whitcroft) and Douglas Olander of Windham, N.H., Rick Whitcroft of Colorado Springs, Colo., Russell Whitcroft of Glendale, CA, and 10 grandchildren.

A brother, Edward Pancoast, preceded him in death.

Memorial contributions may be made to Charlevoix Area Community Pool, Charlevoix Area Hospital or to the charity of choice.

Ella Rose Sweet: Died April 1, 2001

Ella Rose Sweet, 87, of Ranchos de Taos and longtime resident of Coyote Howls Park, Why, Ariz. peacefully passed over on April 1, 2001.

She was a life member of the Eastern Star Chapter 72 Charlevoix and a lifetime honorary member of the Paralyzed Veterans of America.

She was preceded in death by

her husband, Kenneth R.D. Sweet, in 1988.

She is survived by children Charles Beeman (Dorothea) of Warren, Don Beeman (Patricia) of Ventura, Calif., Ralph Sweet (Marcella) of Taos, Ariz., Sara Sweet Brady of Orlando, Fla. and stepchildren, Roger Sweet of Michigan and Barbara North (Donald) of Florida.

She is also survived by 19 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren. She will be remembered for her unconditional love.

An evening service was given on April 2, at Rivera Chapel officiated by the Rev. Shirley Ellingboe of St. James Episcopal Church.

Arrangements were by Rivera-Hanlon Funeral Home.

Violet Wagner: Feb. 16, 1925 - April 13, 2001

Violet Wagner, 75, of East Jordan died April 10, 2001 at Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

Funeral services were April 13, 2001 at the Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan. Pastor Mike Allen officiated. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery in Manistique.

She was born on July 24, 1925 in Newberry, the daughter of Clarence and Daisy (Carey) Moore.

On February 16, 1942 in Hulbert, she married Emmanuel Joseph Soulliere. He preceded her in death in 1969. On December 6, 1975 in Gulliver, she married Lucas Wagner.

Violet was a member of the First Baptist Church in East Jordan. She enjoyed crocheting.

She is survived by her husband,

Lucas Wagner of Gould City; five children, Ray (Karen) Soulliere of East Jordan, Joseph (Judy) Soulliere of Petoskey, Donna (Walt) Palmer of Mancelona, Norma (Douglas) Potter of Atwood and James (Sue) Soulliere of Charlevoix; 13 grandchildren, John Brown, Andy Brown, Mary Brown, Jessica O'Donnell, Jeffery Brandon Palmer, Kathy Jo Palmer, Tanya (Dennis) Kenney, Becky (Steve) Bourdo, Clayton Soulliere, Susan (Jake) Clark, Dona (Tracy Morris) Gilland, Charla (David) LaVake and Alicia (Rob, Sr.) Goodrich; 14 great-grandchildren, Kayla Kenney, Mathew Bourdo, Derrek Bourdo, Meghan Bourdo, Brittini Clark, Hunter Clark, Ashley Gilland, Dylan Newton, Austin Newton, Meghan LaVake, Aubrey Goodrich,

Tori Goodrich, Haley Goodrich, and Robert Goodrich, Jr.; one brother, Ben (Marie) Moore of Phoenix, Arizona; four sisters, Ellen (Pat) Rosebush of Gulliver, Minnie (Richard) LaCasper of Brampton, Hazel (Ralph) Williams of Green Bay, Wisconsin, and Kay (Tunk) Richardson of Coloma; one sister-in-law, Marge Moore of Coloma; as well as several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Edward and Raymond Moore.

The family received friends at the Penzien Funeral Home in East Jordan.

Memorials may be given to Grandvue Medical Care Facility at 1928 South Peninsula Road, East Jordan, MI 49727.

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Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	President: Hal Willens	347-8033
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.	Greeting	7:45 p.m.
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The dance studio at the arts center will be filled with students Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Brought back by popular demand, Jody Adgate will be offering dance classes at the arts center on Wednesdays. Adult stretch, creative dance for ages 4-6, Beginning Tap or Modern Jazz is available for ages 8-10; and both middle school and high school students can learn modern jazz.

On Thursdays, Dorothy Eisenstein teaches ballet and creative dance. Mary Elizabeth Chaney offers Highland Dance on Friday.

Catherine Carey will be offering three classes this spring. Acrylic painting class, which will be held on Tuesday mornings, will explore the unique properties of acrylics and the many directions it can be taken. Students will be painting on canvas and paper, pouring, glazing, and using a palette knife and brushes.

In the Wednesday morning watercolor class, beginning students will receive instruction concerning materials and basic techniques. All students, beginning, intermediate and advanced, will be encouraged to increase their skills according to their individual goals and interests. The drawing class on Thursday mornings, will teach students basic drawing concepts and help develop important drawing skills needed for better paintings. This class will help students develop confidence in composition, shading, and perspective.

Carey is a local artist, living and painting in northern Michigan since 1978. She teaches painting and drawing at the Crooked Tree Arts Center, the Bay View Summer Education Program and Elderhostel painting workshops through Central Michigan University.

Adults and children can play with clay in the Pottery classes offered Mondays and Tuesdays. Manna McGrew's oil/acrylic painting class is on Wednesdays. Joey Chickering introduces various mediums in the Children's Art Class on Wednesdays.

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For more information, class schedules and to register, call the Crooked Tree Arts Center at (231) 347-4337.

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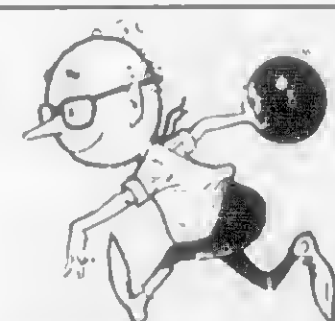
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When they reached Chicago, they were surprised by the arrival of their son, Bill, who had flown in from Los Angeles to join the celebration.

The group spent a few days shopping, sight-seeing and dining out. Their anniversary was observed at a dinner at Berghoff's.

Howard Horton and the former Rosemary Delancy were married April 8, 1961, at St. Catherine's Rectory in Ossineke by the late Rev. Father Robert Pelletier.

They moved to Charlevoix in 1967. Mr. Horton retired from the former Medusa Cement Corporation in 1995 and Mrs. Horton retired in 1989 after teaching high school in Michigan for 30 years, the last 22 at Ellsworth Community Schools.

The Hortons' youngest child, Michael, died in 1998.

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Charlevoix Elementary School to be renovated

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

In the fall of 2001, high school students will be basking in the comforts of a new school and middle school students will transition to the current high school. These changes might have elementary students asking, "but what do we get?"

Have no fear, plans for school renovations won't leave the elementary student body without a taste of improved accommodations.

The school district is currently finalizing steps in the bid process for a project that will expand the Charlevoix Elementary School located at 13513 Division Street.

Project superintendent Kevan Flory, of the Christman Company of Petoskey, explained that after school is out for the year — June 14 — work will begin on a new 5,000 square foot addition.

John Sturrock, Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools said the addition will include a new media center/library and a few classrooms.

Flory added the expansion will extend from the rear of the facility, but it is designed not to impact the playground. The exterior of the expansion will match the existing brick.

Plans show the existing media

center will be divided into a computer lab and a corridor where kids can gather before heading out on the playground.

Further elementary school renovations include the removal of the grid ceilings in classrooms. The open ceiling will allow construction crews to access blown-in insulation above the ceiling. Flory said that the insulation does not contain asbestos.

After they remove the popcorn looking insulation, a fire safety sprinkling system will be installed.

Those who have walked in the elementary school and have felt uneven heat throughout the building may also be pleasantly surprised. The current radiant panels will be replaced with a new heating coil unit.

Flory said that the building's cur-

rent heat system is inefficient.

"We are basically making some corrections now so in the future the school won't have trouble with the heating or the ceiling," he said.

The renovations not only target increasing the comfort of students, but will help mend the nerves of confused parents. Sturrock said the parking lot will be reconfigured so that bus and parent drop-off areas will be separate.

School visitors who have had trouble parking in the school lot in the past may have better luck as the reconfigured parking lot includes additional spaces.

Sturrock said the project is part of the bond passed by district voters in October of 1999.

Elementary school changes are scheduled for completion in late October of 2001.

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Planning commission approves smaller lots

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Some north-side residents opposed the City of Charlevoix Planning Commission's decision to rezone a 7.9 acre parcel off of Petoskey Avenue from R1 to R2, but planning commission member and adjoining lot owner Gina Whitney said, "this is the best alternative anyone has come up with."

On April 16 the city Planning Commission hosted a public hearing at city hall that finalized a rezoning effort by Ed Amick, a Charlevoix resident, realtor and owner of the 7.9 acre land parcel affected by the rezoning which runs between Petoskey Avenue and Division Street.

Commission member John Campbell said that this may be a step toward providing affordable housing to families getting started.

"There is no place for those starting out to go in our community so some move to the countryside or Boyne City, East Jordan and Central Lake. Even with R2 zoning it may be out of their reach but at least it gets closer," he said.

The zoning change means that homes can be built on smaller lots. The former R1 zoning required a lot size of 12,000 feet and R2 requires only 9,000 square feet.

"We are finding in our market that there are an increased number of folks who don't care to have a large front or rear yard."

Ed Amick,
Property owner of rezoned parcel

The planning commissioner's decision followed an event that took place almost one year ago to the day.

On April 11, 2000 north-side residents packed the local Italian eatery Giuseppe's to discuss land use at the site. They voiced concerns about a proposed apartment complex that ranged from a reduction in property values to increased traffic volumes by the elementary school, 13513 Division Street.

Prior to Amick taking possession of the parcel, it was owned by Warren Shadko who owned the property when discussion of constructing apartments occurred.

"My understanding is that at one time the site was going to be used for a government subsidized apartment building which is something we have no interest in," Ed Amick, current co-owner of the vacant land parcel said.

Amick's plan deviates from Shadko's as he is looking to section the area into residential lots that commission members said will mesh with the character of the surrounding area.

Amick said that the neighborhood isn't open to multiple family dwellings and that because of this discussion, whether the lots are sized to meet R1 or R2 zoning requirements, the plan has to be single family homes.

In addition, he said that there are already several neighboring homes sitting on R2 size lots. He characterized the adjacent neighborhood as a mixture of R1 and R2 sized lots.

"We are finding in our market that there are an increased number of folks who don't care to have a large front or rear yard. They are looking for a more manageable lot size, they don't want to maintain a lot of grass area," he said.

He sees the rezoning as a way to address the concerns of neighbors and to use the property.

"I can't imagine why someone would object to this. Number one it is designed for single family homes, and two, it won't be any more dense than what they allow there right now," Amick said.

Historical society to honor school's gym

The Charlevoix Historical Society is giving a farewell to the Charlevoix Middle School gym at 6:30 p.m., May 9 at the gym on Mason Street.

The gym will be in service for at least another year before the middle school moves to the old high school site, once the new high school is built. After that, its future has not been determined.

Therefore, to celebrate the gym, all society members and everyone who graduated in this gym when it was a former high school from 1928 to 1961 are invited to this community wide potluck dinner and evening of reminiscences.

The society would also like to display all the class and reunion photos it can obtain. It is currently lacking group photos from the classes of: 1928, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1937, 1938, 1940, 1941, 1945, 1946, 1952 and 1955 through 1964. And it is lacking class reunion photos for the classes of: 1932, 1934, 1935, 1939, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1948, 1952, 1954 through 1957, 1959, 1960, 1962 through 1964.

If you, or anyone you know, has a copy of these pictures please bring them to the Harsha House Museum or call 547-0373.

Students score high on test

TEST

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cation elite of, Singapore, South Korea and Japan.

Singapore schools carried the highest average score in math, posting 604. Michigan schools' math average totaled 517. McNamara said that the Michigan invitational group placed twelfth overall in math.

According to consultant Bob Dunn who organized the invitational groups, student participants from the Naperville School District and the

First in the World Consortium, both located in Illinois, posted the highest average science score, 584.

McNamara said that the invitational group's science score placed them fifth in the world.

Overall, U.S. eighth graders performance was in the middle range of the achievement distribution for the 38 participating countries.

McNamara said that Beaver Island's involvement brought in \$1,000 for their math and science budget and down the line the administration will share ideas with other schools that participated in the study.

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(4-18-1-086)

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(4-4-3-086)

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(4-11-3-086)

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CHARLEVOIX: Wanted to lease or purchase office space/building. 1,000 to 1,500 minimum. Must be ground level within the city of Charlevoix. Respond to File Box 510, c/o Charlevoix Courier.

(7-5-tf-168)

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RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT 171

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(12-28-tf-174)

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(4-11-3-175)

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(4-11-3-191)

BID 209

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX will receive sealed bids until 11:00 a.m., April 24, 2001, for a tractor, loader, backhoe. Specifications can be obtained from Street Superintendent John Martin at (231) 547-3276. All bids are to be clearly marked "Backhoe Bid" and directed to the City Clerk Liz Gooch, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720. Faxed bids will not be accepted.

The City of Charlevoix reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids to waive irregularities and accept the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Charlevoix. All specifications are to be considered minimum.

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BID 209

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX will accept proposals April 24, 2001, until 11:00 a.m., for furnishing Portable Toilet Facilities and service at various City locations. All inquiries are to be directed to Street Superintendent, John Martin at (231) 547-3276. Proposals are to be sent to Charlevoix City Clerk, Liz Gooch at P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720. All proposals are to be sealed and clearly marked "Portable Toilet Bid".

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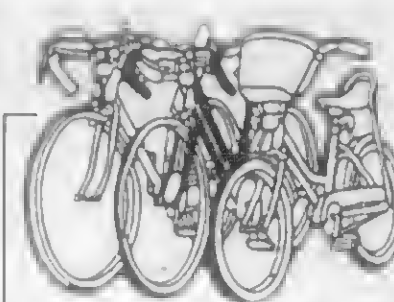
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BID 209

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CASE NO. 01-767-19-DC**

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c/o Cheryl Speer
1003 May St., Apt. 706
Charlevoix, MI 49720

PLAINTIFF ATTORNEY
Mark M. Muniak (P34322)
223 Bridge St., P.O. Box 563
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-5501

DEFENDANT
Christina MacQuarrie
9312 Harris Street
Ellsworth, MI 49729
Last known address
Current address unknown

TO: Christina MacQuarrie
IT IS ORDERED:

You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to establish custody of the minor child, Rayne Isabella Speer, DOB: 10-28-99. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the 301 State St., County Building, Charlevoix, MI 49720 on or before May 23, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

A copy of this order shall be published once each week in Charlevoix Courier three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this court.

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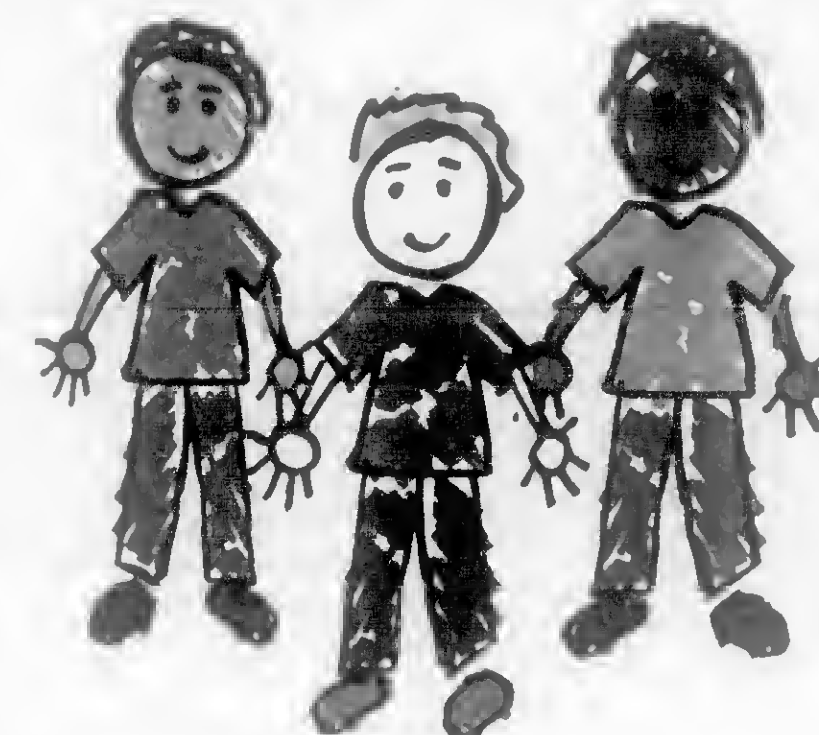
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The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addition help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30

p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the

month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For

more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Ferry to run

The Ironton Ferry has been tentatively scheduled to re-open on Tuesday, May 8. The Ferry is opening later than usual this year due to ramp renovations.

Kite-In

Rediscover the fun of soaring a kite on the breeze! The First Annual Environmental Awareness Kite-In starts at 11 a.m. and goes till sunset on April 22, at Veteran's Memorial Park in Boyne City. Bring a kite and receive a ticket to win a kite donated by Bali & Beyond of Boyne City. The featured musicians are Thea Ennen, Visions

of Peace Drum & Dance Co., Robin Lee Berry, Dave Boutette with an open jam happening at sunset.

Car wash

The Charlevoix Volunteer Firefighters Association will be co-hosting a car wash with the Charlevoix Men of Integrity from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. on April 28 at the fire station. All proceeds will benefit local children wanting to attend "The Colorado Challenge," a summer learning camp for under privileged children. In case of rain, the car wash will be rescheduled to May 5. If you need any further information please contact Lew or Shari at 547-8495.

Earth Day celebration

The Charlevoix County Land Conservancy invites nature lovers to join them in celebrating Earth Day by participating in a Lake Michigan beach clean-up at 12:30 p.m. on April 21 at Mt. MeSauba. Bring work gloves if you have them. Meet at the sledding hill parking lot. The conservancy will supply kites for an "after the work is done" spring celebration. For more information call the

Charlevoix County Land Conservancy at 237-9335.

First aid class

CPR and first aid classes are available at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Basic First Aid will be from 6-10 p.m. today in the Classroom B at the hospital.

The cost is \$10 for each class. Register by calling the hospital at 547-4024. All classes are taught by certified instructors and are through Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Code class

The Department of Building Inspection is providing classes for plumbing and mechanical updating to the new 2001 codes on April 28 at the Charlevoix Knights of Columbus located at 15144 Bells Bay Road. Starting at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m., plumbing will be covered, and from 1 to 4 p.m. mechanical will be covered.

Information handouts will be provided on new code changes. Please bring 1997 plumbing code books, and 1996 mechanical code books. Classes are free to all. Coffee, pop and donuts will be provided.

Featured event

Cookbook author to address positive living

Cookbook author Deanna House's favorite motto is, "Enthusiastic teaching makes learning fun."

Whether she is teaching an adult education class, presenting a workshop for 4-H members or speaking to community groups, she shares her positive living philosophy as she communicates through food.

House is the author of four cookbooks. She will be speaking on "Heart Healthy Cooking" at 7 p.m., April 26 in the dining room at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Tickets are \$5 per person, \$4 for people 65-years-old and older. Space is limited. Tickets may be purchased in advance by calling 547-8502.

House is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Stout and has taught junior high, senior high and adult Home Economics classes. She is a freelance food writer regularly read in the Kalamazoo Gazette and The Grand Rapids

Press newspapers.

House is a favorite speaker of the members of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan and has appeared at a number of conventions, most recently at last year's state convention in Kalamazoo.

Her first cookbook, "House Specialties," is now out of print after five printings and her second cookbook, "More House Specialties," has been retired after three printings. House currently sells her third cookbook, "Even More House Specialties," and the final book of the series, "House Specialties Encore."



Deanna House

SCRAPBOOK

A history of channel bridges

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society

Editor's note: This is the second story of a series on Charlevoix bridges.

The dredging of the channel in 1873 that necessitated the removal of our first known bridge for nine months signaled the beginning of the end for the great Fox and Rose Lake Michigan shipping dock that had been erected in the mid 1860s.

Medium sized schooners and passenger vessels could now make it into Round Lake. The *Charlevoix Sentinel* reported that "on the day that the dredging was completed, the Maple Leaf arrived with a full cargo of merchandise and took out a full cargo of 100,000 feet of hardwood lumber, with two feet of water under its keel." No longer would they have to contend with swells and wind bringing themselves up to that exposed dock at the channel mouth. The calm harbor gave them a safe haven.

For nine more years the huge dock remained in service, until, in 1882, the channel reached its maximum width when the widest lake vessels could come into Round Lake. Charlevoix was now the premier port of northwest lower Michigan. After that, the dock was not removed, but allowed to perish at the mercy of Lake Michigan. Remnants of it littered the beaches for years, even washing up well into mid-Twentieth Century.

Easier access for boats was fine for those on the water. But the fact of no bridge over 12 new feet of deep water was a terrible inconvenience for those on land. There was a proposal to erect a metal bridge, with the rest of the county to pay 50 percent and Charlevoix Township the remaining

50 percent, but it went down in voter defeat twice.

By the spring of 1874, pioneer businessman Amos Fox had had enough. He offered to erect a wooden bridge for \$400, was given the go-ahead and it was ready by May. As the picture shows, he raised the roadbed, from two feet to 16 feet, approximately the height of today's bridge. It was only wide enough to facilitate the passage of one cart. On the south bank stood a tripod of logs that held a fourth, upright log with a pulley on top, looking to be over 30 feet tall. The central portion of the roadbed was hinged and a rope tied to its north edge led over the pulley and down to a winch near the tripod, manned by six people. (Rosa Nettleton, when she came to type up the memoirs of her husband, pioneer settler David C. Nettleton, made a typographical error when she stated "the lift was operated by a rope running a winch on the south shore.")

The *Sentinel* said, "It is recorded that Jos. M. Clark and S. S. Liscomb, both doing business near the bridge, were employed as bridge-tenders, at salaries of \$15 per month each." This meant hailing down anyone they could find to make a six man gang for the operation of the winch every time a boat passed.

Then came James Martin, our first full-time salaried policeman, who was also assigned duties as bridge tender. It was not uncommon for him, if they were lacking five other good men and true to be found on Bridge Street, to go into the saloon (of which Charlevoix had a reportedly surprising total of one) and as the British say, "impress" into service anyone available, in whatever condition, at times under protest and right off their barstool, whether they liked it or not.

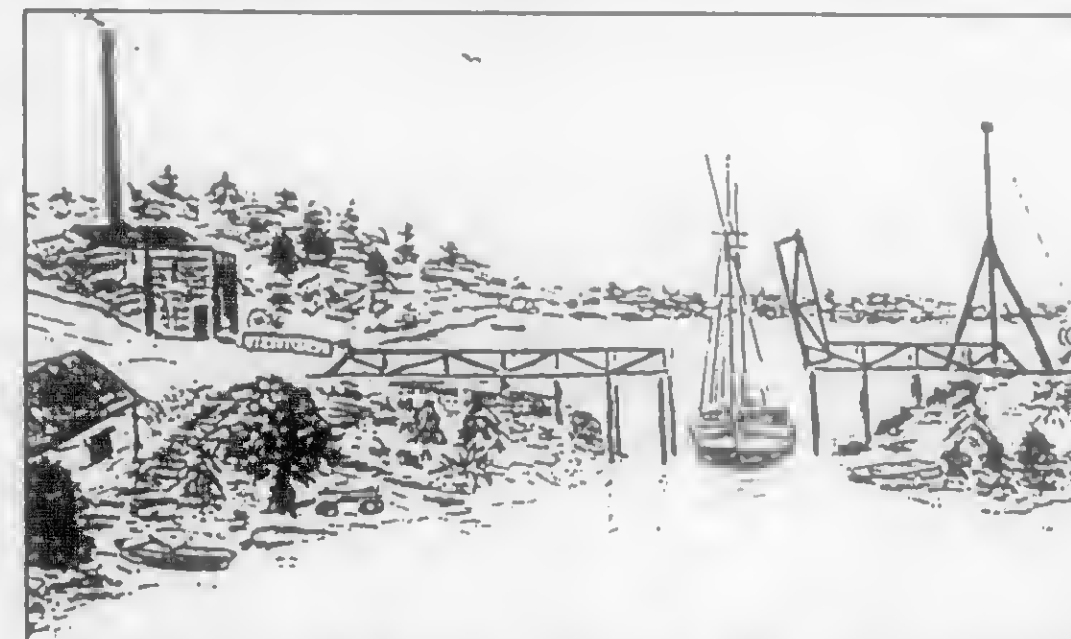
As Lord Nelson said prior to the Battle of Trafalgar, every man is expected to do his duty. So, it was for the manhood of Charlevoix when the need arose.

Unfortunately, no photograph has turned up showing this second bridge, but one does survive of the sign posted at each end: "Five Dollars Fine for Riding or Driving on This Bridge Faster than a Walk, or for Driving On More Than Ten Head of Cattle At Once." Five dollars was an enormous amount of change back then, in some cases the equivalent of two weeks' wages, indicative of the importance of this structure to the community and it was to be treated with respect.

But, in actuality this bridge was no more than a stop-gap measure. Just over a year after its construction, town conscience and goad, Willard Smith of the *Sentinel*, was grumbling about its inconvenience.

"Our shipping has assumed proportions which demand the attention of our highway authorities to the miserable appliances provided for raising the bridge in this village for the passage of vessels. A force of six men is necessary to raise it every time a vessel passes through, when two should be able to do it easily. Our conveniences for accommodation of Commerce should be improved to keep pace with the increase of navigation," he wrote.

We don't know what happened to this bridge. The only clue resides in a poem written by self-published local poet Mrs. Aldin Chamberlin, who, in "Our lovely Charlevoix" in her book *Life Thoughts*, stated "when there came a heavy blow! It broke into pieces." The word "blow" could be a



A sketch of the second bridge over the Charlevoix channel. (Courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

reference to one of the monstrous windstorms that wreaked havoc now and then on this area. Or it might mean a collision between ship and bridge.

Whether the bridge's quick demise hastened the decision to build a new one or whether one was coincidentally already in the works, by October of 1877 the County Board of Supervisors had come up with a new, more acceptable financial formula.

This time the rest of Charlevoix County would chip in \$3,500 and Charlevoix Township would be assessed half of that amount. The voters considered this to be much more fair and equitable and voted it in. The contract was signed on Feb. 12, 1878 with the Smith Bridge Company of Toledo, Ohio. Navigation opened on March 24 that year, signifying a mild winter with no ice in the channel, so pounding and digging started immediately. Several months later, the \$5,200-plus third bridge went into service.

In the meantime, channel crossings again had to revert to rafts and cable

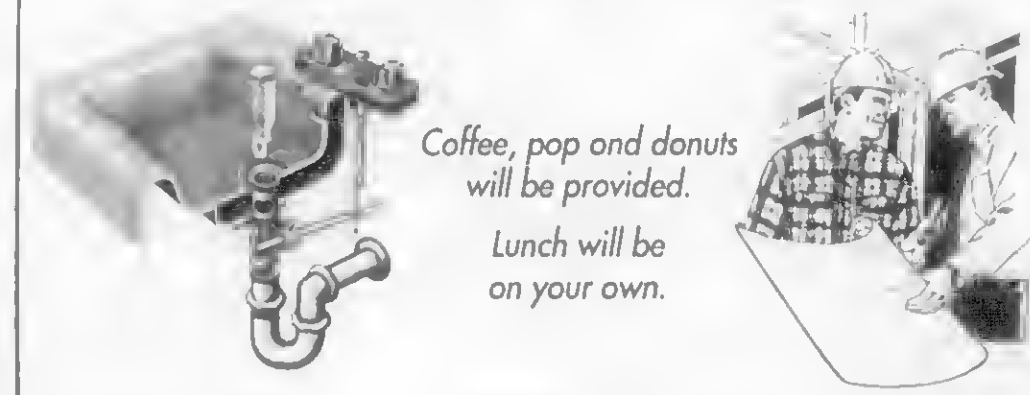
Plumbing & Mechanical Contractors

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Wallick fears board may fire her from library post

WALLICK

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I think she has done an excellent job. I don't think she should be roadblocked out of a job she is not ready to leave yet," Arnold said.

But, Brandi said this evaluation was normal procedure.

The overall rating of Wallick by the board is based on her performance from June of 2000 to February of 2001. The evaluation scale goes from 3, an exceptional rating to -5 and below, an unacceptable rating. Wallick's compiled rating placed her in a range from .5 to -4.

The evaluation includes numerous written comments submitted by board members alluding to areas where Wallick needs to improve her skills.

Included is a statement that Wallick is fiscally irresponsible and that she is operating in the red. Wallick explained that over her 28 year stay with the library she has saved almost \$600,000 to help fund an expansion that she knew would some day be needed.

A skills and knowledge critique states Wallick hasn't updated her skills through classes since 1974. Wallick claims she attends seminars and conferences often and reports back to the board.

In the initiative/innovative section, the form states, "Haven't seen any yet." But Wallick explained that she has kept the library up to date as money is available.

She claims she has facilitated the integration of technological improvements at the library. "Charlevoix is the only library in northern Michigan with a web-based, on-line, real-time card catalog," she said.

Other complaints from those who completed the evaluation include a critique of her leadership — "always

needs prodding, trying newsletter, weekender a start and only when forced (newsletter)."

In a response to the board, drafted by Wallick, she states, "I think perhaps the problem is that I show too much leadership and the board perceives it as control." In an interview with the Courier, she cited leadership actions she has taken including: deciding to make the move into E-Books and choosing books and videos for the library.

The board describes her work relationship as combative and states that she has a problem with portrayal of the board to other peers.

But, Wallick said that board member Mary Ann Chew attempts to micro-manage the library.

Wallick also said Chew has alluded to her probable dismissal. Wallick explained the happenings of an incident that occurred in late February at the three day Rural Libraries Conference that Chew and Wallick attended.

At the conference Wallick said librarians approached her and said Chew was in the ladies room discussing how to hire a new director, how long to be without a director and how to advertise the position.

Wallick also claims that on April 1 a Charlevoix resident informed her that she had overheard Chew say that she thinks the library is not well organized.

Chew declined to comment at this time. She referred all questions to Brandi.

Library board members Gordon Van Wieren and Betty Heene also declined to comment at this time and referred questions to Brandi. Board members Anne Hansen and Ethel Coeling were unavailable for comment at this time.

Charlevoix Courier Editor Jeremy McBain contributed to this report.



To honor the Saviour

Members of the Charlevoix Ministerial Association celebrated Good Friday with their annual cross carry. This year, the members carried the cross from Don's IGA on Petoskey Avenue to the Community Reformed Church. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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The Ironton Ferry had to delay its starting date due to low water levels this year. — Page 9

Hoskins closing down in August

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Several jobs will be lost in Charlevoix this August, due to the recent announcement that Hoskins Manufacturing will be closing its doors.

The Charlevoix plant, which already went through a number of layoffs in March, announced April 18 that it will be closing its doors Aug. 1 and its entire operation will be moved to other Michigan plants owned by the Novi based company.

James Musser, chief executive officer and chairman of Hoskins, said the plant will be closing due to a company-wide "restructuring."

"This is not about the economy; we had already earlier in the year made moves to reduce employees due to an economic downturn. This one is to improve the ongoing operations of the company and reduce overhead..." Musser said.

Hoskins has been in Charlevoix for about 30 years and employed close to 100 employees before the layoffs early this year. The closing of the plant will affect another 82 jobs, Musser said.

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Cable customers given protections

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Some Charlevoix cable television subscribers feel that Charter Communications' user rates are too high but don't know how to make a change — however the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Cable Consumer Bill of Rights tells subscribers you aren't helpless.

"It is my understanding that when we (the FCC) started that initiative (the Cable Consumer's Bill of Rights) we were trying to remind consumers

that if they have had it with cable companies, here are their alternatives," Michelle Rouso, spokesperson for the FCC said.

According to information released by the FCC, from 1993 to 1999 the commission resolved about 18,000 rate complaints involving 5,700 cable communities and ordered about \$100 million in consumer refunds to 40 million cable subscribers.

Without FCC cable rate regulation, the commission claims cable consumers would have paid an estimated three to five billion dollars

more for cable service over that six year period.

However, as of March 31, 1999 the FCC no longer had the authority to receive or act on consumer complaints, leaving rate regulation to be determined by competition.

"The commission believes that, as competition to cable and choice in the video programming marketplace develop, consumers will have access to more services and that prices will be controlled by competition," an FCC consumer alert states.

However, in Charlevoix where one

cable provider exists — Charter Communications — effective competition is limited to satellite providers and the consumer has to act as the rate watchdog.

According to Sherrie Martin, operations manager for Charter Communications, after the 1999 "sunset" of federal cable rate regulation occurred, Charlevoix basic cable subscribers realized a rate increase of almost \$2 per month (comparison from March 1998 to March 2000).

See CABLE, page 12



Keeping the Earth clean

Charlevoix resident Georgiana Herald said she always brings a bag when she walks Mt. McSaub's Michigan Beach. She is seen here doing her part last Saturday, which was Earth Day. For more on this year's Earth Day cleanup, see Julie Musilek's "Stepping Out" column on page 11. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Jeffrey Ronald Mays, 25, Boyne City. Driving without a license. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Toby Daniel Owen Young, 31, Charlevoix. Trespassing. Fines and costs totaling \$165.

Eric Peter Vaughn, 27, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Jordan Lee Burke, 18, Charlevoix. Delivery of a controlled substance-marijuana; and delivery to a minor, schedule four-marijuana. Bound over to circuit court.

David Joseph Erwin, 29, Boyne

Falls. Driving while license suspended-second or more. Jail for 30 days with credit for three days, serve 27 days.

Craig Steven Knight, 43, Lincoln Park. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

James David Wittenberg, 36, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended-second or more. Fines and costs totaling \$1,010.

Marc Anthony Russell, 26, Petoskey. Non-sufficient funds less than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$517.62.

James Lee Steen, 48, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended-second or more. Jail for 20 days; \$810 in fines and costs.

Anthony Gary Cavaness, 38, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; jail for 41 days with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

HANGTIME Drywall Co., 02485 LaLone, Elmira, by Richard Aytes and Benjamin Evans

Carpentry Services, 404 Mill Street P.O. Box 189, East Jordan, by Doug Gilkerson and Brian Lewin

Pam Handy Crumpler Cleaning,

607 Grant Street, Boyne City, by Pamela J. Handy Crumpler

Raymond Concrete, 802 Olson Street, East Jordan, by Bernadette Raymond

La Pierre Carpet Cleaning, 07582 Ferry Road, East Jordan, by Roland La Pierre

Michigan House Trader, 502 Maple Street P.O. Box 587, East Jordan, by Shane Williams

Northern Tackle Distributors, 3906 Old State Road, East Jordan, by Brian Crawford

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Darrel James Maniaci, 36, East Jordan and Rachel Anne Jacqua, 29,

East Jordan
Richard Ellis Walter Jr., 39, Charlevoix and Paula Jean Gelin, 42, Charlevoix
Stephen Danial Young, 36, Charlevoix and Rachael Mac Van-Valkenburgh, 30, Charlevoix

Births

David Kolar was born April 20, 2001 to Todd and Betsy (Haggard) Svanda of Portland. David has a 19-month-old sister, Caroline. He was born at Sparrow Hospital in Lansing. He weighed 9 pounds, 5 ounces. David's grandparents are John and Phyllis Haggard of Charlevoix and Larry and Linda Svanda of Oregon, Wis.

Music festival

All Charlevoix Middle School students participating in the District II solo/ensemble festival earned medals in their events. The student's are: (from left) Ryan Seelye, Nathan Turner, Michelle Fritsch, Adam Wager, Genevieve Kochanny, Kara Fitzgerald, Liz Jadwin and Sierra Whisler. Ashlee Carter and Jill Wilhelm are not pictured.

(Courtesy photo)

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Survivor joins walk to help fight against breast cancer

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A painted pendent proudly displayed on Charlevoix resident Nancy Ferguson's vest says it all.

"Say it. Fight it. Cure it. Damn it."

Ferguson is a breast cancer survivor and warrior, who preaches the word of early detection.

Ferguson learned the value of early detection when in April of 1996 she did what every doctor encourages women to do, a self exam. At this exam she discovered an abnormal lump under her armpit.

Her self-exam proved to be a moment that may have made the difference between survival and succumbing to cancer. She explained that even before she went in for her lumpectomy on March 15, 1996, a mammogram did not show the malignant growth.

Remission is the destination she has since reached, but the road she traveled to get there was rough. The treatments were intense — radiation, blood tests twice a week, Taxall, chemotherapy and Adreomycin.

But through it all, Ferguson said she held on to her will to conquer the intruder inside of her. Rather than saying, "Why has cancer chosen me?" Ferguson said, "So many people suffer from cancer, why not me?"

"I thought, 'Cancer, I can live with it.' I also had a sense of humor that I called 'cancer humor.' I would say, 'Don't bother me I'm having a no hair day,'" she joked.

Ferguson is now cancer free and only spends her time doing things that are important to her, like maintaining a healthy lifestyle, working at Camp Quality, being an Ellsworth Lioness and helping out with the Exceptional Riders club —

an equestrian club.

For the next five years she plans to see a doctor every three months and an oncologist every six months.

She is healthy, but the reality remains. Breast cancer indiscriminately affects one in eight women in every community.

But, to fight this, Ferguson and many other Charlevoix area residents will be taking part in the Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Memorial Breast Cancer Walk at 9 a.m. on May 12.

Charlevoix residents will gather in East Park to gear up for the walk from the park to the city golf course and back down Dixon Avenue. After the walk there will be refreshments and live music in the park.

Information provided by the American Cancer Society states that funds raised by the Charlevoix walk will go toward helping breast cancer patients and their families, providing educational and early detection programs and to supporting the American Cancer Society's research program.

Ferguson fought the battle against breast cancer and won, but many women faced the devastating illness and are no longer here to

wear the pin and make their statement of victory. Research may mean a cure for breast cancer.

Aside from donations, the walk also seeks to heighten awareness. In fact, one of the steps outlined by the cancer society for perspective walkers, is to set an example by going in for regular check ups, something Ferguson strongly agrees with.

The walk is approximately two miles, so children are also encouraged to participate.

And many Charlevoix students are already signed up. On April 18 members of the kids Kiwanis Club at the Charlevoix Elementary school gathered to color promotional posters for the event.

As fourth grade student Ericka Faust carefully shaded the skin of a dinosaur on the event poster she explained that she hopes her participation will make breast cancer a thing of the past, just like dinosaurs are.

Sign-up and sponsor sheets for the event are available at Frisbey Real Estate, 116 Antrim Street, Charlevoix. Information is also available by calling event chairperson, Vivian Mettler at 547-9751.



Nancy Ferguson, a cancer survivor, is fighting to save others. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Official Notice

NOTICE

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on April 11, 2001, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

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OPINIONS

What do you think about the economy?

The results are in from last month's "What do you think?" question.

The question was, "What do you think about Charlevoix's current snowmobile ordinance allowing snowmobiles in the downtown area on designated routes, at designated times."

We received four responses to this question. Of the four, three were against the ordinance and snowmobiles downtown, while one was for snowmobiles downtown. Therefore, our little unscientific poll tells us the city should probably relook at this ordinance.

Now, on to this month's question.

Currently the nation is experiencing what may be an economic slowdown. On some days, we pick up a newspaper and it is filled with stories about massive layoffs, stock market freefalls and bleak reports of a souring economy. Then, on other days, we pick up a newspaper and find stories about corporate gains and economic wonders.

Even the *Charlevoix Courier* recently published a story stating that the leaders in three of the largest manufacturing companies located in the city think our economic conditions have

EDITORIAL

not affected them yet. But, we also published a story in March about Hoskin's Manufacturing in Charlevoix laying off some of its workers due to an economic slowdown. Now this week, we published a story stating the plant was going to close its doors Aug. 1.

It seems as though no one really knows what kind of shape the local economy is in, much less the national economy.

So, we thought we would ask our readers what they think. Therefore, this month's question is: What do you think of the local economy and what can be done to improve it?

Remember to keep your letters to about 250 words so everyone who submits can be published. All responses will be published in the May 30 edition of the *Charlevoix Courier*. And please, no personal attacks.

Responses can be mailed to the *Charlevoix Courier* at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720, dropped off at our office at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix or e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com.

What do you think?

I think the local economy is good/bad because:

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'What do you think?' comments

For snowmobiles

I think that it is childish to have such an ordinance. If you don't like the snowmobiles, go to Florida. They don't have snow. We live in northern Michigan, of course there will be snowmobiles. Get over it.

Matt Krynski

Against

Snowmobiles do not belong on city streets at any time. Snowmobiles tearing up and down residential areas don't do much for the ambience of "Charlevoix the Beautiful." They have trails made specifically for them and that's where they belong. What's next, dirt bikes?

Shirley Gibson

Against

I am against the snowmobile ordinance as it is currently written. Unless there are some "teeth" put into it, people will easily ignore it. I have several neighbors who complained about snowmobilers riding across their property. If snowmobilers

would follow the ordinance and stay on certain routes during specified hours that would be fine, but some of them don't. For these people, I see no hope in "re-education." I do not have a statistical count of how many snowmobilers do or do not follow the ordinance; evidently there are enough people who don't to cause problems. Violators need to be given a meaningful monetary fine. Modification of the ordinance needs to include a rule against "late night riding." I certainly don't think the potential for snowmobilers adding to downtown businesses is credible.

Jeanne Blumberg

Against

Snowmobiles are a fun and useful machine when used as they were originally intended, as a powered sled. They are not a safe vehicle for roads and sidewalks and have no business in the city. With high snow banks and poor visibility, they are hard to see. Many drivers seem to have a two position throttle — stop or wide open. This may work in a large

snow covered field, but not in town. There are some drivers that try to obey the laws, but there will always be the drivers that never obey the laws and they are the problem. As long as we allow the machines in town we will have a percentage of bad apples. The longer we allow them, the more machines we will have and the bad apples will increase. The excuse is that allowing the machines in town brings in more money to the merchants. No one seems to be able to show that is really happening but even if it is, is it worth the potential accident? The police admit it is almost impossible to enforce the present laws. If they chase a machine going 60 miles per hour then you have two machines going that fast. A very bad situation. Snowmobiles should not be allowed in Charlevoix. Everyone should contact their councilperson and ask that the ordinance allowing snowmobiles in Charlevoix (#654) be rescinded and a new ordinance written that prohibits snowmobiles in Charlevoix.

Don Seelye

Letters to the editor

Editorial rebuttal

Editor:
Regarding your editorial of April 18, 2001:

I wholeheartedly agree with your premise that "...the people's business should be done in front of the people..." However, I would submit that "...in front of the people..." means: at a public meeting. A private conversation with you or with your reporter does not qualify as being "...in front of the people..."

A member of a governing board should reserve public comment on matters before that board until the board is in official session. A member of a board who acts otherwise becomes a rogue board member. Boards elect a president to act as their official spokesperson where public comment is required outside of the board meeting.

This is not to suggest that board members be rubber stamps or always present a "united front." On the contrary, board members should advocate as effectively as they can in the public meeting for their point of view. But, at the end of the day, the will of

the majority must prevail.

If you really want to know what is going on, start attending the meetings. Report on them accurately and fairly.

Vincent Chew
Charlevoix

Board is wrong

Editor:
Having been a library user since I could read, I am greatly disturbed at what is going on.

What a shame that most of the people chosen for the board know nothing about libraries and were not even library users so they could have a better understanding. I have attended quite a few of the board meetings and come away sick. Never have I seen meetings in the fashion as these.

The board seems to feel, "Whew...look at the money Ms. (Marybeth) Wallick has saved — let's spend it!" They gave \$1,000 to the Friends of the Library. Friends of the Library is supposed to be a group that helps the library and raises funds for it. The library was asked to buy a

microwave, a boom box and put a telephone in downstairs so that when the friends were down there they would have all the comforts of home. To say nothing of the fact the librarian has been handed attorney fees to pay. Fees because the board was consulting an attorney on how to get rid of the librarian. Because of this Ms. Wallick has attorney fees too — which will have to come out of her own pocket.

A few years ago when I had my trust set up, the library was included. When I discovered what spend-thrifts the board were and that my money would go for frivolous things and not books and computers to say nothing of more room — which is so badly needed — I withdrew the money.

Now the board is trying to get rid of a person who has spent her adult life dedicated to the library.

We who use the library are delighted with the way it is run. Let's keep the librarian and get rid of the board!

Virginia Olsen
Charlevoix

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Plants know when the seasons are turning



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

There is one lonely package of last fall's salmon left in the freezer and I am reluctant to thaw and cook it.

Not because of any fear of it being old or freezer burned. It is frozen in a mild salt solution that almost precisely mimics the salt content of salmon fillets and would be good out into the summer. I have the same reluctance to use up the last of this year's maple syrup before there is some assurance that there will be another year with more maple sap. I have concluded that I am unsure about the future.

Plants lack that uncertainty. They

know that spring is here and they already know that there will be another spring after that. They are just now preparing in some cases for the spring after next. They don't look at the sky and clouds and say, "Spring's late this year, better pull back and wait."

Just last week all the maple seeds that had lain under the snow on our lawn propped themselves up, pushed that wing that carried them to their present place up off the surface and sent a tiny root down into the barely thawed and sometimes snowed-on earth.

If you get down close to the ground and look sideways at any patch of grass that had maple seeds falling on it last year, you see a miniature forest of just germinated maples. Nothing green shows up until a few days later, but all those old, worn looking maple seeds are standing proudly in honor of their belief that spring has arrived. They all know when to do this and it has little to do with whether it is cold or warm, sunny or snowy.

All the maple seeds begin standing up on nearly the same day. They are probably responding to the longer hours of sunlight we get in April. They know that the sun is still there and that the earth's orbit is secure. They don't hold back until they are sure about warmth and sun.

All the most successful maple seedlings in the past several million years (Maples have been around in their present form for almost 50 million years) have started growing at that same signal. Other plants are well into making the underground buds for a spring which will not begin for 12 months.

I suppose I should have equal confidence that there will be maple sap a year from now and salmon at the end of summer. If humans had lived in this seasonal climate for the millions of years that maples have, we might feel something of the confidence they have.

Humans are late comers on the world scene and have lived in non-tropical climates for only an eye-blink of time compared to the

maples and hundreds of other plants. What we have are spring equinox festivals that assure us that the sun is coming back. But no organized human festival can compare with the millions of years of genetic selection and survival that even our simplest plants have.

Look to the plants and be wise.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the *Charlevoix Courier*. His columns appear every two weeks in the *Charlevoix Courier*. He can be reached by calling the *Courier* at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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Shame on the Courier

Editor:
I am extremely disappointed with the headline and article proclaiming "Librarian fears for her job." The purpose of a community newspaper is to disseminate news and information. Charlevoix has just suffered from the conflict over the new high school and now you are promoting a conflict over the library.

My parents, Dr. Gilbert and Charlotte Saltonstall, donated the land for the current library. I was elected and served on the Charlevoix School Board and I was the school board representative to the Charlevoix Library Board. Anyone who has served on a board knows that there are regulations, procedures and policies that you must follow. I believe that the Library Board has been doing that and anyone who is interested is able to go to the meetings to observe and speak.

The Library Board has completed an evaluation. A professional librarian who is doing a good job does not have to worry about an evaluation and try to blame individual members of the board in the newspaper. Dismissal must be approved by a majority of the board and these board members have been appointed by different entities to oversee the library. They are responsible

people doing an evaluation they are appointed to do.

Why is the community newspaper reporting hearsay conversations from a woman's restroom? Why is an evaluation being tried in public? Would you as an editor print your complaints with your boss? Instead, why doesn't the newspaper wait and cover the Library Board meeting where people can behave professionally and get the complete story. Newspapers used to follow a code of ethics. Now it appears that the Charlevoix Courier has stooped to the level of the National Enquirer, choosing sensationalism, regardless of the truth of consequences.

It is my hope that in the future the Charlevoix Courier will report more responsibly and support, rather than divide our community.

Connie Saltonstall
Charlevoix

Board needs to answer

Dear Editor:

Nearly 10 years ago, I wrote a "Letter to the Editor" regarding our very own Charlevoix Public Library. In that letter, which was published in the Petoskey News-Review on Oct. 29, 1991, I stated how much our family used the library, utilized the programs available and appreciated the wonderful library staff of Shirley Kemp, Jean McGhee and library director Marybeth Wallick.

After 10 years, I still haven't changed my mind: I think the

Charlevoix Public Library is the best deal we've got going in this city. While our library continues to offer all the same services listed in my original letter, it has also kept up with the times, upgrading to include quality in-stock videos and DVDs, as well as free computer and Internet access. In addition, the entire library has gone "on-line" with card cataloging. To keep up with the ever increasing number of library patrons, three part-time staff members have been added: Pati Brannon, Mardy Bohn and Maxine Bergmann. Their presence completes a wonderful staff of dedicated, caring individuals readily available to assist as needed. It's pretty obvious to me that our Charlevoix Public Library is thriving... and anyone who patronizes the library on a regular basis knows it, too.

One individual is responsible for the library you see today: She has hired the staff, she has bought the books, she has literally brought the library into the "New Millennium" (remember Y2K?), allowing computer Internet access, as well as on-line card cataloging. That one individual is Marybeth Wallick. I believe she is to be heartily commended for her hard work and dedication. Yet instead of praise and encouragement, after 27 years of sacrificing her own interests in service to the library (even at considerable risk to her own health two years ago) Wallick is now being asked (or pushed? forced?) to resign. I ask

"the powers that be" (i.e.: Charlevoix Library Board members) one question: Why is this happening? Someone like Wallick does not do a good job for 27 years and then suddenly begin to fail. Something is very wrong with this scenario and I would appreciate an answer to my question.

The Charlevoix Public Library is just that: for the public. It is not the exclusive domain of a few interested persons who act solely at their own personal discretion. If you believe, as I do, that the fine job done by Wallick during these past 27 years qualifies her to continue in her position as library director, then I urge you to contact your Charlevoix Library Board representative. In addition, I encourage you to attend the next Charlevoix Library Board meeting at 3:30 p.m. on May 10 in the meeting room, downstairs level of the Charlevoix Library, and let your voice be heard.

Kathleen Paterka
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

For non-profit organizations like The Rainbow Shoppe, National Volunteer Week, which occurs the week of April 22, is extremely important. For without our volunteers The Rainbow Shoppe would cease. It is their constant dedication to give of their time to help others that makes The Rainbow Shoppe function.

On behalf of the board of directors, it is with immense pride that we salute all the volunteers that work at The Rainbow Shoppe. They come each day with a smile and a helping hand. Each person plays an important part to allow this organization to minister to others. Each of us personally and as a community, are better for it.

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Debbie Niswander, P.R.
Rainbow Shoppe

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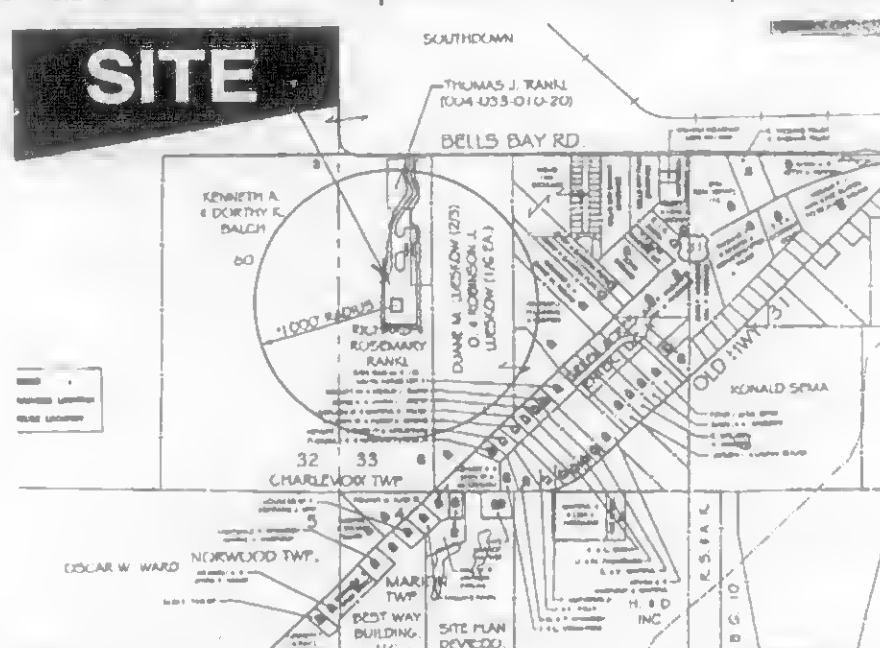
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On April 10, 2001, the Department of Environmental Quality received a construction permit application from Top Rank Disposal, Inc. for a proposed Type A Solid Waste Transfer Facility. The transfer facility is located at 15890 Bells Bay Road and is in the SW1/4 of Section 33, Township 34 North, Range 8 West, Charlevoix Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

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The complete application package consisting of the application, engineering plans, environmental assessment, hydrogeologic investigation report, and hydrogeological monitoring plan may be reviewed at the Department of Environmental Quality, Waste Management Division, Gaylord Office, 2100 West M-32, P.O. Box 1830, Gaylord, MI 49734-5830, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday except holidays (telephone number 517-705-3403) or at the Charlevoix County Courthouse Annex, 203 Antrim Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, (telephone number 231-547-7200).

If significant public comment is received on this project, the Department of Environmental Quality will schedule a public hearing to take additional comments on the proposal.

The Department has until August 8, 2001, to make a final decision on the construction permit application.

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Engagement



Nelson — Crain

Carrie Elizabeth Nelson of Alpharetta, Ga. — formerly of Ellsworth — and Scott Michael Crain, of Alpharetta, Ga., were recently engaged to be married.

Carrie is the daughter of Dorothy Nelson of Curtis and John Nelson of Charlotte. Scott is the son of Michael and the late Anna Crain of Charlevoix.

A wedding on June 16, 2001 at St. Anne's Catholic Church on Mackinac Island is being planned. A reception at the Pilot House on Mackinac Island is also being planned.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Western Michigan University and is currently employed with iStar Financial as an AVP, property underwriting.

The groom-to-be is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and Mercer University in Macon, Ga. He is currently employed with Frito-Lay, Inc. as a operations manager/corporate trainer.

Dinner and memories of the gym

The Charlevoix Historical Society is sponsoring a potluck dinner and evening of memories at 6:30 p.m., May 9 at the Charlevoix Middle School gym on Mason Street.

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Foster Care Review Board appointment

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Completed Marine Corps basic training

Marine Corps Pvt. Dawson K. Mater, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego, Calif. He is the son of Susan M. Killian and David B. Mater of Charlevoix and a 2000 graduate of Hemingway High School in Boyne City.

Potter joins U.S. Army

Michael D. Potter has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Entry program. The program gives recruits the opportunity to delay entering active duty for up to one year. He will report to Fort Benning, Ga. for active duty on May 14, 2001. Potter is a 1998 graduate of Charlevoix High School and the son of Joyce and Leroy Potter of Charlevoix.

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Harbor shows off

Betsy Mason and Carla Spencer check out some Harbor Industries creations during their April 20, "The New Harbor North" open house. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Hospital gets new ultrasound machine

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Amber Witthoeft's eyes lit up when she saw her 13-week-old baby move inside her for the first time.

Amber was even more amazed when she held flawless photos in her hand, depicting a few of the first moments in her child's life that were captured by Debi Waldron, Charlevoix Area Hospital's staff ultrasonographer.

This was the fourth baby of Amber's that Waldron had done the first ultrasound with.

But something about the quality of this image was definitely different.

Waldron explained that in January the hospital upgraded their technology from an almost decade old machine.

"Technology moves forward so

rapidly it is hard to keep up. This (the ATL-HDI 5000) is the highest level of technology available today," she said.

The hospital's radiology department is now equipped with an ATL-HDI 5000, the same technology used by NASA on its International Space Station that was launched in 2000.

According to an article written by Leslie Versweyvel for Virtual Medical Worlds, the space mission is a 10 year investigation of human adaptation to space-flight environment and to space exploration. The HDI ultrasound technology is being used to perform sophisticated medical diagnostic procedures aboard the space station.

While the new technology advances medicine in outer space, it is also helping advance the realm of possibilities for local practitioners.

Waldron said that the new machine allows for better penetration and resolution — the greater range in scan head frequency allows her to see more.

Those who may not have scanned well in the past will now be able to.

"By being able to see better, we can get more information, which in turn is better for the patient. And the simple thing is that they get a cuter picture, because of the penetration," she added.

The hospital also uses a color printer that prints on photo quality glossy paper. It had Amber headed for home in search of a frame for "baby's first picture."

Aside from performing ultrasounds in the radiology department, Waldron also said that they often do other abdomen work including scanning gall bladders, kidneys, uterus, ovaries and pelvises.

Writer enjoys cleaning the planet on Earth Day

Julie Musilek
'Stepping out'

With 75 degree days followed by snowy afternoons, my dafodils and I really don't know whether it is time to step out or stay in.

But on April 21, when meteorologists were calling for rain, Charlevoix soaked in an amazing, sunny, spring afternoon and from what I saw everyone stepped out.

Before reading on, answer in your head what April 21 means to you?

For some astrologically inclined readers, it could be the second day of the bull, Taurus. But for those at the beach with me on Saturday, it was a day to celebrate the Earth.

Not many Charlevoix residents gathered at the beach for the Charlevoix Land Conservancy's celebration of Earth Day, but those that did smiled ear to ear as we dipped our toes in the cool water, stooping over now and again to pick up after others.

Saturday morning I felt the

warm gusts of wind and steady rays. The inviting weather had me rummaging around the house for sunscreen, a pair of shades, thick-soled shoes, a garbage bag and a plastic glove — all the essentials for an afternoon at the beach.

You may question; why are you packing thick soled shoes, garbage bag and a plastic glove?

Well, the shoes are to safeguard my Earth Day celebration at the beach from turning into a trip to the emergency room. Digging my toes in the warm sand can be really painful when broken beer bottles are masked under the sea of gritty grains.

The bag was so I could properly pitch any trash I found and I use the matching glove to pick up after a species I call, "beach bum litter bugs," a parasitic species that use the beach as their personal landfill.

After filling a kitchen bag I came up with an idea. Why not make these Earth Day afternoon "essentials" part of my summer "must have" list. It's easy to stuff a lightweight plastic bag in your beach tote and to bend over now and then to grab a plastic straw or aluminum beer can.

And for those leaving the mess behind, I have one question, "Do you drink water?"

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Cable customers have some protections

CABLE

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Martin said that the \$2 increase over the two year period does accurately reflect Charter's cost of doing business.

Martin said when extended basic programming added 15 more channels to its line-up customers were aware that a price increase would follow the addition.

The Cable Consumer Bill of Rights lists three options under expectations consumers should have of their cable company including, the expectation

of a fair deal from their local cable company, i.e. reasonable rates that fairly reflect the costs of doing business.

The bill also states that consumers should expect an explanation from their cable company whenever rates for the programming service tier are raised, particularly when cable companies attribute price rises to increases in the cost of obtaining programming.

Consumers are entitled to write or call their cable companies whenever they have complaints about the cable services being provided on channels, or about program cost increases and

they should expect a speedy response. Rouso defined a speedy response as by the next business day.

If you feel that your cable provider, fails to meet these expectations, the consumer has the right to take their complaint to local, state and national consumer advocacy groups.

One such national group is the Consumer's Union located in Washington D.C. To contact a representative of this union call (202) 462-6262 or log on to www.consumersunion.org.

Also listed in the bill are expectations consumers should have of their local government. The document

states, "Consumers are entitled to file complaints with their local government (i.e. city, town, or county) regarding basic tier cable rate increases and service quality."

Rouso explained how some communities use their local government as a tool to regulate rates. In the case of Charlevoix, the city government signed a franchise agreement with Charter Communications this year. When it comes time to renew the agreement the city could use local complaints as contractual leverage.

Or the local government could establish a cable commission to handle consumer complaints.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner said that currently the city is monitoring what is happening in the cable industry.

The bill also includes consumer expectations of the FCC which allows the consumer to provide their own inside wiring for cable hookups and to purchase and use cable set-top boxes at competitive market prices.

If none of the aforementioned options help solve cable consumers' issues with their provider the bill advises users to explore competitive alternatives for video programming service like DBS (direct broadcast satellite).



Young donors

The youth group for the Charlevoix United Methodist Church fasted for 30 hours to raise money for the Charlevoix food pantry. Recently, the group gave a \$315 check to the pantry. They are: (from left) Carolyn Bellairs, 16, Amanda Seidel, 14 and Rachel Bellairs, 16 with food pantry coordinator Mary Helen Riggle. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Official Notice

**CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING ~ SYNOPSIS**
April 16, 2001 ~ 5:30 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members present except Councilman Bernie De Vries. A Public Hearing was held to discuss Lake Michigan Beach improvements.

Approved purchases of a fairway mower, substation equipment, and a bucket truck.

Mayor Russell reappointed Dan Barron and John Taylor to the DDA, John Campbell and Gina Whitney to the Planning Commission, and Lillian Left to the Housing Commission.

Resolution 2001-04-03 adopted approving Lake Michigan Beach Trust Fund Agreement with the DNR.

Council adjourned at 6:00 p.m.

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More letters to the editor

MORE LETTERS

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Thank you Marybeth

Editor:

Yeah to Marybeth!

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Jeanne McGhee

Library office assistant

Volunteer week

Editor:

National Volunteer Week, April 22 - 28, marks a special time for the Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan, Inc. (WRC) to recognize our invaluable volunteers. The WRC was founded 24 years

ago by individuals with a vision of support and services for women and families in our community. That vision has become a reality thanks to the important role volunteers have played at the WRC over the years.

Over 2,430 hours of service were donated in the 1999-2000 fiscal year. Our volunteers ring up sales at the Gold Mine Resale Shop, support families at the Safe Home, serve on the Board of Directors, assist with agency mailings, answer the 24-hour crisis line, do upkeep and maintenance, style hair and provide makeovers for families at Safe Home and many other important services.

Every volunteer brings with them their own special skills which provide an amazingly diverse and in-depth level of services to the families served by the WRC in Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet and Otsego counties. On behalf of the Women's Resource Center, a sincere thanks goes out to this very special group of people.

Jamie Winters

Safe Home Coordinator

Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan, Inc.

How about permanent mooring?

Editor:

I'm a full time resident on Lake Charlevoix, hold a Coast Guard Masters License and over my 40 year boating career, have lived and boated in New England, Florida, California and the Great Lakes. I have seen how dozens of waterfront communities have accommodated boats in their harbors.

Communities that have maintained the beauty of their surroundings, kept costs down and accommodated transient boaters, almost without exception, have installed "permanent moorings" within their harbors. I have never seen long parallel docks, or any kind of large dock facility, used successfully on a small body of water like Round Lake.

A permanent mooring is basically a small round floating buoy attached to the lake bottom with chain. There are numerous ways to accomplish this. A line is then tied from the top of the mooring buoy to a boat.

Cruising all of last summer along the New England coast on

my boat, communities charged around \$40 per night for the use of their permanent mooring. Size of boat impacts the price. To generate good will and additional revenue, most communities provided launch service to and from shore.

Disadvantages of docks...1) High initial cost. 2) Expensive to maintain, repair and/or replace. 3) Encroaches on navigable water surface. 4) Aesthetically, in a small harbor, a disaster. Water surface is visually broken up by docks 12 months a year. An eyesore when occupied or unoccupied. 5) Boats at docks block water views. 6) Boats moving about in close proximity of other vessels and docks, create a personal safety and property damage threat. Increased insurance costs and liability concerns. 7) Impossible for Dockmaster to maximize use of all dock space. Vessels of various lengths rarely match up with available dock space.

Advantages of moorings...1) Lower initial cost. 2) Less expensive to maintain, far fewer parts and no wood. 3) Moorings are small and spaced apart. When unoccupied, clear view of water.

When occupied, boats are separated from each other and water is still in view. 4) Moorings are removed during winter months. 5) Personal safety and property damage concerns are greatly reduced. Boats are farther apart and no docks to hit. 6) All moorings can be fully occupied, no wasted space.

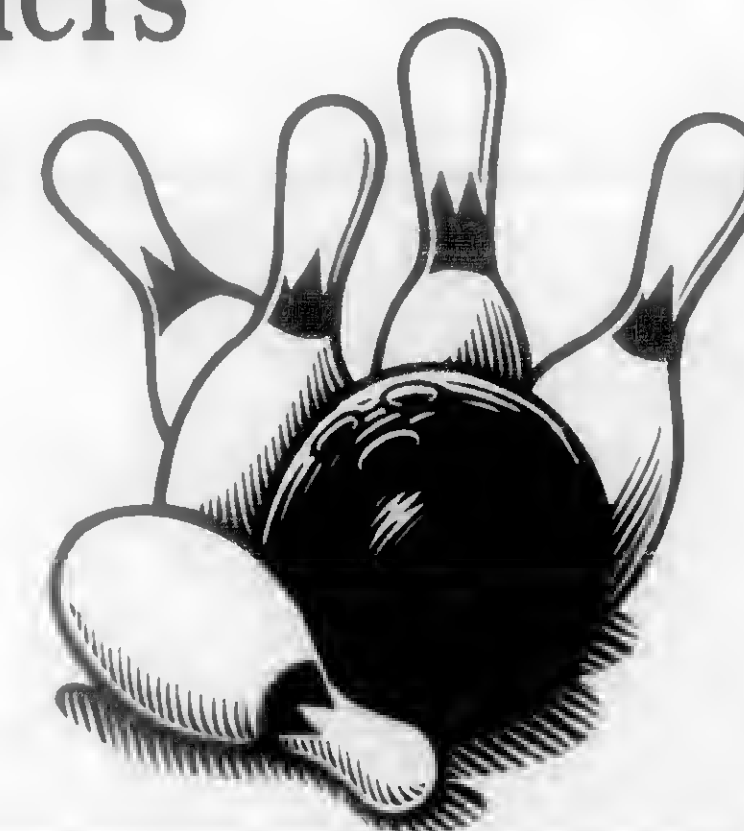
I have no ax to grind. I don't live on, or look at Round Lake from my home. I simply think that Round Lake is a precious jewel and should be cherished and protected for all to enjoy...not just the transient boaters that are here three months a year. Utmost in transient boaters minds, is to obtain a secure and safe place to spend the night. They will come...docks or moorings.

Bottom line...let's not ignore what other waterfront communities have successfully accomplished. It would be an outright shame for us to clog up Round Lake with a bunch of unsightly, ugly docks. We have a treasure! Let's keep Charlevoix The Beautiful!

Paul Witting
East Jordan

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(4-25-2-086)

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(4-18-3-086)

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(4-25-2-087)

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

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NOTICE OF ACTION
CASE NO. 01-767-19-DC**

PLAINTIFF
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PLAINTIFF ATTORNEY
Mark M. Muniak (P34322)
223 Bridge St., P.O. Box 563
Charlevoix, MI 49720
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DEFENDANT
Christina MacQuarrie
9312 Harris Street
Elsworth, MI 49729
Last known address
Current address unknown

TO: Christina MacQuarrie

IT IS ORDERED:

You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to establish custody of the minor child, Reyna Isabella Speer, DOB: 10-28-99. You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the 301 State St., County Building, Charlevoix, MI 49720 on or before May 23, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

A copy of this order shall be published once each week in Charlevoix Courier three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this court. Dated: 4-3-01

Signed: Judge Richard Peijas
L(4/11, 4/18, 4/25)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.**

Plaintiff

Honorable Richard Peijas

Case No. 00-657-19-CH

Defendants.

PAUL E. NETTLEMAN P26331

Attorney for Plaintiff

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

1. On February 2, 2001, the Honorable Richard M. Peijas, Circuit Court Judge, entered a Judgment and Order for Sale against Defendants, LEON J. BUSH and FRANCES J. BUSH and BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A. in favor of Plaintiff, ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.

2. The Judgment declared that the Plaintiff had a valid lien against the Defendant's property in the amount of \$7,477.75.

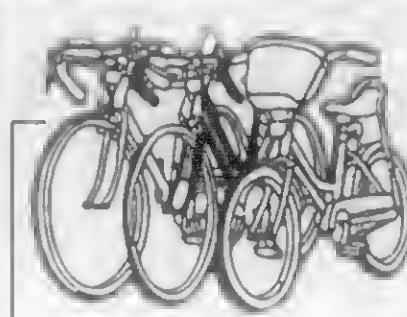
3. The Judgment directs that the amounts owed to the Plaintiff be paid by Defendants forthwith and in default thereof that the property of Defendants described in the Complaint be sold by the Sheriff, Under-Sheriff or any Deputy Sheriff of Charlevoix County, at public auction and the proceeds of sale be distributed to the Plaintiff.

4. As of the date of this notice, this Judgment remains unsatisfied. Therefore, pursuant to the terms of this Judgment and Order for Sale, on June 14th, 2001 at 11 a.m. at a public auction to be held in the Main Lobby of the Charlevoix County Court House, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, all right title and interest of Defendants in and to the following property:

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Service organizations —

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The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30

p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

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Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

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There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

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BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For

more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Drug education meeting

Bay Area Substance Education Services (BASES) will present "Youth & Drugs: How do we compare? What can we do?" This takes place from 7 to 9 p.m. May 2 at the American Legion Hall 106 E. Garfield (next to the high school). David Wilmes, Director of Training and Consultation from Hazelden Foundation in Minnesota will share the results of a recent survey Charlevoix, Boyne City, and East Jordan students completed with us and provide recommendations on what we can do to address student alcohol and drug issues in our communities.

Spring carnival

Charlevoix Elementary Annual PTO Spring Carnival is from 5:30 till 8 p.m. May 4 at the Elementary School.

Can/bottle drive

The parents of St. Mary's School have organized a returnable can/bottle drive from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. on April 28. The money collected will be designated toward a playground. Children will be going door to door collecting cans and bottles. If anyone has cans they would like picked up, please contact St. Mary's School at 547-9441, or cans may be dropped off at the school.

Ski team buffet

The Charlevoix High School Ski Team will be celebrating their year with a buffet dinner at Nanny's Restaurant at 6:30 p.m., April 30. Anyone who would like to support the ski team is welcome to join them at Nanny's for dinner and the recognition ceremony.

Sundays at Four

The Sundays at Four Concert Series will feature young artists of the Charlevoix area, and the Petoskey

H.S. Madrigals at 4 p.m., May 6 at the First Congregational Church located at 101 State Street. No admission charged. Free-will offering accepted.

Melody Masters perform

The Melody Masters Quartet will be performing at 7 p.m., May 4 in the new gymnasium at the First Baptist Church located on M-66 North across from the post office. All seats are free. Tickets are not required. A free-will offering will be received. People may call Pastor Mike Dennis or secretary Judy Smith for more information (231)547-4121.

Car wash

The Charlevoix Volunteer Fire-fighters Association will be co-hosting a car wash with the Charlevoix Men of Integrity from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. on April 28 at the fire station. All proceeds will benefit local children wanting to attend "The Colorado Challenge," a summer learning camp for under privileged children. In case of rain, the car wash will be rescheduled to May 5. If you need any further information please contact Lew or Shari at 547-8495.

Featured event

Middle school to go out to the movies



Forty-five middle school students will be performing a variety show, "A Night Out at the Movies" at 7 p.m., April 27 at the

Charlevoix Middle School. Above, some of the participants practice a dance number. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

SCRAPBOOK

MAIL AEROPLANE WRECKED IN ST. JAMES HARBOR

TURNED COMPLETELY OVER BY HIGH WIND THURSDAY NIGHT

PILOT DONNELLAN TELLS OF EVENTFUL TRIP TO ISLAND

Returned to Mainland Monday Morning With Dog Team and Driver — Ice Conditions Bad

Charlevoix's mail aeroplane, reported lost either on the ice or in the waters of Lake Michigan between this port and St. James, is now lying in crippled condition in the harbor at St. James, and its pilot, Capt. J. F. Donnellan, is on his way to Chicago, with the expectation of driving back another plane to carry out his contract of three trips a week between this port and St. James.

Since Thursday afternoon the community had been in a state of intense excitement over the failure of the return of the plane from its regular scheduled run to St. James.

The plane, piloted by Capt. Donnellan, loaded with nine sacks of mail and a small amount of merchandise, left Charlevoix Thursday afternoon shortly after one o'clock, on a round trip run to the island. His failure to return that evening caused little apprehension, as it was thought weather conditions compelled him to stay over night. All eyes were directed toward the island Friday, with the hopes that the plane would appear in sight, and the hum of the motor would put at rest the uneasiness and unrest caused by

his failure to return the previous day.

Late in the afternoon Friday, Alvin Yeider, Capt. Donnellan's mechanic, who was forced to stay here on account of the bulky mail cargo which filled the plane to capacity on Thursday's run, requested President F. E. Cartier of the Charlevoix Association of Commerce, to get in touch with Petoskey's broadcasting station, in an endeavor to find out if the plane reached the island on Thursday's run. This message was sent out on the air by station WBBP at 10 minute intervals Friday evening and also during the noon hour Saturday: "If aeroplane is at St. James or has been there and left, or if there is anything wrong with the plane or Capt. Donnellan, build a huge bonfire. If plane and pilot are safe, build no fire."

It was believed that in case of accident to Donnellan or plane, that a signal of this kind could be seen from the high bluffs at Cross Village, where watchers were stationed throughout the night. The Friday night and Saturday noon messages broadcasted were both plainly received by listeners-in at St. James.

Saturday a party composed of Mechanic Yeider, Eddie O'Neill, Harold Dutcher, Bill Myers, Sheriff Novack and son, drove to Cross Village, where arrangements were immediately made with Joe Davis and Pete Nelson, owners of the famous dog team which has so frequently made the run across the ice to St. James, to take Yeider from the mainland to the island. The start was made at day break Sunday morning.

Before reaching St. James, Yeider with the dog team and drivers met Capt. Donnellan, who had left

the island in an effort to reach the mainland. However, he returned to Garden Island with the understanding that the party leave early the following morning for the mainland. Starting at 2:00 a.m. Monday morning, the homeward trip was safely made, Donnellan with Davis and the dog team reaching Cross Village at 11:40, where he immediately telephoned Charlevoix of his arrival. Yeider is now at the island working on the wrecked plane.

In an interview with Capt. Donnellan, he tells the following story of his adventurous trip: "I arrived at St. James harbor after a 20 minute run from Charlevoix and made my usual landing. There was a heavy wind which was increasing in velocity. With the assistance of several Beaver Islanders, I used four anchors and 12 new ropes in an effort to securely anchor the plane, which we parked near the shore, opposite the coast guard station."

"Was about all in that night and retired early. During the night the wind increased, and records at the coast guard station showed it reached a velocity of 62 miles per hour. Sometime during the night it caught my machine, turned it completely upside down, broke the propeller and both planes and otherwise damaged it. Repairs must be obtained from the manufacturer, transferred to the island, and it will take at least three days to put the plane in running order."

When asked about ice conditions, Donnellan said: "Old timers at the island advised me not to attempt the trip across. I fully realized the anxiety among you fellows in Charlevoix and made up my mind I'd cross, even though I would have to make the trip alone. When I met the dog team it sure was some relief. We jumped cracks, climbed ice hills and had the roughest kind of going all the way back. I do not believe there is a chance for boat navigation for at least three weeks. Cross Villagers say there is more ice in the lake today than they have seen for 40 years, and after crossing it, I am inclined to believe them."

Questioned as to conditions on Beaver Island he said: "The folks over there are short in food supplies including sugar, coffee, salt and other minor commodities as well as smoked meats." Continuing he said: "They are a hospitable bunch over there, know how to make a fellow feel at home and did all they could to help me in my trouble."

Capt. Donnellan brought back affidavits signed by prominent Beaver Island residents and government employees wholly exonerating from blame for damage to the plane. The increased velocity of the wind was entirely unlooked for and under ordinary conditions the precautions taken would have held the plane in place.

Islanders Want Regular Service
Capt. Donnellan said the islanders are insistent on having a regular air plane service established between Charlevoix and St. James. They have pledged \$6,000 to be used for the purchase of a sea plane and the formation of a permanent carrier company. The sea plane would be used not only in regular runs to the island, but for transportation of mail, light merchandise, and a regular passenger service run. Their idea is to cover not only the island, but a regular service between Charlevoix, Traverse City, Manitowish Island, Naubinway Cross Village and Mackinaw Island. The sea plane would be used during the summer time and a land plane during the winter. Donnellan

stands ready to put money in the scheme, and firmly believes it will prove a paying venture, besides an attractive drawing card for all points included on the route.

"The fellows who have had the winter mail contract are sick of the job. The danger of crossing the ice by team or dogs is a risk few men will take. At times they are out for days, sometimes caught in blizzards they wander about for hours before they get their bearings. An established air mail service is the safest way to handle the business," said the captain.

According to Donnellan, it is doubtful if the Air Transit Co., owners of the wrecked plane, to whom the recent air mail contract was awarded, will complete the six run schedule. If a carrier company can be quickly organized, it will be able to handle the business. Until further developments, the island may be without service until lake navigation is open, unless by the ice route from Cross Village.

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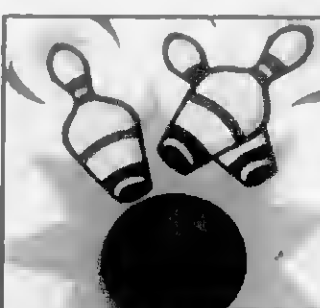
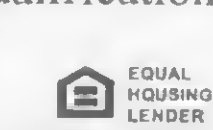
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Charlevoix plant's closing leaves many jobless

HOSKINS

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He added there are employees who will get severance pay and some will transfer to other plants. Other employees will just be laid off.

Musser said he is unsure at this time how many employees will be transferred to the other plants or who will get severance pay.

"It depends on person-to-person," Musser said.

He added the company's human resources director is currently contacting other area employers and trying to get Hoskin's employees placed in other companies.

However, things may not be as simple as Musser states.

According to Larry Nunemaker, an employee at the Charlevoix

Hoskins plant for seven years, the company is not offering much, other than job service.

"There are people that have been there 31 years and they are not offering anything to anybody," Nunemaker said. He added there will only be 15-25 jobs created in the other plants for Charlevoix people to transfer to.

According to Nunemaker, statements saying the company is offering severance pay and transfers to employees are frustrating.

Plus, the company will probably start laying off people at the plant in June, to make way for the plant's closing in August, Nunemaker said.

Nunemaker said each shift at the plant was brought into a special meeting April 18 and told the plant was closing.

"There is a lot of frustration; everything from 'Oh well, what's next' to people who are pretty an-

gry," he said. "The general perception is there is a general disgust at the company being put in this position."

However, Nunemaker said he does not blame the current management of the company for this predicament. He said many of the problems faced by the company are due to past management mistakes.

"I understand the current management is trying to save the company, but to offer longer term employees absolutely nothing is inexcusable," he said. Nunemaker said he thinks the company should give at least a token of appreciation to employees who have been with the plant for many years, rather than them just being left out in the cold.

Nunemaker said he is unsure what his future plans are.

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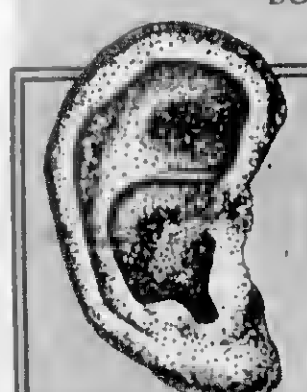
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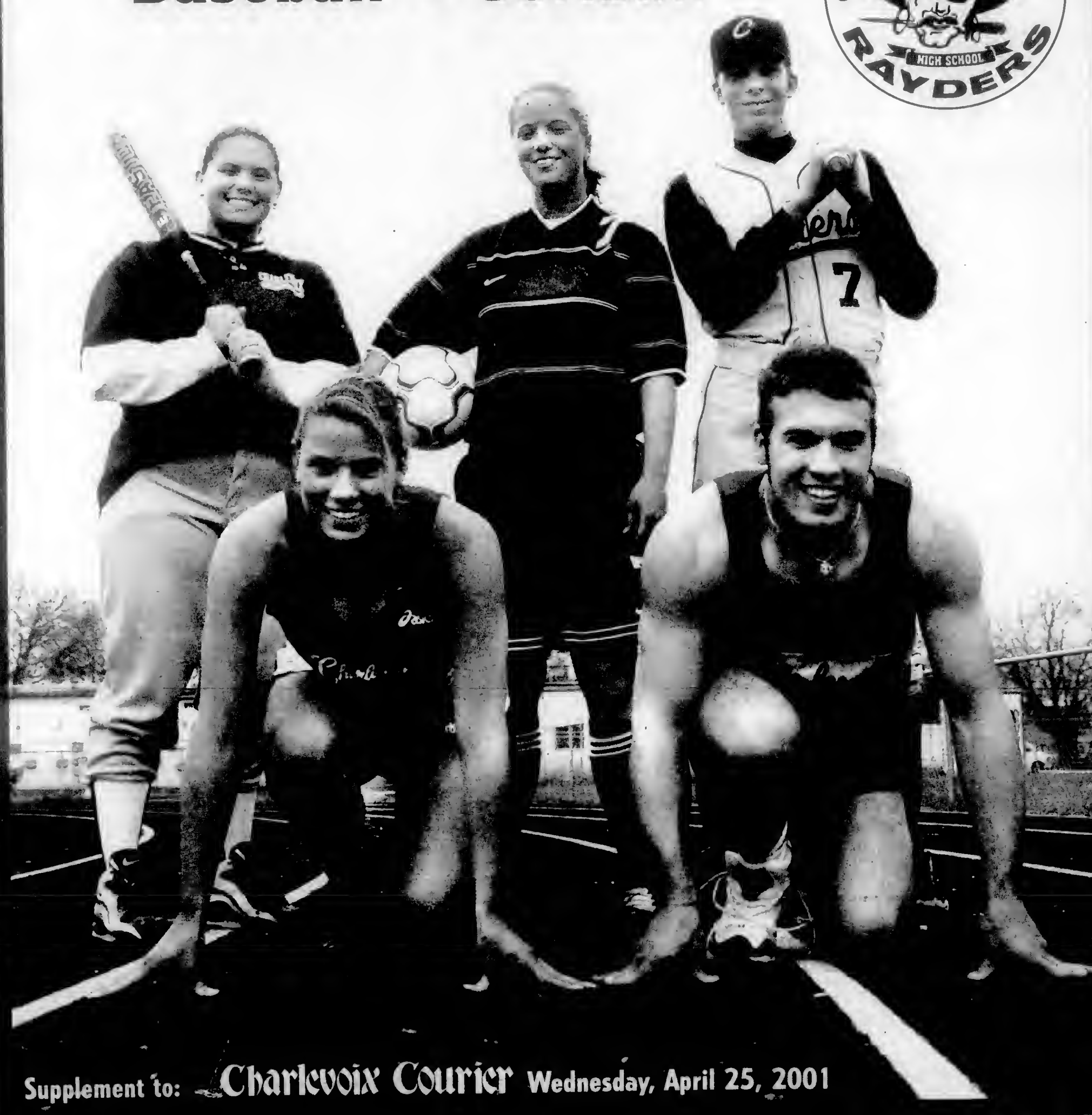
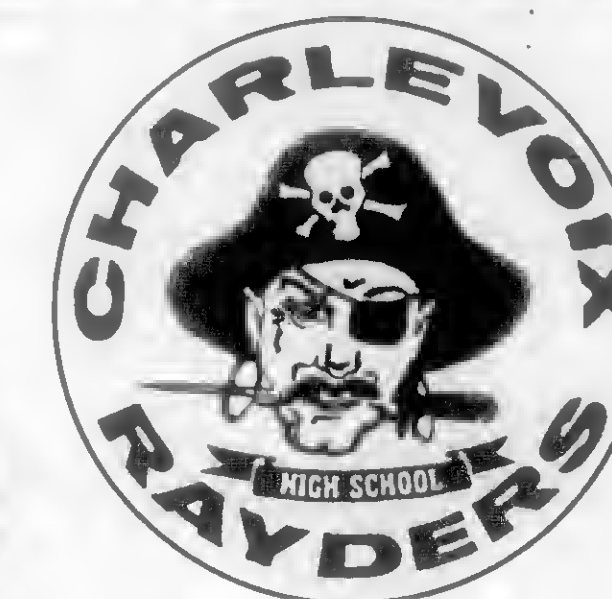
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BASEBALL



The varsity baseball team is: (Front, from left) Ryan Leitner, Matthew Kilkenny, Ben Speigl, Matt Horon, Nick Cole, (middle) Gordie Lake, Dennis Avery, Patrick Gowell, Jeremiah Teuscher, Ryan Rafacz, Nick Schwein, (Back) coach Pete Scholten, Chris Loper, Michael Kochanny, Robert Boss, John Kilkenny, Nate Teuscher, Coach Mike Teuscher. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



The junior varsity baseball team is: (Front, from left) Nick Pizzurro, Alex Callahan, Jake Burns, Matt Burt, (middle) Taylor Fisher, Nick Potter, Josh Scott, Marshall Bakker, (back) assistant coach Bryan Hawkins, Rob Helm, Matt Kochanny, Kreg Wager and coach Brian Certa. Not pictured: Delos Lanterman.

Baseball team plans for success

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

After only graduating one senior last year and now fielding a group of guys that have successfully played in many sports together, first year baseball coach Pete Scholten is confident in this year's Charlevoix varsity baseball team.

"They have a great ability to play together as a team," Scholten said. "From what we have seen so far, we have seen some solid heads-up baseball played."

For the past five years, Scholten has been an assistant coach to the former varsity baseball coaches Brian Certa and Scott Kelly. After Kelly announced his resignation as coach, Scholten was named to the position.

"I hope to develop a lifelong love of baseball and a passion for America's past-time," Scholten said of his goals for the team.

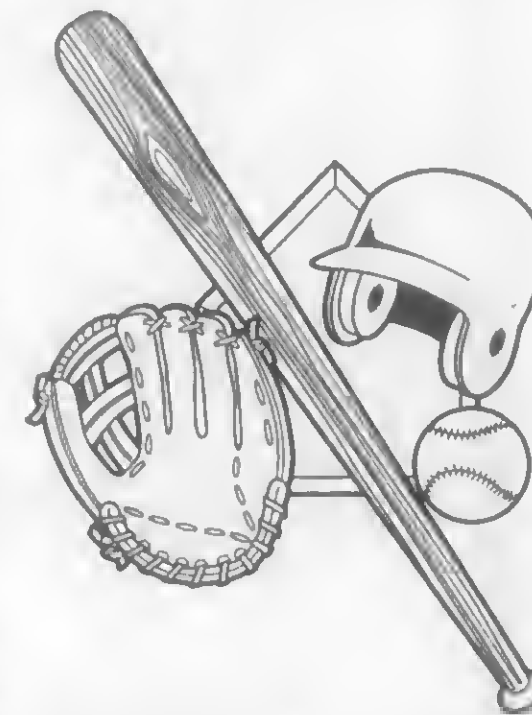
And this year's team certainly has a passion for winning. Many of the players have also been teammates on the Charlevoix varsity football and the varsity basketball teams, which both ended their seasons very successfully.

"We are looking for that to snowball into the baseball season," Scholten said.

The number one person on the pitcher's mound this season will be Chris Loper. Scholten said Loper has a very strong arm, which has won a lot of games in the past for the team. But, the starting pitcher will be Dennis Avery, who also plays center field.

Jeremiah Teuscher will also help out with the pitching, when he is not playing shortstop.

Nick Cole is the starting third baseman, while Nate Teuscher is covering second base, with back-



up from Ben Spiegel — who is injured right now — and Mike Kochanny and Rob Boss are battling it out for the starting first base position.

Donning the catcher's mitt will also be Loper, with Matt Kilkenny as a backup. Kilkenny also plays in the outfield. Further help in this position will be given from Gordy Lake, who will also be playing at third base.

In the outfield is Matt Horon, who is also a power hitter for the team. Also helping out in the outfield is Nick Schwein and John Kilkenny.

As a team, Scholten said they have a lot of speed and a good number of pinch runners and hitters.

"Both of the Teuschers have a lot of speed, they will be stealing a lot of bases for us," Scholten said.

But, as with all teams, Scholten said there are some areas that they need to work on. For the Charlevoix baseball team, the main area is ironing out some kinks in their fundamentals.

"I think we need to work some of the rust out," he said.

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SOFTBALL

Softball team full of returning seniors

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

With a strong batch of seniors on the team, Charlevoix varsity softball coach Phil Butler has confidence.

Out of the 15 players on the team, 10 of them are seniors. Six of these seniors will be starting on the field, Butler said. Added to this is a great mix of strong playing and good teamwork.

"One of the things I stress to them is we win and lose as a team. I always stress to them to become their dream," Butler said.

Starting out as pitcher this year is Tasha Morrison. Meghan Vogel is the catcher, who is also a powerhouse of a hitter. According to Butler, this is Vogel's first time playing high school softball, but she went seven for eight in the batter's box against Mancelona recently and hit two home runs.

"(Vogel) is just a great all around athlete," Butler said. Also hitting well this year are Natasha Kleiber, Shawna Flowers and Morrison.

While the team has a lot of potential, Butler's main frustration so far this year has been their inability to get enough practice time outside. Thanks to the poor weather, the team's first outside practice was just two weeks ago.

Added to this problem is the team needs to stop beating themselves in games, Butler said. But, this is due to the practice problems and he foresees it being only a temporary problem.

"I look forward to some improvement as time goes on," Butler said.

But, there has been a setback. One of the team's top players, Shandra Spencley, was injured and will be out for the year. "She was going to be a great asset," Butler said.

As his team goes into the season, Butler will need to concentrate on improvement as the team faces some tough teams this year, most notably Traverse City St. Francis.

According to Butler, St. Francis is a big group of players, who are very strong and have a very dominant pitcher. "Fundamentally, they are a very strong team," he said.

Part of the reason Butler thinks St. Francis is so good, is because they have had the ability to practice indoors during the off-season, a benefit Charlevoix currently does not have due to space constraints.

But, Butler said this problem will be taken care of when the new high school is built, giving them enough room to practice inside.



The varsity softball team is: (Front, from left) Krystal Meredith, Melissa Fitzgerald, Amber Blakely, Jennifer Scharenbroch, Ashley Fitzgerald, Katie Yager, Shawna Flowers, (back) coach Phil Butler, Mary Selph, Natasha Kleiber, Kelly Way, Shandra Spencley, Tasha Morrison, Meghan Vogel, Krista Swenor, Candace Boss and assistant coach Al Gregory.



The junior varsity softball team is: (Front, from left) Ashley Potter, Monica Cornell, Maggie Kantola, Kaylee Kughman, Jessica Pettis, (back) coach Courtney Butler, Katie Sheldon, Amanda Boss, Kelly Ward, Andrea Ruhlman, Brooke Blanchard and assistant coach Christie Kaczynski.

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BOYS TRACK



The boys track team includes: Stephen Andreae, Zack Bajos, Mark Baldwin, Lee Barrett, Will Barrett, John Billington, Mickey Bohn, Robert Boss, Landon Brown, Spencer Bryan, Jeff Buckner, Bryan Burns, Todd Carey, Joshua Carter, Mike Castiglione, Brian Christiansen, Troy Coen, Mike Curiel, Timothy Daining, Brandon Danbert, Zach Dennis, Abraham Dhaseleer, Kyle Dobrowolski, Mike Dupuis, Dustin Dutcher, Kevin Evans, Ryan Fanning, Cheng Fei, Michael Flowers, Rory Gnatkowski, Peter Gorkiewicz, Patrick Gowell, Trevor Kline, Kyle Kramer, Scott Kughman, Christopher Lahr, Matthew Luttrull, William Marcotte, Elijah Pace, Scott Parrish, Keith Patrick, Josh Papenhagen, Ryan Rafacz, Jon Reid, Adam Richards, Gordie Selph, Roscoe Serrels, Chris Smith, Troy Smith, York Smith, Craig Stockman, Nicholas Tripplehorn, Jeff Urban, Rusty Walters, Corey Wells, Jason Westenbroek, Luke Whitley, John Wilkinson, Kyle Winstone, Andrew Wright.

Track team filled with many choices and students

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

With about 57 students on the Charlevoix boys' track team, coach Ken Plude has a lot of choices and plenty of space to play with.

With so many players, Plude can switch kids around to different events to determine their strengths, giving him many options to pick from.

"The only negative is we only have about 10 experienced athletes, so a lot of teaching is going on right now," Plude said.

This inexperience can be seen in

the runners Plude has for the speed events. Twenty of his fastest are freshmen in high school. And, making things just a little more difficult, is the high number of injuries on his team. Even his leading scorer, Zach Dennis, is out due to an injury.

"I think we are going to do ok. We are finding people as I am moving them all around," Plude said.

But, Plude has some great senior leadership to help him out, namely Troy Smith.

"He is our leader and he is doing a great job," Plude said.

Leading his endurance runners will be some athletes usually seen in cross country, Gordie Selph, Tim Daining and Josh Popenhagen.

Adding to his arsenal is a wide variety of guys for the throwing events, some of which are also playing on the baseball team. But, as with the rest of the boys' track team, many of them are inexperienced.

"Besides two of them, they have never thrown before and our conference is really tough in throwers," Plude said. In the conference, there are currently three students on other teams that are throwing over 50

feet in the shot put, making it a real challenge for Charlevoix to beat them.

"These boys are not bad, but they are going against some phenomenal athletes," Plude said.

Also proving to be a challenge for Charlevoix are the many seniors making up the other teams, such as East Jordan, Harbor Springs and Kalkaska. But, Plude said, Charlevoix's sheer numbers will help wear down those other teams.

"My goal is to get these guys to believe they can beat these seniors and can wear them down," Plude said. "It is going to be a real battle.

No one is controlling the meets in any sense. There is no stand out 'we're going to blow your doors off' type of team."

Making things a little easier for Plude is the great teamwork the boys show.

"They are really beginning to jell. That is one thing for sure, despite all the injuries, these guys are really digging down and working hard," Plude said.

As for predictions on the team this year, he said it was too early to tell.

"They have the heart, so I know we will be fighting for it," he said.

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GIRLS TRACK



The girls track team includes: (Row one, from left) Betsy Tebeau, Amy Kennedy, Jennifer Westenbrook, Lexi Wilson, Kelly Reid, Allison Holmes, Heather Kenyon, Linda Smith, (row two) Jacqueline Mailloux, Brittney Cebulski, Erica Burns, Kara Field, Jenny Miller, Erika Stone, Tricia Wells, (row three) Michelle Rowe, Libby Campbell, Amy Kurtz, Chelsea Newcomb, Lauren Silberhorn, Liz Ulrich, (row four) Katie Swenor, Heather Probert, Amber Parsons, Meghan Vogel and Brittany Mervyn.

Girls' team young but filled with a great attitude

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

While the Charlevoix girls' track team may be young, they have a great attitude, according to their coach, Jenny Miller.

"They never complain and they are always encouraging each other and cheering each

other on," Butler said. "They are just always enthusiastic and always excited to be doing what they are."

And, those members of the team that have experience in track are taking their inexperienced teammates under their wings.

This attitude may be a reason the team is already seeing im-

provement in its times.

"I have been surprised mainly with their times that have been dropping. They are really positive and that is only going to be a good thing," Miller said.

Out of the 32 members of the track team, Miller only has 13 returners from last year and five seniors.

But, this may not be a bad

thing. "With a new team like that, you never know what is going to happen," Miller said. It may also lead to a very strong team for Charlevoix next year.

There are already many members of the team that are showing great track and field skills.

In the distance running, Miller pointed to Liz Ulrich

and Katie Swenor as being the top girls. As for the field events, Miller has many fine athletes.

She named Jenny Miller in the long jump, Megan Vogel in the throws, Katie Lieberman in the high jump and Amber Parsons in the hurdles. Added to this are the many "surprises" that Miller expects each season.

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TENNIS



The Charlevoix tennis team is: (Front, from left) Lesley Pollard, Mimi Lopez, Molly Arnold, Melissa McDonough, Lisa Miller, Michelle Martin, (back) assistant coach Cindy Brooks, Bill Foster, Heather Belding, Lorna Kilborn, Jason Haas, Zach Simmons, Dale Williams, Allen Brooks, James Dilworth. Not all are pictured.

Tennis coach excited about this year's team

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Charlevoix High School varsity tennis coach Garth Miller may have another rebuilding year on his hands, but he is very excited about the possibilities before him. "We lost two pivotal seniors last year, but we reloading this year," the second year coach said.

Miller added while the team does not have the depth that it had last year, mentally they are better off now.

"We are a lot more positive this year. The chemistry is great," he

said. I attribute that to the kids we have."

And Miller does have some strong contenders in this bunch.

His number one singles player is Jason Haas, who moved to Charlevoix this year from South Haven. According to Miller, Haas has some very powerful shots and is very quick on his feet.

"He will really be dominating at the end of the season," Miller said.

In the number two spot in singles is Allen Brooks, also a very strong and all around player. According to Miller, Brooks is also

a very smart player that is difficult to beat.

Rounding out Miller's singles lineup is Claas Oberbeck, a German exchange student.

"Claas is a very spirited player. We are very excited to have him," Miller said. "He really brings a lot of spirit to the team."

But, the team's strength does not stop at the singles level, Miller said. The team's doubles line-up is just as exciting.

In the first spot for the doubles team is the combination of Zach Simmons and Lesley Pollard, both juniors. According to Miller,

these two players work very well together on the court, they have similar abilities and they are smart players.

"As the year goes on, they will be tough to beat," Miller said.

In the number two spot for the doubles team is Molly Arnold and Melissa McDonough.

"These two are on fire right now," Miller said. "They play very well together and are good friends. They are really just a great match together."

And in the number three spot for doubles are Jim Dilworth and Dale Williams.

Miller expects some great things out of his players this year and he will need it as he faces a very tough conference.

"It's going to be very tough for us to break into the top three of our conference," he said.

Charlevoix is keeping a wary eye on Harbor Springs, Traverse City St. Francis and Elk Rapids, Miller said.

But, Miller said his team has a shot at pulling it off.

"The team does work well together; that really makes my job easier," he said.

SOCCER



The varsity girls' soccer team includes: Brenna Bergmann, Taryn Drost, Kelly Dreyer, Karlee Barnard, Elissa Wood, Jayme Murray, Abby Schaperkotter, Lauren Moore, Kate Romig, Libby Withrow, Shayna Drost, Jennifer Rowe, AnnaKate Trubilowicz, Marie Serrels, Danielle Vogelheim, Brittany Simonti, Marcy Bennett, Alyssia McDonough, Kate Madison, Lauren Eldredge, assistant coach Tom Conlan and coach Carol Madison.

Soccer team looking good and has a new coach

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

With a new coach and the loss of a few key players due to injuries, the Charlevoix High School varsity girls' soccer team has its work cut out for it.

But first year coach Carol Madison said the team is still looking good and has seven returning starters from last year, even though there are only three seniors on the team.

In the goal is Jennifer Rowe, who Madison calls a very good player.

In the striker position is Karlee

Barnard, who already has some varsity experience under her belt along with returner Danielle Vogelheim.

Another returner is Kate Madison, as a stopper.

On the defense is Jayme Murray. According to Madison, she is a real strong player that is quick and has a "good foot."

And while she is just a sophomore, Katie Zimmerman brings to the team her experience from playing on the varsity squad last year as a freshman.

Rounding out the returning players are Kelly Dreyer and Abby Schaperkotter.

The team captain is Schaperkotter, Murray and Kate Madison.

But while the team has some experienced players, it still finds itself in a rebuilding phase with several freshmen. There are a total of 21 players on the team because there were not enough players for a separate junior varsity squad this year.

According to Madison, that will make it difficult to build experienced players.

Junior varsity teams help because they give a player experience on the field they would not normally get on a packed varsity squad, Madison said.

Along with getting her younger players some experience, Madison is also working on improving the team's speed and some defensive area, like containment.

"We are going to work hard; we are going to work on speed and agility and try to be consistent," she said.

But, the older and more experienced players are stepping up and giving Madison a hand by communicating with their young teammates.

"I think they work well together as a team," Madison said. Madison comes to the varsity

team after two years as a junior varsity coach following the resignation of Hagen Manker. She has also spent several years coaching travel soccer teams, mostly at the middle school level.

This is her sixth year as a soccer coach.

But, as she takes over the team, she is doing so with the valuable help of her assistant coach Tom Conlan. Conlan is well known in Charlevoix soccer circles and used to be the girls' varsity coach three years ago.

"(Conlan) is a real valuable asset to us," Madison said.

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Coach: Pete Scholten

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April 17	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	AT Glen Lake
April 19	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	AT Suttons Bay
April 21	Saturday	10:00 a.m.	HERE Chx. Invt.
April 23	Monday	4:30 p.m.	AT Rudyard
April 26	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	HERE East Jordan
April 30	Monday	4:30 p.m.	AT Elk Rapids
May 3	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Harbor Springs
May 7	Monday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Kalkaska
May 10	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	AT T.C. St. Francis
May 14	Monday	4:30 p.m.	AT Boyne City
May 16	Wednesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Petoskey
May 22	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Cheboygan
May 29	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE St. Ignace
May 30	Wednesday	4:15 p.m.	AT Traverse City West
June 1-2	Fri-Sat	TBA	DISTRICTS (TBA)
June 9	Saturday	TBA	REGIONALS (TBA)
June 16	Saturday	TBA	FINALS (TBA)

VARSITY GIRLS' SOCCER

Coach: Carol Madison

April 12	Thursday	5:00 p.m.	AT East Jordan
April 17	Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	HERE Suttons Bay
April 19	Thursday	5:00 p.m.	AT Harbor Springs
April 23	Monday	5:00 p.m.	AT Elk Rapids
April 26	Thursday	5:00 p.m.	HERE Roscommon
April 28	Saturday	TBA	AT Alpena Invite
April 30	Monday	5:00 p.m.	AT Houghton Lake
May 2	Wednesday	5:00 p.m.	HERE Petoskey
May 3	Thursday	5:00 p.m.	HERE East Jordan
May 5	Saturday	11:00 a.m.	HERE Alpena
May 8	Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	HERE Harbor Springs
May 11	Friday	5:00 p.m.	AT Suttons Bay
May 15	Tuesday	4:00 p.m.	HERE Elk Rapids
May 17	Thursday	5:00 p.m.	AT Roscommon
May 22	Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	HERE Houghton Lake
May 24	Thursday	4:00 p.m.	AT Gaylord
5/29-6/2	Tues-Sat	TBA	DISTRICTS (TBA)
June 5-9	Tues-Sat	TBA	REGIONALS (TBA)
June 16	Saturday	TBA	FINALS (TBA)



VARSITY SOFTBALL

Coach: Phil Butler

April 12	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	AT Mancelona
April 17	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	AT Glen Lake
April 19	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	AT Suttons Bay
April 21	Saturday	10:00 a.m.	HERE Chx. Invt.
April 23	Monday	4:30 p.m.	AT Rudyard
April 26	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	HERE East Jordan
April 28	Saturday	10:00 a.m.	AT Indian River
April 30	Monday	4:30 p.m.	AT Elk Rapids
May 3	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Harbor Springs
May 7	Monday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Kalkaska
May 10	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	AT T.C. St. Francis
May 14	Monday	4:30 p.m.	AT Boyne City
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May 22	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Cheboygan
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June 1-2	Fri-Sat	TBA	DISTRICTS (TBA)
June 6-9	Wed-Sat	TBA	REGIONALS (TBA)
June 16	Saturday	TBA	FINALS (TBA)

JUNIOR VARSITY SOFTBALL

Coach: Courtney Butler

April 11	Wednesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Indian River
April 18	Wednesday	4:30 p.m.	AT Sault Ste. Marie
April 27	Friday	4:30 p.m.	AT East Jordan
May 1	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Elk Rapids
May 4	Friday	4:30 p.m.	AT Harbor Springs
May 8	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	AT Kalkaska
May 11	Friday	4:30 p.m.	HERE T.C. St. Francis
May 15	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Boyne City

JUNIOR VARSITY BASEBALL

Coach: Brian Certa

April 11	Wednesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Indian River
April 27	Friday	4:30 p.m.	AT East Jordan
May 1	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Elk Rapids
May 4	Friday	4:30 p.m.	AT Harbor Springs
May 8	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	AT Kalkaska
May 11	Friday	4:30 p.m.	HERE T.C. St. Francis
May 15	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Boyne City

BOYS'/GIRLS' TRACK

Girls Coach: Jennifer Miller • Boys Coach: Ken Plude
Assistant Coach: Mary Plude

April 12	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Chx. Invt.
April 17	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	AT East Jordan Invt.
April 19	Thursday	4:30 p.m.	AT Benzle Central
April 24	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	AT Boyne City Invt.
April 26	Thursday	3:30 p.m.	AT Boyne City Invt.
April 27	Friday	3:30 p.m.	AT Clare
May 1	Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	HERE Chx. Invt.
May 4	Friday	4:30 p.m.	AT T.C. Central
May 7	Monday	2:30 p.m.	AT Heldt Steiner Invitational @ Bellaire
May 10	Thursday	TBA	AT Rotary Invitational @ East Jordan
May 12	Saturday	9:30 a.m.	AT Houghton Lake
May 19	Saturday	10:00 a.m.	REGIONALS
May 26	Saturday	3:00 p.m.	CONFERENCE @ Kalkaska
June 2	Saturday	TBA	FINALS (TBA)

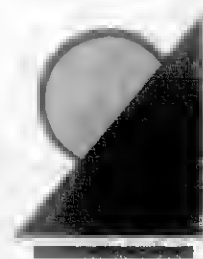
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Coach: Garth Miller

April 11	Wednesday	4:00 p.m.	AT T.C. St. Francis
April 12	Thursday	4:00 p.m.	AT Grayling
April 17	Tuesday	4:00 p.m.	AT Harbor Springs
April 24	Tuesday	4:00 p.m.	HERE Boyne City
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April 30	Monday	4:00 p.m.	HERE Harbor Springs
May 2	Wednesday	4:00 p.m.	HERE Grayling
May 4	Friday	9:00 a.m.	AT Boyne City Invt.
May 7	Monday	4:00 p.m.	AT Boyne City
May 9	Wednesday	4:00 p.m.	AT Elk Rapids
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The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has shut down a Norwood Township project based on a possible violation of the wetlands act.

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Trapper



Charlevoix resident Clayton Smith shows off some of the equipment he used in his old beaver trapping days.

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Man murdered at municipal marina

Suspect arrested Sunday

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

A 24-year-old Elk Rapids man, Scott Christopher Cook, was fatally stabbed early Sunday morning in the Charlevoix Municipal Marina.

Police have arrested Thomas Arvon Shulick, a 21-year-old from Charlevoix, for the crime.

Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson said Cook had boated to the marina Saturday night with some coworkers from Traverse City. He said, while they were at the marina, Shulick allegedly began harassing the group.

The incident escalated to a verbal argument and a physical confrontation between Shulick and another male boater with Cook's group, witnesses stated to police. Halverson alleges Shulick returned later and stabbed Cook on one of the boat docks in the marina.

He added the two men did not know each other.

"I think he was just making a nuisance of himself," Halverson said.

A short time later, Charlevoix police received a report of screaming near the marina and investigated. During this investigation, Cook was found around 2:30 a.m. Sunday, by

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Michigan State Police diver Steve Bullock jumps from a city dock at the marina Monday. He was searching the water for any evidence that can be used in the investigation of the murder of an Elk Rapids man on Sunday. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Majority of area students tried drugs

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

According to a recent survey of Charlevoix County students, a majority of students have tried some form of drugs.

The survey stated 67.4 percent of the total responding males, and 64.5 percent of females, reported using some form of drugs.

The drugs include: alcohol, cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, marijuana, inhalants, amphetamines, steroids, psychedelics, cocaine/crack, heroin, tranquilizers, barbiturates and pills.

Various percentages of the to-

67.4 percent of male students and 64.5 percent of female students in Charlevoix County have reported using some form of drugs.

Numbers based on a recent survey given to Charlevoix County students

tal students reported using each of these drugs. For example: 56.9 percent of the students reported using alcohol at some time, 26.9 percent reported using marijuana, 2.5 percent reported using cocaine/crack and 1.9 percent reported using steroids.

However, according to Scott Kelly, director of the Bay Area Substance Education Services (BASES), the percentages of

student use is at the same level as those reported across the nation. This is a positive because a previous survey a few years back reported student use in Charlevoix County higher than the national average, he said.

The survey was given to students in sixth through twelfth grades in Charlevoix, East Jordan and Boyne City public schools by the Hazelden Foun-

dation in December and January of this school year to determine student drug use in the county.

Kelly also said this survey directly attacks the preconception that kids with a poor family life are the main users of drugs.

According to the survey, 85.7 percent of the males in the "Dependence-Risk" Category said they have a strong family support system, while 26.7 percent of the females in the same group report they have a strong family support system.

"That means we have males that use substances heavily that come from really good families," he said.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Patrick Michael Balgenorth, 30, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Mark Wayne Garlock, 33, Grand Ledge. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$120.

Timothy Dale Russell, 23, Charlevoix. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$120.

Ronald Alan Bonner, 33, Clarkston. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Gregory Scott Kuhlman, 46, Boyne Falls. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Shawn Ryan Byrne, 21, Romeo. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$915 in fines and costs.

Dustin Robert Kassuba, 19, Ellsworth. Accost for immoral purpose. One year probation; 365 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 20 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 314 days held in abeyance; \$685 in fines and costs.

Robert David Vial, 43, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 56 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$1,115 in fines and costs.

Daniel Eugene Leduc, 52, East Jordan. Driving while impaired. Nine months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work

in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Steven Robert Bush, 18, Boyne City. Larceny, less than \$200. Six months probation; 45 days in jail, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$210 in fines and costs.

Sean James Michaluk, 30, Amherstburg, Ontario. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$820 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Tina Marie Starasich, 25, Detroit. Probation violation-uttering and publishing. Jail for a minimum of three years and a maximum of 14 years with credit for 265 days; \$2,976.88 in fines and costs.

Michael Robert Karlskin Jr., 21, Boyne City. Probation violation-fourth degree criminal sexual conduct-force or coercion. Defendant's probation is revoked; six months in jail with credit for 96 days, serve six months.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Bluewater Marine Services, 05928 M-66 Highway, Charlevoix, by Bluewater Marine Services Inc., a Michigan Corporation, Vice President, Larry C. Nunemaker Julie's Cleaning Service, 334 Hannah Street, Boyne City, by Julie Redma

Drum Valley Custom Archery, 01570 Old State Road, Boyne City, by Sally D. Clute and Arthur A. Clute

Northern Tip Installs, 620 South Park Street, Boyne City, by Kenneth W. Stuhr

Sweet Sam's Java Joint, 405 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Java Mack Inc., a Michigan Corporation, President, Lisa McCormack Priceless Promotions, 04165 Healey Road, East Jordan, by Gail L. Gerrie

Spirit Wind Fence, 301 Bridge Street, East Jordan, by Charlevoix Fence Company

Teens-R-Us, 103 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Cindy Matthews Groweyes, 11951 Ellsworth Road, Ellsworth, by Romain D. LaLone and Cheryl W. LaLone

Great Escapes, 208 Mason Street #2, Charlevoix, by Dean F. Jones

Ward Brothers Partnership, 106 East Antrim, Charlevoix, by Bernie Ward Jr., Bernie Ward III and Donald L. Ward

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Thomas Edward Crego, 45, East Jordan and Kathleen Ann Frasier, 44, East Jordan

Harvey William Parker, 22, East Jordan and Patricia Elizabeth Lambert, 21, East Jordan

Lawrence Raid Becker Jr., 25, Boyne City and Stacy Rena Simons, 18, Boyne City

Timothy Milton Wieland, 32, Charlevoix and Laura Lynn Leuliette, 33, Charlevoix

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Shirley J. Decker vs. Carl J. Decker

Tina Hosler vs. Michael Hosler Jody Cutler vs. Donald Cutler II Douglas Forest Kenyon vs. Tammy Sue Kenyon

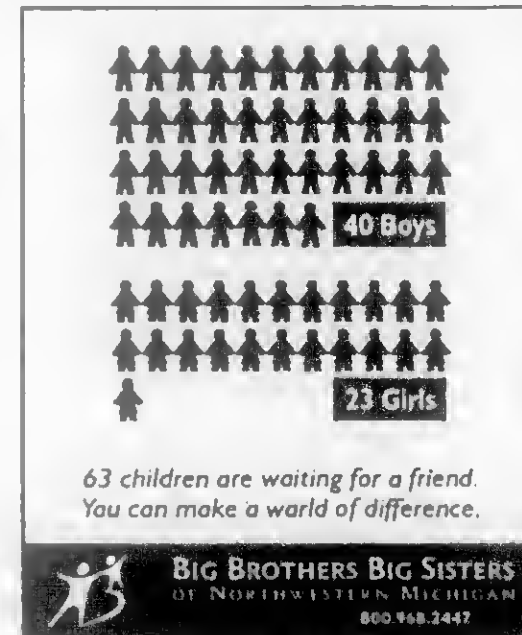
Jane Carol Frey vs. Arlie Lee Frey

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Spring dip

Dave and Trish Beane of Charlevoix took their dog Lacey for her first dip in the lake at Michigan Beach April 21. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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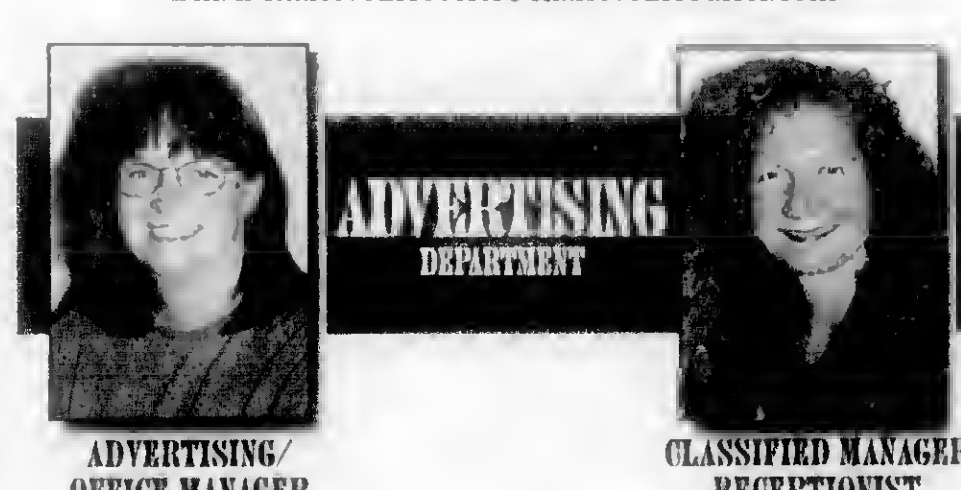
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Librarian to fight board

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix Public Library director Marybeth Wallick may be fighting a losing battle against the library board that she claims wants to remove her from her position, but she still says that she "would love" to keep her job.

Wallick has been the library director for almost 30 years and she says now, four library board members are trying to oust her from her position. Wallick won't go quietly though, she has hired a lawyer and rejected the "one time" retirement offer given to her by board president Rick Brandi.

The words, "one" and "time" are underlined in the contract followed by, "To accept the offer you must sign and present this agreement for Library Board Approval by the May 1, 2001 date to be voted on at the May board meeting. The termination date of the current contract would remain June 30, 2001."

Wallick said, "I wouldn't think the May 1 deadline (stated in the retirement proposal) is set in stone. People have told me, they hope that I get a much better buy-out proposal than what is being offered."

When asked if the deadline is a final decision, library board president Rick Brandi said, "I wouldn't want to comment because there are some negotiations."

However, Linny Arnold, Marion Township's library board representative said that the retirement proposal has never gone before the board for approval.

"As one member of the board, he (Brandi) can't do that (draft and offer a retirement proposal). To insist that she (Wallick) sign it before we met as a board is wrong, wrong, wrong," Arnold said.

The proposal Wallick rejected offered her one additional year of retirement which would give her 30 years of service as of June 26, 2001. The purchase of the additional year by the board would make Wallick eligible for retirement.

The proposal also offered her \$24,834.68 which is '66 and two thirds percent of her 170 accumulated sick days rather than the 50 percent she "would normally receive on retirement."

The proposal closed by offering a stipend of \$3,000 upon retirement.

However, Wallick doesn't want to retire.

"I would love to stay and do my job, but I can't go on working for them. I have bent over backward and they have made it plain that they don't want to work with me," Wallick said.

"For me to stay, at least four board members would have to resign," Ethel Coeling, Norwood Township

representative could not be reached for comment. Mary Ann Chew, school board representative; Anne Hansen, representative for Eveline Township; Betty Henne, Hayes Township representative and Gordon Van Wieren, Charlevoix Township representative, all deferred comments to Brandi.

A press release authored by Brandi states, "The goal of the Board of Directors is to continue to provide the community the library services it wants and needs. The Board of Directors has provided clear direction to library staff since creation of the board in 1997. Although we are a relatively new board, we have learned a great deal and want to attain our goal of constantly improving our library with management and financial expertise. The board will continue to support an improved library for the entire district and appreciates public input, past and future."

It is our intention to make Charlevoix library the best it can be to serve its citizens. As always, we encourage and appreciate your input. Careful listening and communication solves differences."

The board's next meeting will take place at 3:30 p.m., May 10 in the library basement.



Cool tools

Students at Charlevoix Elementary School got a chance to try out some of the tools used by professionals at the job fair April 27. Above, Alex Foster takes Matt Carey's blood pressure. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Some barking about the library board



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

Sometimes I am amazed at the number of people who want to quiet their government watchdog — also called the local newspaper.

Take the recent story concerning the future of Marybeth Wallick at the Charlevoix Area Library. When that story first came to us, I was a little skeptical because it was a "she said/they said" situation that tends to get ugly.

But, as we looked into it, the story became more clear, especially once we received a copy of a retirement proposal from Library Board president Rick Brandt to Wallick. That gave me proof that something was not right.

"If the library board was just giving Wallick an evaluation, then why would the board president give her a retirement proposal," I

thought. To make matters even more interesting, no one on the board wanted to talk about it, except for the board secretary, Linny Arnold — who spoke out against the board's actions.

The rest of the board hid behind the idea that the only one who could talk for them was their board president, Brandt. This gives individual members of the board the ability to leave the public they represent guessing about their motives.

Plus it makes it difficult for us to give our readers both sides of the story.

But, we sniffed out the story and were amazed at some of the responses we got. Of course there were many people who wrote in congratulating us for informing them of these actions. They were happy that we warned them that something was amiss, thus giving them a chance to voice their opinions to their representatives before a final decision is made.

However, some people were angry and said we printed "hearsay," others defended the board's actions of not speaking out individually — one reader said a board member who speaks out against the board

in anything other than a public meeting is a "rouge" member.

So, why was it a story? Well, here we had a public body trying to be secretive and giving the public librarian a retirement proposal that stated it would be nullified if she spoke about it to anyone. The key word here is "public."

The library is a public place, the library board is a public body and the librarian is a public employee, all paid for with your tax dollars. This means you are their boss. So here we have our employees trying to make another employee retire, all in our name. To make matters worse, the one employee trying to force the retirement is trying to keep the details of it from their boss....us.

Just the thought of that makes me madder than a pitbull with rabies. A public body cannot make a secret contract. That kind of secrecy goes against everything that public government stands for.

And don't tell me that they can do this because it is a personnel issue. The personnel in question is an employee of the taxpayers. This is not a private company and the library board is not a private body; they cannot be making decisions

for you and me in private.

Some say, "Well Jeremy, would you want your evaluation done in the public?" The big differences here are the Charlevoix Courier is a private company, the library is not; I am not a public employee, those employed at the library are; my boss is Ken Winter, publisher of the Charlevoix Courier, the taxpayers are the ultimate bosses of the library or any public employee.

Everything about being a public employee is public — even their salaries. Did you know, as taxpayers you have a right to know the salary of any public employee and this right is guaranteed in the Michigan Freedom of Information Act?

Now about those board members that speak out against board actions in the public being called "rouge." When a member of a public board says they do not want to comment on a particular issue or defer comment to another member, that basically says to me they do not want the public they represent to know what kind of politician they are.

The newspaper is a way for the public to find out just what kind of representatives they have, good or

bad. When a representative won't talk to the newspaper, they are basically taking away a tool from the people that can be used to determine if they are any good at their job or not.

But, what still distresses me is some people still don't understand this concept of public government. They are willing to let any public body conduct its business in private and without questions being asked.

And when it comes to the newspaper being a watchdog for the public by alerting them to potential problems with a local governing body before they get bigger, they are not only deaf to our barking, but they want to put a muzzle on the dog.

What these people do not realize is I am not particularly fond of muzzles; they tend to itch and I just end up chewing them off.

Therefore, we will continue keeping an eye on your government and barking about the good and bad. As for this library mess, I am howling for your attention.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com

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Letters to the editor

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They conducted an evaluation with the public in mind. How can we better the library, increase use and serve our users? Their intention was not to personally attack anyone who has dedicated 28 years to the specific position being evaluated. Evaluations are strictly business. It is something that has to be done. No one is trying to take a job away from anyone. The evaluation was for the betterment of the library. I think it is as simple as that when you get right down to the root of the problem.

When an individual receives an evaluation and there are areas that need to be improved or worked on, then that's what needs to be done, not ignored because the individual feels he/she doesn't have to change a thing. Evaluations are tools for constructive criticism, not personal attacks. This is why we have bosses, mentors and board members. They are there to provide guidance and to make sure the company, business or library is running smoothly and to the best of its ability.

Being an employee means doing your job to the best of your ability and making sure expectations are followed. My point, when the job is not being done to the highest standard, which reflects the establishment, things have to change; things need to be done or the establishment suffers and does not properly serve. Change should not be viewed

as a bad thing.

I have noticed there are people missing the point. There was an employee evaluation done by appointed members of the board. The evaluation reflected her job performance and requests for improvement were made. Those requests should have been done. Period.

When they are done and up to standards, the evaluation score changes. When things aren't completed because of refusal and stubbornness, then the individual's job is in jeopardy until there is a change. Name one business owner who keeps workers that do not grow with the company or reflect good business. No one I know. It's the same thing when an employee is not doing her job up to the standards for which she is evaluated. In this case, seems to me a choice was made not to care about the evaluation or what it said; as a result, she is feeling threatened.

Michelle N. Carlson
Permanent substitute
Charlevoix High School

More reasons against dock plan

Editor:
Possibly 80 - 110 more docks in Round Lake? Many reasons against such a proposal have been accurately and clearly stated in previously published letters in the Courier. Two other factors not previously mentioned are: What is going to happen to Venetian with docks and

boats 400 feet into Round Lake and if the city can go 400 feet into Round Lake what is to stop landowners from doing the same thing?

I feel compelled to say a multi-dock addition smacks of one thing — greed.

Barbara Bump
Charlevoix

Letter was right

Editor:
The editorial by Paul Whitting (Page 13, April 25 edition) of this past week was right on point. The only ones who believe we need more dockage are the transient boaters, who visit for a few weeks, or those individuals within our community who can't resist the lure of what they perceive as "free money" from state or federal funds.

For those who insist on the "free money" aspect of this scheme, I would suggest that we replace the existing docks with floating docks. A more thoughtful arrangement of existing docks would add not only needed docking space, but greater convenience.

The dockage schemes which are being suggested is a luxury that we cannot afford. For anyone that has traveled to the east coast and in particular Annapolis, Md. and Newport, R.I., it becomes quickly apparent that mooring cans are the rule not the exception. Since anchoring in Round Lake in front of

the marina is always "iffy" at best, given the depth of the water, mooring cans offer a reasonable alternative for the very reasons suggested in Mr. Whitting's letter.

I live in Charlevoix and sail on its waters. Do we really want to see empty docks extending into Round Lake as far as the eye can see, after all the visiting boaters have retreated to their home ports, for 10 months of the year.

William L. Meuleman
Charlevoix

We need an indoor rink

Editor:
I'm a middle school student in Charlevoix. I think Charlevoix needs a new indoor ice skating rink. One reason is because the public rink gets all slushy halfway through the winter because of the weather. Some kids have rusted blades because of the slushy water. Also kids are bored in spring and summer. Have you seen all the kids just walking around with nothing to do? We should have at least one indoor ice skating rink. We can get the money from taxes and you can charge \$10 for one person and \$15 for a family. If we could have an ice rink, kids would be much happier.

Kyle Shearer
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Boycott the gas companies

Editor:
How frustrated one feels when it seems we are helpless as gas prices continue to go up. Is it possible that we are not totally helpless? What if everyone boycotted the major oil companies, namely Exxon, Mobil (now one company), and Chevron? To end the boycott and have their customers return to them would Exxon/Mobil/Chevron not have to lower their prices? In doing so the smaller oil companies would have to lower their prices also to be competitive.

Do you suppose this could work? Only if people participate! This idea sent to me by e-mail this week seems particularly timely after reading the earnings reports at the end of the first quarter of 2001. Exxon/Mobil reported a \$5 billion profit, a 44 percent increase from first quarter 2000. Chevron also reported huge profits this quarter. Not surprising when we know what it cost to fill up the gas tank. And in parts of Chicago the gas is costing \$2.20 a gallon this week.

We know that it will only get worse for us in northern Michigan this summer. Let's participate in this grassroots movement. We have nothing to lose.

Bernie von Hellens
Charlevoix

Letters to the editor

Board should volunteer at library

Editor:
As a volunteer at the Charlevoix Public Library, I feel that I have a right and a duty to express my opinion of the comments being made about Marybeth Wallick.

When we moved to Charlevoix three years ago, I was very impressed with the up-to-date and well organized library for a city the size of Charlevoix. The book lists are always being brought up-to-date, on-line computers are available, interlibrary loans have been expanded and everyone at the library (including Marybeth) are always willing to help and answer questions.

Because of my good feelings about the library, I volunteered to help on a weekly basis and was amazed at how busy the library is and how smoothly it runs, in spite

of numerous activities going on at once (people asking reference and research questions, checking out books, computer questions and phone calls from other researchers).

My suggestion is that the board members come in and spend at least one day volunteering at the library (especially those board members who oppose Marybeth's style of leadership) and see for themselves how much must be done during a day, how smoothly the library runs with Marybeth's guidance. During my hours of volunteering and at other times during the week when I am a patron, I have never seen any of these board members who are most critical of the operation of the library volunteering their time.

It seems in this situation a few

board members need to walk in the shoes of those they are criticizing.

Carol Torres
Volunteer
Charlevoix Public Library

Board did nothing wrong

Editor:
I am responding to the article "Librarian fears for her job" and opinion letters from the April 18, 2001 edition of the Charlevoix Courier.

First of all, the appointed board members — the ones I know — take their position seriously. They volunteer their personal time and energy to better the public library for its users. They want the Charlevoix Public Library to be a comfortable and resourceful place for all its users and future users.

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Norwood Township may have violated wetlands act

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A Norwood Township project to construct a pond which will service a dry hydrant for the village, may have violated the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality's (MDEQ) Wetlands Act, sparking an investigation by the environmental group.

"It wasn't their intent to cause harm. They (the board) just didn't realize the site was regulated," Charlevoix County Soil Erosion officer Wendy Armstrong said.

Armstrong explained that the project's goal is to service homes located along Lakeshore Drive in Norwood Township with emergency fire protection.

The project has been proposed for several years, but received board approval in the fall of 2000.

Construction at the site located off of Witmere Road got underway April 16, but four days later on April 20, MDEQ wetlands specialist John Arevalo walked the site and found Inwood Creek was within 350 feet of the pond.

The MDEQ Wetlands Act re-

quires there to be a 500 foot buffer between a construction site and a creek unless proper permits are obtained.

Arevalo immediately stopped all further work at the site until proper permits are gathered.

Project supervisor, Al Veenstra of Drenth Brothers, a construction company out of Ellsworth, said that the permit process was the responsibility of the board, not Drenth Brothers.

However, Armstrong claims an individual from Drenth Brothers called her to see if a soil erosion permit was necessary. During the conversation, Armstrong said the Drenth representative told her that the site was not within 500 feet of a creek.

Armstrong referred to the oversight as, "a lack of knowledge as to where the creek stood in relation to the project."

If the proper permits are received and approved the project will service lakefront homes located along Lakeshore Drive.

Doris Pearl, township board secretary, said that in the wake of decreasing lake levels, counting on Lake Michigan as the primary fire protection source was, "not a smart way to try and get



Site excavation was halted by the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality on April 20 at this site located off of Witmere Road in Norwood Township. The pond is being dredged to give the township service to a dry hydrant. (Photo By Julie Musilek)

water," as cold winter months could mean frozen water.

Pearl said that it is a long trip to the city fire department, located on State Street in Charlevoix, to restock and the township is in need of another water source.

The board recently had public hearings on the issue of an emergency service millage which was approved. The approval will allow the township to conduct a special election to take place on July 17.

If approved by residents the millage will allow the township to collect .5 mills from township property owners for three years.

Pearl said that funds raised by the millage will help pay for the Witmere Road project.

National Multiple Sclerosis Society to have video conference Saturday

On Saturday the National Multiple Sclerosis Society's Annual Northern Michigan Video Conference will be videocast to seven northern Michigan hospital sites from Munson Medical Center in Traverse City.

Charlevoix Area Hospital will be one of the host sites for the conference.

This year's conference will feature Dr. Eric Eggenberger, neuro-ophthalmologist and co-director of the MS Clinic in East Lansing and Dr. Ward Gillett, a urologist at Bay Area Urology in Traverse City.

The program begins at 9:30 a.m. with Eggenberger discussing

symptoms and issues related to optic-neuritis. Following a provided lunch, Gillett will present information about bladder problems and sexual dysfunction.

Each doctor will have time to answer questions following their presentation.

"This is fast becoming the most popular program in the region," said chapter programs manager, Renee Kaufman. "Just this year alone, the program has expanded from three to eight hospital sites making it extremely convenient for people to attend without having to drive hours to the nearest facility."

The registration fee is \$5 per

person with sites in Charlevoix, Alpena, Cadillac, Frankfort, Gaylord, Grayling, Kalkaska and Traverse City.

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New solid waste transfer station being planned

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

For many Charlevoix industries December marks the beginning of a lull in business innovation, but for Tom Rankl, president of Top Rank, a Charlevoix based solid waste collection business, December was the start of big business changes.

In December of 2000, after six years of patiently waiting for a new Charlevoix County Solid Waste Plan, Rankl's wish came true. Now he plans to own and operate an improved transfer station in Charlevoix Township.

Rankl is planning to consolidate the three Type B transfer stations he currently operates into one Type A station. He said that the upgrade from Type B stations, which are low capacity, to Type A, large-

er capacity stations will increase the company's operating efficiency. The faster process will allow his hauler to transport larger loads.

"Now that the landfill (Cedar Ridge) is no longer open, garbage in this area has to be transported," Rankl explained.

Rankl described the former solid waste plan as "very site specific." He said that Type A transfer stations could only be located on Beaver Island, a landfill or Boyne Falls.

The new plan, approved by the State of Michigan in December, lifted these structured specifications. Transfer stations can now be located across the county as long as certain siting criteria are met and solid waste can be disposed of outside of county limits.

"Under the new plan

"We hope to dump the first load of garbage at the new site by September."

Tom Rankl,
President of Top Rank

Charlevoix County garbage can go anywhere in the State of Michigan which allows us to shop around as to where to transport it which helps to control my biggest expense, disposal costs," he said.

The planned site will be located on a 40 acre parcel of land off of Bell's Bay Road. The structure itself will be 8,000 square feet with ceilings 25 feet tall.

Garbage trucks will enter the building and dump their load on the concrete floor. A bucket loader will then pick up the refuse and dump it into a compactor. The compactor will push the trash into a trail-

er which will be brought to a Waste Management landfill in Waters for disposal.

Rankl also sees the new facility as an opportunity to step up the company's recycling efforts which he said they were unable to do in the past because of space constraints.

"I hope to be able to take garbage out of the waste stream and recycle it which will give us more options to keep costs in check," he added.

Rankl used the example of construction waste. It is common to see big dumpsters on construction sites that are full of recyclable materials like

steel, wood and cement.

Rankl said that the wood can be pulled out and chipped, the cement can be crushed and reused and the steel can be transported to a scrap yard.

Rankl said that they are waiting on permits from the Department of Environmental Quality to start station construction. He hopes to have the proper permits by June when they will apply for an operator's license.

"We (Top Rank) opened June 1, 1995. Since then we have come a long way and we have truly outgrown this facility. We hope to dump the first load of garbage at the new site by September," he said.

Rankl plans to keep the office at its current location off of US-31 South, but the cans, trucks and operations will be moved over to the new site.

Engagement



Birrer - Schackenberg

Jessamyn Birrer of Moscow, Idaho and Matt Schackenberg of Pullman, Wash. were recently engaged to be married.

Jessamyn is the daughter of Terry Kay and Eddy Birrer of Spokane, Wash. Matt is the son of Dick and Leola Schackenberg of Charlevoix.

A wedding for August is being planned. The bride-to-be teaches at Idaho State University, where she is pursuing a masters degree in poetry. The groom-to-be also teaches at Washington State University, where he is pursuing a Ph.D in rhetoric.

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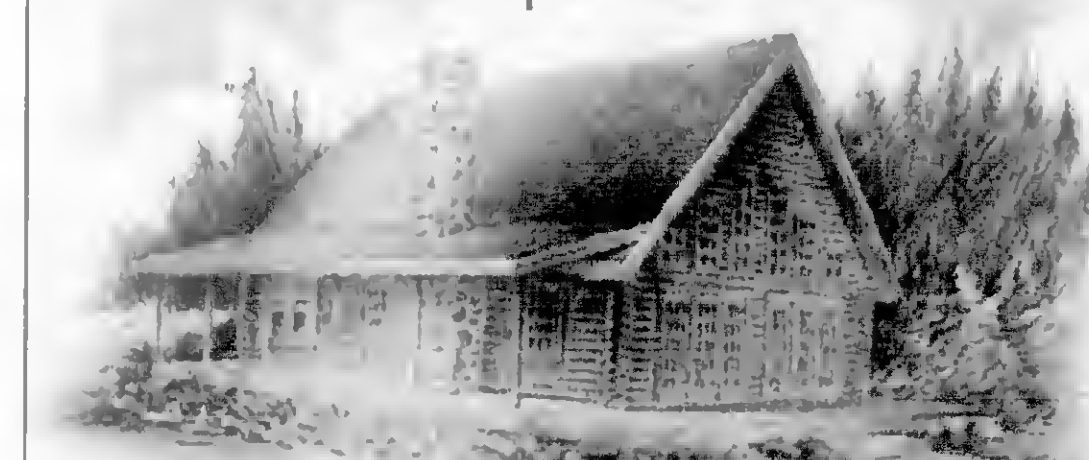
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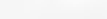
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Alcohol affects your judgment, energy level and work performance. It can be related to a number of psychological and social problems such as

depression and anxiety, family conflict, job instability, arrests and injuries related to violence or accidents.

Many of these problems may be avoided with appropriate intervention. Perhaps the most difficult aspect to intervention and treatment is to identify that a "drinking problem" exists in the first place.

A "drinking problem" exists when drinking causes significant problems in one's health, relationships with others, work or school performance or the way one thinks or feels.

The problem usually starts with having a drink now and then, or drinking when feeling stressed. Alcohol may make you think that you will forget about your problems. But, in the long-run, you are still the same person with the same problems, and maybe a new one — needing alcohol.

Ask yourself the following

questions:

- Have your friends ever complained about your drinking?
- Have you ever been late or absent from work because of hangovers?
- Have you ever driven after drinking?
- Have you had trouble with the law after drinking?
- Have you gotten into a fight after drinking?
- Do you drink even when you do not feel well?
- Has your doctor told you that you have health problems related to drinking?
- Have you ever tried to quit drinking? Have you ever had a blackout while drinking?
- Do you sometimes have a drink in the morning to stop your hands from trembling or to ease a hangover?
- Do you end up drinking more than you meant to drink?

• Have you stopped doing things you used to do because you would rather drink?

• Do you drink more than you used to drink?

If you said yes to any of these questions, drinking may be a problem for you.

Even small amounts of alcohol may be a problem if you: have any short or long-term health problems, are taking medications (even over-the-counter meds), have family members with alcohol problems, have had problems in your life or health because of alcohol, or feel down or depressed.

If you do not have any of the above risk factors, it's probably safe for you to drink a limited amount of alcohol without affecting your health.

"One drink" can be defined as: one 12 ounce can of beer or wine cooler, one five ounce glass of wine or 1.5 ounces of hard liquor. Each

of these has about the same amount of pure alcohol.

A sensible limit is no more than two drinks per day for men and one drink per day for women and one drink per day for those over 65.

If you have any problems with alcohol, ask your doctor how much alcohol is safe for you.

Some people may be able to handle a problem with alcohol by drinking less. However, you will probably have to quit drinking completely if it's causing problems with your health or life.

If you try to quit but are having trouble, help is available. Your doctor can help you choose a program that is right for you.

Dr. Melodie Brown can be contacted at Pine River Medical, located by Charlevoix Area Hospital, by calling (231) 547-6554.

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Fight over Cedar Ridge Landfill continues

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Even though both the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) and the Charlevoix County Planning Department rejected Waste Management's expansion proposal for the Cedar Ridge Landfill in Ironton, Ingham County Circuit Court Judge James Giddings may give them the go ahead.

In a previous interview Charlevoix County planner Larry Sullivan explained the origin of the circuit court case.

"The philosophy at work is when the 40 acre site (Cedar Ridge) originally chosen was filled, the good area consumed, we (Charlevoix

County) would draw the line at that 40 acres and stick to it," Sullivan said.

"Now, Waste Management is suing the DEQ for denying a construction permit to extend the landfill."

The suit was filed in July of 2000 and Giddings heard oral arguments on March 16.

David Domzal, the attorney representing Waste Management argued that the MDEQ's decision to reject the landfill expansion request was "capricious and arbitrary."

Domzal based his claim on maps used by the department during their review of the expansion request.

In the brief filed in the Ingham County Circuit Court, Domzal states, "It is interesting that MDEQ does

not deny that it refused to look at hard evidence indicating that the maps the county relied upon were clearly in error."

Domzal is referring to the impact of set back requirements that he says are based on a nonexistent creek. The map in question, the MIRIS map, shows a creek running through the expansion area. However, Waste Management says this creek is not currently flowing and thus isn't a creek.

"The map they relied on was incorrect and they acknowledge that it is in error. It shows a stream as being a permanent flowing stream. However, the County Solid Waste Plan relies on the map, whether the maps are right or wrong they rely on them,

a line is a line regardless," Domzal said.

However, according to Kathleen Kavanaugh, attorney for the MDEQ, she sees no reason for Giddings not to uphold the DEQ's decisions. She said that the expansion does not meet the site criteria.

"The Charlevoix County Solid Waste Management Plan requires landfills to be located 2,000 feet from permanent streams as depicted on a particular map (the MIRIS map). (Waste Management) sought a permit that did not meet this isolation distance. MDEQ is required to deny a permit for a landfill if it does not comply with the county plan," her brief states.

According to Nancy Ferguson,

vice president of the Charlevoix based environmental group WATCH, the purpose of the set back requirement is to alleviate the threat of ridge water running downhill from the landfill into Lake Charlevoix.

Kavanaugh said that Giddings took the information presented by both Domzal and her under advisement.

As of April 24 the Ingham County Circuit Court showed no order had yet been issued in this case.

But Domzal is hopeful. "The question really is what is the court going to do? My client (WMM) is leaving all their options open. Our goal is to obtain a construction permit to expand the landfill," he said.



Career day

Northwest Academy had a career day April 27. At left, Dr. Dave Holland, musician and teacher at Interlochen Center for the Performing Arts, speaks with the students. Other presenters were a United States Air Force technology sergeant and a chef. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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In one particular study, said IIHS, the presence of just one passenger almost doubled the fatal crash risk compared with driving alone.

"We're not suggesting the young drivers travel alone on prom night," Richard Miller, manager of Community Safety Services for AAA Michigan said.

"What we are suggesting is that young drivers are easily distracted by passengers, are more likely to engage in risk-taking behaviors, and should therefore focus on safe driving skills."

Miller said that in vehicles with young passengers there are numerous interactions taking place that can jeopardize traffic safety.

"Young drivers are inexperienced to begin with," he said.

"And passengers from the same peer group present many opportunities for distraction. Simply the act of turning around to talk to someone can cause unnecessary risk."

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AAA prom season safety tips include:

- Set ground rules with teens before an event.
- Never allow minors to have access to alcohol.
- Recognize the signs of alcohol and/or drug use.
- Verify with other parents that alcohol will not be served at their parties.
- Make a family pledge not to drink on prom night.
- Establish a time when teens are expected home.
- Urge teens never to ride with anyone who has been drinking.
- Focus on driving: The more passengers, the greater distraction.
- Be available if your teen and his or her friends need a ride home.



Floral fun

Florist Lori Mitchell showed students at Charlevoix Elementary School some of the tools she uses for her profession. Mitchell was speaking to the students as part of the school's career day on April 27. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Author gives audience healthy ideas

People should remember one thing when they are cooking for themselves, "You are in charge," according to renowned cookbook author Deanna House.

"If you are using a recipe and it calls for something that you don't like, don't put it in," House told an enthusiastic audience of about 45 people at Charlevoix Area Hospital April 26.

The cooking demonstration and talk was sponsored by the Community Relations Committee of the hospital's Development Council, a group of 60 plus volunteers from the community who are helping the hospital to meet the financial challenge of its current expansion project, and to meet the community's health needs in the future.

House used humor to deliver her cooking demonstration on low-fat cooking suitable for diabetics. Tossing spatulas and napkins as gifts to audience participants, House kept her audience on their toes while whipping up three savory recipes, one fish, one soy and one with beans and an easy and low-fat dessert of angel food cake and pineapple.

"We need to keep three things in mind when we think about healthy, low-fat eating," House said. "First, we need to eat more fish, at least once a week, more if you can. Second, we need to eat dried beans. And third, soy, we've got to address ourselves to

soy."

Incorporating soy in one's diets is becoming easier in recent years, House said, because we have more choices.

She recommends shopping in the frozen food section of your grocery store and purchasing vegetable protein products such as Garden Burgers or protein crumbles as a way to reduce the amount of fat in your diet.

"If you can't cook your own beans, canned beans are ok, but you should rinse them to get rid of the salt," House said.

Offering insider tips on cooking that even seasoned cooks didn't know, House entertained her audience for almost two hours, handing out recipes and kitchen gadget give-aways, as well as free Diabetic Calendar books.

At the end of her demonstration, the audience was able to sample the three recipes and dessert.

"Beans won't continue to get soft after you introduce them to acid, so cook your chili beans thoroughly, then add the tomatoes," House said.

House's favorite motto is, "Enthusiastic teaching makes learning fun."

Whether she is teaching an adult education class, presenting a workshop for 4-H members or speaking to community groups, she shares her positive living

philosophy as she communicates through food.

The author of four cookbooks, House is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Stout and has taught junior high, senior high and adult home economics classes. She is a freelance food writer regularly read in the Kalamazoo Gazette and The Grand Rapids Press newspapers.

"Not everyone likes to cook, but we all have to eat, so it helps if you can cook something," House said. "These aren't bad people, they just don't enjoy cooking like we do."

House is a favorite speaker of the members of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan and has appeared at a number of conventions, most recently at last year's state convention in Kalamazoo.

Her first cookbook, "House Specialties," is now out-of-print after five printings, and her second cookbook, "More House Specialties," has been retired after three printings. House currently sells her third cookbook, "Even More House Specialties," and the final book of the series, "House Specialties Encore."

Her professional affiliations include memberships in the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences, the Michigan Association of Family and Consumer Sciences, The National Press Women and



Author Deanna House. (Courtesy photo)

Michigan Press Women. House currently serves on the Stout University Foundation Board in Menomonie, Wisconsin.

A native of rural southern Wisconsin, House has spent most of her adult life in southwest Michigan. After living in Portage for 19 years, she and her husband, George, now live in Ada near Grand Rapids. They are the parents of two adult children.

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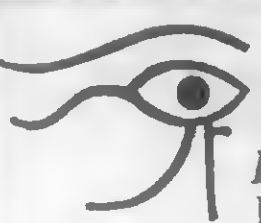
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Charlevoix pool will offer kayak safety class

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool will offer a Kayak Safety and Rescue Class from 7-10:00 p.m., May 23 at the pool.

Kayaking is a great way to enjoy Northern Michigan's waters. Given Michigan's ever changing weather and chilly water temperatures, paddling conditions can quickly become challenging. It is important to develop and practice your ability to rescue yourself and others when capsized.

The goal for this class is to develop solid kayak rescue skills in the "comfort" of the pool. By learning and practicing the rescues in the pool, you can refine your technique for the coming paddling season. During this three hour class, the following issues and skills will be covered: 1) safety concerns and preparedness, 2) safety equipment, 3) Eskimo bow rescue, 4) partner rescues, 5) self rescue with paddle float, 6) high and low bracing techniques, 7) introduction to towing techniques.

This class is for the beginner who wants to develop their rescue skills and will provide an excellent opportunity for advanced paddlers to refine their rescue techniques and bracing skills.

This course will be taught by Wil Cwikiel. His formal kayak instructor training has been through the British Canoe Union.

Cwikiel is also a water resource program director for the Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council and leads kayak trips throughout Northern Michigan.

The fee for this course will be \$25. Those without their own kayaks can rent them for the evening for an additional \$25.

To sign up or find out more, call the pool at 547-0982.



Searching for clues

The Michigan State Police Dive Team had its equipment in Charlevoix to search the water around the city marina for any evidence in the Sunday murder of an Elk Rapids man. For more information on the incident, see our story on page 1. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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SPORTS

Baseball team finds tough conference start

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

With an 8-1 non-conference mark, Charlevoix moved into play in the Lake Michigan Conference last week and found the going a little rockier, splitting doubleheaders with East Jordan and Elk Rapids.

The Rayders opened their week with a resounding sweep over non-league foe Ellsworth. Charlevoix took the opener, 17-2 and the nightcap, 9-4. Sophomore Kreg Wager picked up his second varsity win in game one, throwing a two-hit, nine-strikeout gem.

Matt Kilkenny was the winning pitcher in game two with relief help from Matt Horon. Jeremiah Teuscher led the potent Rayder hitting attack with a triple and single in game one and a double in game two.

Charlevoix drew a tough assignment for the league opener last Thursday as previously undefeated East Jordan came to town.

In the first game, Horon supplied all the offense Chris Loper needed with a three-run homer in the first inning.

Loper silenced the Red Devil bats, yielding only one hit, walking two and

striking out 10 for a 3-2 Rayder victory. Loper's record is now 3-1 on the year. Mike Kochanny had two hits for Charlevoix.

A bout of wildness for Jeremiah Teuscher in the second game led to a big second inning and an early 6-0 East Jordan lead.

The Rayders gamely scratched their way back in it, fighting off a lightning delay in the process, but came up just short, 8-4.

"We dug too deep of a hole too early in the game," coach Pete Scholten commented.

"I was real happy to see our bats wake up in the third inning. We showed we weren't willing to give up."

Those bats fell back into a slumber, though, when Charlevoix traveled to Elk Rapids on Monday. In the opener, Elks hurler Eric Miller stymied the Rayders, allowing only a Nick Cole double en route to a 5-0 victory.

In the nightcap it was a different story as the Rayder hitters backed the solid pitching of Dennis Avery and Horon with 13 hits, including a few long balls for a 13-5 win. Charlevoix broke open a tight 4-2 game with four runs in the fifth and five in the sixth.



A Charlevoix player gets ready for the pitch at a recent game. (Courtesy photo)

Avery and Horon combined on a two-hitter. Horon connected for two home runs, a solo shot in the third and a two-run blast in the sixth. Matt Kilkenny hit a three-run homer and had a single as well. Rob

Boss got things going with a two-run shot in the second. The Teuscher brothers combined for five hits and four RBI (Nate, three hits, one RBI; Jeremiah, two hits, three RBI).

After the game Scholten

said, "I was real pleased to see our kids bounce back the second game. We really hit the ball well."

The Rayders (10-2 overall, 2-2 conference) will host conference rival Harbor Springs on Thursday.

Softball team wins one, but loses two

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix Rayders Varsity Softball team traveled to Indian River on April 28 for the Indian River Invitational where they went one and three for the day.

"I thought they did real good seeing as how we had nine varsity players gone because of school trips, graduations and other family events," head coach Phil Butler said.

Tasha Morrison almost pitched a no hitter in the first game of the tournament against Rudyard. Morrison allowed one hit and struck out eight batters. Aside from a good defensive show the lady Rayders were also getting their bats around.

Contributing to the 16-1 win over Rudyard were Candace Boss who had three hits, Tasha Morrison with a pair of hits and three runs batted in and both Maggie Kantola and Natasha Kleiber

with two hits.

In game two of the tournament, the Rayders were shut out by a tough Sault Ste. Marie team. Rayder pitcher Crystal Meredith allowed 13 runs to score. The Rayder bats were quiet, the only hits of the game came from Natasha Kleiber who made contact twice but was unable to find home plate for a score.

In game three the Rayders battled Onaway. Things looked bleak in the first couple of innings when

the Rayder team found themselves down by five runs. But the girls rallied back to come within one. Time constraints ended the game with a final score of seven to six.

"If we had more time we could have ended up in second or third place out of five instead of fourth. We were mounting a strong comeback against Onaway when time ran out," Butler said.

Monica Cornell took the mound in the game against Onaway. Natasha Kleiber, Tasha Morri-

son, Crystal Meredith and Kaylee Kughman all connected for hits.

In the final game of the tournament the Rayders were shut out by the host team, Indian River Inland Lakes who went undefeated for the day and took home first place. The only hits in the 15 to nothing loss came from Kelly Ward and Amanda Boss.

The Rayders took on Elk Rapids away April 30 and will face Harbor Springs on May 3 at home.

Track teams compete at Clare Invitational

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Now that they have a few meets under their belts, Charlevoix boys' track coach Ken Plude thinks his team is looking pretty good.

"We are improving a lot. We had a really good showing at Clare," he said.

The event he refers to is the Clare Invitational April 27. The Clare meet was only a individual meet and did not count toward the team's total standings.

So far the team has a record of 10-2 in dual meets.

At the Clare meet, Plude said Rory Gnatkowski set a meet record in the pole vault with a height of 12 feet, 10 inches. He added Gordie Selph, who took second at the Clare meet, also is doing a great job running hurdles.

Plude also commended the freshman/sophomore relay team, who almost set a meet record at the Clare Invitational.

As for the girls' team, many of them made impressive showings at the meet.

Some individual results were: Lexi Wilson tied for first place in the pole vault with a height of 7 feet, 6 inches. Kati Swenor came in third in the 100 meter run with a time of 5 minutes, 41 seconds. Swenor also placed fourth in the 3,200 meter run with a time of 12 minutes, 24 seconds. Liz Ulrich placed sixth in the 100 meter run with a time of 5 minutes, 47 seconds. Ulrich was also just behind Swenor in the 3,200 meter run with a time of 12 minutes, 27.93 seconds.

The teams' 1,600 meter relay team also placed fourth in the meet with a time of 4 minutes, 46 seconds.

Soccer team splits matches

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix girls' soccer team split two conference matches this week and lost two in a week-end tourney.

The Rayders opened the week with a 5-2 win over Roscommon.

Danielle Vogelheim led the attack with two goals and two assists. Kelly Dreyer, Kate Madison, Abby Schaperkotter scored one apiece. Schaperkotter, Madison and Elissa Wood also added assists. Jennifer Rowe had seven saves in goal.

Coach Carol Madison said, "It was a team win, by far our season's best effort. We had excellent play on the defensive side of the ball by Jayne Murray, Kelly Zimmerman, Marie Serrels, Allysia McDonough and Shayna Drost."

With key players out with injuries, the Rayders lost two hard-fought games in the Alpena Tournament, 3-0 to Harbor Springs and 1-0 to Cadillac.

Against the Vikings, an early defensive error led to the only goal of the match. Charlevoix controlled

the action, outshooting Cadillac 15-7 but directed all their opportunities right at the keeper.

Zimmerman played well in her first experience in goal, making 19 saves on the day. Murray and Schaperkotter were named to the All-Tournament team.

Returning to conference play on Monday, the Rayders returned to their winning ways with a 2-1 victory at Houghton Lake.

Charlevoix scored early when a Schaperkotter cross was deflected by Dreyer to a strong left footed shot from 20 yards by Libby Withrow.

The Rayders controlled the action throughout the first half but were turned back on numerous occasions by strong goalkeeping. Houghton Lake knotted the score on a breakaway in the second half before Vogelheim put Charlevoix ahead to stay with a header off a corner kick by Serrels.

Charlevoix outshot Houghton Lake 16-9. Zimmerman (two saves) and Elissa Wood (seven saves) shared the win in goal.

Madison stated that McDonough, Katie Romig and Serrels continued

their strong defensive play.

The Rayders are now 3-3 in the Northern Michigan Soccer League and 3-5 overall.

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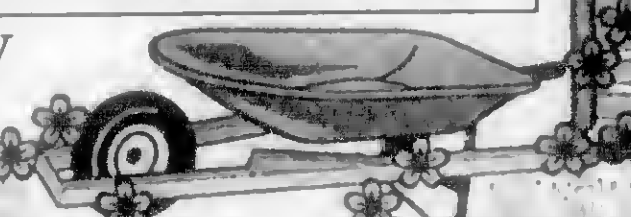
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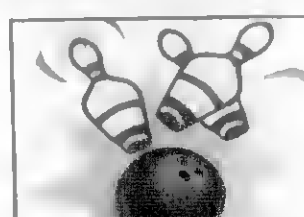
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Parents warned to watch out for 'huffing' signs

Many parents worry about their children coming into contact with illegal drugs like cocaine, heroin and marijuana in school or even worse on the streets in their communities.

But what some parents don't know is there are other far more accessible and legal substances in their homes — right under the kitchen sink — that can be just as hazardous to a child's health as illegal drugs when they are used improperly.

Abuse of common household products such as paint thinners, spray paint, shoe polish, rubber cement, glue and typewriter correction fluid, often called "huffing" or inhalant abuse, has gradually increased among the teenage population since the 1980s.

According to a nationwide survey done by the American Academy of Pediatrics, teenagers say about one-quarter of their friends have used inhalants.

And because inhalants provide the same high as illegal drugs, but are far more accessible and inexpensive, they are more likely to be abused by children and teens, especially boys.

Further, the effects of that cheap high, even after one use,

can cause serious side effects including brain damage and in some cases it can result in death.

To increase awareness about the potential dangers of inhalant abuse, the University of Michigan Health System's Teenager and Young Adult Program is working to inform parents and their children about its dangers and the signs to look for if they suspect their child or friends may be "huffing."

Since inhalants are volatile substances that work to stimulate, then depress the central nervous system, breathing and other body functions, "huffing" even once can be fatal, says David Rosen, M.D., M.P.H., director of the Teenage and Young Adult Program at the U-M Health System.

"Inhalant abuse is particularly frightening to physicians because we don't have to wait for kids to become addicts before we see the effects it can have — and it often happens the first time someone uses these substances," Rosen said.

"Huffing" involves saturating a piece of cloth with the product or pouring the product into a paper bag where it quickly evaporates. By doing this, explained Rosen, the abusers can

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David Rosen,
of The University of Michigan Health Systems

inhale the product's fumes to get high.

That high can often be a gateway to future drug use like marijuana, LSD, cocaine and heroin, even though inhalants are not being drunk, ingested or injected like many of these illegal substances.

"It's a well supported theory that boys who start using these drugs are certainly more likely than boys who don't use them to go on and use other drugs after inhalants," Rosen said.

But, before that potentially deadly shift occurs, there are warning signs and symptoms that parents can watch for and be aware of if they suspect their child might be using inhalants. If a teenager is "huffing" there is often a distinct odor from the inhalant substance on their clothing.

Many abusers also will develop a rash or sores around their mouth from using a paper bag

saturated with the inhalant. Another warning sign is an unusual number of bottles or cans of inhalants in a teen's room.

"Kids may not feel as compelled to hide the evidence of what they're using as they would if they had marijuana, cocaine or some other illegal drugs," Rosen said. "Be suspicious when you start seeing changes in behavior, their relationship with you, school performance or in their peer groups. Whether it's inhalant abuse or some other drug, this behavior should prompt some evaluation and intervention."

Other behavior changes may include social isolation, withdrawn behavior, deteriorating school performance, an unusual insistence on privacy and new friends who do not visit your home.

If a parent suspects that a

child or teen may be abusing inhalants, Rosen recommends that they consult a physician and attempt to confront their son or daughter about the problem, especially if professional assistance is needed immediately.

Possibly one of the best ways to prevent inhalant abuse, Rosen adds, is through parental supervision and on-going discussions about the effects of drugs.

Teenagers and preteens, especially those who have low self-esteem, poor judgment or little information about the potential consequences of using drugs, are most likely to become involved with inhalant abuse.

So, Rosen encourages all parents to begin discussing the dangers of inhalants and drugs with their children at a very early age.

"It's not too early to begin telling your kids about the dangers of drugs when they're 7, 8 or 9 years old," he said. "But certainly by the time they are in middle school, when these drugs may begin to be abused, there should be discussion about the specific dangers associated with these drugs."



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THIS IS TO INFORM Greg Waterman, last known address: 10252 Boyne City Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US-31 Hwy. S., Charlevoix, MI 49720, 231-547-5838.

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THIS IS TO INFORM S.B. Marek Construction, last known address: 215 Prospect Ave., Charlevoix, MI 49720 of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #78. A brief description would be a mailbox, wood, nails, aluminum flashing, roof edging, sink, dishwasher and table. You have until June 1, 2001 to reclaim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US-31 Hwy. S., Charlevoix, MI 49720.

(5-2-2-076)

SERVICES AVAILABLE 084

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(8-19-1f-084)

HELP WANTED 086

SEEKING AGGRESSIVE salesperson for position in wholesale plumbing & heating company. 60m plus full benefit package including 401(k), BCBS, and vacation. Plumbing and heating knowledge beneficial, but not required. Please send confidential resume to Box 896, c/o Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

(5-2-1-086)

NOW HIRING summer help. All positions. Inquire within. Lester's Restaurant, 151 Ray St., Boyne City.

(5-2-1-086)

HELP WANTED 086

ELECTRICIAN APPRENTICE opportunity. The Traverse City Electrical Joint Apprenticeship Committee (Union & Contractors jointly) will be accepting applications every 2nd Wednesday of each month from 10:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. for the Residential and Inside Wireman Electrician Apprenticeship Programs.

The recruitment, selection, employment and training of apprentices are without any discrimination as to race, color, religion, age, sex or national origin. Women and members of minority groups are especially encouraged to apply.

Applications must be applied for in person.

A \$20.00 non-refundable application fee is required.

Contact: Traverse City Electrical J.A.T.C., 3912 Blair Township Road, Traverse City, Michigan 49684. Phone (231) 943-4980.

(5-2-1-086)

PARTS SPECIALIST specializing in Japanese and German brands. Fletcher's, a 62-year-old full line dealership, is expanding. We are in need of a highly motivated, dependable and energetic individual to join our import parts department. ASE certified would be helpful. We offer a competitive wage and benefit package. Please call (231) 487-9658 or write Dana Burnett, Parts Manager, Fletcher's Inc. 825 Charlevoix Ave., Petoskey or e-mail: parts@fletchs.com

(5-2-1-086)

THE CITY of Charlevoix is accepting applications for summer positions for park maintenance workers. Cemetery maintenance and Street Dept. Applicants must be 16. Applications are also being accepted for a street & park maintenance person. Applications are available at the City Manager's Office, 210 State Street, Charlevoix, MI. Applications must be received before 5:00 p.m. on May 4, 2001. E.O.E.

(4-25-2-086)

HELP WANTED 086

HELP WANTED: Local Secretary of State office accepting applications for temporary short term worker position. Work schedules are intermittent and hours vary from day to day. For additional information and application please call the Charlevoix Secretary of State Office at 231-547-9421.

(5-2-1-086)

HELP WANTED 086

DINNER SERVERS, lunch servers, bus staff and host staff. Apply at Stafford's Weathervane, 106 Pine River Lane or phone 547-4311.

(4-25-3-086)

HANDYPERSON/ASSISTANT caretaker. For details call 547-9455, ask for Paul.

(4-25-3-086)

HELP WANTED 086

NMHA HEAD START Programs in Charlevoix and Emmet counties have the following positions available: 2 fulltime/full-year early head start home visitors, beginning pay \$12.02/hour. 1 full-time/full-year combination child care partner family service worker and recruitment aide, beginning pay \$12.02/hour. 1 full-time/full-year team coordinator, beginning pay \$13.94/hour. Some evening hours may be required. Please submit letter of interest and resume to M. Rieth, NMHA 3963 Three Mile Road, Traverse City, MI

Boyer USA RESORTS

SPRING/SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES: Boyne USA Resorts is currently accepting applications for seasonal full or part-time positions for the upcoming golf/convention season at Boyne Highlands, Boyne Mountain, Bay Harbor Golf Club, Crooked Tree Golf Club and the Inn at Bay Harbor. If you like to golf, hike, play tennis, swim, or generally like the great outdoors, then Boyne USA Resorts is the place for you. Besides offering great benefits such as health, dental and vision insurance for qualifying full-time, year-round employment, we offer discounts on golf, meals and merchandise to all seasonal, part-time and full-time Team Members. You will work with a staff dedicated to great customer service and excellence in the hospitality industry. To find out more about the job opportunities Boyne has to offer, call (231) 549-6858, or visit our employment page on our website at www.boyne.com. Interested individuals may also stop by the front desk of any of our locations to pick up an application. Earn competitive wages and get great benefits with Boyne USA Resorts, an equal opportunity employer.

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Grill Attendant • Host/Hostess
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Housekeeping • Janitor
Salad Prep • Wait Staff

CROOKED TREE GOLF CLUB
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Bus Staff • Retail Sales
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Golf Course Maintenance
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Bus Staff • Carpenters
Convention Staff • Cooks • Dishwashers
General Laborers/Construction
Host/Hostess • Starters (age 18+)
Kitchen Stock • Wait Staff
Washperson (Laundry)

**Deadline
is
10 a.m.
Monday**

49686 by May 11th. NMHA is an E.O.E.
(4-25-2-086)

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MAY

2001

HELP WANTED 086

HOMEMAKERS NEEDED - Charlevoix area. Wanted to work with senior citizens in their homes and perform light housekeeping duties, shopping and laundry. Will train, no prior experience necessary, must be trustworthy and dependable. Flexible schedule, hourly wage plus mileage. M-F, no weekends or holidays. Please call CHARLEVOIX COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING, ASK FOR MARGE OR SUE, 237-0103. (5-2-1-086)

PROGRAM MONITOR for Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services (NMSAS), a regional substance abuse coordinating agency. A minimum of a bachelor's degree in human services or related field with strong clinical skills and two years experience in program, project or contract monitoring and reporting are required. Master's degree preferred. Position requires varied computer experience and extensive travel within Michigan. Position based out of Gaylord NMSAS office. E.O.E. Mail letter and resume to: Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, Human Resources, One MacDonald Dr., Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770. Fax: (231) 347-1241. E-mail: hr@nmcmh.org (4-25-2-086)

SERVICE TECHNICIAN specializing in all or one of the following: Japanese/German/Jeep vehicles. Fletch's of Petoskey, a 62-year-old full line dealership, is expanding. We are in need of an ASE certified auto technician for a full-time position. We offer a competitive wage and benefit package. Please call (231) 487-9669 or write Gregg Spence, Service Manager, Fletch's Inc., 825 Charlevoix Ave., Petoskey, or e-mail: serv@fletchs.com (5-2-1-086)

PERMANENT PART-TIME rural carrying available at Charlevoix Post Office on Saturday. \$13 an hour, plus mileage. Vehicle required 547-2631. (4-18-3-086)

FOSTER FAMILIES and respite providers needed. Excellent compensation and support. Please call the Child Guidance Center's Professional Parenting Program for information at 231-929-1783 or 1-800-872-5861. E.O.E. (3-14-tf-086)

PART-TIME HELP 087

PART-TIME DRIVER needed for the Petoskey Club, a psychosocial clubhouse program in Petoskey. Must possess or be able to obtain a Michigan driver's license and chauffeur's license, and have a good driving record. Position averages 15 hours per week, 4 pm to 7 pm, M-F, with pay ranging from \$8.55/hr up to \$11.77/hr. Candidates should send a letter and resume expressing interest by 5/7/01 to: Human Resources, Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A., Petoskey, MI 49770. FAX: (231) 347-1241. E.O.E. (4-25-2-087)

ORGANIST NEEDED for one service each Sunday (11 a.m. September to May, 10 a.m. June to August), weddings, and funerals. Occasional special services. Contact Reverend Todd Thompson, Charlevoix United Methodist Church, 547-2654. (4-18-3-087)

HELP WANTED 087

ADULT ACTIVITY AIDE - Northern Michigan Community Mental Health (NMCMH) has a part-time, 30 hour/week position in our Walloon Developmental Workshop in Boyne City, Michigan. Successful applicant will assist developmentally disabled individuals in developing daily living and vocational skills within their communities. Must be dependable, flexible, self-motivated and team oriented with a high degree of confidentiality and organizational skills. Requires HS diploma/GED with related work experience but will train. NMCMH offers competitive wages starting at \$8.55 per hour, benefits and paid training. E.O.E. Mail letter and resume to: Northern Michigan Community Health, Human Resources, One MacDonald Dr., Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770 FAX: (231) 347-1241. E-mail: hr@nmcmh.org (4-25-2-087)

MISC. FOR SALE 134

STEEL BUILDINGS, new must sell. 40x60x12 - was \$17,500, now \$10,971. 50x100x16 - was \$31,500, now \$19,990. 70x150x16 - was \$59,990, now \$42,990. 80x200x16 - was \$94,500, now \$59,990. 1-800-406-5126. (5-2-1-134)

GOOD FURNITURE - Formica parsons table with six chairs and two extensions, coffee table, lamp table, floor and table lamps, garbage disposal, instahot, etc. Call May 3, 4, 5, only. (231) 547-4222. (5-2-1-134)

LAWN & GARDEN 139

TREES AND SHRUBS for sale. Porcupine Hollow Farm, 8593 West State, Central Lake. (231) 544-6769. (4-25-tf-139)

FRESH PRODUCE & MEAT 141

KITELY FARMS taking orders for asparagus and also beef by the half or whole. Call (231) 547-2318. (5-2-tf-141)

LOTS & ACREAGE 157

TWO OF THE BEST LOTS on Lake Charlevoix, sandy beach, 200x450 feet each. \$895,000 each. Don Hodney Broker. 517-349-5365. (4-26-tf-157)

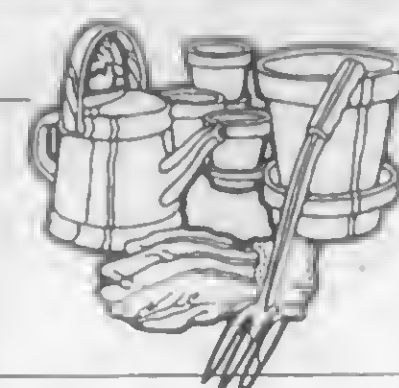
LAKE HOMES/FRONTAGE 161

BURT LAKE - 120' frontage, 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 4,200 square feet, 2 1/2 car attached garage and 4 car unattached. Much more. Price reduced \$799,900. 231-238-4267. (4-11-tf-161)

BUSINESS PLACES/RENT 168

CHARLEVOIX: Wanted to lease or purchase office space/building. 1,000 to 1,500 minimum. Must be ground level within the city of Charlevoix. Respond to File Box 510, c/o Charlevoix Courier. (7-5-tf-168)

COMMERCIAL BUILDING, approximately 2,000 square feet. Two floors plus basement storage. Available May 1st. 1101 Bridge Street. 248-681-7999. (3-21-tf-168)



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APARTMENTS FOR RENT 169

BOYNE CITY: Parkview Apartments in Boyne City. 1 & 2 bedroom apartments available for immediate occupancy. Rent starts at \$325. Barrier-free units available. No pets. For application or information call Tresa, 231-582-7071, or stop in the Parkview office, 326 E. Division, Apt. 27, TDD 800-649-3777. Equal Housing Opportunity. (1-3-tf-169)

RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT 171

LAKE CHARLEVOIX traditional rustic summer cabin, north shore, sleeps 10. Available late June-July 13. \$650 per week. (231) 547-2760. (5-2-2-171)

LOG HOME on Lake Susan, Charlevoix, for rent. Weekend rate \$1,000, weekly rates available. Phone 517-463-3937. Ask for Linda. (11-1-tf-171)

STORAGE SPACE FOR RENT 174

SELF STORAGE UNITS 50 to 5,000 square feet, drive-in units, heated areas, Charlevoix north-side. Call Bob Kern, Real Estate One, 547-5100. (9-1-tf-174)

STORAGE UNITS available. Charlevoix Mini Storage. 547-5838. Closed Thursdays. (12-28-tf-174)

WANTED TO RENT 175

WANTED TO LEASE, three plus bedroom home within walking distance of downtown, month of August or what is convenient to owner. References upon request. Call John (616) 949-5224. (5-2-3-175)

HORSES 182

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF
CHARLEVOIX**

ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION,

Plaintiff

Honorable Richard Pajtas
Case No. 00-657-19-CH

vs.
LEON J. BUSH
136 Court Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND
FRANCES J. BUSH
617 Earl Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND
BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A.
3 Park Plaza
16th Floor
Irvine, CA 92614

Defendants

Prepared by:
Paul E. Nettlesman (P26331)
Attorney for Plaintiff

2202 MITCHELL PARK DRIVE,
SUITE 8
P.O. Box 868
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 347-1990

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

1. On February 2, 2001, the Honorable Richard M. Pajtas, Circuit Court Judge entered a Judgment and Order for Sale against Defendants, LEON J. BUSH and FRANCES J. BUSH and BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A. in favor of Plaintiff, ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.

2. The Judgment declared that the Plaintiff had a valid lien against the Defendants property in the amount of \$7,477.75.

3. The Judgment directs that the amounts owed to the Plaintiff be paid by Defendants forthwith and in default thereof that the property of Defendants described in the Complaint be sold by the Sheriff, Under-Sheriff or any Deputy Sheriff of Charlevoix County, at public auction and the proceeds of sale be distributed to the Plaintiff.

4. As of the date of this notice, this Judgment and Order for Sale, on June 14th, 2001 at 11 a.m. at a public auction to be held in the Main Lobby of the Charlevoix County Court House, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, all right title and interest of Defendants in and to the following property:

Premises situated in the City of Boyne City, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

Lots 8, 9, and 10 of E.Y. Morgan's Addition to the City of Boyne City, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 Plats, page 87, Charlevoix County Records.

Dated: April 12, 2001
Don Schneider
Charlevoix County Under-Sheriff

Prepared by:
Paul E. Nettlesman (P26331)
Attorney for Plaintiff, St. Francis X. Federal Credit Union
2202 Mitchell Park Dr., P.O. Box 868
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231)347-1990
L(4/25, 5/2, 5/9, 5/16, 5/23, 5/30, 6/6)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
CIRCUIT COURT-
FAMILY DIVISION
PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
OF HEARING
FILE NO. 01-010227-NC**

In the matter of Maureen Elizabeth Mellios

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including those whose address(es) are unknown and whose interest in the matter may be barred or affected by the following:

TAKE NOTICE: A hearing will be held on Wednesday, May 23, 2001 at 2:15 p.m. at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser P28895 for the following purpose:

The Petition(s) to Change Name filed by Cheri J. Vallance requesting that the name of Maureen Elizabeth Mellios be changed to Maureen Elizabeth Vallance.

Date: April 26, 2001

Cheri J. Vallance
P.O. Box 1329/403 4th. St.
East Jordan, MI 49727
(231)536-0238

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 01-010261-DE**

Estate of GORDON D. BOYDSTON, DECEASED

Date of birth: December 6, 1937

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Gordon D. Boydston, who lived at 12408 Indian Place, Charlevoix, Michigan died April 19, 2001.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to James D. Boydston, named personal representative, or to both the Probate Court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720, and the named personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

April 26, 2001

Thomas D. Pointner (P18967)

206 Bridge Street
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-9931

James D. Boydston
201 Norfolk Street
Midland, MI 48640-3456
(989) 839-0985

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 01-010250-DE**

Estate of WILLIAM E. FOCHTMAN, DECEASED

Date of birth: February 21, 1928

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, WILLIAM E. FOCHTMAN, who lived at 204 Burns, Charlevoix, Michigan, died January 13, 2001. Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Pamela S. Fochtman, 321 E. Lake Street, Petoskey, MI 49770, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, and the named/proposed personal representative within four months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: March 14, 2001

James T. Ramer (P25070)
One Hundred Spring Street,
P.O. Box 5
Harbor Springs, MI 49740
(231) 526-6214

Pamela S. Fochtman
321 East Lake Street
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 348-2029

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 01-010255-DE**

Estate of HELEN J. MRAKOVICH DECEASED

Date of Birth: February 8, 1906

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Helen J. Mrakovich, who lived at 215 W. Lincoln Street,

Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-5680

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 01-010259-DE**

Estate of JACK MILTON RICK DECEASED

Date of birth: October 7, 1932

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Jack Milton Rick, who lived at 4307 Flinkey Road, Boyne Falls, Michigan 49713 died April 15, 2001.

Creditors of the decedent are

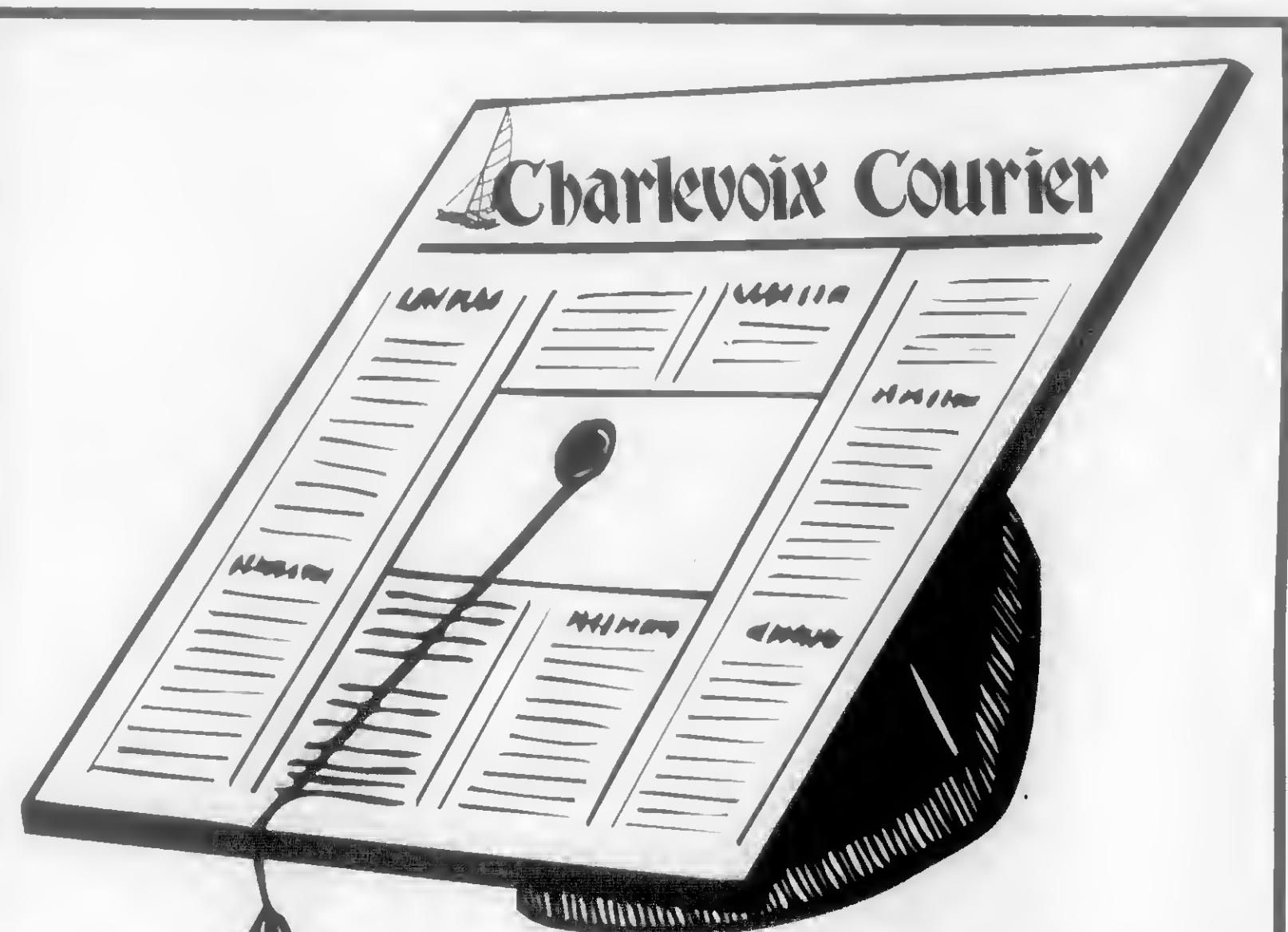
notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Jack M. Rick Jr., named personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720 and the named personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

April 25, 2001

Michael J. Corcoran (41254)
203 Mason Street, P.O. Box 490
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720
(231) 547-8990

Jack M. Rick, Jr.
3155 Ashley Lake Road
Kalispell, Montana 59901
(406) 755-3694

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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weather-vane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weather-vane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30

p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the

month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For

more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Friends of Library to meet

The Charlevoix Friends of the Library meet at 6:30 p.m., May 8, in the basement activity room of the Charlevoix Public Library.

Garden Club to meet

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will have its next meeting at 1 p.m. on May 8 at the home of Mary Adams.

An afternoon tea will be given while the club honors those who have been members for 25 years

or more. If there are any questions, please call 547-2742 for more information.

Methodist Church to host concert

The Charlevoix United Methodist Church will host a concert by Linda Rice at 7 p.m. on May 8. Linda Rice is the only female "Gospel" harpist in the world with a full time touring schedule. She plays concerts in churches and federal prisons all over the United States and travels extensively with her husband, harp and electronic equipment.

The church is located at 104 State St. in Charlevoix. For more information please call 547-2654. There will be no admission charge, a free will offering will be taken at the conclusion of the program.

Memories of the gym

The Charlevoix Historical Society will host a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m., May 9, at the Middle School Gym on Mason Street in order to share memories of the graduation cere-

monies held in the gymnasium from 1928-1961.

Bring a dish to pass (hot trays will be available) and a serving utensil. Tables will be set up and paper plates and eating utensils will be provided.

Call 547-0373, Tuesday through Friday for more information.

Trout Tournament Benefit Dinner

The 17th Annual Charlevoix Trout Tournament Benefit Dinner will be May 5, at Mahogany's (Charlevoix Country Club). There is a cash bar at 5:30 p.m., dinner at 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$25 per person. Call Gary Spencer at 547-6725, evenings, for more information.

North rep to be in town

State Senator Walter H. North (R-St. Ignace) announced today that his District Representative, Don Weeks, will be in Charlevoix County on May 8. Weeks will meet with constituents at the County Courthouse in Charlevoix from 10 a.m. until noon.

Bryan Roloff Benefit Dinner to be May 6



The seventh annual "Bryan Roloff Memorial Benefit" is scheduled at the Villager Pub in Charlevoix starting at 3 p.m. on May 6, featuring eight local bands.

Bryan died in May 1994 from a brain tumor. Fellow musicians, friends and family have gathered each year in his memory to help raise money for someone with medical needs. This year they are fortunate and don't have anyone in that position.

The "Bryan Roloff Memorial Benefit" proceeds this year will be dedicated to the Beaver Island Rural Health Center to help purchase some much needed medical equipment.

SCRAPBOOK



At right, Smith shows an old way that beaver skins used to be skinned. The hide of the animal was stretched between a wooden frame until it dried. Below, in order to get into some of the more inaccessible areas of northern Michigan during snowy Aprils, Smith would have to resort to foot power and snowshoes. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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Beaver trappin'

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Police Chief Dennis Halverson is looking for anyone that might have some information on this spotlight. It was found with the murder suspect and may give police an idea of his whereabouts on Sunday morning around the time of the incident. If you know where it came from, please contact the Charlevoix City Police at 547-3258. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Search for clues continues, even as suspect is arraigned

MURDER

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According to Halverson, as of Monday night, the murder weapon has not been found, nor have any witnesses to the actual stabbing. State police dive teams searched the marina area Monday morning, without success.

They are looking for a hunting-type of knife with a wide blade. The length of the knife is unknown at this time.

According to an affidavit of probable cause filed with the district court, a boater in the group with Cook reported seeing someone walking by his boat on the dock around the time of the murder and heard the person in question apologizing as Cook got out of his boat and asked them to leave.

The affidavit further states the boaters then heard Cook screaming he had been stabbed and seeing someone dumping something out of a canister of some sort from the end of the dock. The witness described this person as a man who had been bothering the group earlier and had identified himself as "Tom."

As the witness got out of his boat

to investigate, he stated he saw a man running down the street and chased him for a couple of blocks, the affidavit stated.

According to the affidavit, using identification provided by witnesses, police searched the area and eventually had a name for the suspect, which was Shulick, and went to the Antrim Street apartment the suspect lived in.

Upon searching his home, police found a bag of clothing that appeared to be bloody, a knife sheath in the front yard and a handwritten note signed "Love Tom," addressed to a "Dearest Nicki" and expressing regrets for "everything that happened last night" and for harming another

person "even if it was in self defense," the affidavit stated.

The affidavit stated Shulick has a girlfriend named Nicole. Shulick was arraigned in district court Monday morning and charged with open murder. A preliminary hearing has been set for 3 p.m., May 14 and a bond of \$1 million was set.

A not guilty plea was entered on his behalf. Shulick is lodged in the Charlevoix County Jail.

Charlevoix attorney Mark Muniak has been named as his attorney.

Halverson is asking anyone with any information on this crime to please contact city police at 547-3258.

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Don't know what to do if you see a stray dog in your area? Well, read our story on the matter this week.

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New chief



There is a new commander at Coast Guard Station Charlevoix now. The former commander, Jim Shull, retired last week.

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Featured event



This week's featured event is the art show at Charlevoix Elementary School showing all of the student's artwork.

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The city will be working on several projects this summer and next fall. Here are a few of them. (Graphic by Teresa Wolf)

Drug survey indicates use being overlooked

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A survey conducted by Hazelden, a Minnesota-based group that specializes in substance use issues, found gender stereotyping in three Charlevoix County schools is a major factor directing patterns of student drug use.

Hazelden's findings may have shocked some — 60 percent of twelfth grade students surveyed from Charlevoix, East Jordan and Boyne City schools had drunk alcohol in the last month. But David Wilmes, the director of training and consultation for Hazelden, said, "The numbers aren't critical. What is, is the story behind the numbers."

Wilmes, presented his findings from the survey that was filled out by students in grades six to 12 at the three schools to a group of 30 parents and students who gathered at the

American Legion in Charlevoix on May 2. During the presentation he revealed the sad story those numbers tell.

Wilmes said substance abuse in our community is overlooked way more than it should be.

Trends show that a strong family support system protects students from alcohol or other drug use problems. But, in Charlevoix County, the survey says this rule of thumb does not hold true for males and is accurate for females.

Almost 86 percent of males in the dependence-risk group reported having strong family support while only 26.7 percent of females reported strong family support.

"There is a difference in how females are responded to. You overlook male use, there is a built in denial, 'boys will be boys,'" he said.

Wilmes said that it is critical for

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Capital projects to start this year

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

"Major capital improvements" is the name of the game in the City of Charlevoix in 2001 — some are already underway, but just after Labor Day you can expect to see construction kick into high gear.

Of the 16 projects slated for 2001, 13 fit neatly into two categories: recreation renovations and utility construction and reconstruction.

Recreation changes you can expect to see include upgrades to Michigan and Depot beaches, Veteran's Park and the first step toward the East Park makeover.

Long awaited Depot Beach improvements will start after Labor Day. City Manager Mike Wiesner said the fix up will include installation of a new sprinkling system, new restroom facilities, landscaping and trails.

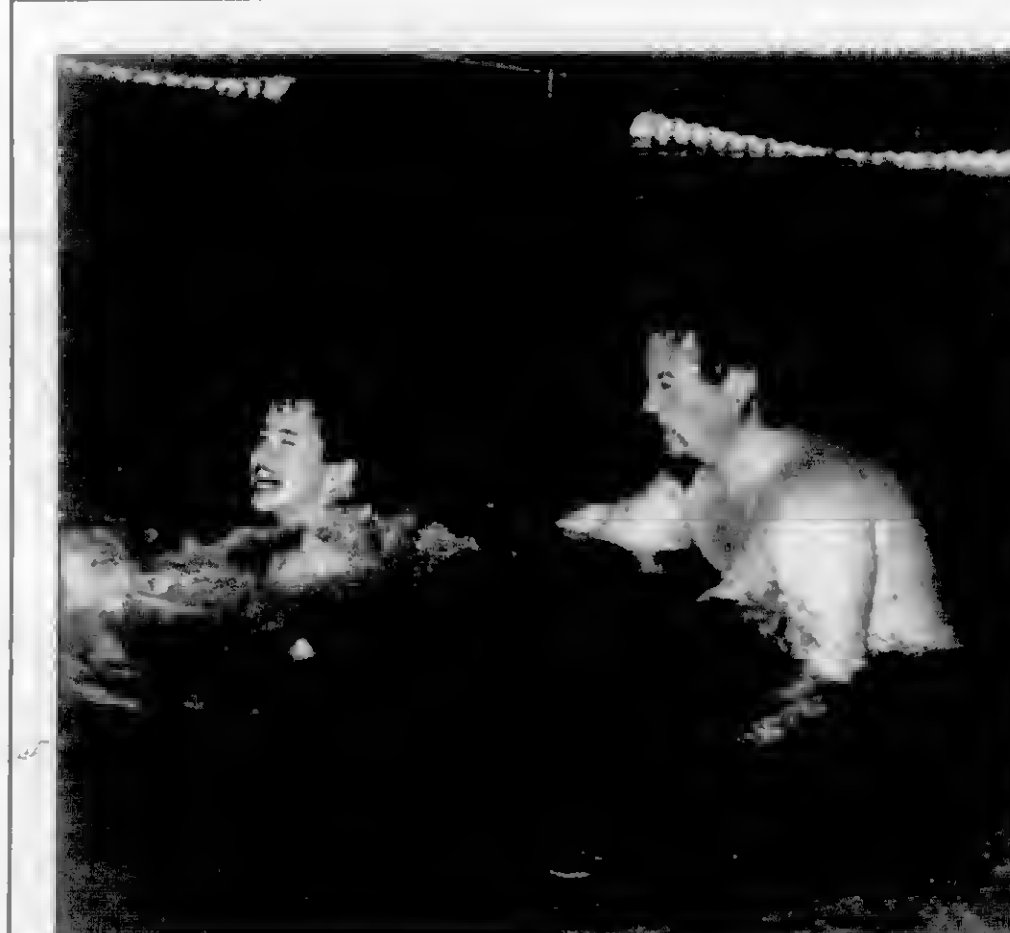
Bids for changes planned at Depot Beach will be packaged to include Lake Michigan Beach improvements.

Michigan Beach changes will start just after Labor Day. Wiesner said he doesn't think the beach will have to close for construction. For more information on the Michigan Beach changes see page 3.

First on the city's list of "to do's" to prepare to renovate East Park is the acquisition and demolition of the Wharfside building.

Wiesner said, "The city is in the middle of negotiations for an option agreement. I would like to think we would acquire the building some time this fall."

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Learning to swim

Mike Meyers and Brian Timsak, both of Beaver Island, enjoy swimming classes last week at the Charlevoix Area Pool. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Matthew Ronald Gromaski, 24, Midland. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$1,070 in fines and costs.

Kevin Vonallmen, 43, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 47 days held in abeyance; \$1,220 in fines and costs.

Paul F. Howard, 21, Boyne City. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Jonathan Lee Snively, 18, Boyne City. Attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer. Two years probation; 365 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 120 days, 243 days held in abeyance; \$500 in fines and costs.

Jonathan Lee Snively, 18, Boyne City. Breaking and entering a motor vehicle, under \$200. Jail for 93 days with credit for two days, 91 days held in abeyance; fines and costs to be decided.

Derek Russell Ryan, 44, Ellsworth. Retail fraud-third degree. Nine months probation; 36 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$535 in fines and costs.

Santiago Guadalupe, 22, Charlevoix. Failed to return rental property, under \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$372.98.

Santiago Guadalupe, 22, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for three days, serve 10 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days on electronic monitor, 40 days held in abeyance; \$1,120 in fines and costs.

Dean David Fish, 19, Boyne City. Sex offender, failed to comply with reporting. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Stephen A. Haglund, 17, Stanton. Home invasion-second degree; and minor in possession of alcohol. Bound over to circuit court.

Richard Grant Demastes, 33, Walloon Lake. Unlawful use of a motor vehicle; and driving while license suspended. Bound over to circuit court.

Matthew Wellington Johnson, 21, Charlevoix. Drug/alcohol consumption by a minor allowed on premises. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Deidre Joy Franklin, 19, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Crystal Kay Clarke, 20, Central Lake. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Aaron Houze Jr., 25, Petoskey. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Jeremy Brian Smith, 27, Bangor. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$635.

Matthew Stuart Cavell III, 20, Petoskey. Minor using fraudulent identification to purchase. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

April Mae Fuller, 26, Clarksville. Probation violation-attempted stolen property in excess of \$100. Jail for 60 days with credit for 35 days, to serve 60 days.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Street Cars, 215 Prospect, Charlevoix, by Dale Crittenden and Timothy Vance
Sticks and Stones Plus, 07265 Camp Daggett Road P.O. Box 883, Boyne City, by Alan C. West Jr.

More to Life Than Lawn Care, 02266 South Advance Road, East Jordan, by Dawn M. Zimmer

Jordan Valley Coast, 108 Wilson Drive, East Jordan, by Robert Matheny

Fairway Painting, 5157 Geaham Road, East Jordan, by Douglas G. Holm and Jeffery Skeel

AJ Contracting, 05847 Maple Grove Road, Charlevoix, by Joe Grawey Jr. and Adam Niemer
May's Lawn Care, 1172 Old Dam Road, Boyne City, by Justin C. May

Boat Design.Net, P.O. Box 52, Beaver Island, by Jeff J. Cashman
Island Design, P.O. Box 52, Beaver Island, by Jeff J. Cashman
Applegate Farms, 11399 Boyne City Road, Charlevoix, by Robert J. Pelon

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Christopher James Gray, 30, Elmira and Lori Ann Burke, 34, Elmira
Shawn Alcide Corcoran, 26, Charlesbourg, Quebec, Canada and Karin Jane Rylander, 26, Charlevoix

Roger Michael LaVigne, 52, Charlevoix and Jo Ellen Faith, 53, Leechburg, Pa.
Wayne Henry Heeres, 31, Charlevoix and Tammy Rae Flory, 30, Charlevoix

Johanny Russell Johnson, 39, Boyne City and Jody Lynn Branim, 32, Boyne City
Jeremy James VanLoo, 27, Charlevoix and Lara Marie Vron-dran, 22, Charlevoix

Andrew Thomas LeBlanc, 23, East Jordan and Mandy Renee Harrell, 21, East Jordan

Births

Andrew James Gardner II was born to Andrew Gardner and Amanda Karlskin of East Jordan on May 5 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Isaac Matthew Inman, weighing 9 pounds, 11 ounces, was born to Matthew and Stephanie Inman of Charlevoix on April 29 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Gabrielle Grace Snyder, weighing 8 pounds, was born to Kristopher and Laura Snyder of East Jordan on May 3 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Emily Alberta Graham, weighing 8 pounds, was born to Archie Graham and Elizabeth Wakulat of Charlevoix on May 2 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Thomas Carter Rudolph was born to Tim and Tabitha Rudolph of Charlevoix on May 1 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain
May 1	83	51	—
May 2	73	55	trace
May 3	68	42	.14"
May 4	56	42	.74"
May 5	53	40	.10"
May 6	70	51	—
May 7	69	53	—

Police find murder weapon

The Charlevoix City Police have found the knife they believed was used in the murder of Scott Christopher Cook, 24, of Elk Rapids, April 29 at the Charlevoix Municipal Marina.

Police arrested Charlevoix resident Thomas Aryon Shulick, 21, for the crime.

According to a press release issued by Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson, acting on additional witness information, the Michigan State Police and Charlevoix police have determined the murder weapon was a kitchen knife with approximately an eight inch blade and black plastic handle.

It was originally found in Shulick's apartment, Halverson said. The knife has been sent to the Michigan State Police Crime Lab in Grayling for further forensic examination.

Police allege Shulick used the knife to stab Cook in the abdomen once after a confrontation around 2 a.m. April 29 in the marina. Cook died around 4:30 p.m. that day.

Shulick was charged with open murder and is being held in the Charlevoix County Jail. His preliminary examination is scheduled for 3 p.m. on May 14.

Correction

In last week's story about the April 29 murder in Charlevoix on page 1, the time of death for Scott Christopher Cook was incorrect. It should have stated Cook died at approximately 4:30 p.m.

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Renovations to beach to start after Labor Day

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Thanks to funding from the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) having fun in the sun at Michigan Beach Park, located off of Park Avenue, will soon mean more than sun bathing and swing sets.

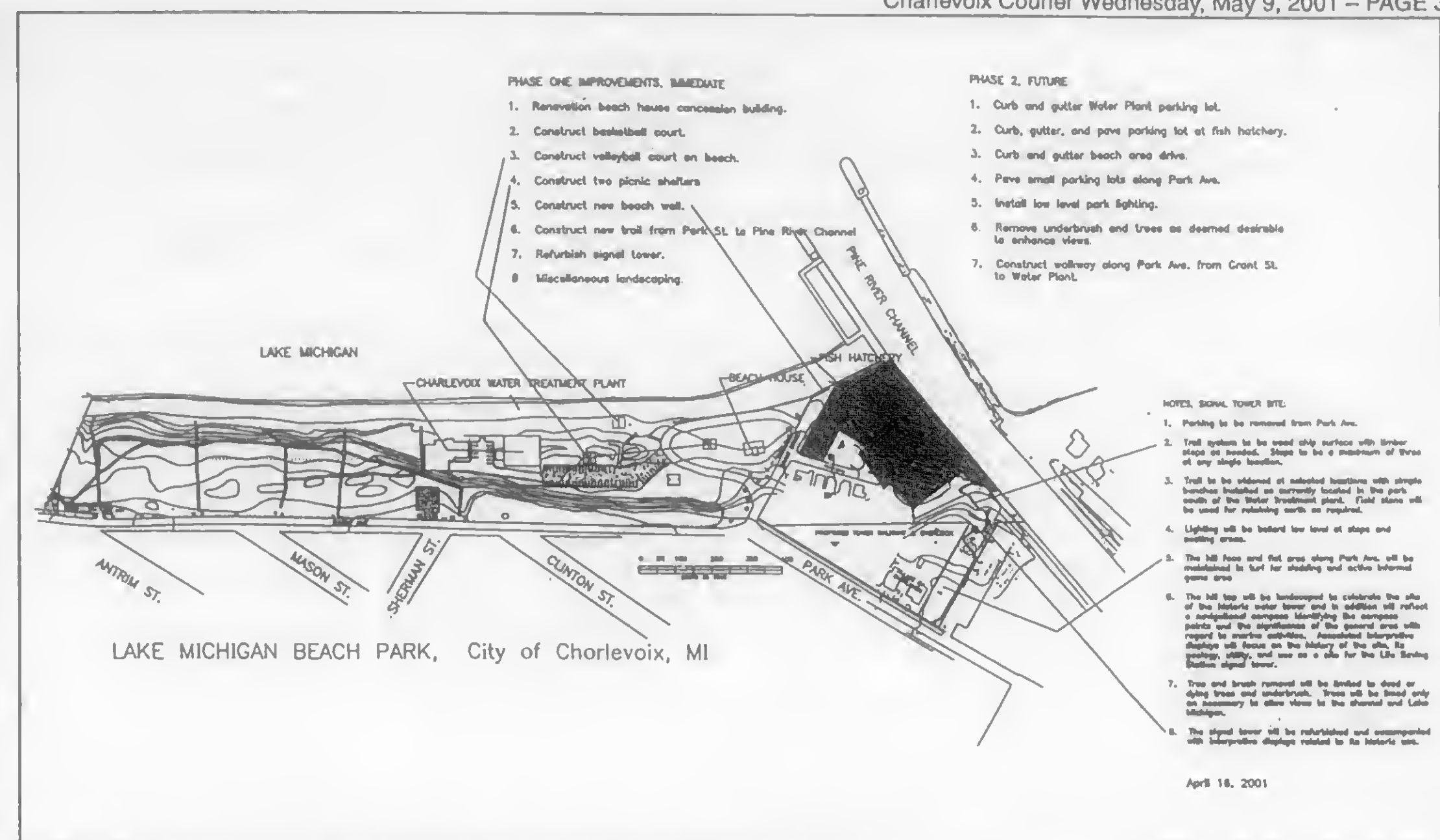
The DNR recently entered into a trust fund development project agreement with the city of Charlevoix that will fund, 64 percent (\$270,100) of the beach renovation's expense.

City manager Mike Wiesner said that the city will fund \$152,600 — the remaining cost.

Plans for renovations divide the project into two phases.

Phase one will include the addition of a picnic shelter, the removal and replacement of the beach wall, construction of a new trail from Park Street to the Pine River Channel, refurbishing of the old signal tower, new basketball and volleyball courts, reconstruction of the concession/restroom building and miscellaneous landscaping.

At the April 16 city council meeting Charlevoix resident and attorney Scott Beatty came forward on behalf of Park Avenue residents



The city's plans for the Lake Michigan Beach Park. (Courtesy map)

who opposed the construction of a viewing platform to be located off of Park as part of the renovations.

Beatty thanked the council on behalf of the residents for amending the plan to integrate wood chipped trails and benches as opposed to a platform. However, he also requested that the neighbors be included in the trail construction decision making process.

He explained part of the residents' continued concern surrounding the area where the trails will be, is due to the possible intrusion of lighting that will be installed at locations around the trail.

Plans for phase two of the project are less for recreational use and more for improving the park's infrastructure.

During phase two, the city plans to curb and gutter the water plant parking lot and the beach area drive; curb, gutter and pave the parking lot at the DNR fish hatchery; pave the small parking lots along Park Avenue; to install low level park lighting; and to construct a walkway along Park Avenue from

Grant Street to the water plant.

Wiesner said phase one construction will begin at the park after Labor Day. He added that he doesn't believe the construction will close the beach at any point.

The city and DNR agreement states that the time period allotted for project completion is from Sept. 1, 2000 to Sept. 1, 2002.

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DeVries leaving city council for move to Arizona

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

First ward city councilman and Charlevoix County native Bernie DeVries, 55, has decided to resign his seat on city council and trade in the great lakes for the desert.

On May 10, DeVries will leave his home in Michigan behind en route to Arizona where he'll meet up with his son, his grandchildren and "a great job."

"It's time for a change. I've thought about moving through the years and recently a job opportunity was offered that I couldn't pass up," he said.

Throughout his time in Charlevoix, DeVries was very politically active, serving on council (first and third wards) and the city planning commission — but leaving politics isn't what he'll miss the most.

"Charlevoix is always going to be my home. I'll miss the summer months the most," he said.

However, DeVries will be back. In fact, he said that his master plan would allow him to "have the best of both worlds," spending summers in Charlevoix and winters in Arizona.

"This is a time in my life where I am ready to make a change. I'm going to miss Charlevoix and miss serving on council," he said.

Charlevoix Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell said that three people have

showed interest in the first ward seat. Of the three possible replacements two are ex-councilmen and one is an ex-mayor.

"Bernie did a very good job, that is why he was re-appointed," Russell said.

He added that at the May 7 city council meeting it was decided that former councilman Bill Haggard would replace DeVries.

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what you will about our current city council, but they have one thing that many people don't have: The guts to run for a political office, to subject themselves to criticism and the desire to serve the community they live in.

For their participation in the political process we salute them and we encourage more people to participate in this process, especially those who complain about city government.

And now is your chance! This November, three council seats, and the city clerk seat, are up for re-election. To get in on this action, participants must turn in a petition with at least 25 signatures by May 15 to the Charlevoix City Hall.

So, it is time to quit your complaining and do something about it by participating in the democratic process.

Honor the trees by planting another one for the world



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

Among the holidays that help to give us structure to our year and remind us that a season has come around again, Arbor Day probably is not high on people's lists.

It may not even be on the radar screen for most. Arbor Day is coming around again and I plan an annual appeal until it gets the recognition it deserves. There could be Arbor Day sales downtown. With appropriate help, Arbor Day could be as commercial as many of the other holidays. I can only hope.

As a community, Charlevoix does manage an annual celebration of that day, set aside by hardy Nebraskans who knew how important a tree could be. The week of May 14 through May 19 is designated this year as Plant-a-Tree Week. There is even an official Mayoral Proclamation to that effect with an abundance of "Whereas" and "Be It Resolveds."

Mayor resolutions alone are not power enough however. We need a

large number of personal resolutions about either planting or encouraging the planting of trees during that annual week. The last time I checked there were somewhere above a hundred nationally declared weeks for this or that cause, and it is easy to say, "Well, another official week." However, in Charlevoix, we only have the one designated week each year. Plan to celebrate Arbor Day and Plant-a-Tree Week with your friends and relatives. Have a tree planting potluck in your neighborhood. Have a telethon and have people call in with their pledges to plant so many trees. Maybe a 5K Run For the Trees is what we need.

Seriously folks, the city of Charlevoix is willing to help with your tree planting efforts. Trees are available from the city for planting on the streetside easement. If you have an appropriate site at the front of your property, the city will plant a tree of your choice on that spot. Not every kind of tree is available, of course, but there is a nice selection; first come, first served. Call the city manager's office at 547-3270 for further information. You need only pledge to care for the tree during those critical first years.

Planting and caring for a tree can be considered an act of genuine charity, providing cleaner air, cooler climate and enhanced property values, not for yourself but for

someone possibly not yet born. When you plant a tree you have to take the long view. If cared for in its first years, the chances are good that the tree you planted will be around for a century or more, helping all of us for all of that time.

In less sophisticated times than ours, trees were commonly associated with deities. The Sycamore was sacred in ancient Egypt and the Date Palm in Babylonia. The Greek Zeus had a grove of Oaks and the Goddess Hera was to be found in Willows. Yggdrasil, the Great Ash of Norse mythology, was said to have given birth to the first Norsemen. Prince Siddhartha, who became Gautama Buddha, is forever linked to the Bo Tree. There is hardly a culture in the long march of human history that has not revered some tree as the source of life. Ecological research reinforces those ancient beliefs. We are not talking about oxygen and carbon dioxide, but we are saying much the same thing that those old cultures said about trees.

Plant a tree, participate in the history of humanity.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the *Charlevoix Courier*. His columns appear every two weeks in the *Charlevoix Courier*. He can be reached by calling the *Courier* at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Column rebuttal

Editor:
I see that you are at it again — dumping on the public library board.

You accuse them of hiding their actions from the public. The truth is that the board conducts its business at monthly public meetings. It is at these meetings where the public can address the board and where the board hears reports from staff and others, discusses and debates library issues and takes official actions by majority vote. Minutes are taken at these meetings and are available to the public.

The library board meetings are

probably too mundane to interest a rabid pit bull, muzzle chewing kind of guy like yourself. But, one would think that as a self-styled public watchdog, you would assign someone to cover these meetings.

Except for the president and secretary, who receive a token stipend for the extra work they do between meetings, members of the library board work without compensation. They do indeed work. They read all sorts of materials in preparation for meetings. They attend workshops held by the Library of Michigan and the Northland Library Cooperative. They visit

other libraries to get ideas for improving ours. They attend Friends of the Library meetings. They spend time in our own library working and observing. Did I mention that they do all of this without getting paid?

I'm sorry that you are feeling left out of things because you have never bothered to attend a library board meeting or assign someone to attend. But that is no excuse for your hostile attitude toward these hard working, unpaid public servants.

Vince Chew
Charlevoix

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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Library board is wrong

Editor:
(An open letter to the Charlevoix Library Board:)

Dear Representatives of the People:

Although I will be unable to attend the meeting of May 10, I feel honor bound to express my dismay and disappointment at the actions of the Board. Our library has always been a place of peace and tranquility with the services found often only in larger populations.

You, as a board, have turned the library into a political football with personal agendas considered more important than serving as a representative of the people. Our librarians have served the needs of our community faithfully for over 25 years.

She has been fiscally responsible, yet kept our library at the cutting edge of technology, videos, books and tapes and special programs for all ages. The most valuable asset of Mary Beth Wallick is that she has changed with the times. Our library is well ready for the future. Over 19 years ago, I served on the library board and even then expansion of the library itself, as well as services for the next 20 years were of our paramount importance to this librarian.

To read of your secret papers for forced retirement is reprehensible. The library is a public entity and secret/under-the-table actions are a political nightmare. We the people have a right to the unabridged evaluations being public knowledge before you, as a board, decide that a forced retirement is in the public's

best interest. Mary Beth has been a valuable director of the library for twenty-seven years. Her forced retirement is a travesty of justice and must be reconsidered in an open and timely fashion.

Florence J. Wojan
Charlevoix

Keep Wallick

Editor:

I have used the Charlevoix Public Library for years. I began using the library where my bank now sits when it was the Carnegie Charlevoix Library. Mary Beth Wallick has always been helpful, gracious and accommodating. She would be a loss to the library and the community.

Joan Chodak
Charlevoix

Support board

Editor:

You are barking up the wrong tree attacking the library board. Our library board members are not politicians, as the editor called them. They didn't campaign for these positions. They were sought out and asked to serve because of their knowledge and records of public service.

Already, as a result of the library board's efforts, there are positive changes underway at the library.

At last, there is a Friends of the Library. In their first year of existence, the Friends have made significant contributions. They cleaned up a cluttered basement area to provide space for a permanent used book sale which has already brought in nearly \$6,000 for the children's section of the library. They provided funds for lockable display cabinets to secure the rare

books in the Michigan Room.

The new extended library hours were a welcome change that we've needed for years. It is nice, finally, to be allowed to reserve books. These improvements were directives of the library board.

Why would the *Courier* print all of the libelous things that the librarian said about one of her board members? In your letters policy you state that you edit letters for libelous statements. You go on to say "We do not publish letters we judge are personal attacks." If you don't allow it in your letters to the editor section, why do you print the same kind of slander when it is spoken aloud to your reporter? It is no wonder that board members are reluctant to comment to a newspaper that will print something that someone says that someone else told her that someone overheard in a women's restroom. How can the victim of such slander possibly defend herself?

Why didn't you check out some of the librarian's claims which were easy to verify? For instance, she stated that Charlevoix is the "only" library in northern Michigan with a web-based, on-line, real-time card catalog."

An Internet search or a phone call to any of the libraries in surrounding towns would have told you that this is false. Most northern Michigan libraries have on-line card catalogs just like ours. She talks about her leadership in "deciding to make the move into e-books." If you had called other librarians, you would have learned that this service was recently offered to every public library in the state. The only leadership required was to return the form.

The Petoskey News-Review printed that the salary of the librarian is \$49,000. How does this salary compare to that of other librarians in towns comparable to Charlevoix?

Our library board is working hard for the betterment of our library. We want them to know that they have our support.

Mr. & Mrs. Condit Drury,
Charlevoix

Dr. & Mrs. Roger Postmus,
Charlevoix

Dr. & Mrs. Donald Trimmer,
Charlevoix

Mr. & Mrs. Larry Irish,
Charlevoix

Frances Pletz, East Jordan
Donna Hamilton, Charlevoix
Carol Elliott, Charlevoix

Dismayed by board

Editor:

As long time homeowners in Charlevoix, we are dismayed to see the treatment being accorded librarian Marybeth Wallick. We have enjoyed the library for many years and find it a source of information and calm.

As a journalist, I, Suzy Farbmam, have used the Charlevoix library on numerous occasions and find its ref-

erence material and support staff to be helpful, courteous and professional. As private citizens, my husband and I have enjoyed reading materials in the library as well.

Marybeth Wallick has always treated us with respect and courtesy and has been unfailingly helpful. She brings an enthusiasm and professionalism to the library which should be rewarded.

We hope she will be treated with the dignity and respect she has earned.

Suzy and Burton D. Farbmam
Southfield/Charlevoix

Looking for state information

Editor:

I am a fifth grade student from Alaska. I'm doing a report on your state of Michigan and I need to gather any information that you find respectable, for instance: Pictures, newspaper clippings, magazines or articles. Thank you very much and I look forward to learning about your state!

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Nominating petitions for the August 7, 2001 City of Charlevoix Primary Election are available in the City Clerk's Office at 210 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan. Offices open are one Council Seat in each of the three (3) Wards in the City and the Office of City Clerk. All offices are nonpartisan for two (2) year terms.

Petitions must be filed no later than 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 15, 2001.

Elizabeth A. Gooch, City Clerk

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Wedding

Bradley — Drenth

Amber Kaye Bradley and Mark Edwin Drenth were married at 11 a.m. March 17 at the Charlevoix Assembly of God in front of 250 guests.

Amber is the daughter of J. Paul and Connie Bradley of Charlevoix. Mark is the son of the late Bob and Maxine Drenth.

The Rev. Mike Mitchell — a friend of the bride — and the Rev. Robert Bradley — uncle of the bride — performed the double ring rites.

Amber wore a gown of white Italian satin, featuring a modified tank-top with an a-line skirt, accented with pearlized bugle beads around the neck, arms and bodice. It was completed with a full length cathedral train. She carried a bouquet of burgundy, sterling, white and pink roses, lilyanthus, stargazing lilies, stock and heather.

Music was provided by the Weston String Quartet from Traverse City and vocalists the Rev. Robert and Ginny Bradley. Charles and Bonnie Elzinga were greeters at the wedding.

The maid of honor was Andrea Evans, a friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were Heather Behan and Charity Closson, sisters of the bride and the junior bridesmaid was Haley Behan, niece of the bride.

The flower girls were Emma Drenth, niece of the groom, and Kelby and Avery Behan, nieces of the bride.

Garret Drenth, nephew of the groom, was the ringbearer.

Kiwanis Club to recognize Worldwide Prayer Week

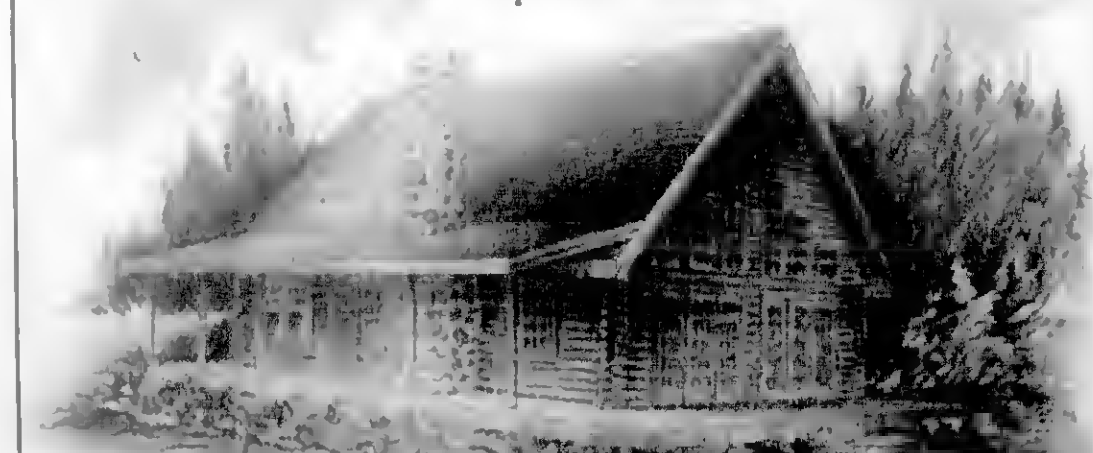
The Kiwanis Club of Charlevoix will join clubs around the world in recognizing Worldwide Kiwanis Prayer Week, May 12 through May 18.

The nondenominational observance is designed to promote religious activities, strengthening the moral and spiritual fiber of the community.

Locally, the Kiwanis Club of Charlevoix will recognize the observance by hosting a special recognition luncheon at noon on May 15 at the Weathered Restaurant.

All local pastors have been invited.

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Charlevoix seats open for November election

Three Charlevoix city council seats and the city clerk seat are up for re-election.

On Nov. 6, voters will decide who will be filling the First Ward seat of Norman Carlson, Jr.; the Second Ward seat of Bill Bellows and the Third Ward seat of A.J. Witthoef. They will also be deciding who will be the Charlevoix City Clerk, a position currently held by Liz Gooch.

But, if you would like to run for one of these seats, you must turn in a petition with 25-40 signatures into the Charlevoix City Hall by 4 p.m. May 15. The signatures must be from registered voters living in the ward seat you are filing for. However, those wanting to run for city clerk can gather signatures of registered voters from throughout the city.

As of Monday, no one has turned in a petition for these open seats.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

MSU graduates

Several Charlevoix students recently graduated from Michigan State University. They are:

- Amy Lynn Freidinger, bachelor of arts in accounting and a masters degree in professional accounting.
- Donald Roarke, bachelor of arts in communication.
- Emily Alyce Murray, bachelor of arts in marketing.
- Rachel Quinn Newcomb, bachelor of arts in communication.
- Daniel Ward Pardee, bachelor of science in building construction management.
- Carla Marie Schlitt, bachelor of arts in marketing.
- Robert Bernard Sommerfield, bachelor of arts in accounting.

Boss in Motar Board

Kari J. Boss, of Charlevoix, was inducted into the Mortar Board at Hope College. Mortar Board is a national honor society that recognizes students for scholarship, leadership and service.

U of M dean's list

Chelsea Rose Gorkiewicz, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the University of Michigan's dean's list. She is taking classes in the university's engineering school.

FIA appointment

Thomas Ford Conlan, of Charlevoix, was appointed to the Charlevoix County Family Independence Agency board recently for a term expiring Oct. 31, 2003.

Award, nomination

Sean Henne, of Charlevoix, was recently awarded the David and Linda Moscow Prize for Excellence in Teaching Composition. He was also nominated to the Rackham Graduate School's Outstanding GSI Award. Henne is a student at the University of Michigan.



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New Miss Venetian to be crowned during festival

The Miss Charlevoix Venetian Scholarship Competition will once again be at this year's annual Venetian Festival.

Candidates for the competition must be between the ages of 16 and 22 as of the date of the competition and must either have a primary residence in the Charlevoix area or be a graduate of a Charlevoix area school. Entry forms will list other qualifications and entry requirements.

Dianne Phillips will chair the Queen's Scholarship Committee for the seventh consecutive year.

"The committee is very excited with the prospect for this year's competition, as the Venetian Board has once again increased the scholarship fund," said Phillips. "Major festival sponsors can really make the difference."

This year's winning candidate will be awarded a \$2,500 scholarship, the first runner-up will receive a \$1,200 scholarship, the second runner-up will receive a \$600 scholarship and an additional \$200 scholarship will be awarded for academic and extracurricular excellence.

Sponsorships of \$200 per candidate will be required this year and must be submitted along with each application. Candidates are encouraged to contact a sponsor of their choice and local businesses are likewise encouraged to promptly select a candidate for sponsorship, as the application deadline is May 17.

Following the format established during the past few years, candidates will participate in interviews and perform speeches in front of a panel of judges from outside the Charlevoix area. The decision of the judges will be based upon the candidate's knowledge of Charlevoix and the Venetian Festival, poise

and ability of candidates to express themselves and general presentation.

The coronation ceremony is tentatively scheduled for 7:30 p.m., July 27 at the Odmark Pavilion in Charlevoix's East Park.

Applications are available at the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce office and must be returned no later than 5:30 p.m. May 17.

The committee is also seeking confirmation of the identity and whereabouts of past Venetian Queens. Please provide such information to the Charlevoix Chamber office at (231) 547-2101.

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Obituaries

Rev. Francis L. Mason: Oct. 18, 1918 - May 4, 2001

The Rev. Francis L. Mason, 82, of East Jordan and formerly of Charlevoix, died, May 4, 2001, at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

A funeral service was given May 7 at the Assembly of God Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Gary Mullendore of Victory Tabernacle church in Goodrich officiated. Burial followed in Antrim City Cemetery in Banks Township.

Francis was born on Oct. 18, 1918 in Boyne City, the son of Benjamin C. and Nita Bell (Keech) Mason. He was raised in the Charlevoix area.

From 1941 to 1944 Francis served as a staff sergeant with the U.S. Army Air Corp. in the South West Pacific Theater.

On July 18, 1944 he married Claribel McAllister in Charlevoix.

William R. Myers: Died May 2, 2001

William R. Myers, 83, of Boyne City, died May 2, 2001 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

A Catholic Mass was given May 7 at the St. Matthew Catholic Church in Boyne City. The Rev.

George F. Toth: March 25, 1947 - May 5, 2001

George F. Toth, Jr., 54, of Charlevoix, died May 5, 2001, at his home in Charlevoix.

A memorial service was May 7, at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. Harold E. Kruse officiated and interment will be in Saint Mary's Cemetery in Charlevoix.

George was born March 25, 1947, in Cleveland, Ohio, the son of George F. Toth, Sr., and Rose (Liscu) Toth.

He moved to northern Michigan

Brian K. Sweet: Sept. 24, 1957 - May 1, 2001

Brian K. Sweet, 43, of East Jordan, after a valiant struggle with cancer, was called home by our Lord to rest on May 1, 2001.

Funeral services were May 4 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in East Jordan. Interment will be in sunset Hill Cemetery in East Jordan.

Brian was born on Sept. 24, 1957 in Midland, the son of Jerry and Patricia "Pat" (Eschedor) Sweet. On June 27, 1981 at Elm Point near East Jordan, he married Michelle "Shelly" Walden.

Brian worked for DCL, Inc. of

The couple moved to Grand Haven where Francis worked as a wood finisher with Story & Clark Piano Company for 19 years. He then worked for Howard Miller Clock in Zeeland until his retirement in 1981. Following his retirement the couple moved to East Jordan.

His love was pioneering churches in Michigan. He was extremely proud to have overseen the beginning of seven churches, the last one being Faith Harbor Ministries in Mancelona.

Francis and his wife also devoted a big part of their life to working with 37 foster children over the years.

He was a member of Faith Harbor Ministries in Mancelona since 1990 and enjoyed woodworking in his shop.

Survivors include his wife, Claribel; three sons, Raymond A.

Fr. Frances C. Partridge was the official and interment will be in Maple Lawn Cemetery in Boyne City.

The family received friends on Monday from 11 a.m. until service

in 1976.

George served with the Army National Guard from the mid 1960s through the mid 1970s. He was employed by the city of Charlevoix Street Department for 22 years and was sexton of Brookside and Saint Mary's Cemetery from 1987 until his retirement in 2000.

He loved to fish and hunt. George was married to the former Alice A. Wilson and she survives.

He is also survived by his sons, Jerry (Sharon) Toth of West Salem,

Ohio, and George F. Toth, III of

Charlevoix; daughters, Sandra (Steven) Fries of Ellsworth and Nichole (Ed) Charlton of Defiance, Ohio; grand-daughters, Justina, MacKenzie, Jessica and Amber; sisters, Patricia Lutz of Charlevoix and Donna (Dan) Conley of Elyria, Ohio.

Memorial contributions may be directed to The American Diabetes Association, 30600 Telegraph Rd., Suite 2255, Bingham Farms, MI 48025.

The family received friends at the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan, MI.

A memory sharing service was given at the funeral. Memorials may be given to Brian's children.

Patricia Mae Long: Dec. 15, 1931 - April 23, 2001

Patricia Mae Long, 69, of Bellevue, formerly of Charlevoix, died April 23, 2001 at Battle Creek Health Systems.

Graveside services will be at Norwood Township Cemetery at 3 p.m., Friday. The Rev. Eugene Baughan (Norwood United Methodist Church) will officiate.

Mrs. Long was born in Owosso, Dec. 15, 1931, the daughter of Richard and Ivah (Heist) Coy. She

graduated from Durand High School. She worked for United Technologies in Boyne City for 25 years and also for Boulder Park Nursing Home in Charlevoix.

She enjoyed her family and friends, knitting and crocheting afghans for them for each special occasion. She began China painting in recent years at Burnham Brook Senior Center in Battle Creek.

(Colleen), of Ellsworth, Joseph L., of East Jordan, Larry R. (Cheryl), of Grand Rapids; five daughters, Grace Ann (Larry) Lawrence, of Sparta, Frances L. Mason, of East Jordan, Ruth (John) Gardner, of Muskegon, Sharon L. (Norman) Smith and Mary Lynn Mason, both of East Jordan; 17 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; one brother, Harry (Lottie) of Muskegon.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Laura; four brothers, Vercil, Cecil, Dick and Jerry; and four sisters, Lucille, Mildred, Reva and Betty.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Envelopes are available at the Assembly of God Church.

Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

time at the church.

Memorials may be given to the Grandvue Medical Care Facility.

The family was served by the Penzien Funeral Homes, Inc. in East Jordan.

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Pastor: Michael TeuscherS47-9446

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Book on Charlevoix hospital's history printed

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When did the new hospital open on the shores of Lake Michigan? How many people were employed at the hospital in 1930? When did the Intensive Coronary Care Unit open? Who was on the first board of directors at the hospital?

These and many other questions about the hospital are answered in a new book entitled, "Charlevoix Area Hospital, A History of Caring."

The book chronicles the hospital's illustrious history, from the

very beginning in 1919 to the present, and even before the establishment of the institution with stories about the first physician in the area. Many photographs help to illustrate the stories that weave together the intricate history.

Charlevoix Area Hospital's rich history begins long before the doors of any facility were opened for the first time. It's a history that began many years before the first patient sought treatment in a wood frame home

that was converted into Charlevoix's first hospital on Hurlbut Street.

Before the turn of the century, Charlevoix was a logging, fishing and farming community. Individual physicians, working out of their own homes, cared for these hard-working people. Doctors with names such as Armstrong, McMillan, Lewis, Duffy, Grate and Saltonstall provided the foundation on which the professional and exceptional reputation of the hospital was built and

it proudly claims today.

To shed some light on what health care was like in those early years and to help gain understanding of the foundation on which the hospital's rich heritage was built, interviews were conducted with physicians, nurses, staff and volunteers from the hospital. Residents, family members of former physicians and friends also were interviewed to capture a glimpse of their past, and therefore, the hospital's past. By scouring the hospital's

archives and researching through volumes of scrapbooks, the hospital's factual history also was compiled for the 72-page book.

Copies of this illustrated record of the hospital's history may be purchased in the hospital's Gift Shop, Bridge Street Books in Charlevoix, Boyne Country Book Store in Boyne City, Busy Bridge Antiques and Gifts in East Jordan, Horizon Bookstore in Petoskey and the Book Nook in Central Lake for \$19.95.

Boy Scout Troop 11 selling elm trees for fund-raiser

Boy Scout Troop 11 of Charlevoix has started its annual elm tree sale.

These elm trees are part of the Johnny Elm Seed Program; a nationwide program to reintroduce the American elm tree to its former stature. This program is done in conjunction with the city of Charlevoix and the Shade Tree Council.

The scout troop takes care of the trees for the city and in return gets a portion to sell as a fund-raiser.

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Charlevoix couple to run 26 mile marathon

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Ron and Theda Williams, of Charlevoix, will be celebrating their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary by running over 20 miles.

The couple will be taking part in a 26.2 mile marathon in San Diego, Calif. on June 3 to raise money to find a cure for leukemia and lymphoma.

Ron said, "My grandmother, Theda's father and sister all had leukemia. That was the genesis. And we are going to have our twenty-fifth wedding anniversary this year, so to celebrate we are going to do something crazy."

The husband and wife team also look at this as a unique way to try a new hobby.

"We get to do something we have never done before and raise money for (cancer research)," Theda said.

After talking with a friend that took part in the marathon last year, Ron and Theda decided this would be perfect.

But, in order to get ready for their anniversary celebration, Ron and Theda have been training every week with a coach assigned to them. They started out their first week early this spring running four miles.

This month they will be up to 20

"If I have to crawl on my hands and knees, I am going to get over that finish line."

Theda Williams,
Charlevoix resident taking part in marathon

miles.

"The training has been far more grueling," Theda said.

Ron added, "This is the hardest thing, physically, I have ever done."

The course Ron and Theda will be running on June 3 will be open for eight hours. According to Ron, the fastest runners usually finish the 26.2 miles in "a couple of

hours." Ron and Theda said they are just hoping to finish.

"If I have to crawl on my hands and knees, I am going to get over that finish line," Theda said.

There is no qualifying time for the marathon, but each runner must raise \$3,600.

To raise this, Ron and Theda have sent letters to several people asking for donations. They current-

ly have \$5,300 between the two of them.

Ron and Theda will also be running in honor of leukemia patient Judith Scaloni, of Evart. The couple were given her name through the leukemia society hosting the fundraiser.

"We are serious about this purpose, but on June 4, I don't think I am going for a run," Theda said.

If you would like to help the Williams raise money for this marathon, please make a check out to the Leukemia/Lymphoma Society and send it to Ron and Theda Williams at 13322 Beechwood Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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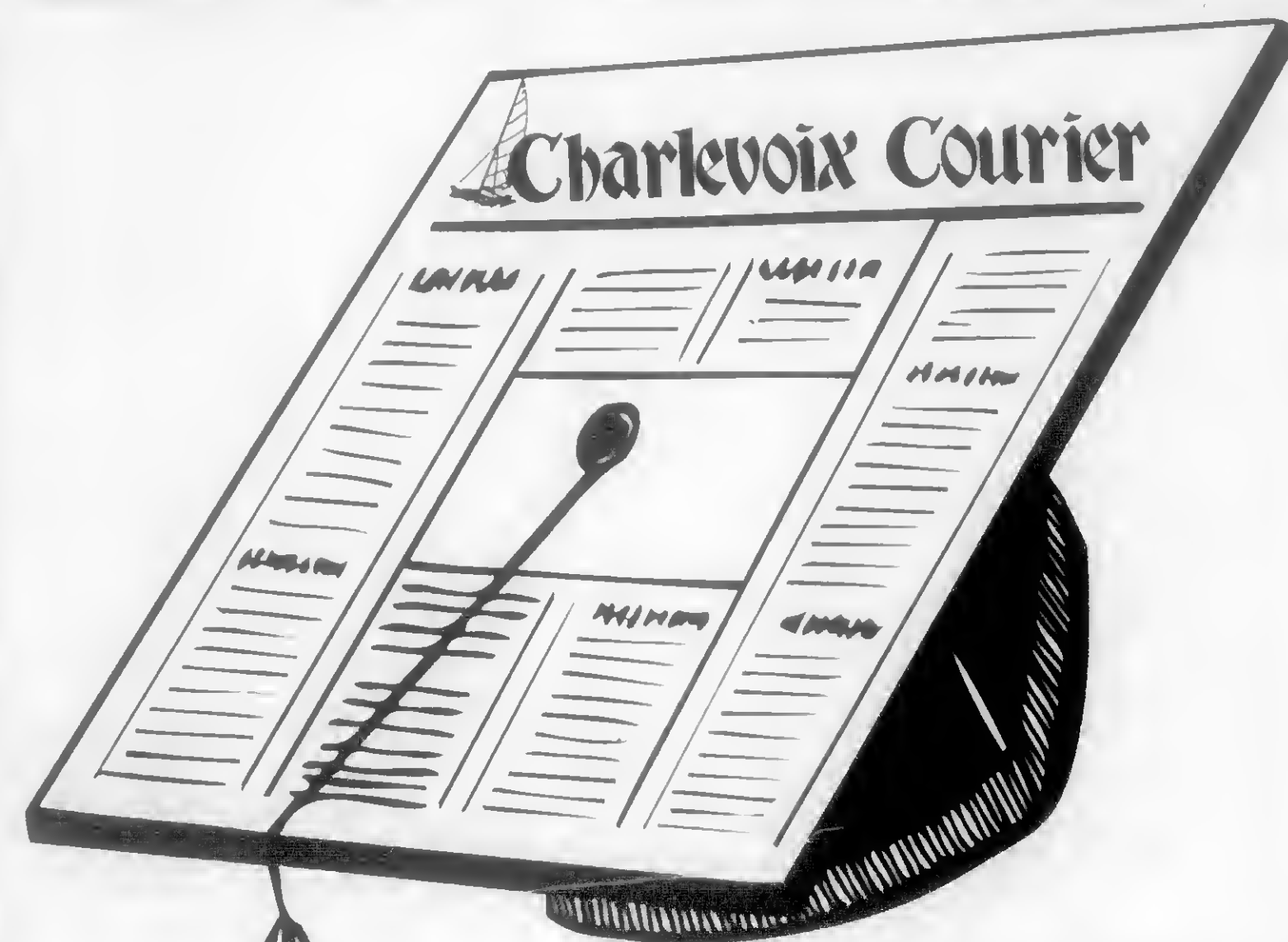
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Judge sentences teen Star vandals

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The dust from a four man crime spree officially settled when on May 3, in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix Judge Richard Pajtas delivered his orders.

"You have been involved in extensive criminal activity over a substantial amount of time. Home invasion has a devastating effect on a family that lasts a long time and getting a mailbox bombed can tear at a family," Pajtas said when he addressed defendant Scott Allen Reich, 18, prior to disclosing the details of his sentence.

In December of 2000 Reich, John Angus Graham, Daniel Lee Thomas and Rocky Lee Peters, all of East Jordan, made their way around parts of Charlevoix and Chippewa counties committing felonious acts.

According to testimony during the sentencing, members of the group bombed multiple mailboxes, broke into homes from where they stole personal belongings and vandalized the Star Community Building in Eveline Township.

All four lawyers representing the defendants claimed that their age in some way impaired their judgment. But when it came time for Pajtas to deliver sentences for Thomas and Reich, the severity of the crimes outweighed the defendant's immaturity.

He said that the defendant's age did show a need for rehabilitation in the sentence. But he added, "The sentence should also show other young people so inclined that there is a serious consequence for this type of behavior, that is it (the sentence) should be a deterrent."

Ultimately, Pajtas told both Reich and Thomas that the pattern of criminal activity they engaged in

"My heart breaks for the families."

Gail Farley,
Representative for the
Star Community Building

warranted a sentence to the Michigan Department of Corrections. Reich was charged with second degree home invasion, one count of malicious destruction of property, \$1,000 or more but less than \$20,000, one count of breaking and entering a building with intent to commit a felony.

Each count carries a hefty penalty. But, Pajtas ruled that the sentences would run concurrently, which means he won't have to serve each sentence individually. Reich will be in prison for a minimum of two and a half years and a maximum of 15 years and will undergo substance abuse treatment.

Prior to Thomas' sentencing, Charlevoix attorney Joe Hayes spoke on his behalf.

Hayes said, "If you sentence Daniel Thomas to the Department of Corrections you are going a long way toward throwing away any chance he has. The community, the prosecutor, his family, don't want to see this young man go to prison."

However, while on bond in this case, Thomas tested positive for marijuana and he has a prior criminal record for a larceny charge.

As Pajtas passed his sentence he told Thomas there are serious consequences for serious criminal behavior.

Thomas' face turned red, his arms were crossed and his head hung low. Pajtas levied the same punishment as Reich received.

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Gravity breaker

All the students at St. Mary's School in Charlevoix participated in All Children Exercising Simultaneously (ACES) On May 2. The students joined 300,000 other students in Michigan for this national event. This girl jump ropes at her first station. Other stations included running sprints and passing soccer balls or basketballs. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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What do you do if you find a stray dog?

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

You may hesitate to dial 9-1-1 to report a stray dog but those are the digits law enforcement officials ask you to dial.

In Charlevoix County 9-1-1 emergency dispatch fields canine related issues, whether it be a report of an attack or a stray. The emergency center then contacts Charlevoix County Animal Control Officer Julie Whitley who is on the job from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Whitley said every day she handles from four to five run-at-large and stray dogs. She picks the canines up and transports them to the Charlevoix County Stray Shelter, located next to the county humane society at 614 Beardsley Street in Boyne City.

Whitley said the reason behind the pick-ups is a 50/50 split — either the animals have been intentionally let loose by their owners or they are lost.

"99 percent of the time ani-

mals end up here because they have no collar and tags," Whitley said.

She said licensing your dog is easy. Pet owners can either stop by the county treasurer's office, on the bottom floor of the county building in Charlevoix or can pick up an application from a veterinarian and mail it in. All you need is proof of current rabies shots.

She said that a good way to remember to renew the license annually is every year around tax time, it's time to renew your tags.

The \$10 licensing fee is low considering the fines you could face if Whitley gets a call.

Owners' animals without up-to-date licenses can be ticketed and face a \$50 fine. If a dog is incarcerated at the shelter the owner is charged a boarding fee of \$6 per day and for first timers, a \$17 pick-up fee. Second time pick-ups have an increased fee to \$20.

Leash laws are in effect in Charlevoix County city limits. In outlying townships what Whitley described as "owner



Charlevoix animal control officer Julie Whitley poses by the vehicle she uses to transport animals. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

control" is in effect.

"If you are out walking and you are comfortable enough with your dog to know that when a bike rides by your dog won't go after them, or won't

run away from you into your neighbor's yard, then you may not need a leash," she said.

However, owner control may also be wrongly assumed by a pet owner. A testament to

a dog owner's misinterpretation of their "control" are the eight to 13 calls Whitley receives each month in June and July after dogs have attacked a cyclist.

Volunteer day for Harbor

May 16 is Volunteer Day for Harbor Industries personnel at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

Over 20 employees have offered their time and efforts to rake leaves, wash windows, vacuum rugs and other spring cleaning tasks as a gift to the Charlevoix Community and the seniors.

In addition, Mike Hurchick will be the main cook for the evening fundraiser chicken dinner. The public is invited to come and enjoy this meal anytime between 5 and 7 p.m.

The schedule for activities and lunches will carry on as usual.

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Pageant planning

The Northwest Pageant Committee met recently to discuss plans for the 2001 pageant. This year's theme will be "The Roaring Twenties." The event will be July 26 at the Charlevoix Middle school and will be open to girls 8-21 years old. For more information call, 547-4809 or 547-2065. Above are the pageant committee members. They are: (from left) Jeanne Wynkoop, Bea Warner, Susan Mackin, Barb Scully and Natalie Ward. (Courtesy photo)

Spring Fling to raise money for Montessori

Invitations are now in the mail for the second annual Charlevoix Children's House Spring Fling.

The fundraiser features both a silent auction and live auction, hors d'oeuvres and entertainment in the congenial atmosphere at Whitney's of Charlevoix.

According to committee members, the Spring Fling is the most important fundraiser of the year for the Montessori school. Proceeds go toward classroom materials and maintenance.

Children's House families, friends and the Charlevoix community are all invited to the benefit, which takes place from 6-9 p.m., May 19.

For more information, or to donate items for auction, contact Dianne Dyer at 547-5599.

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New Coast Guard chief takes over as Shull retires

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After 20 years of service with the United States Coast Guard, Station Charlevoix Commander James Shull, 39, retired and handed the reins over to 35-year-old Detroit native John McLean.

"Three weeks shy of three years ago I stood here and accepted command and today I am relinquishing it," Shull said as he choked back tears while addressing the audience at the May 4 change of command and retirement ceremony.

Shull's career with the Coast Guard started in 1979 when he

lived in Phoenix, Ariz.

Over his 20 years of service he worked with numerous stations including those in Duluth, Minn., Holland, Mich., Kenosha Wis., Sturgeon Bay, Wis. and Lorain, Ohio.

Shull met Dianna Miles while stationed in Holland and the two married on Sept. 14, 1985. The couple are the parents of three girls, Samantha, 12, Veronica, 9 and Rachel, 6.

Shull brought his family to Charlevoix from Ohio and assumed command of the local station on May 29, 1998. Shull said that he knew when he took the job that he intended to retire in three years and now he has.

However, as all who attended the retirement ceremony can attest to, Shull found that leaving the Coast Guard after 20 years was hard.

In an interview prior to the ceremony he said he'll miss the interaction with the people and highlighted major moments in his career like last summer's 100 year anniversary celebration and the Venetian festival's dual fireworks event.

"As I depart I can say that I have truly enjoyed serving the crew of Station Charlevoix as their officer in charge. It's good to know I'm

leaving the station in good hands," he said.

"Charlevoix has grown on me so, I think I'll stick around."

Shull's retirement plans are to stay in Charlevoix and to work for the city. City manager Mike Wiesner said that Shull will act as a liaison between the city and the architect in charge of city hall renovations, monitoring the project.

As Shull steps out of uniform he leaves the crew of Station Charlevoix in the "good hands" of John McLean.

Commander McLean's Coast Guard service began in 1983. From 1983 to the present he has been stationed in Detroit, Port Huron, St. Clair Shores, Lorain, Ohio, and Cleveland, Ohio.

McLean moved to Charlevoix from Cleveland on April 23, 2001 after a January visit. He brings with him his wife, Cheryl, formerly of St. Clair Shores, and his two sons, Jake, 6 and Jared, 2.

At the ceremony McLean thanked Shull and the crew for a fantastic relief (welcome) week.

"I am very satisfied with the overall functioning of this unit," he said.

In an interview prior to the event McLean explained the breadth of his new responsibilities. "The commander is ultimately responsi-



Commander John McLean (above) has officially replaced James Shull as the head of Coast Guard Station Charlevoix. Shull retired last week. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

ble for maintaining good order and discipline of the unit, and setting the tone for day to day operations."

He said he is looking forward to the camaraderie with the crew and getting involved with the Charlevoix community.

McLean will be closely involved in revamping the crew's living quarters at the station.

"If everything goes well I would like to retire right here also. We'll have to experience our first winter here first," he said.

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SPORTS

Baseball team stays strong in conference

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix Rayders kept pace in the Lake Michigan Conference baseball race with a double-header sweep over Harbor Springs last week, 10-4 and 4-1.

East Jordan leads the league with a 7-1 conference mark while Charlevoix is in second at 4-2 (12-3 overall). The Red Devils' only blemish is a loss to the Rayders.

Against the Rams, Charlevoix jumped out early scoring four runs in the first and four again in the second. Ryan Leitner clubbed his first career homer to go with a single and double.

Jeremiah Teuscher earned the win on the mound for the Rayders, going the distance, giving up only five hits, walking four and striking out six. Teuscher is 2-1 on the mound this season.

In the nightcap, Dennis Avery upped his record to 4-0, throwing four no-hit innings before his spell was broken in the fifth with a Harbor single to left.

Charlevoix again struck early, scoring two in the first before the Ram hurler settled down.

It was a pitchers' duel most of the way with neither side scoring again until the fourth when the Rayders plated one for a 3-0 lead.

In the fifth, Harbor broke up Avery's shutout and no-hit bids to cut the lead to 3-1 but Charlevoix scored an insurance run in the fifth.

Nate Teuscher shut out the Rams in the sixth to notch the save in relief.

For the doubleheader, Jeremiah Teuscher doubled in both games and drove in three runs. Matt Horon had a single and two doubles and three RBI.

The Rayders play at Traverse City St. Francis on Thursday, May 10.



One of the Charlevoix Rayder soccer players is seen here taking the ball up the field in a recent game. (Courtesy photo)

Soccer team wins against Houghton

The Rayders returned to winning ways with a 2-1 conference victory at Houghton Lake on April 30.

Charlevoix scored early when a cross by Abby Schaperkotter was deflected by Kelly Dreyer to a strong left footed shot from 20 yards by Libby Withrow.

The Rayders controlled the action throughout the first half but were turned back on numerous scoring chances by the Houghton Lake keeper.

Houghton knotted the score on a breakaway in the second half before Danielle Vogelheim put the Rayders ahead for good with a header off a corner from Marie Serrels.

The Rayders outshot Houghton Lake 16 to 9.

Kelly Zimmerman (2 saves) and Elissa Wood (7 saves) shared the win in goal. Freshman Alicia McDonough, senior Katie Romig and junior Serrels continued their strong defensive play.

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SPORTS

Tennis team looking good as tournament approaches

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix High School tennis team is starting to come together.

While their game Monday night was canceled due to weather, the team, which is currently 2-5 overall, beat Grayling May 2, 4-3.

According to Coach Garth Miller, Jason Haas and Allen Brooks played very well in this match-up.

"They completely dominated all their flights," he said.

In the doubles, Miller said the team of Melissa McDonough and Molly Arnold are really playing strong. Miller said these two girls are really a great match.

Also having a good showing was the team of Michelle Martin and Bill Foster. Miller said this was their first time playing together, but they won 6-1 and 6-0.

Miller predicts the two will continue to play well into the upcoming tournaments.

Tournament play starts Friday at Boyne Mountain with the Lake Michigan Conference Championships.

Miller said the team, which came in last place during last year's tournament, is really looking to "come out of the cellar."

"We hope to break in the top three teams in the conference," he said.

Golf scholarship announced

Several lucky youngsters that participated in the Charlevoix County Junior Golf Association's 2000 summer program will be awarded scholarships to attend the prestigious golf camp at Ferris State University this summer.

Dean Davenport, executive director of the popular summer program, announced that the association's board members recently approved renewing the scholarship program with FSU and that upwards to six golfers will be selected by next week to receive the full scholarships for a week at the campus of Ferris State. Applicants must have

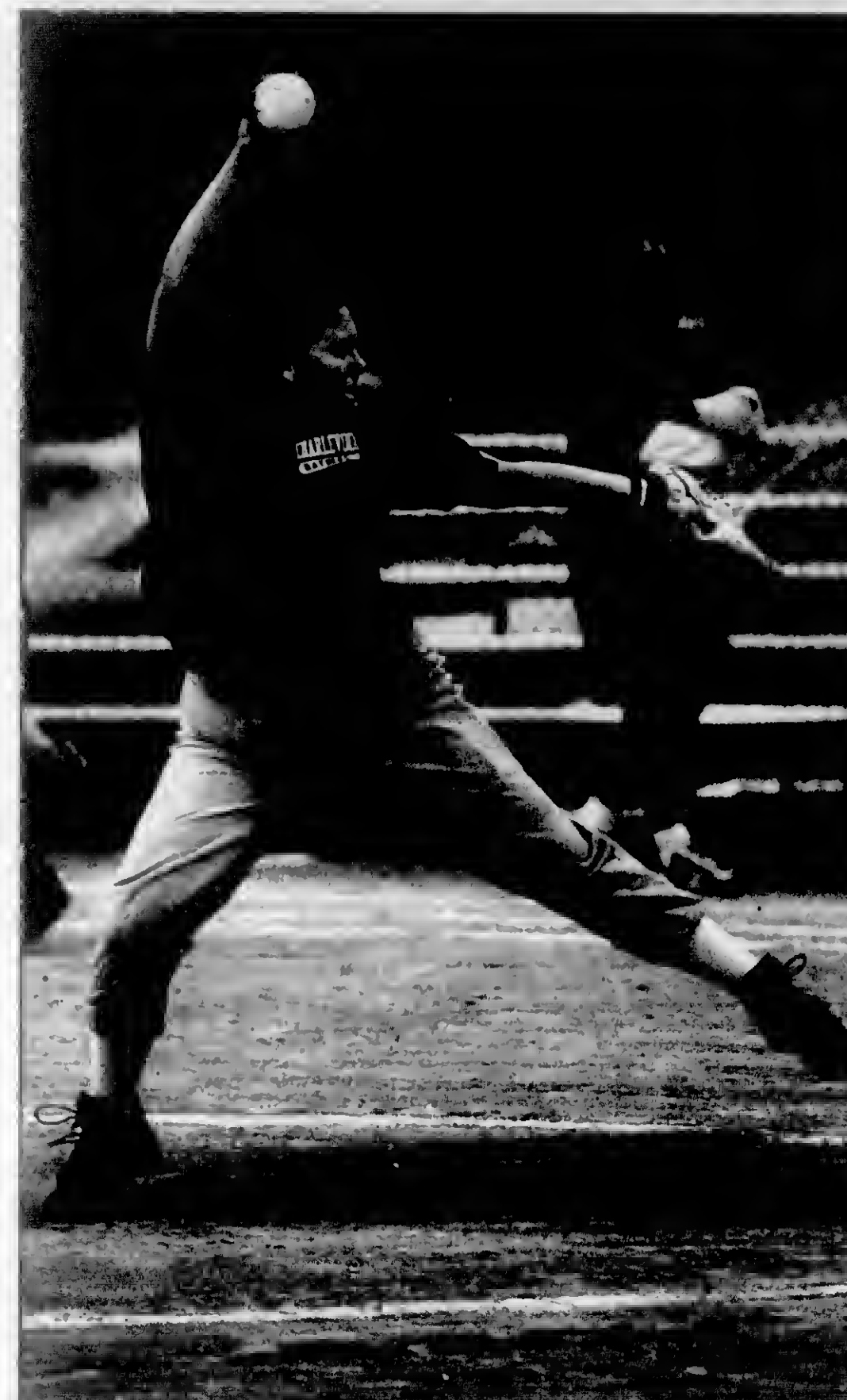
participated in more than half of the past summer's sessions and be at least 12 years of age to be eligible. Application packets were mailed recently to nearly 50 youngsters that qualified for consideration.

Local PGA professional from the Belvedere, Steve Braun again added greatly to the camp "kitty" by raising over \$4,100 by playing 100 holes in a single day and receiving pledges from local Junior Golf supporters.

Dennis LaCroix, board president said, "Steve's effort is greatly appreciated by all of us connected to the program. His dedication and in-

terest in young golfers is typical of the excellent cooperation we get from everyone, including the courses that hosts our golfers' Dunmags, Antrim Dells, The Belvedere, Municipal and the Charlevoix Country Club."

Sam Supernaw, board treasurer said, "Our major fundraiser, the Supe Classic Golf Tournament has helped fund this project through the years and last year we again sent several area youngsters to a week's golf camp. It's been a great experience for them to learn more about the game and do so at a great setting like a college campus."



Softball action

Above, Tasha Morrison, of the Charlevoix High School varsity softball squad, winds up for a pitch in a recent game against Harbor Springs at home. The team faced Harbor Springs in a double-header last week, but lost both games 9-2 and 22-0. In the first game Natasha Killeber, Meghan Vogel and Krystal Meredith all hit singles. Katie Yager and Morrison hit a double each. In the second game, Morrison had a single and Meredith had a double. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Official Notice

Absent voter ballots, for the Charlevoix Public School's annual school election to be held on Monday, June 11, 2001 will be available at the Charlevoix School's administrative office at 208 Clinton St., Charlevoix, MI 49720 on or before May 22, 2001. Ballots will be available from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The administrative office will also be open from 12:00 noon to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 9, 2001.

Dr. John J. Sturock
Superintendent



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NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT: Please Take Notice that the regular school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 11, 2001.

The last day on which persons may register in order to be eligible to vote at the regular school election called to be held on Monday, June 11, 2001, is Monday, May 14, 2001. Persons registering after 5 o'clock in the evening on Monday, May 14, 2001, are not eligible to vote at the regular school election.

To register, visit any Secretary of State branch office or your county, city or township clerk's office. Persons planning to register with the respective county, city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the board of education.

Larry Levensgood, Secretary, Board of Education

ADDENDUM

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, Michigan, will be held in conjunction with the Regular School Election.

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City working hard on improving various areas

PROJECTS

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East Park's neighbor, Veteran's Park, has also seen construction activity. The city's plans to bury utility lines and make the park more accessible are expected to be complete by Memorial Day.

The city had also planned to build a fishing pier off of Coast Guard Park located next to Bridge Park in downtown Charlevoix. However, Wiesner said the project estimate came in higher than expected and put the proposal on hold.

Aside from beefing up the parks the city also plans to better serve its visitors and residents by upgrading local utilities.

Garfield, Belvedere and Michigan avenues and the C & O Club will be getting major utility upgrades as part of one contract.

Michigan Avenue utility and

street reconstruction is scheduled to begin in mid-August. The city is replacing the water main, installing a new storm sewer, reconstructing the street and adding new curbs and gutters.

Sewer and water line construction on Garfield Avenue will start in late July or early August. This project will coincide with both the Belvedere Avenue construction project and the C & O project.

Belvedere Avenue utility reconstruction will include rebuilding the water line that runs down Belvedere Avenue from Bridge Street to Alice. The project will construct a water line that will run from Alice Street to the entrance of the club, completing the water main loop. The plan also includes street resurfacing.

Wiesner said that a lack of side street access to Belvedere Avenue poses a challenge. He said the city currently has no plan to ensure access to businesses and homeowners but that one will be developed.

"We'll do our best to minimize the inconvenience," Wiesner said. He added that sewer, water and electrical system extensions at the C & O Club should also begin in late July or early August. This project will extend the sewer line down the railroad grade.

Wiesner said the C & O Club extension is part of an agreement the city made with Viatic. The company traded the city land off of Martin Road to be used for a new electrical substation in return for the sewer service. Wiesner said the water and electrical will also be run so the area only has to be dug up once.

City electrical superintendent Ed Whitley said construction of the substation at the Martin Road site will begin in June or early July.

You may have also recently seen Whitley working on Ferry Avenue. This is the start of miscellaneous system-wide electric line reconstruction. After power

line work on Ferry Avenue is complete work on Mount McSaubia Avenue will begin.

Whitley said that after McSaubia and Ferry Avenues are done, power lines for the new sub-station will be built up Martin Road.

Whitley may also head up the reconstruction of power lines running from Hoskins, south, down M-66 in late summer. The city is currently conducting a study to gauge whether the run from Hoskins, south merits rebuilding the line.

Other major utility projects include the start of construction of the Marion Center Road sewer extension and Veteran's Park changes which will service the new high school. Wiesner said this extension will start by Labor Day and will be completed by Jan. 1, 2002.

"The plan is, the school will fund the construction and will be paid back a portion by fees charged to users," Wiesner

said.

A major city construction effort that doesn't fit in the recreation and utility categories is an upcoming renovation to City Hall. As of now, the city has no established start date for the renovations. Wiesner said that he is hoping within a month to have more of a direction. He said that he anticipates city employees making the move to the old post office, located on Mason Street, sometime in the fall.

Other miscellaneous improvements include resurfacing of May Street which will be complete by Oct. 1 at the latest and a landscaping snow control effort along US-31 south, near the new Marion Center Road entrance, on the airport side.

The landscape is meant to replace the snow fence. The start of a path 10 feet wide has been built which will eventually be a walking/bike path that stretches to Fisherman's Island.

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Garden club sweeps awards for posters

Charlevoix Area Garden Club made a clean sweep in receiving state-wide awards for the annual poster contest.

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The awards were presented to immediate past president, Marge McGoff, at the District V meeting "A Dutch Treat at the Park", April 30 at the Park Place Hotel in Traverse City. District V is a part of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan, Inc.

The first place winning posters were forwarded on for regional judging. If successful there, they will be forwarded on for National judging.

Audrey Etienne, Poster Chairman for the Charlevoix club, will present the awards to the winners during a ceremony at Charlevoix Elementary School before school is out in June.

Over 250 garden club members, representing 27 clubs within the district, heard Gail Ingraham of

Bellwether Herbs and Flowers, speak on "Soul-Full Gardens: Reclaiming Your Space and Time." Suzanne Dalton, owner and designer of gardens in Ellsworth, gave a colorful slide presentation for the afternoon session on "Designing with Spring Bulbs."

Attending from the Charlevoix Area Garden Club in addition to Marge McGoff, were Lois Lewis, Pauline Russell, Lorna Lewis, Joan Knecht and Nan Vandenberg.

Crooked Tree to host summer mini-camp

The Crooked Tree Youth Orchestra Summer Mini-Camp 2001 for all string students is scheduled for July 10-Aug. 2.

Students will meet from 10 a.m. until noon three mornings a week — Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday — at the Arts Center. The sessions will provide opportunities for both large and small ensemble experiences, and individual coaching by the Youth Orchestra staff.

Karey Johnson, education director at the Crooked Tree Arts Center, will serve as director of the mini-camp with the assistance of Bing Farrar as the low string instructor and John Van Patten, violin instructor and administrator.

All other music teachers interested in participating as staff members are encouraged to contact Karey Johnson.

Fee enrollment for the Mini-Camp is \$90.

Enrollment may be flexible, however a minimum period of two weeks is required at \$60 per family with a \$15 fee for each additional week. Applications for enrollment

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Teens sentenced for several crimes

JUDGE

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Thomas' mother cried and hugged her son before he exited the courtroom.

However, John Graham's attorney, Bryan Graham, argued not to lump all the boys together. He characterized John as a follower, not an instigator and claimed that Reich and Thomas selected the mailboxes that would be bombed and the homes that were invaded.

Graham, 17, was ultimately sentenced to three years of probation and to serve 12 months in the Charlevoix County Jail.

The fourth of the boys, Rocky Peters, 18, also was characterized as a follower. Pe-

ters claimed he tried to contact the victims to apologize for his behavior but was unable to get their phone numbers.

Pajtas responded, "Understand that people who have had their mailbox blown up may not want a call from the culprit."

However, ultimately Pajtas accepted the follower argument and delivered the same sentence to Peters that he had to Graham.

The silence in the courtroom as the afternoon adjourned spoke volumes.

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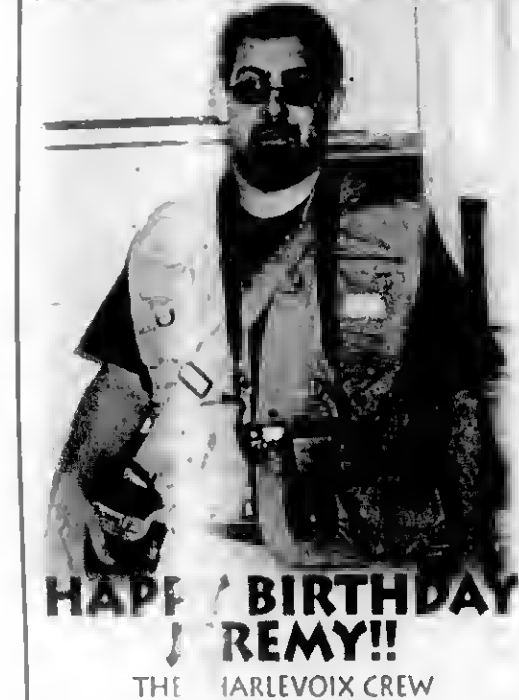
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SELF STORAGE UNITS 50 to 5,000 square feet, drive-in units, heated areas, Charlevoix north-side. Call Bob Kern, Real Estate One, 547-5100.

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(5-2-3-175)

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(5-9-2-203)

BOATS & MARINE 203

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(5-9-2-203)

BID 209

THE CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS are seeking bids for the contracting in mowing of school property areas for the 2001 season. Please call the Superintendent's office at 231-547-3200 for further information if you are interested in bidding.

The bids are due on Wednesday, May 16, 2001.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION,
Plaintiff

Honorable Richard Pajtas
Case No. 00-657-19-CH
vs.
LEON J. BUSH
136 Court Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND
FRANCES J. BUSH
617 Earl Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND
BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A.
3 Park Plaza
Irvine, CA 92614

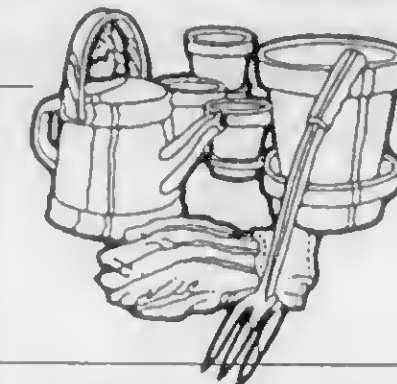
Defendants

PAUL E. NETTLEMAN P26331
Attorney for Plaintiff
2202 MITCHELL PARK DRIVE, SUITE 8
P.O. Box 868
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 347-1990

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

1. On February 2, 2001, the Honorable Richard M. Pajtas, Circuit Court Judge entered a Judgment and Order for Sale against Defendants, LEON J. BUSH and FRANCES J. BUSH and BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A. in favor of Plaintiff, ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.

2. The Judgment declared that the Plaintiff had a valid lien against the Defendants property in the amount of \$7,477.75.



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3. The Judgment directs that the amounts owed to the Plaintiff be paid by Defendants forthwith and in default thereof that the property of Defendants described in the Complaint be sold by the Sheriff, Under-Sheriff or any Deputy Sheriff of Charlevoix County, at public auction and the proceeds of sale be distributed to the Plaintiff.

4. As of the date of this notice, this Judgment and Order for Sale, on June 14th, 2001 at 11 a.m. at a public auction to be held in the Main Lobby of the Charlevoix County Court House, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, all right title and interest of Defendants in and to the following property:

Premises situated in the City of Boyne City, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

IT IS ORDERED:

1. You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to pay the outstanding receivable in the amount of Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$18,200.00). You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before 6/20/01. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this order shall be published once each week in Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this court.

3. Grand Traverse County District Court shall post a copy of this order in the courthouse, at 328 Washington Street, Traverse City, MI 49684 for three continuous weeks, and shall file proof of posting in this court.

4. A copy of this order shall be sent

CASE NO 01-8433-GC

Plaintiff

SMITH, HAUGHEY, RICE & ROEGGE, P.C.

P.O. Box 848

Traverse City, MI 49685-0848

Plaintiff's Attorney

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v.

Defendant

Thomas W. Sheridan

c/o MFM Management Co.

P.O. Box 468

Charlevoix, MI 49720

TO: Thomas W. Sheridan

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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Satur-

days at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For

more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651. Grandvue Auxiliary meets the

second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

SCRAPBOOK

The competitions between the city, township



Marilyn Boss

'Days gone by'

The Charlevoix area has always been a hot bed for debate. It has been said through the years by the people in Petoskey who put out the Petoskey News-Review, that as long as there was a Charlevoix in the area, they would never run out of news to print.

In remembering back over the past 50 years, it seems as though hardly a year goes by without a hot controversy of some kind taking place. It is either the Hatfields after the McCoys or the city after some township or vice versa. Each trying to outdo the other, usually resulting in something positive in one way or the other.

My memory takes me back to about 1964, when all the scuttlebutt was that Medusa was going to develop the 800 acres they owned on south point. The city fathers, seeing the possibility of a land grab, passed a resolution to try to annex Medusa's property to the city and they used the excuse that they would have more power to control the emissions from smoke and dust than the township would have. Their

angle was to go through the County Board of Commissioners, as no one was living on the property and it adjoined the city on the tip of the airport runway, so that no one would have to vote on the issue.

My uncle, Clarence Rabach, was the township supervisor at the time and he accused the city of gerrymandering. He was also a county commissioner by virtue of being the supervisor and he had as good rapport with the other commissioners who were from various townships. He was considered one of the most influential members on the board because of his knowledge of the law.

In the *Charlevoix Courier* at the time, he said, "This is setting up a precedent that could end up with the city grabbing off a chunk now and a little later, and keep at it until there is nothing left of the township. If they want to do annexing, a planning commission should be appointed from both the city and township to work out a reasonable solution; and then it should be put to the people. After all, this is still a democracy, we thought, but when one unit of government can do this to another, is this democratic?"

When the Board of Commissioners voted on this, Clarence was successful in getting this land grab turned down by the commissioners.

Just a little more than three years went by and in November of 1967, the subject came up

again. This time the city wanted to merge the whole township. The Charlevoix Regional Planning Commission was told that it should give top priority to merging the city and the township.

This was, of course, a hot issue again. Oscar Stroud, at the time, was a township trustee, and a member of the planning commission. He was quoted as saying, "The township may have to take the city in, if they (the city) don't get busy (on annexation)."

Knowing Oscar like we do, he knew good and well that the people in the township would in no way want to go into the city, but would probably vote to remain a separate entity. A lot of hot air was flying around town like there always is and when the vote was held, the township residents overwhelmingly voted to remain as they were. In the meantime, Clarence became county clerk and Oscar was elected supervisor and thanks to those two, we have a very progressive township that is the envy of others in the state.

In 1973, Oscar started putting in a township water system on the north side of town, which has since expanded to cover both sides of the township, without ever having to levy a dime's worth of taxes to pay for it. Also, in 1973, the city was going to up the fee they charged to cover the township for fire protection, so what did Oscar do? He contacted the City of Wyoming, who had two big four wheel drive fire engines and an old Ford engine, which he bought and started his own fire department.

Dale recalls riding down in Oscar's 1970 Cadillac to Wyoming to drive one of the engines back. He took three people to bring the three engines back in August of that year. The city of Charlevoix thought it was a joke and said they were going to continue to cover the township until at least the first of the year.

The Nazarene Church had a trailer for their minister to live in alongside the church and about two months after the township engines were stored in the garage, the trailer caught on fire and the city went to the fire. The township started their engine and it went forward only 80 feet and

stopped in the middle of the road. To this day, the fire boys think someone turned off the gas line. The city department was making fun of them because their engine wouldn't go. Then they took a second engine, which made it to the fire. The two fire departments have been competitive ever since.

The township built bigger barns and bought more engines and the city built an engine house bigger than city hall and bought more engines, and so it goes. At least Charlevoix has enough fire protection to take care of the city of Grand Rapids and guess what? Charlevoix township now has a class 6 rating, which, if you live in the township, gives you a lesser fire insurance premium than if you live in the city, which has a class 7 rating.

The township engines are all bright yellow, loaded with lots of chrome trim and the city's engines are all bright red, loaded with lots of chrome trim. This goes to show what competition can do. Nowhere but Charlevoix the Beautiful.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Spring Swing

The Charlevoix Historical Society is hosting a "Spring Swing" catered dinner at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bells Bay Road, May 22, beginning with a social hour at 6 p.m. Dinner starts at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$20 and can be purchased from any historical society member or by calling the Harsha House Historical Museum at 547-0373.

Wagbo auction

There will be an auction to benefit the Wagbo Peace Center at 9 a.m., Saturday at 506 East Dixon in Charlevoix. The contents and personal property of the anonymous donors, a Round Lake Cottage in Charlevoix will be sold to the highest bidders. Local auctioneer Scott MacKenzie will conduct the auction. The Wagbo Peace Center in an experiential education center teaching and modeling peaceable and sustainable living. For more information, or to make a donation to the auction, please call 536-0333 or 582-0486.

Flag disposal ceremony

The Charlevoix Cub Scouts Pack 11 will be conducting a Flag Disposal Ceremony at its May 21 meeting. This ceremony is for those flags that are no longer serviceable to individuals or businesses in our community.

If any individual or business has a flag that needs to be disposed of you can bring it to the

pack meeting or call (231) 547-6882 to arrange for pick-up.

The community is invited to attend the May 21, 7 p.m. pack meeting at the Charlevoix Elementary School located on Division Street.

Flotilla meeting

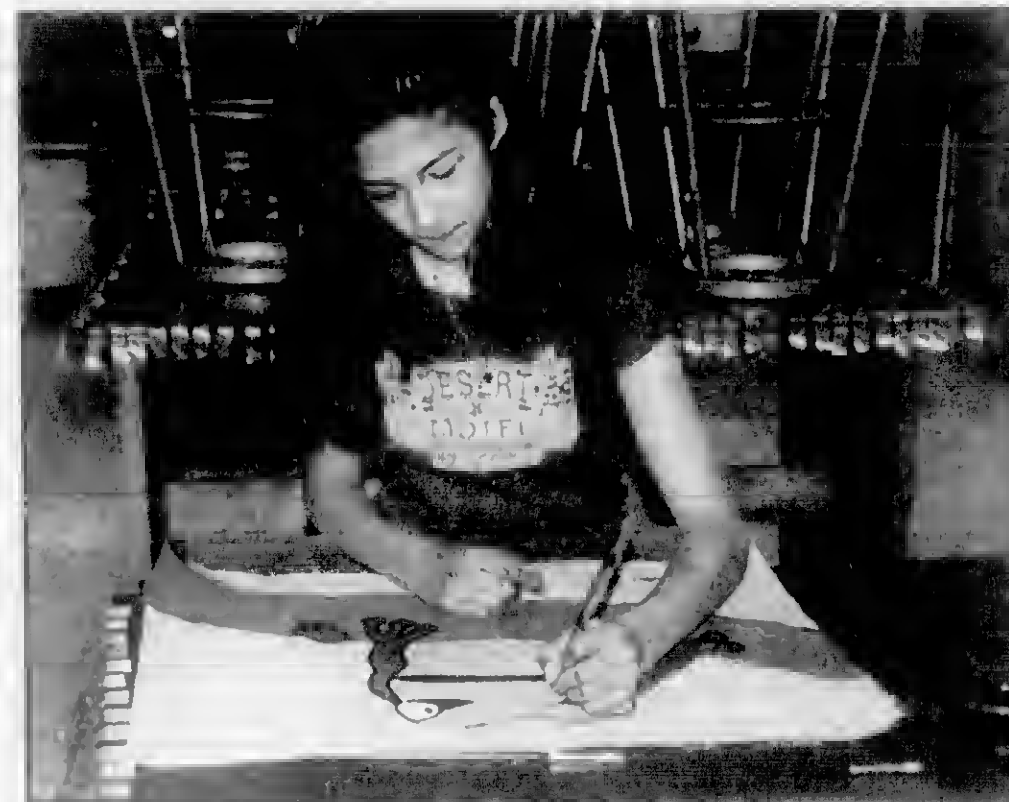
The monthly meeting of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 16-02 at Charlevoix will be at the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station at 7 p.m. on May 9. For more information call 547-5430.

Students to perform at library

The Charlevoix High School performing arts students will be presenting a variety show from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. on May 12 at the Charlevoix Public Library.

The students will be presenting some of their state competition performances. Poetry by Shel Silverstein and well known stories will be featured.

All school art show to be Thursday night



Charlevoix public schools will have the All School Art Show from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the Charlevoix Elementary School. The student's art will also be on display from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and May 14 at the school. Above, Sarah Klooster puts the finishing touches on her exotic frog painting that will be on display at the show. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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We would encourage any new or established business to utilize our community newspapers to promote growth in your business and our communities! Give Kim at the Charlevoix Courier a call this story and it really helped my new business get going!

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YOUR CHAMBER MONTHLY

A publication of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce

MAY 2001

Disney comes to Northern Michigan

For one day only, Disney Institute is bringing its renowned brand of professional development to northern Michigan. It's your chance to learn proven Disney success strategies that you can easily adapt to your organization. Dynamic presentations and relevant case studies bring each program topic to life in true Disney fashion.

This year's program covers two segments of the Disney Keys to Excellence. The first is "Management, Disney Style" to learn strategies for: Establishing a corporate culture, selecting and hiring the best, training and motivating employees, communicating with front-line staff, and creating a caring environment. The second topic is "Loyalty, Disney Style" to learn strategies for: Ensuring customer satisfaction, enlisting employee support, aligning your product, and evaluating the customer experience.

This half day of training will be at the Inn at Bay Harbor, on Thursday, May 17 from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The Charlevoix Area and Petoskey Regional Chambers of Commerce are co-sponsoring this event. The cost is \$150 for chamber members and \$225 for non-members. Call the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce at 547-2101 for more information.

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

- May 10** - Silver & Gold Jewelry Sale (Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild - Rose Mary McGee 547-4260).
- May 11** - Annual Spring Luncheon, Bazaar, and Bake Sale, Charlevoix United Methodist Church.
- May 12** - Woodstock Mutt Strut 10am-3pm. Charlevoix County Humane Society (582-6774).
- May 12** - American Cancer Society Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Memorial Breast Cancer Walk (547-9751).
- May 20** - Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club Fun Shoot - 100 birds.
- May 22** - Spring Quilt Show - Dinner and Jazz 6p.m. (Charlevoix Historical Society - 547-0373).
- May 24** - Operation Petunia (547-5494).
- May 26** - Plant Sale - Charlevoix Area Garden Club 8:30a.m.-2p.m. (Margaret Heath 547-1978).
- May 28** - Memorial Day Parade 10a.m. - (Charlie Butcher 547-4724) American Legion & VFW.
- June 1 & 2** - B.A.S.S. Masters Classic Tournament.
- June 8** - Annual Hospice Auction (536-2842).
- June 9** - 9th annual Point Blitz - Charlevoix Emmet Housing Coalition (231-535-5166).
- June 8-10** - 16th Annual Charlevoix Area Trout Tournament (547-6805).
- June 14 & 15** - Craft Show and Flea Market, Charlevoix Knights of Columbus Hall.
- June 16** - Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club Ladies Day at the Range.
- June 19-22** - Exploration Days 4H (582-6232).
- June 20** - Forest Frenzy 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523).
- June 27** - Forest Frenzy 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523).
- June 30** - Celebrant Singers Concert 7:30p.m. St. Mary's Catholic Church (547-6438).
- June 30** - 3rd Annual Festival of the Arts - 10a.m. - 4p.m. (Murphy's Lamplight Inn - 544-6443).

Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce

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Northern Community Mediation Growing

Northern Community Mediation has recently moved from its quarters in the lower level of the City Hall building to new space above Trademark Clothiers. Moarte Nolon is a mediator and cross-cultural trainer and her staff includes Pol Gaskin, Intake Coordinator, and Michelle Loslo, office coordinator. For information on mediation workshops of specific business sites, training, or becoming a volunteer, please call the center at 547-1771.

Mike Granger has been named the Operations Manager of **Dunmuglas** effective April 1. In his new position, Granger is working with the Chamber on the Annual Chamber Golf Outing and Dinner Extravaganza, which will be at Dunmuglas on Wednesday, August 29, 2001.

Beaver Island Boat Company is proud to introduce their new general manager, **Margo Marks**. She was born and raised in Jackson, MI and grew up around the waters of Lake Erie. For the past seven years, Margo has been the Harbormaster at Elk Rapids. She will be working with Lynn DeGrow until his retirement at the end of June.

Cemex, Inc. announces that **Stuart Tomlinson** is the new Plant Manager of their Charlevoix facility. Tomlinson relocated to Charlevoix from Louisville.

BNFL, Inc. is pleased to announce that **Patrick T. Daly** has been named as the BNFL, Inc. Big Rock Point Project Manager, reporting to the Manager of the Reactor Decommissioning Group. He will be based out of the company's project office here in Charlevoix.

Charlevoix Country Club New Catering Director, **Stephane Parrott**. Stephane and her husband relocated here from the Metropolitan Detroit area and she has contributed 23 years of service to the Food and Beverage industry.

Sweet Sam's Java Joint has new owners, **Dwight and Lisa McCormack**. Welcome.

Car Raffle:

The vehicle to be raffled this year is a 2001 Ford F150 XLT. Super Cab 4x4 in Toreador Red. The vehicle will be displayed throughout the summer in front of the chamber office. In addition to the Ford F150 XLT, there will be three cash winners totaling \$1,000. Tickets are limited to a total of 400, and are available at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Thank You for making the Easter Egg Hunt Great!

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce would like to thank all of the businesses, sponsors and volunteers who participated in making the Easter Egg Hunt a success again this year! A special thanks to Mark and Vicky Greyerbiehl, Chairpersons, for coordinating the event and all the volunteers who helped make this event great.

First Friday Business Breakfast

Friday, June 1, 7:30 a.m. at the Grey Gables restaurant. Our speaker will be Kurt Haas, Site General Manager, Big Rock Point Restoration Project. This will be your last chance to attend a First Friday Business Breakfast until October 5.

FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

Upcoming Event - June 1, 2 - B.A.S.S. Masters Classic Tournament.
A Few Reminders - Downtown merchants, don't forget June 8th is the deadline to sign up for the Merchant Walk to be held on June 13th! And if you would like to have your restaurant listed in the new restaurant guide, the deadline to submit your menu with your payment is June 1st!

Next Business After Hours - The next Business After Hours will be Thursday, May 17, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m., at Whitney's Oyster Bar. This event is sponsored by Preferred Title Company.

The next Retail Committee Meeting is May 17, 2001, 9 am at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant. If you would like to place an item on the agenda, please contact the committee chairpersons, Kirby Dipert or Jacqueline Mabee, or the downtown coordinator.



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Arnold: Librarian forced out Wallick retires from library at board meeting

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After Marybeth Wallick, former director of the Charlevoix Public Library, accepted a retirement proposal offered to her by the library board, she walked into her office of almost 30 years and went "numb."

"If I wouldn't have signed it I would have walked away with nothing. It wasn't what I wanted or what my lawyer (Mark Williams of Traverse City) expected," she explained.

"I was told I had to take what

"If I wouldn't have signed it, I would have walked away with nothing."

Marybeth Wallick,
Charlevoix librarian

they offered by the May 10 meeting or they would let my contract run out and I would get nothing."

The May 10 board meeting where the retirement proposal was finalized was animated as accusations were made and resignations were issued.

Almost 60 members of the Charlevoix community sat in the

library basement. The group was a mix of board supporters and Wallick supporters. During public comment some demanded answers from the board and others defended their decision.

However, the board refused to respond to any questions posed by those in attendance. Board president Rick Brandt claims their si-

lence was a reflection of part of the retirement agreement.

"Each individual referenced above (Wallick and board members) agrees not to make any statement to a third person, or in the presence of a third person who is not a party to this agreement, disparaging or defaming any other party to this agreement," the retirement agreement states.

When Williams, Wallick's attorney, was asked why the stipulation was included, he said, "It was beneficial to my client."

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Historic area barn destroyed by fire

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A twister in 1945 didn't take down the Parsons' Norwood township barn but a bolt of lightning on May 7 proved to be powerful enough to end its stay in Charlevoix County after over a century.

In 1945, a tornado shifted the barn off its foundation, but the Parsons family shifted it right back. Third generation Parsons family farmer, Dave Parsons said that he worked hard to maintain the structure.

He said the barn was somewhat of a landmark for several years, it sat proudly on a hill and was visible from US-31 South.

"It's a shame to see old barns fall by the wayside, they are part of our history. I've tried to keep it maintained and it ended up going down anyway," Parsons said.

Parsons grows and sells hay for animal feed on 170 acres of land in Norwood Township. He was working near the barn located off of Parsons Road on May 7 when he spotted billows of smoke.

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(Right) This over-a-century old barn was destroyed by a fire last week. This photo was taken a few years ago. (Above) The fire consumed the barn quickly, making it a fireball in the night sky. The owner of the barn, Dave Parsons, said he believes the fire started from a lightning strike. The barn and the land he farms has been in his family for over 100 years. (Photos courtesy of Dave Parsons)



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Retirement contract clause keeps board silent

WALLICK

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However, the relevance or existence of the stipulation was not explained to those who attended the meeting and many, including Marion Township resident Lonnie Jones, were unimpressed with their silence.

"I'm glad my representative (Linny Arnold) has the integrity to speak out on this issue. You (board members) are in a political position. We have the right to expect you to answer our questions," Jones said.

City of Charlevoix resident Virginia Olson asked, "On what grounds are you doing this?"

When Olson received no response from the board she said, "You have no grounds. I feel what we need is for the board to resign instead of letting them go on destroying our good library."

Arnold was the only board member that said she was considering resigning. If her decision is in fact

to resign she will discuss the matter at the May 15 Marion Township Board meeting.

Charlevoix resident Connie Saltonstall disagreed with Olson's claim and said the board's actions were merited.

"Many of you haven't been at the meetings. There has been an agreement reached and that is where we are right now," Saltonstall said.

Norwood Township clerk Doris Pearl also spoke on behalf of the board and in support of Saltonstall's comments.

"I agree with Connie, a board is to set policy. This board has done an excellent job setting policy," she said.

During a five minute recess that followed public comment, five of the six board members in attendance refused to comment on their decision to issue Wallick a retirement proposal when questioned by the Charlevoix Courier.

But, when Eveline Township representative Anne Hansen was asked to comment on the outcome

she deferred comments to board president Brandi and said, "I don't even know the truth of the matter."

However, moments earlier when a motion was made to accept the retirement proposal, Hansen voted in favor of the motion.

Arnold was the only board member who did not vote in favor of the motion to accept the retirement proposal. She said Wallick was "absolutely" forced out of her position.

Wallick was not the only library staff member out of work as a result of the actions taken by the board.

Jeanne McGhee who worked at the library for 16 years gave her two weeks notice at the meeting.

"I didn't know she was going to do that; she basically gave up her retirement," Arnold said.

Patty Brannon who said she has been a library user since she was 12 years old was also a staff member who quit.

"You can't work for people like that. I love this job. I don't want to quit, I love this library. They (the

The Charlevoix Public Library Board Members:

Linny Arnold, Marion Township
Rick Brandi, City Council
Mary Ann Chew, School Board
Ethel Coeling, Norwood Township
Anne Hansen, Eveline Township
Betty Henne, Hayes Township
Gordon Van Wieren, Charlevoix Township

board) want to run the library and she (Wallick) is in their way. She does not want to leave and there is no reason why she should," Brannon said.

A third library staff member, Maxine Bergmann, also decided to turn over her position. According to Arnold, Bergmann has come in every Friday, but after the incident between the board and Wallick she decided May 11 would be her last day.

The two hour meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m. and board members Mary Ann Chew, Betty Henne and Hansen spoke with the two remaining staff members, Shirley Kemp and Mardy Bohn.

Brandi said the board hopes to have an interim director for a month or two. When asked by a member of the audience if the public will ultimately play a role in choosing a new permanent director, the board did not respond.

Wallick will be taking time off. She said she would be of no use to another employer right now, since she is burnt out. So, for the next month she plans to tend to her garden.

However, once Wallick is ready to rejoin the work force she said she has been offered another position.

Weather

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May 11	77	42	.32"
May 12	46	40	—
May 13	50	37	trace
May 14	60	41	trace

What does Wallick get in the contract?

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

On May 10, after almost three decades as library director, Marybeth Wallick signed a retirement proposal that ended her career at the Charlevoix Public Library.

She accepted the board's offer of five years of service toward her pension in the sum of \$39,647 and payment of accrued unused sick time in the sum of \$12,055.45.

Even after the struggle between Wallick, who wanted to continue at the library, and the board, who some claim railroaded her out of the job, board president Rick Brandi claims the retirement agreement is fair.

"I think it (the retirement contract) was fair. Fair for both sides. It recognizes the fact that Marybeth has worked there (the library) for 25 years," he said.

Brandi was willing to comment on the specifics of the contract, but was unwilling to discuss the board's rationale behind issuing the proposal.

He said that first of all the decision is a personnel issue and secondly the agreement itself has a

clause that silences both parties.

Brandi said a discussion about the events leading up to the retirement is unnecessary.

"It's time to move forward and think positive and look at this as an opportunity to change directions for the library. Frankly, we have a lot of work to do. There is no time to look back, we need to move forward," he explained.

The library renovation or possible

relocation is one such push forward the board is looking forward to but Brandi claims the project is temporarily on hold as a result of the conflict.

"There needs to be a healing period. I don't think we want to go to the community with a building proposal if there is conflict out there," he said.

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The seventh and eighth grade Charlevoix Middle School bands brought home superior ratings from the state competition recently in Big Rapids. (Above) The band poses in the school gym after the festival. (Right) Two of the band members let the music flow out of their horns during a rehearsal recently at the middle school. Last year the band came home from the festival with an "excellent" rating, after falling just short of a "superior" rating.



Middle school band takes the state rating

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix Middle School seventh and eighth grade band traveled to the State Band/Orchestra Festival in Big Rapids on May 5 and brought home top ratings.

Last year the band performed at the competition and returned with an "excellent" rating, after falling just short of the "superior" rating.

Middle school band director Ralph Rittenhouse said, "This year they would not be denied as they put together a challenging and varied program that showcased the abilities of each section in the band."

Rittenhouse added that the band worked diligently to prepare "Land of the Free" by Ed Harris, "Portrait of a Clown" by Frank Tichelli and "Mini-Suite" by Morton Gould. Rittenhouse said these pieces went well beyond the difficulty level required by festival rules and the judges noticed their efforts.

To kick off the competition the band performed for three performance room judges in the Big Rapids High School auditorium.

They then moved on to the

"This year they would not be denied as they put together a challenging and varied program that showcased the abilities of each section in the band."

Ralph Rittenhouse,
School band director

site reading test and performed two never before seen pieces. Rittenhouse said that the site reading judge complimented the band on their ability to go beyond the fundamentals to higher level performance skills.

Rittenhouse added that the band also received accolades from judges for their sound and balance.

The award winning band has scheduled local performances of their competition selections. For those interested in hearing the ensemble, concerts will take place at 1:30 p.m., May 17 at the Charlevoix Elementary School and at 7 p.m., May 24 at the Charlevoix High School.

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A look back at the public meetings last week



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

The week started out so hopeful for me.

Here it was, not only the week of my birthday, but a week where I thought I was going to actually see some moves toward totally open government in Charlevoix. On Monday night, I was informed that the Charlevoix City Council was going to discuss filling a vacant seat and on Thursday afternoon, the Charlevoix Library Board was going to finally face the public and tell us why they were going to force the librarian into retirement.

But, my hopes quickly faded. For the city council meeting, Courier staff writer Julie Musilek informed me that Charlevoix mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell not only had a person in mind for the vacant seat, he had a few people and council was going to discuss them. This was fantastic, because the last time someone was named to an open

council seat, there was no discussion and no looking for a variety of candidates.

But, the next day I found myself shaking my head in disgust. It turned out, the mayor asked for suggestions for people to fill the seat and, instead of suggestions, council member Norman "Boogie" Carlson just went ahead and made a motion to place William Haggard on council. It was even quickly seconded by council member Bill Bellows.

No discussion, no looking for alternatives. But in this case, there was actually an alternative. Council member Gabe Campbell wanted Charlevoix citizen Bob Timms to fill the seat — Timms is a regular at all the council meetings, Haggard was not present for this meeting. But, Campbell was told he could not recommend Timms because Carlson had already made a motion — without discussion — for Haggard.

To make matters worse, we found out many of the council members already knew how they each were going to vote when it came to this open seat BEFORE THE MEETING! Yes, we had elected public officials discussing the public's business and how they were going to vote outside of a public meeting!

I can understand council picking

a person for the seat in one meeting with little discussion, if there was only one candidate. But, in this case there were at least a couple of candidates and this vote took place without any discussion at all.

And all of the discussion on the matter seems to have taken place outside of the meeting.

I would like to salute Campbell and council member A. J. Witthoef for abstaining from voting on this premature motion.

Fresh from this disappointment, I accompanied Musilek to the Charlevoix Library Board meeting Thursday. For several weeks in this column, I have been demanding answers from the board for their actions against librarian Marybeth Wallick.

In several stories on the matter, the board would not discuss why they seemed to be trying to get rid of Wallick. They declined to answer questions on it and Wallick was even given a retirement proposal, that was not approved by the entire board.

Time and time again, the board and their supporters complained to me, "Let them have their meeting and let them discuss it in public at the meeting like a public body should."

So, here it was — the long-awaited

public meeting.

Just as quickly as the meeting started, the board announced it had reached a retirement agreement with Wallick and they opened the floor for public comment. The board sat silently as members of the public demanded answers.

Then came the moment of the meeting set aside for board discussion on the Wallick matter.

But, no discussion came from the board. Wallick was forced into retirement that day, with no reason given in public.

It turns out, the retirement proposal had a stipulation that would not allow either the board or Wallick to make "disparaging" comments about the other. Brandi said that was part of the reason why board members did not comment.

I say, "Baloney!" The public was not looking for "disparaging" statements from the board that day, they were looking for answers. They did not get any.

All in all, open government did not occur last week.

Added to this is the attitude some public officials have toward this concept of open government. I have heard, since writing on this subject, several statements like, "This is the way it has always been done," usually followed by laughs. I even

heard of one public official saying after the council meeting, "Boy, they really stuck it to Jeremy."

This is not a joke and if that is the way our public officials treat the concept of open government, then this is the sad time for democracy in Charlevoix.

But, maybe they joke out of nervousness as the light of public inquiry is being shined on city hall and all local governments. Maybe they realize the party is over, maybe they realize it is time to pay the piper.

Maybe there is still some hope.

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On another note: Remember to send in your comments for our "What Do You Think?" topic this month. The question is "What do you think about the economy?" Keep it short and remember to sign your comment. Mail it to Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; e-mail it to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com; or just drop it off at our office located at 112 Mason Street.

Letters to the editor

Thank you

Editor:
Thank you.....I know the word has been used to the point of being trite, but for me, the word has recently taken on new meaning. As some of you may be aware, I have recently been removed as librarian for the Charlevoix Public Library. When all of this started to become public, I was quite sure that I would be "avoided" because of the controversy and conflict. The opposite has been the truth. I have been deeply moved at the amount of support and the number of well-wishers. Some are people that I thought did not know or care. People have driven by and given me a thumbs-up. Some have stopped their cars or trucks while I was walking down the sidewalk or across a parking lot

to tell me that they support me. Some people have come in the library just to pat my hand or give me a hug and say that they support me and are praying for me. I have been walking down the sidewalk and people in the stores would give me a thumbs-up and a smile when I went by. The letters, notes and e-mails of support to me personally and to the paper have been put aside to be kept and reread on future occasions.

I am truly awed and humbled by the unflagging loyalty and support of my staff. They have been rock solid for me in all of this quagmire and I could not have lasted without them. I very much appreciate their patience with me as I have not always been "easy" to be around through this. They will always have

a place deep in my heart.

There have been the professionals to help me go through this "process of being retired." It has been overwhelming. There are the "girls" in the school office, my lawyer and the other professionals who have handled this situation each in their own capacity, who were more concerned for me than using the situation to their own advantage. They have provided information and insight and support to get me through when my mind was not functioning at its best. When all else was said and done they were there with hugs and best wishes. The calls from other librarians who have called to ask if there was anything that they could do to help me meant very much.

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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My family, natural and adopted, brothers, sisters and nieces have been supportive to me with their phone calls, e-mails, presence and listening to me rattle on.

There are not adequate words to express how much a smile, a hand held for a minute, a hug, a thumbs-up, a quick question of "How are you holding up?" have meant to me. It makes me reflect on my life and how in the future I will be supportive to others. I have told myself in the past that a quick thumbs-up could not really matter to anyone. I was wrong — it does. All of you have kept my faith in people for me. Every day I ask God to give each of you a special blessing. He knows who you are. Thank you all very much.

Marybeth Wallick
Former Charlevoix Public
Library librarian

Thoughts on the marina

Editor:

While there has been a lot of talk about getting public input via public hearings on the proposed city marina expansion, it seems a significant amount of "study money" and "consulting fees" are already being spent on a very specific project before any of those hearings are held. No wonder the communi-

ty reaction has been so predictably negative.

Now, bear in mind many of us are still reeling from the decision made by our county elected officials to construct a massive multi-million dollar regional jail facility in the middle of a neighborhood with no public input whatsoever. And because there was plenty of taxpayer money already stockpiled, no vote was required. Now, of course, we will continue to shell out for ongoing operating costs that will be required to fund a facility three times the size of the previous jail. But that's another story; it just helps explain our lack of unquestioning enthusiasm.

Let's be realistic. Before any expansion plan will gain community support, it will have to be significantly scaled down to preserve and protect this community's most valuable asset. And frankly, I don't think adding a few dozen slips in Round Lake is the answer to Charlevoix's long term docking needs. What I think could be the answer is the addition of a well planned, new city marina located in the Depot Beach area. A facility which could be large enough to accommodate the needs of recreational and commercial boating interests 20 years from now. A facility which would take advantage of the amenities already there, such as parking, beach and playground areas, while are the same time helping alleviate an already congested

yacht basin downtown, and, equally important, balancing growth in the community by directing at least some new development to the city's north side.

For the past several years, we have been able to rely on private marinas on Lake Charlevoix for much needed additional docking, both large and small. However, this year, demand for seasonal dockage is at an all time high; waiting lists have been created and there are no existing plans, let alone available property for any significant new private marinas to be constructed in the future. There will be very few, if any, docks available at those marinas for transient or short term use. And with that reality this year, you can well imagine the anticipated demand in a short 5 to 10 years from now. Think about it, what good will a mere 30 to 50 additional slips do for us in 2020?

I don't have a problem with spending money now on research, feasibility studies and the like, to properly channel the inevitable future growth in our community in a manner which is both functional, practical and aesthetically pleasing, while at the same time preserving the unique character of our community now and for many years to come. It is quite simply just a matter of focusing on the bigger picture. However, I do object to spending money without taxpayer input; to sacrificing our quality of life under the clever disguise of

economic development; to new construction of public buildings and facilities, and the razing of existing buildings, simply because we have too many taxpayer dollars in the state, county or city coffers; and finally, to projects which strive to satisfy the dreams and schemes of a special interest few at the expense of serving the growing needs of the community at large.

John Yaroch
Charlevoix

Oppose bill

Editor:

Right to Life is at it again, playing political games with the health care of Michigan's women and men.

H.B. 4655, drafted by Right to Life of Michigan lobbyists and introduced by an anti-choice representative, would prevent Planned Parenthood from receiving family

planning funding because Planned Parenthood as an organization provides abortion services, refers clients to abortion providers and advocates for public policy which protects a woman's right to choose. Planned Parenthood does not use "family planning" funds for abortion services or advocacy. Federal audits ensure family planning funds prevent, not pay for abortions.

Economically disadvantaged residents will suffer from lack of health care, and all Michigan residents will pay the price in increased teen pregnancies, abortion and sexually transmitted infection rates if Planned Parenthood's funding is cut.

Let your legislators know you support all of Michigan's citizens' access to health care and that you oppose H.B. 4655.

Deborah Kilborn
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CHARLEVOIX CITY COUNCIL
City Hall, 210 State Street
June 4, 2001 -- 7:00 p.m.**

Reference: A zoning ordinance amendment which provides for a rezoning change from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

Applicant: Robert L. Hoffman
103 Belvedere Avenue
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

The City Council will meet to consider an ordinance which in summary amends the zoning classification of 103 Belvedere Avenue from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

The proposed rezoning application may be viewed at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's office at City Hall during office hours. Oral and written comments from the general public are welcome.

The abbreviated legal description is as follows:

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Blood drive

The American Red Cross will be in Charlevoix on May 31. The bloodmobile will be at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church on the corner of Bridge Street and Meech Street. The hours are from 1 p.m. until 6:45 p.m. Please call 347-5984 to make an appointment or just drop in.

Bake sale

The Women's Guild of Bethany Lutheran Church will sponsor a Homemade Bake Sale at 10 a.m. on May 26 at Glens Market.

Matching funds are being applied for through Lutheran Brotherhood Tip of the Mitt Branch 8959. This is one of many projects to procure kitchen appliances in the new church facility.

Republican dinner

The Charlevoix County Republican Party Dinner is at the Grey

Gables Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue, in Charlevoix on May 30. The cost is \$25 per person. The reception begins at 6 p.m. with dinner to follow at 7 p.m. Guest speaker is Lt. Governor Dick Posthumus. Please call John Haggard at 547-4046 (work) or 547-6600 (home) with your menu selection as soon as possible. Choices are whitefish, prime rib or shrimp stuffed chicken breasts.

Vietnam Vets fund-raiser

Tommy Vale and the Torpedos with music from the 50's 60's and 70's are making an appearance Sunday, May 20 from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Petoskey Middle School located at 801 Northman Dr. in Petoskey. The ticket price is \$10 at the door. Call Sue at 1-800-801-6416 for more in-

formation. Proceeds go to the Northern Michigan Vietnam Veterans 68.

Flag disposal ceremony

The Charlevoix Cub Scouts Pack 11 will be conducting a Flag Disposal Ceremony at its May 21 meeting. This ceremony is for those flags that are no longer serviceable to individuals or businesses in our community.

If any individual or business has a flag that needs to be disposed of you can bring it to the pack meeting or call (231) 547-6882 to arrange for pick-up.

The community is invited to attend the May 21, 7 p.m. pack meeting at the Charlevoix Elementary School located on Division Street.

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Luepnitz retires as airport manager

By JEREMY MCBAIN
 Editor

After three-and-a-half years managing the municipal airport, Loraine Luepnitz retired from her post early this month.

Luepnitz's decision to retire comes at the same time as her husband's, Carl Luepnitz, retirement from his job as a veterinarian with Jensen's Animal Hospital.

Luepnitz said she has no plans for her retirement.

"We are looking forward to traveling and enjoying all the benefits of northern Michigan," she said.

The airport manager position is part time. According to Luepnitz, its duties include improving the image of the airport, improving the facilities and developing its assets to the community.

The position requires a license from the state, she added.

Luepnitz said her biggest achievement in the time she has been at the airport has been the building of a new airport terminal.

"It is probably the most significant thing the public can relate to," she said.

Upon her retirement, the city announced the hiring of her replacement, Karyn Brooks.

According to Charlevoix city manager Mike Wiesner, Brooks has



Loraine Luepnitz recently retired from her position as airport manager. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

some great managerial experience and should be able to learn the airport end of the job in a reasonable amount of time.

As for Luepnitz, Wiesner said, "She did a fine job for us."

Luepnitz did have one piece of advice for Brooks; be patient.

"I have found that it takes patience to accomplish things. You are always dealing with various levels of government," she said.

Official Notice

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on May 9, 2001, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

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GVSU dean's list

Lindsay McDonough, daughter of Tim and Denise McDonough of Beaver Island, was named to the dean's list at Grand Valley State University. McDonough is a sophomore at the university majoring in finance and business management.

Cranbrook position

Nicole Moore, a 1994 graduate of Charlevoix High School, recently accepted an English faculty position at Cranbrook Academy in Bloomfield Hills. She graduated with undergraduate honors at Mount Holyoke in Massachusetts and she studied in England at both Oxford and York, receiving a masters in medieval studies a year ago.

Outdoor leadership school completion

Ann Campbell, of Charlevoix, completed a 94 day semester in the Rocky Mountains with the National Outdoor Leadership School last fall. The school is located in Lander, Wyo.

Births

Gerrit Robert VanderArk, weighing 8 pounds, 14 ounces, was born to Bradley and Kimberly VanderArk of Ellsworth on May 8 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Abigail RaeAnn, weighing 8 pounds, was born to Jeremy and Angela Blakely of Boyne City on May 9 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Abigail has a brother, Devon, at home.

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Obituaries

Alice I. Bellinger: July 28, 1906 - Jan. 28, 2001

Alice I. Bellinger, 94, of Charlevoix and Zephyrhills, Fla. died, Jan. 28, 2001 at Pasco Regional Medical Center in Dade City, Fla.

A memorial service will be at 10 a.m., May 19 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Philip G. Schairbaum will officiate.

Interment will be in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Alice was born on July 28, 1906 in Boyne City, the daughter of James and Sarah (Jones) McNeal. She graduated from Boyne City

High School and then went on to attend Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti.

On Sept. 20, 1931 she married Charles Bellinger in Boyne City. He preceded her in death on April 18, 2000.

Alice was one of the organizers and the first president of the Women's Club of Charlevoix. She was a member of the First Congregational Church where she played the organ for 30 years, a life member of Charlevoix Chapter 72 Order of the Eastern Star and a life member of the Grand

Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star Michigan.

Survivors include her son Donald (Barbara) Bellinger, of Elk Rapids; six grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Besides her husband Charles, in 1976 Alice was preceded in death by a son, Joseph.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix. Envelopes will be available at the church.

Arrangements are being handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Oscar Boss: March 29, 1915 - May 11, 2001

Oscar Boss, 86, of Howell and formerly of Clawson died May 11.

He was born in Charlevoix on March 29, 1915 to Edward and Grace (Klooster) Boss.

He was the loving husband of the late Fern Joyce (Thomas); dear

father of Gary (Kathy), Wayne (Sandy), Bryan (Kathi), Gayle (Glen) Gillett, Mike (Sue) and Dan (Dawn); grandfather of 19 and great-grandfather of eight and dear brother of Jake Boss, Lawrence Boss and Margaret Smith.

He was preceded in death by sister Edna Essenberg and John Boss. Funeral services took place May 14 in Brighton.

Memorials are suggested to the Howell Nazarene Christian School.

Samuel Kelly: June 23, 1910 - May 11, 2001

Samuel Kelly, 90, of Charlevoix, died May 11, 2001 at Grandvue Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

The funeral will take place at 1 p.m. today at the Winchester Funeral Home. The Rev. Harold E. Kruse Jr. will officiate and burial will be in Brookside Cemetery.

Sam was born June 23, 1910 in County Armagh, Ireland, the son of Alexander and Elizabeth (Brown) Kelly. He moved to

Toronto, Ontario with his family as a young boy, then moved to Detroit in 1922.

On May 29, 1937 he married the former Vera Anne Campbell. During World War II he trained and raised carrier pigeons for the war effort.

He moved to Charlevoix in 1946. He worked most of his life as a meat cutter and cook in several Charlevoix area businesses.

He was a member of the Iron-

ton Congregational Church and he enjoyed gardening.

Vera preceded him in death in 1983. He was also preceded in death by five brothers and three sisters.

Sam is survived by his daughters, Beverly McClanaghan and Gail (Gary) Smith, all of Charlevoix; sons, Don Kelly and Delbert (Maryann) Kelly, all of Charlevoix and Paul Kelly of Phoenix, Ariz.; 14 grandchildren and 21 great-grandchildren.

Mary E. Lucas: Nov. 11, 1904 - May 7, 2001

Mary E. "Mac" Lucas, 96, of Charlevoix, died May 7 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

A Mass of the Resurrection was on May 11 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Thomas A. Neis officiated and burial followed at St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mae was born Nov. 11, 1904 in Cleveland, Ohio, the daughter of William and Mary (Smatlack) Kolar.

She spent her childhood in the Cleveland area and graduated from Fairfax High School. Mae went on to attend one year in Normal College before she

had to return home to help her mother with her youngest brother.

On Jan. 8, 1926 Mae eloped with John Joseph Lucas in St. Petersburg, Fla. He preceded her in death on Nov. 14, 1984.

The couple owned a grocery store and butcher shop in Cleveland until 1950 when they moved to Charlevoix. Mary was a member of St. Mary's Church and St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society.

Survivors include three daughters; Jacqueline (Charles) Meier, Jeanette (John) Moran, both of Charlevoix and Barbara

(William) Gleason of Brook Park, Ohio; one son, John Robert (Judy) Lucas of Kodiak, Alaska; 16 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren; 11 great-great-grandchildren and one brother, Robert (Dorothy) Kolar of Palatka, Fla.

Mae was preceded in death by a great-grandson, Johnny Moran; one sister, Pauline Shadko; one brother, William Kolar.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's School, St. Mary's playground or masses may be offered for her.

Homer Struthers: Died May 7, 2001

Homer Struthers died in Red Bluff, Calif. on May 7, 2001 at Mercy Medical Center in Redding, Calif.

He was 85 years old, having been born in Charlevoix in 1915.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Andrew Ross Struthers and Ursula (Kopf) Struthers and two sisters, Edith (Struthers) Curtis and Dorothy (Struthers) G'Schwend.

Homer was a graduate of

Charlevoix High School where he played varsity sports.

As a young boy he played and worked on the family farm along the shores of Susan Lake with his canine companion "Buster."

Among many happy memories Homer had of Charlevoix was fishing on Susan Lake. He would tie the fishing line around his big toe then row the boat around the lake until he had enough fish for dinner.

This practice stopped when he caught an unusually large pike by trolling this way and the soreness of the toe caused him to find other means of fishing.

In recent years he enjoyed renewing a friendship and communicated often with his cousin Ruth (Struthers) Berg and surely reminiscing about the "good old days" and growing up on Susan Lake.

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Make Time to Worship

Charlevoix Area Church Services

ASSEMBLY OF GOD M-66 South		THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AMERICAN BAPTIST CHURCH M-66 South of U.S. 31	
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.	Sunday School	11:00 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121 or 5765
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor Mike Mitchell	547-4430		

BARNARD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Barnard at Klooster Road		FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAY SHORE US 31 North	
Church School	9:00 a.m.	Worship & Children's Worship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:15 a.m.	Minister: Morris Cole	547-5728
Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	536-2161		

BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 1407 Bridge Street		FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST State St. at Park Ave.	
Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:00 a.m.
Pastor Michael Teuscher	547-9446	(winter)	11:00 a.m.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH M-66		GOLDEN RULE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH 0744 Old U.S. 31 North	
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Service	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	(winter)	11:00 a.m.
Thursday Evening	7:00 p.m.	Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
Pastor: James Green	547-4300	Pastor: Phillip G. Schairbaum	547-9122 or 5803

CHARLEVOIX UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 104 State Street		GREENSKY HILL INDIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Old U.S. 31 North	
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Fellowship	10:30 a.m.
Pastor: Todd Thompson	547-2654 or 5168	Pastor: Geri Litchfield	582-9262

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH State Street at Clinton		HIDDEN SPRINGS COMMUNITY CHURCH Marion Township Hall, Marion Center Rd.	
Sunday Worship Service	10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
& Holy Communion	10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
Holy Communion	Wednesday 12:15 p.m.	Pastor: Alan K. Leese	237-9204
Fr. E. James Gunn	547-6322		

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY 205 Clinton Street		IRONTON CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Ironton	
Sunday Service	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Sunday School	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Meeting	7:00 p.m.	June, July & August	10:00 a.m.
Reading Room - Wednesday	2:30-6:30 p.m.	Pastor: Michael C. Smith	547-3008
		Pastor: Harold E. Kruse	599-2321

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Corner of U.S. 31 and Waller Rd.		NORWOOD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Norwood	
Sunday School	11:00 a.m.	Sunday School	11:30 a.m.
Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	10:15 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Eugene Baughan	536-2161
Wednesday Service	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor: Duane Nelson	547-5711		

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD 202 W. Hurbit		SAFE HARBOR SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH US-31 & Old US-31	
Sunday School	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Rev. Neil Turner	547-2875	Interim Pastor: Joe Norris	547-6283

ELLSWORTH WESLEYAN CHURCH Corner of Elm & Park - Ellsworth		ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH South Bridge Street	
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Saturday Night Mass	5:30 p.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Evening before Holy Days	7:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Masses	8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.	Father Tom Neis	547-6652
Pastor: Rev. Chris Wallace	588-7455		

FAMILY OF FAITH MINISTRIES 203 E. Upright		TEMPLE B'NAI ISRAEL Corner Michigan & Waukaroo Petoskey	
Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.	Rabbinic Intern Yael Splansky	347-8740 or 348-3920
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	President: Hal Willens	347-8033
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.	Greeting	7:45 p.m.
Pastor: Philip Starks	547-4221	Friday Service	8:00 p.m.
Parsonage	547-3852		

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Collection starting for Hospice Auction

The process of collecting hundreds of items for the June 8 Hospice Auction to fund hospice services in Charlevoix, Emmet and Antrim counties is well underway and some interesting things have already been donated.

For example, hospice director Margaret Lasater was able to obtain a certificate from the Mackinac Bridge Authority for two people to go up one of the bridge's towers — 552 feet above the water. Very few of these certificates are made available during the year and this one will go to the highest bidder.

Going up one of the towers is not for everyone. The bridge authority warns that one should be able to tolerate extreme heights, confined spaces and be physically capable of climbing a ladder

of 40 feet.

An alternative item to bid on is a winter raft trip down the Jordan River, complete with a snowshoe hike. The raft trip is being donated by Jordan Valley Outfitters of East Jordan.

The auction will begin at 5 p.m., June 8 at the Boyne Mountain Convention Center.

A donation of \$20 provides entry to the silent and live auctions, hors d'oeuvres and a \$500 grand prize.

Auctioneers Jeff Macfarlane and Jim White will handle the live auction.

Auction tickets are available from Boyne Country Books in Boyne City, Busy Bridge Antiques in East Jordan, the Clothing Company in Charlevoix and at the door the night of the event.

5K Run/Walk for pool to be June 2 at country club

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool (CACP) will have its Seventh Annual 5K Run/Walk and 10K Run starting at 9 a.m., June 2 at the Charlevoix Country Club.

May 29 is the pre-entry deadline. The race entry fees are \$10 and \$12 on the day of the race. Registration on the day of the race will be open at 8 a.m.

All participants who are pre-registered will receive an official race

T-shirt.

Medals for first, second and third places will be awarded in each age group for both men and women. Medals will also be awarded to the top two finishers, male or female in both the 5K and 10K races.

Proceeds from the event will go to the pool.

For more information or to receive an entry form contact Al Gooch at the pool, 547-0982.

Official Notice

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS MAY 7, 2001 - 7:00 P.M.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members present.

Appointed William Haggard as Councilman for the 1st Ward to replace Councilman Bernie DeVries who resigned April 25, 2001.

May 14-19, 2001 proclaimed as "Plant-A-Tree Week."

Waived launch fees for the Charlevoix Area Trout Tournament.

Bids awarded for petunia weeding services, purchase of backhoe and rental of porta-johns.

Approved Contract with Mead and Hunt, Inc. for updates to the airport layout plan.

Approved Michigan Coastal Management Program Grant Agreement with DEQ.

Approved June 4, 2001 Public Hearing date to consider request to change the zoning of 621 and 615 Petoskey Avenue from "R-1" to "R-2"; AND a request from Hoffman and Soderberg/Kirby to change the zoning of 103 Belvedere and 103 Apt. A Belvedere from "PO" to "CBD."

Approved May 21, 2001 Public Hearing date to consider request to transfer three tax abatements from CPI Products LLC to CPI Products Inc.

Council adjourned at 8:06 p.m.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

Obituaries

John J. Zeitler, Jr.: May 11, 1916 - April 24, 2001

John J. Zeitler Jr., 84, of Port Charlotte, Fla. (Arcadia) died April 24. He was born May 11, 1916 in Charlevoix and moved to Florida in 1973 from Oxford, Mr. Zeitler was an equipment operator and retired from Oxford American Aggregates in Oxford.

He was a member of the Moose Lodge 2121 of Port Charlotte and he was a member of the Teamster Union. He served in the Army

during World War II.

He attended San Antonio's Catholic Church in Port Charlotte.

Survivors include his wife, Bonnie; three sons John G. Zeitler and Richard Zeitler, both of Punta Gorda, Fla. and Bud Zeitler of Oxford; two sisters, Theresa Shawhan of Carlsbad, Calif., Janice Raymond of Scottsdale, Ariz.; four grandchildren, Lisa Moran of

Swartz Creek, Christopher Zeitler of Punta Gorda, Fla., Bill Zeitler of North Branch and Tom Clubbine of Dearborn and four great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be at the Royal Palm Memorial Gardens in Punta Gorda at a later date.

Memorial donations in lieu of flowers may be made to Hospice of Southwest Florida, 5955 Rand Boulevard, Sarasota, FL 34238.

Edward Frank Eldredge: Died May 1, 2001

Edward Frank Eldredge, 86, a resident of both Grosse Pointe Farms and Charlevoix, died May 1 at the Bon Secour Nursing Care Center in St. Clair Shores.

Edward was born the son of Gertrude Carter Eldredge and Frank Eldredge. He graduated from Eastern High School in Detroit and attended Wayne State University in Detroit.

He went on to become the captain of the 51st EVAC Hospital. He then retired from his position as general surgeon at Bon Secours Hospital and Chief Medical

Staff.

Edward was a busy practicing physician and a leader in the local medical community.

His family was a priority to him. He spent a lot of time at home with his wife, Lorraine, and his children, as well as taking them sailing and traveling to Europe and across the United States.

His hobbies and interests included; membership in the American College of Surgeons, the American Medical Association, the Wayne County Medical Society, the Detroit Boat Club, the

Charlevoix Yacht Club, the Charlevoix Township Fire Department and the Kiwanis Club.

Edward is the father of five daughters; Patricia (Thomas) Koleski, Barbara (Robert) Everett, Kathe (William) DiVirgil, Martha (Larry) Fox and Mary Beth (Michael) Brennan; and one son, Douglas (Nancy) Eldredge. He also has nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

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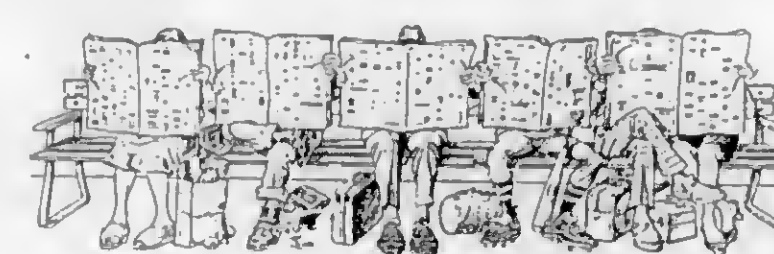
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Some choices for anesthesia in the delivery room

**Mike MacMillan,
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Congratulations, you are having a baby! It is an exciting and probably a little frightening time in your life.

You will have many questions about what is happening to your body, how your baby is developing and, as the pregnancy progresses, how uncomfortable delivery will be. The best source to receive answers for these questions will be your obstetrical physician.

When it comes to using anesthesia in childbirth, most women will fall into one of three categories: those who are quite certain that they will want pain relief, those who are unsure of their pain relief options and those who prefer to give birth "naturally," without any pain relief.

No matter which category you fall into, it is important for

you to know how anesthesia and pain relief is used in labor and delivery. Even if you fall into the last category, remember, it is a woman's privilege to change her mind. No two women experience childbirth in quite the same way, so it is important to keep your options open. Every woman should be prepared for the possibility of needing an anesthetic.

Obstetrical anesthesia is different from any other type of anesthesia in that there are two patients involved, you and the baby. It is important that both individuals be taken into account when discussing anesthesia options.

Another factor that we consider is that labor is unpredictable. It can range anywhere from relatively quick and easy to painful and exhausting. Everyone experiences pain differently. Only you will know the level of pain you are experiencing, you should never feel guilty for asking for pain relief.

The goal of an anesthetic in labor is to provide enough relief to allow you to deliver your baby with a minimal amount of pain and anxiety, leaving you

free to fully participate in the experience. It is also important that you are able to push when the time comes. The anesthetic should not stop contractions or make your baby sleepy.

There are several different forms of anesthesia that are appropriate for childbirth. They may be used independently or in conjunction with one another. Let me stress that the decision to use a particular type of anesthetic must be decided upon between you and your obstetrical physician. Your obstetrical physician has the experience to assess the progress of labor, the condition of you and the baby, and make a recommendation for the appropriate method of pain relief.

Sedatives or narcotics administered as an injection or intravenously may be used during the early part of labor. These will help to reduce the pain of labor but will not eliminate the pain completely. They are also used to ease the anxiety that sometimes accompanies the delivery process.

Local anesthetics can be used to make you feel more comfortable for delivery and suture

placement, if you need them.

Epidural anesthesia is a local anesthetic delivered through a tiny tube (catheter) placed in the small of your back, just outside the spinal canal. An advantage to the epidural is that it allows most women to fully participate in the birth experience (continue to feel touch and pressure) while relieving most of the labor pain. In most cases the epidural will be started when the cervical dilation is four to five centimeters.

Spinal anesthesia is administered with a needle into the spinal canal. Its effects are felt much faster. You will become numb and may need assistance in moving during delivery. Spinal anesthetics are often used for cesarean section.

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lief until delivery.

General anesthesia is administered by injecting anesthetic drugs intravenously and having the patient breath anesthetic gases. A general anesthetic is most often used when complications arise during labor and delivery and a cesarean section must be performed.

An anesthesia provider will be the individual administering the epidural, CSE, spinal or general anesthetic. Prior to administering the appropriate anesthetic they will discuss your health history, medications, allergies, explain the procedure and mention the risks involved with the chosen anesthetic.

The better prepared you are before labor and delivery, the more rewarding the entire birth experience will be for you. Please do not hesitate to discuss your options with your obstetrical physician or call one of the certified registered nurse anesthetists at Charlevoix Area Hospital if you have any questions.

Mike MacMillan, head of anesthesia at Charlevoix Area Hospital, can be contacted at the hospital at 547-4024.

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Lack of council debate for open seat confuses

By **JULIE MUSILEK**
Staff Writer

On May 7 Charlevoix City Council appointed former councilman William Haggard, 64, to a vacant first ward seat left open on April 25 when former city resident Bernie DeVries resigned.

However, the speedy appointment did not receive unanimous support from council — second ward representative, Gabe Campbell and third ward representative A.J. Witthoft abstained from the vote.

Campbell said that he didn't like the way the appointment went, claiming Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell should have notified him of that evening's appointment prior to the meeting.

However, Campbell wasn't the only council member who was left in the dark. Prior to the May 7 meeting Russell said that the seat would remain vacant until the May 21 council meeting. But when he got to city hall he was notified that first ward councilman, Norman "Boogie" Carlson, was ready to make a motion to nominate Haggard to the seat.

Carlson said that Haggard's experience as a former councilman of six years played a part in his decision.

When motion time came around, the lack of inter-council communication showed. Prior to Carlson making the motion to appoint Haggard, council members did not discuss the qualifications of the three possible candidates for the open

seat. "There should have been some discussion prior to that (the appointment)," Campbell said.

Instead, Carlson made a motion to appoint Haggard, second ward councilman Bill Bellows seconded the motion and the seat belonged to Haggard.

But, Campbell had former first ward councilman Bob Timms in mind for appointment. And, after the motion was seconded, by Bellows, he tried to make a second motion to appoint Timms.

But Russell told Campbell that after a motion has been seconded another motion pertaining to the same issue cannot be put on the

table so the motion to appoint Haggard carried.

"I like Bill Haggard but, I have been on council for seven years and have never seen him at a meeting. He wasn't even there. If I was going to be appointed to council I think I would have been there," Campbell said.

Witthoft said that he also abstained on behalf of Timms who had contacted him prior to the meeting.

Carlson said that Timms had also contacted him in regards to the opening, but had done so after Haggard.

"It's council's prerogative to choose who they want. I would

have liked to have been appointed," Timms said.

"It's one of those things I would think we would kick around the table a little bit before making a decision."

Timms added that as of now he isn't sure whether or not he will run for the first ward seat come election time.

Haggard who is co-partner in the Charlevoix based business, Haggard's Plumbing and Heating said he is looking forward to doing his part.

"I plan to go along with everyone else and see that we do a good job there. I'm not out to raise any commotion," he added.

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Student art show

The Space Odyssey 2001 Art Show showcased the talents of students from all three Charlevoix public schools. At left, student Rose Trudeau checks out the portraits lining the walls of the school May 10. The display started on the same day. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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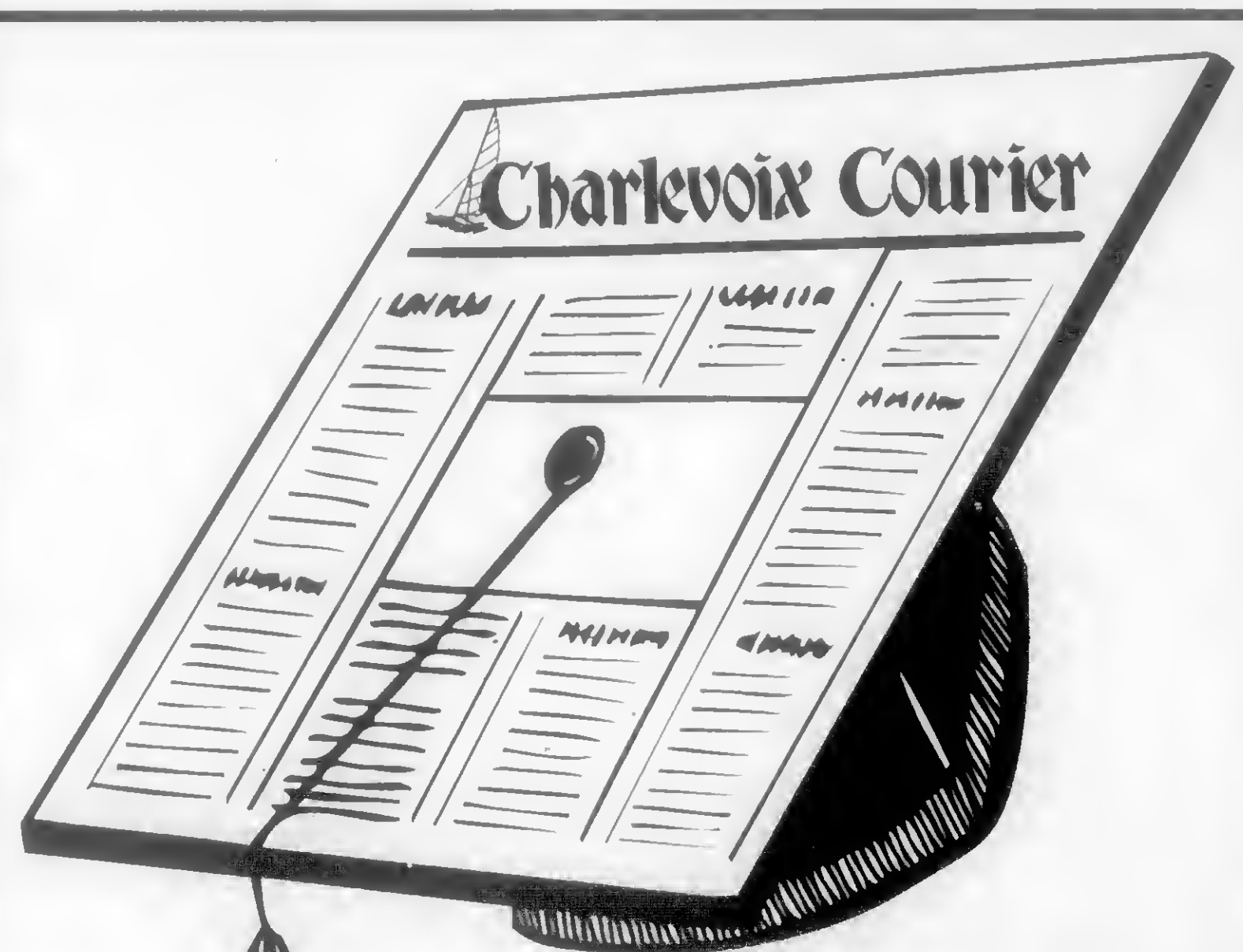
strategies for: ensuring customer satisfaction, enlisting employee support, aligning your product and evaluating the customer experience.

This half day of training will be at the Inn at Bay Harbor from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Thursday.

The Charlevoix Area and Petoskey Regional chambers of commerce are co-sponsoring this event.

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Northwest Academy band stays busy throughout May

The Northwest Academy Advanced Band and Jazz Band spent the first week of May spreading music around northern Michigan.

On May 1 the bands performed at the East Jordan Grandvue Care Facility and the Bellaire Meadowbrook Care Facility.

On May 2 the bands traveled to Mackinac Island and performed for the Mackinac Island Public Schools.

On May 3 the bands traveled to Beaver Island and performed for the Beaver Island Public Schools and hosted an evening concert for the public. After the show, the Northwest students stayed in the gymnasium overnight and returned to Charlevoix on May 4.

Northwest band director Gary Stutzman said, "We are currently working on a plan to use the classroom satellite T.V. system to help

the Beaver Island schools start a beginning band program for next fall."

During the evening on May 4 the Jazz All Stars finished their whirlwind tour with a fund-raising performance at the McCune Arts Center in Petoskey, where they had been invited to perform, by the Four Man Fishin' Tackle Choir.

The Petoskey performance helped to raise money for their national competition.

Stutzman said many audience members approached the band members after their performance with praise for their precision and authentic replication of the many tunes from the swing era.

He added, "I am very proud of the student's dedication and hard work that has brought them to such a high level of proficiency in such a short time."

Band concerts for auditorium

Charlevoix High School and Middle School bands will be having their spring concerts to benefit the "Reach for the Stars" campaign, which will help build a new auditorium for Charlevoix students.

The high school concert will begin at 7 p.m., May 17 in the high school gym. The jazz band will also be performing. A cookie and punch social will follow.

The middle school concert will begin at 7:30 p.m., May 24 in the high school gym. The seventh and eighth grade bands will be performing their state award winning musical pieces. The sixth grade band will also perform. A cookie and punch social will follow.

A \$3 donation will be accepted at the door before the performances.



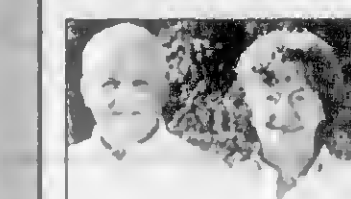
Peter Rabbit came hopping to school

Kindergarten classes presented Peter Rabbit on May 8 and May 9 as a Mother's Day treat. This photo is Mrs. Priess' kindergarten class presenting the performance in front of a group of parents and friends on May 8. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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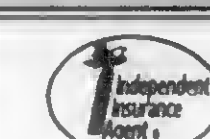
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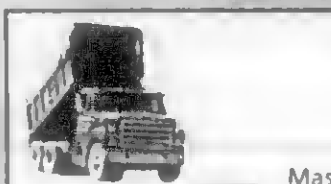
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The "Kick Off Series" will feature three lunches hosted by the Charlevoix Country Club. Local authors and artists including: Edith Gilbert, Roy Schallenberg, Norman Brumm and Russ and Sue Bolt will be present.

On June 13 the topic will be, "The Early Scoop on Venetian Festival 2001." Venetian board president Dan Barron and other board members will preview this year's

upcoming expanding events line-up.

Plans are also completed for a summer series to take place July 18 and 25 and Aug. 1 and 15. Scheduled dates for the fall series include: Aug. 29, Sept. 5 and Oct. 3.

"Charlevoix's pool of artistic talent runs very deep and unfortunately too often goes unappreciated. Our local talent is as good as there is in any community in the country and their accomplishments and contributions are simply amazing. I've had the pleasure of working with them for many years and am proud to have them be from Charlevoix," Jacqueline Merta, executive director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, said.

The presentation is offered for free and the lunch will be provided at a charge.

For additional information on the lunch series contact Dean Davenport at 547-6433 or 547-9796.



Plant sale

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will be having a plant sale from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 26 at 807 Dixon Avenue. Pictured are Marge Dinwiddle, Karen Campbell and Lois Lewis getting ready for the event. For more information call 547-1978. (Courtesy photo)

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SPORTS

Rayders baseball team splits two doubleheaders at home and away

BY ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix Rayders split two doubleheaders last week in Lake Michigan Conference action.

At Traverse City St. Francis, the Rayders lost game one 9-4, but rebounded to take the nightcap, 7-2.

At home against Boyne City, Charlevoix won game one, 10-5 and lost a thriller in game two, 7-6.

In the opener, St. Francis scored one in the second and five in the third inning to open a 6-0 lead that the Rayders couldn't overcome.

The Gladiators' Jim Urban stroked a two-run homer and pitched a complete game for the win. Dennis Avery and Mike Kilkenny each had two hits for Charlevoix.

Jeremiah Teuscher got the Rayders

back on track in the second game, striking out seven and yielding only four hits and one walk in a complete game victory. Chris Loper hit a solo homer and the Teuscher brothers, Jeremiah and Nate, each had two hits.

Avery starred for Charlevoix in game one against Boyne City, hitting a double and a two-run homer in support of his own fine pitching. Avery and Jeremiah Teuscher combined to give up only five hits and three walks, striking out eight.

Jeremiah Teuscher, Rob Boss and Matt Horon all singled and doubled for the Rayder cause. Nate Teuscher had two singles and Mike Kochanny belted a three-run blast in the second inning to get things started. Avery's record on the mound is now 5-0.

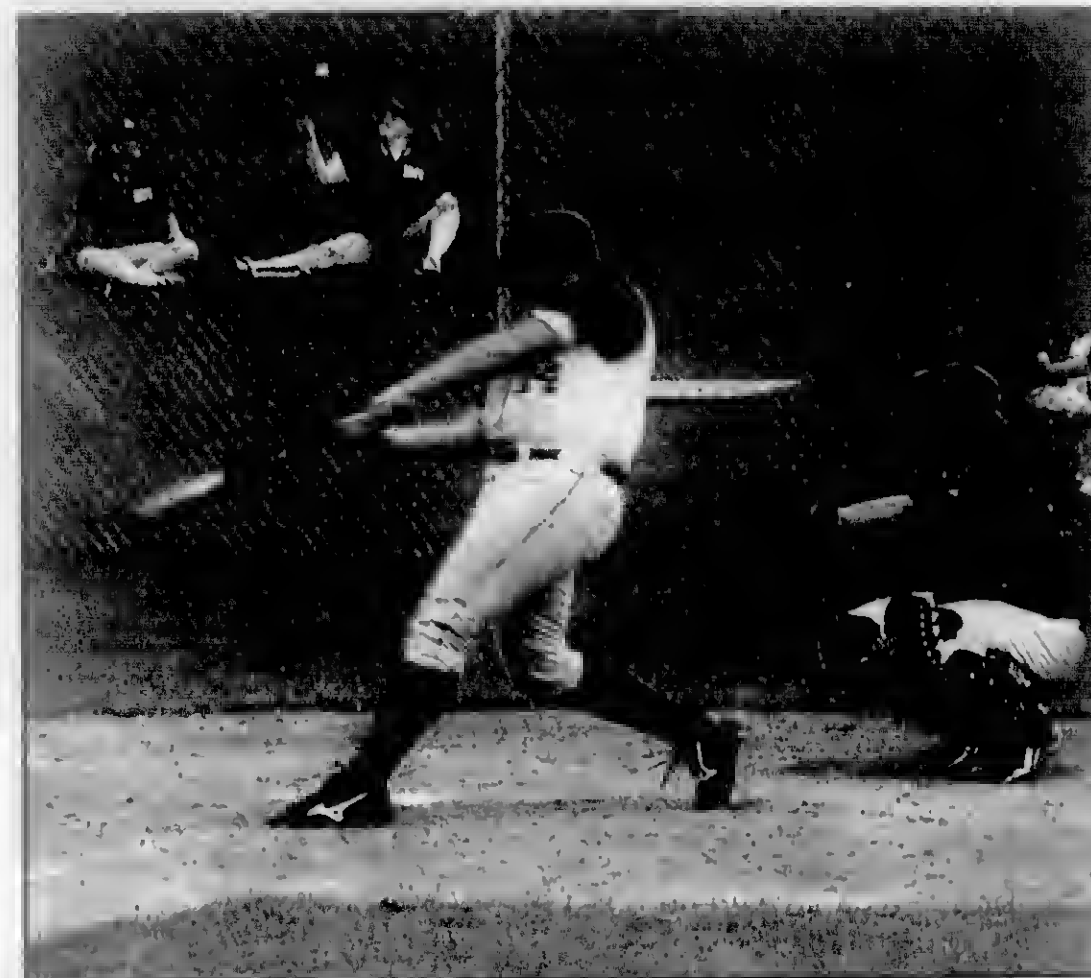
In the nightcap, the Rayders jumped out to a 4-1 lead on two-run

home runs by Horon and Loper. In the fifth, Loper tired on the mound, giving up three Rambler runs to tie the game, 4-4.

But in the top of the seventh, the Rayders rallied with Avery hitting a leadoff single. Nate Teuscher reached on an error and following a wild pitch, Jeremiah Teuscher and Horon each hit sacrifice flies to put Charlevoix up, 6-4.

Following a strikeout and a hit batsman, Boyne had three straight hits to score three runs to pull out the dramatic 7-6 win.

The Rayders are now 14-5 overall and 6-4 in the conference. On Wednesday, they host Petoskey for a single game. Next Tuesday, Cheboygan visits Charlevoix for a double-header.



Chris Loper smacks a home run in a Rayder baseball game last week. (Photo by Rob Boss)

Softball team swept in doubleheaders last week

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix Rayders were swept in two doubleheaders last week. They fell to Traverse City St. Francis, 13-0 and 16-5 and to Boyne City, 15-1 and 13-3.

Against conference powerhouse St. Francis, the Rayders opened with a bang as Meghan Vogel led off the game with a single.

She stole second and third but was left stranded.

Charlevoix could only manage one other hit, a third inning single by Katie Yager.

In the nightcap, Vogel again got on base to open the game, this time hit by a pitch. She stole second and third and scored on a Shawna Flowers single. She then stole second, moved to third on a groundout and stole home for a 2-0 Rayder lead.

St. Francis scored one in its half of the first and four more in the second to take a 5-1 lead.

Charlevoix answered with one in

the third on singles by Vogel, Klieber and Melissa Fitzgerald.

The Gladiators broke loose in the fourth, scoring 11 times to put the game out of reach. Klieber tripled and scored on a Morrison single to close out the scoring.

Boyne City jumped out early in game one of the twinbill with Charlevoix, taking advantage of four Rayder errors to take a 7-0 lead in the first. The lone Charlevoix run scored in the third on singles by Krystal Meredith, Klieber and Yager.

Yager and Morrison each had two hits for the game.

Boyne scored two in the first in the second game but the Rayders tied it up in the third on singles by Meredith, Klieber and Yager. The Ramblers responded, however, with one in the third, four in the fourth and the coup de grace with six in the fifth for the victory.

Morrison's RBI double, plating Jessica Pettis closed the scoring for Charlevoix. Meredith had two hits for the Rayders.

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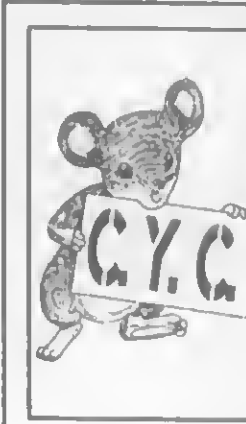
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Wednesday night sailboat races to kick off



A. Nony Mouse

'Yachting notes'

Thirteen early birds came out for the first Charlevoix Yacht Club (practice) races of 2001: the year that your beloved but misguided editor would call the first year of the Millennium.

Note the use of the plural "races"; contrary to the spring, summer and fall series tradition of just one race but with different starts for each class, three races all starting at the same times were sailed. All thus had a chance to improve their starting techniques and renew any rusty sailing skills.

At least a few skippers were making their first starts in a boat new to them. Bill Kenifick showed up in HOOTIE, a Peterson One-Ton that he started rebuilding sometime in the last century. Mark Pirie, of MY-JOY fame, is the proud new owner of a C&C 110, WINDRUNNER. Don Bowerman gave up the race committee slot to introduce his P-26 - is it ARTEMIS, Don? Peter Funck has switched from the Big

Boat Fleet (KAMIKAZE) to the hot J-22 Fleet, but we don't yet know the name of the new one so let's just call it BLUE FUNCK.

Speaking of the J-22s, nine started. While we are not scoring this (or next week's) practice race, rumor has it that SUPERFLUOUS looked very fast but HUSSY, FIRST DATE, SWINE FLEW, TOO RECKLESS, HS MOISTURE MISSILE, THUNDERSTRUCK and BLUE FUNCK all look like contenders.

Given fair weather this Wednesday (A. Nony's forecast is for about 70 degrees with, perhaps, a sprinkle) should bring out close to 20 starters. If you enjoy watching a series of short races (better photo-ops than on longer races) expect the first start at about 6 p.m.

The following Wednesday, May 23, is the first race of the six race spring series.

Skippers, please remember that the race fee must be paid prior to the start or your finish will not be recorded! Of course, your full or sustaining membership must also be current prior to the start - a bald headed representative of the membership committee will be at the club this Friday evening, very willing to receive and process, in time for that start, your renewals or new memberships. After that, no guarantees!

The Sunday Sunfish Spring Series (say it fast, three times) consisting of four race days, often with more than one race per day, starts June 17. Some practice races will be June 10. If we can believe the local grapevine, the first race each Sunday will be for juniors and/or novices. We'll have more about time, start location(s) and other details later this month.

The Barnes Beach Marina is reported to be accumulating Sunfishes (the "es" is per Commodore Valerie) at an alarming rate so as to have one or two available for use by any member who would like to try just this "just plain fun" sailing.

Non-members are invited to visit and introduce themselves this Friday; Darsi Spencley will be the host and assist you in getting acquainted. While membership opens the door to opportunities to crew or be a consultant in the on the water Treasure Hunt and other, you're welcome even if you're scared to death of boats.

Come on down anytime after 6 p.m., we're at 209 Ferry, across from the Foster Boat Works Condos.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the "warm" months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.



A couple of the boats that took part in the first practice race of the season. (Photo by A. Nony Mouse)

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Conservation

Cub Scouts from Pack 11, Den 4, participated in a den conservation project for the second year in a row recently. They cleaned up the trash at Lake Michigan Beach. They are: (front, from left) Ian Gauthier, Michael Lamoreaux, Jake Waterman, Adam Travers, (back row) assistant den leader Brad Waterman, Jason Price, den leader Julie Waterman and Christopher Blackburn. (Courtesy photo)

Track team has strong finishes

The Charlevoix boys' track team put on a strong performance May 12 in Houghton Lake.

According to coach Ken Plude, the team was trying to get some quality results as they get ready for regionals this Saturday in East Jordan.

They accomplished just that.

Plude was very happy with the team and specifically pointed out Rory Gnatkowski, Gordie Selph and Tim Daining.

Gnatkowski set a meet record in the pole vault with a 13 foot, 1 inch jump.

Selph came in second in the 300 meter hurdles with a time of 42.5 seconds and third in the 1600 meter with a time of 4 minutes and 41 seconds.

Daining came in fifth in the 800 meter run with a time of 2 minutes, 6 seconds.

Added to these fine finishes, was the two mile relay teams third place score. The team was composed of Selph, Daining, Josh Popenhagen and Peter Gorkiewicz.

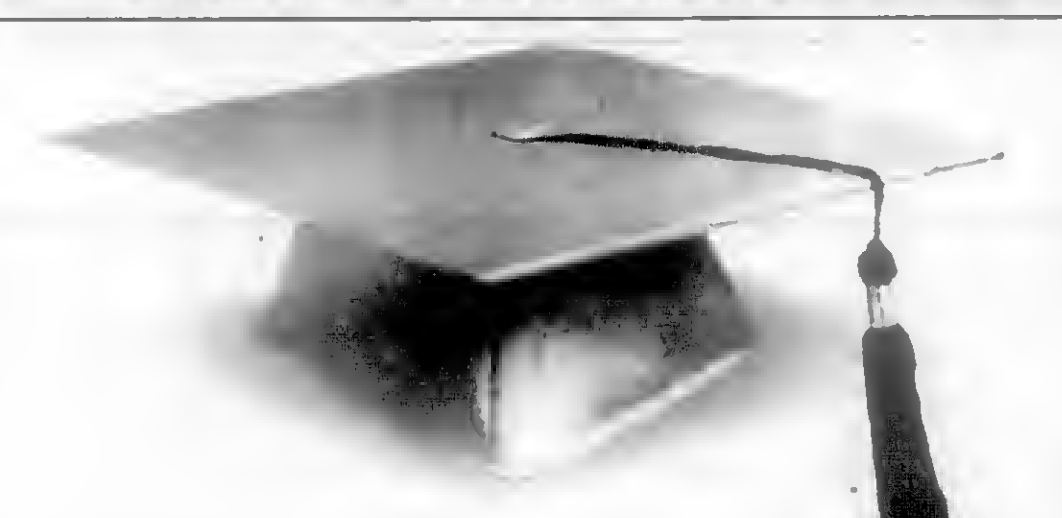
"We have done very well with what we have," Plude said. But, while he said the team is in a great position, it is still inexperienced as it gets ready for the regionals and even the conference. Especially as they face teams such as East Jordan, who have several all state runners.

The conference meet is May 26 in Kalkaska.



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Charlevoix Children's House to have art festival

Charlevoix Children's House, a Montessori preschool and kindergarten, will have its Annual Art Festival and Open House from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. May 23.

Parents, kids, prospective parents and the Charlevoix community are invited to take a look at the school, meet the teachers and families of our school community and enjoy childrens' art, collected through the school year.

A slideshow of past and present school activities will also be on display. Refreshments will be provided. The school is located at 8700 Mercer, near the Char-Em District facility.

For more information call, 547-5599.

Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

CHARLEVOIX CITY COUNCIL
City Hall, 210 State Street
June 4, 2001 -- 7:00 p.m.

Reference: A zoning ordinance amendment which provides for a rezoning change from "R-1" Single Family Residential to "R-2" Single Family Residential

Applicant: Country Days
Ed Amick, Lakeside Realtors
105 East Clinton Street
Charlevoix, MI 49720

Lazer Construction
Larry Shawn
615 Bay Street
Petoskey, MI 49770

The City Council will meet to consider an ordinance which in summary amends the zoning classification of the lots which are commonly known as the "Shadko property" located at 615 and 621 Petoskey Avenue from "R-1" Single Family Residential to "R-2" Single Family Residential.

The proposed rezoning application may be viewed at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's office at City Hall during office hours. Oral and written comments from the general public are welcome.

The abbreviated legal description is attached:

Exhibit A
Legal Description
March 19, 2001

123-052

Beginning at a point 1967.5 feet West and 330 feet South of the Quarter post between sections twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24); thence south five hundred forty-four (544) feet to the centerline of Petoskey Avenue, otherwise known as the Emmet and Grand Traverse State Road; thence Southwesterly along the centerline of Petoskey Avenue 252.45 feet; thence North 629.6 feet; thence east 242.44 feet to beginning being a part of North Half of Southeast Quarter, Section 23, Township 34 North, Range 8 West

123-058

Commencing 1805 - 7/8 feet West of the quarter post between Sections 23 and 24, Township 34 North of Range 8 West and 330 feet South of the east and west 1/4 line of said section; thence South 483 - 1/4 feet to the center of Petoskey Avenue, City of Charlevoix; thence Southwesterly along center of said Avenue 168.3 feet; thence North 544 feet to a point due West of place of beginning; thence East to the place of beginning, being a part of N 1/2 of SE 1/4, Section 23, in Township 34 North of Range 8 West.

123-054

Beginning on the East and West quarter line of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West, 1981 feet West of the East quarter corner of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West; thence South 330 feet; thence West 263.2 feet, more or less, to a point 130 feet East of the East line of Meech Street; thence North parallel with said Meech Street 330 feet to said quarter line; thence East on said quarter line 263.2 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning; being a part of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West. The above described land is subject to the right of way of Division Street along its North boundary. The aforesaid East line of Meech Street being established as intersecting said Quarter line at a point 2374.2 feet West of said East Quarter post.

123-053

Commencing at a point 1849 feet West of the Quarter Post between Sections 23 and 24, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; thence South 330 feet; thence West 132 feet; thence North 330 feet; thence East along the center line of Division Street 132 feet to the place of beginning; and being a part of the West Half (W 1/2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of said Section 23, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; SUBJECT to the right of way of Division Street.

Gerry Harsch, City Planner



(Above) What was left of the barn following the fire that destroyed it last week. Dave Parsons, owner of the barn, said the fire also claimed several antique pieces of farm equipment. (Below) The barn was almost destroyed by a tornado in 1943. But, it was rebuilt by the Grange. (Photos courtesy Dave Parsons)



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PUBLIC HEARING PROPOSED ZONING ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

CHARLEVOIX CITY COUNCIL
City Hall, 210 State Street
June 4, 2001 -- 7:00 p.m.

Reference: A zoning ordinance amendment which provides for a rezoning change from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

Applicant: Martha L. Soderberg
Lloyd G. and Dorothy L. Kirby
103 Belvedere Avenue, Apt. A
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

The City Council will meet to consider an ordinance which in summary amends the zoning classification of 103 Belvedere Avenue, from "PO" Professional Office to "CBD" Central Business District.

The proposed rezoning application may be viewed at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's office at City Hall during office hours. Oral and written comments from the general public are welcome.

The abbreviated legal description is as follows:

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Gerry Harsch, City Planner

Barn destroyed by lightning

BARN

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He rushed to call 911 and then headed for the barn to see if he could drag any of the family's belongings out.

"At that point there was no way of even getting close to the building," he said.

Parsons said about eight minutes after contacting 911, Banks Township firefighters arrived, but the roof of the historic building had

already fallen to the floor level and the barn was consumed in flames.

Charlevoix city firefighters arrived a few minutes later and could do nothing.

Parsons said he felt fortunate for the steady rain that evening. It was wet around the flaming structure and a brush fire catching was not a safety risk.

In the wake of the fire, the possibility of his business starting on time depends on an insurance adjuster's decision after the two met

on May 10.

Parsons said that regardless of whether or not they choose to reimburse him for the equipment he uses regularly, like the hay bind and rake that were destroyed, antique farming equipment stored in the barn including, a clover and alfalfa thrasher and old horse drawn equipment "with sentimental value," cannot be replaced.

"I can remember riding on the grain binder when I was a kid," he said of one of the machines recently destroyed.



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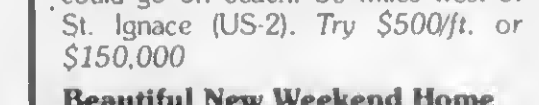
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF
CHARLEVOIX**
ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION,
Plaintiff

Honorable Richard Pajtas
Case No. 00-657-19-CH

vs.
LEON J. BUSH
136 Court Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND
FRANCES J. BUSH
617 Earl Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND
BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A.
3 Park Plaza
16th Floor
Irvine, CA 92614
Defendants

PAUL E. NETTLEMAN P26331
Attorney for Plaintiff
2202 MITCHELL PARK DRIVE,
SUITE 8
P.O. Box 868
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 347-1990

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

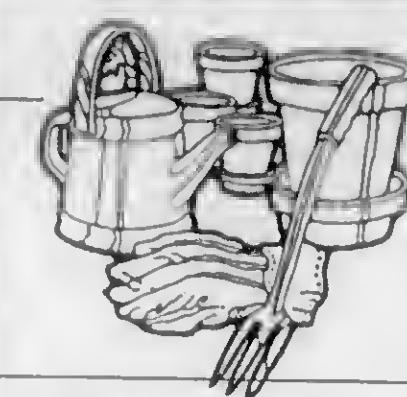
1. On February 2, 2001, the Honorable Richard M. Pajtas, Circuit Court Judge entered a Judgment and Order for Sale against Defendants, LEON J. BUSH and FRANCES J. BUSH and BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A. in favor of Plaintiff, ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.

2. The Judgment declared that the Plaintiff had a valid lien against the Defendants property in the amount of \$7,477.75.

3. The Judgment directs that the amounts owed to the Plaintiff be paid by Defendants forthwith and in default thereof that the property of Defendants described in the Complaint be sold by the Sheriff, Under-Sheriff or any Deputy Sheriff of Charlevoix County, at public auction and the proceeds of sale be distributed to the Plaintiff.

4. As of the date of this notice, this Judgment and Order for Sale, on June 14th, 2001 at 11 a.m. at a public auction to be held in the Main Lobby of the Charlevoix County Court House, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, all right title and interest of Defendants in and to the following property:

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Dated: April 12, 2001
Don Schneider
Charlevoix County Under-Sheriff

Prepared by:
Paul E. Nettleman (P26331)
Attorney for Plaintiff, St. Francis X. Federal Credit Union
2202 Mitchell Park Dr., P.O. Box 868

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L(4/25, 5/2, 5/9, 5/16, 5/23, 5/30, 6/6)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
86th JUDICIAL DISTRICT
ORDER FOR SERVICE BY
PUBLICATION/POSTING AND
NOTICE OF ACTION
CASE NO 01-8433-GC**

Plaintiff
SMITH, HAUGHEY, RICE &
ROEGGE, P.C.
P.O. Box 848
Traverse City, MI 49685-0848

Plaintiff's Attorney
Heather Blanton-Dykstra (P60308)
SMITH, HAUGHEY, RICE &
ROEGGE
P.O. Box 848
Traverse City, MI 49685-0848
(231)929-4878

Defendant
Thomas W. Sheridan
c/o MFM Management Co.
P.O. Box 468
Charlevoix, MI 49720
TO: Thomas W. Sheridan

IT IS ORDERED:

1. You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to pay the outstanding receivable in the amount of Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$18,200.00). You must file your answer or take other action permitted by law in this court at the court address above on or before 6/20/01. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this order shall be published once each week in Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this court.

3. Grand Traverse County District Court shall post a copy of this order in the courthouse, at 328 Washington Street, Traverse City, MI 49684 for three continuous weeks, and shall file proof of posting in this court.

4. A copy of this order shall be sent to Thomas W. Sheridan at the last known address by registered mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication, and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with this court.

Date: April 30, 2001
Thomas J. Phillips, Judge
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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Joseph Wayne Helsley, 48, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Six months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 37 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Yolanda Kay Vanvolkenburg, 30, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 40 days on electronic monitor, 37 days held in abeyance; \$1,020 in fines and costs.

Dustin Wade Marr, 17, East Jordan. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$165.

Matthew David Lafond, 18, Boyne City. Larceny, less than \$200. Fines and costs totaling \$262.

William Claude Castle, 35, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Lawrence Henry Maurer, 19, Central Lake. Probation violation-larceny, less than \$200. Defendant's probation is extended 60 days.

John Chester Wulf, 39, Traverse City. Attempted sex offender failed to register. Probation is revoked; 60 days in jail with credit for three days, serve 60 days.

Scott Allen Reich, 18, East Jordan. Explosives — Placing offensive substance with intent to alarm. Michigan Department of Corrections for a minimum of two years and six months and a maximum of five years with credit for three days; restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Scott Allen Reich, 18, East Jordan. Home invasion-second degree. Michigan Department of Corrections for a minimum of two years and six months and a maximum of 15 years with credit for three days; restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

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Scott Allen Reich, 18, East Jordan. Breaking and entering a building with intent. Michigan Department of Corrections for a minimum of two years and six months and a maximum of 10 years with credit for three days; restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Scott Allen Reich, 18, East Jordan. Malicious destruction of a building, \$1,000 or more, less than \$20,000. Michigan Department of Corrections for a minimum of two years and six months and a maximum of 10 years with credit for three days; restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

months and a maximum five years with credit for three days; restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Reich's sentences to be served concurrently.

John Angus Graham, 17, East Jordan. Breaking and entering a building with intent. Three years probation; 12 months in jail with credit for four days, to serve 12 months; \$450 in fines and costs, restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

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John Angus Graham, 17, East Jordan. Larceny in a building. Three years probation; 12 months in jail with credit for four days, to serve 12 months; \$450 in fines and costs, restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Graham's sentences to be served concurrently.

Daniel Lee Thomas, 17, East Jordan. Breaking and entering a building with intent. Michigan Department of Corrections for a minimum of 29 months and a maximum of 10 years with credit for four days; restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

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Thomas's sentences to be served concurrently.

Rocky Lee Peters, 18, East Jordan. Explosives — Placing offensive substance with intent to alarm. Three years probation; jail for 11 months with credit for two days, serve 11 months; \$410 in fines and costs, restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Rocky Lee Peters, 18, East Jordan. Larceny in a building. Three years probation; jail for 11 months with credit for two days, serve 11 months; \$410 in fines and costs, restitution to be determined by the Michigan Department of Corrections.

Peters's sentences to be served concurrently.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Louiselle's Landscaping, 04031 Sequanota Road, Charlevoix, by Thomas A. Louiselle and Linda A. Louiselle.

Pat Lally Sales, 465 Front Street, Boyne City, by Pat Lally Sayward Con., 05395 Cedar View Drive, Charlevoix, by Richard W. Sayward.

Your Chef, P.O. Box 501, Bellaire, by Joel Papcun.

Color Wear, 220 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Jacqueline D. Mabey Tables of Content, 214 West Up-right Street, Charlevoix, by Cheryl Drewanz.

Anné, 718 Maple Street, Boyne City, by Ann T. Holland.

D & D Repair, 105 Third Street, East Jordan, Dan Dulong Sr.

Marine Xtreme, 09259 Quarterline Road, Charlevoix, by Patrick Michael Boyd.

Selling Boats, etc., 04218 Lakeshore Road, P.O. Box 409, Boyne City, by Richard Schaible.

Building Permits issued
Permit issued on May 7 for a project located at 00051 Park Drive in East Jordan. Applicant: Shive's Service of Petoskey. Owner: Roger Grody of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 7 for a project located at 00065 Park Drive in East Jordan. Applicant: Shive's Service of Petoskey. Owner: Lifestyle Homes of Petoskey.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 00123 Harbor View Lane in Charlevoix. Applicant: Ray Wallick Inc. of Charlevoix. Owner: Paul Weston of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 05220 Maple Hill Road in Melrose Township. Applicant: Glenn E. Dann of Petoskey. Owner: Glenn E. Dann of Petoskey.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project at 01135 Contractors Drive in Boyne City. Applicant: Colwell Wangeman Construction of Petoskey. Owner: Mike Bajko of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project at 08195 Shrigley Road in Hayes Township. Applicant: New Century Homes of Traverse City. Owner: Mike Smith of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project at 34999 East Side Drive in Peaine Township. Applicant: Robert A. Welke of Beaver Island. Owner: Robert A. Welke of Beaver Island.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project at 09305 Mercer in Charlevoix Township. Applicant: John Jarema of Charlevoix. Owner: John Jarema of Charlevoix.

Two permits issued on May 8 for a project at 00101 Ellsworth Road in East Jordan. Applicant: Tim Kenney, Mr. Fix It, of East Jordan. Owner: Lawrence Ellsworth of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project at 00307 Michigan Avenue #12 in Charlevoix. Applicant: L&J Construction of Charlevoix. Owner: Donald Hadwin of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 00710 Ash Street in East Jordan. Applicant: Carl Spence of East Jordan. Owner: Carl Spence of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 03830 Springwater Beach in Evangeline Township. Applicant: Pine Grove Homes of Traverse City. Owner: Alice Dupernell of Warren.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 00212 Jordan Road in East Jordan. Applicant: Rebecca Rinkel of East Jordan. Owner: Rebecca Rinkel of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 00202 Hurlbut Street in Charlevoix. Applicant: Steve Speigl, general contractor, of Ellsworth. Owner: Larry Lenhart of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 8 for a project located at 00110 Hurlbut Street in Charlevoix. Applicant: Keie's Building and Remodeling of Charlevoix. Owner: Daniel W. Monteith of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 00334 Blue Water Trail in Eveline Township. Applicant: First Class Homes of Elk Rapids. Owner: William Eby of Dearborn.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 07995 Mulberry Lane in Hayes Township. Applicant: Way Building Construction of Charlevoix. Owner: Ed Newcomb of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 00124 Main Street in East Jordan. Applicant: James Klomp of East Jordan. Owner: Duane Chappuie of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 04170 Loeb Road in Marion Township. Applicant: Anton Volovsek of Charlevoix. Owner: Anton Volovsek of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 03288 Roberts Road in Wilson Township. Applicant: Tony Knebl of East Jordan. Owner: Tony Knebl of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 03912 Black Road in Marion Township. Applicant: Travis Wood Builders of Charlevoix. Owner: George F. Toth Jr. of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 13175 Bay Street in Charlevoix Township. Applicant: ABC Antinossi Building of Ellsworth. Owner: Donald Jadwin of Grand Island, Fla.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 00015 Belvedere Club in Charlevoix. Applicant: Bob Goldsmith and Sons Roofing of Petoskey. Own-

er: Williams Claggett of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 00120 Airview Drive in Boyne City. Applicant: Peninsula Construction of Traverse City. Owner: LexaMar of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 04445 Miles Road in South Arm Township. Applicant: Mark Anthony Hejka of East Jordan. Owner: Don Williams of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 06568 Horton Creek Road in Hayes Township. Applicant: Harley J. Vaughan of Petoskey. Owner: Harley J. Vaughan of Petoskey.

Permit issued on May 9 for a project located at 04848 Wickersham Road in Marion Township. Applicant: Price C. Construction of Charlevoix. Owner: Cheryl Hoffman of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 10 for a project located at 28007 Stephan Court in St. James Township. Applicant: Alex C. Marciniak of Grand Haven. Owner: Alex C. Marciniak of Grand Haven.

Permit issued on May 10 for a project located at 04395 Springwater Beach Road in Evangeline Township. Applicant: New Century Homes of Traverse City. Owner: James Shepherd of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 10 for a project located at 00431 Crozier Road in Wilson Township. Applicant: Ernie Wolf Concrete Construction of Gaylord. Owner: David Hunt of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 10 for a project located at 07567 Dutchman Bay Road of South Arm. Applicant: Steve Poole of East Jordan. Owner: Steve Poole of East Jordan.

Permit issued on May 10 for a project located at 08217 Shrigley Road in Hayes Township. Applicant: Gary Spencer of Charlevoix. Owner: Gary Spencer of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 10 for a project located at 07570 Springvale Road in Chandler Township. Applicant: Darwin Field of Kalamazoo. Owner: Darwin Field of Kalamazoo.

Permit issued on May 11 for a project located at 01573 Deer Lake Road in Boyne Valley. Applicant: David Lewin of Boyne City. Owner: David Lewin of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 11 for a project located at 26855 South Arm Road in Peaine Township. Applicant: Bruce Kinsley of Clinton. Owner: Bruce Kinsley of Clinton.

Permit issued on May 11 for a project located at 13053 Robins Ridge Road in Marion Township. Applicant: Patrick Donahue Builders Inc. of Bellaire. Owner: Gordon Hunsaker of East Lansing.

Permit issued on May 11 for a project located at 00503 Lincoln in Charlevoix. Applicant: Premier Builders of Charlevoix. Owner: Premier Builders of Charlevoix.

Permit issued on May 11 for a project located at 00352 State Street in Boyne City. Applicant: Floyd Wright of Boyne City. Owner: Floyd Wright of Boyne City.

Permit issued on May 11 for a project located at 03080 Spayed Road in Norwood Township. Applicant: Arin J. Kallman of Charlevoix. Owner: Arin J. Kallman of Charlevoix.



Bust a move

Students enjoyed dancing the night away at the Charlevoix High School prom Saturday night. Above, this student was seen really cutting up the floor. (Photo by Heather Belding)

Montessori Spring Fling

Preparations are in full swing for the Second Annual Charlevoix Children's House Spring Fling.

The fund-raiser features both a silent auction, a live auction, hors d'oeuvres and entertainment in the congenial atmosphere at Whitney's of Charlevoix.

According to committee members, the Spring Fling is the most important fundraiser of the year for the Montessori School. Proceeds go toward classroom materials and maintenance.

Children's House families, friends and the Charlevoix commu-

nity are all invited to the benefit, which will take place from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. May 19.

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Land conservancy to have ninth annual spring walk

The Charlevoix County Land Conservancy and the St. Clair - Six Mile Lake Natural Area Committee invite the public to join them on May 19 for the Ninth Annual Spring "Walk for the Earth."

This year's theme, in cooperation with the Soil and Water Conservation Districts, is "Habitat for Life." The walk will begin at 1 p.m. at the Davis Preserve on the Ellsworth/East Jordan Road.

Participants will have a guided tour of the habitats, from lowlands to uplands, of the Davis Preserve on the Chain of Lakes.

Participants, led by Charlevoix, East Jordan and Ellsworth scouts, will also conduct a spring cleanup of the preserve and several White Pines will be planted. The Davis Preserve is located just three miles west of East Jordan and about 1 mile east of the Rowe Inn.

The St. Clair - Six Mile Lake Natural Area is a 203 acre natural area lying in South Arm Township on the Charlevoix/Antrim County Line. The SCL-SML Natural Area, sometimes called the Great Blue Heron Natural Area, is a cooperative project of Grand Traverse Regional Land Conservancy, Charlevoix County Land Conservancy and the Little Traverse Conservancy.

Seven years ago, the Charlevoix Class of 2001 presented a play as a fund-raiser that kicked off the successful acquisition of the first preserves of the now 11 preserve Blue Heron Natural Areas.

After the walk, participants will gather at the Banks Township Hall for sandwiches and cookies. Ellsworth students will share a presentation on the History of Ellsworth and the surrounding area.

Educational displays by conservation groups and local businesses will be set up at the Banks Township Hall for viewing.

For more information call Michelle at (231) 544-6186 or Jo Anne at 237-9335.

Charlevoix woman arrested for forging prescriptions

A 34-year-old Charlevoix woman was arrested May 12 after a joint investigation with the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office and the Charlevoix City Police Department.

The woman was arrested for multiple counts of obtaining a controlled substance, hydrocodone (Vicodin), by fraud.

Police say she was passing forged prescriptions in various pharmacies in Charlevoix and Emmet counties over the last four weeks.

The woman was released on bond pending additional court appearances.

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Petunia planting time is just around the corner

Once again it's time for Charlevoix's annual Operation Petunia, a community-wide planting party that lines five miles of the city's main thoroughfare with colorful petunias each year.

The event begins at 5 p.m., May 24, when hundreds of volunteers are invited to help plant both sides of US-31, from the M-66 intersection north to Mercer Boulevard. Volunteers are encouraged to wear comfy clothes and gardening gloves, and to bring their trowels along.

Prior to the plant-in, the soil will be prepared and flats of petunias delivered, so volunteer planters can dig right in and get the job done quickly. Each block along the route has been assigned a Block Captain to help direct the planting, and the Charlevoix trolley will shuttle volunteers to various sites on US-31.

Now in its twentieth year, the event is so well organized, planting the five-mile stretch is expected to take only an hour or so.

Following the planting, volunteers are invited to gather at East Park downtown to celebrate their efforts and enjoy a community picnic. Planters will be treated to hot dogs and lots of other treats, courtesy of

several area businesses. Local service clubs do the cooking and help organize the affair, while Charlevoix High School's marching band and the Northwest Academy's popular jazz ensemble will entertain picnickers.

This year, the petunias will be cared for with the help of a brand new watering truck. Thanks to generous donations from area businesses and individuals and expert leadership from "Operation Petunia Man" Dale Boss, Keep Charlevoix Beautiful acquired the truck in time for the 2001 season. As in years past, Dale and his wife Marilyn will make the rounds early every morning to water the petunias and keep them blooming brightly.

Donations help cover the costs for Operation Petunia. Keep Charlevoix Beautiful needs \$10,000 to purchase plants, replenish soil, fertilize flowerers, and maintain the petunia watering truck. Contributions can be sent to Keep Charlevoix Beautiful, Inc., c/o Post Office Box 1, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720.

More information about Operation Petunia is available by calling Judy Corley, Keep Charlevoix Beautiful vice president, 547-1945.



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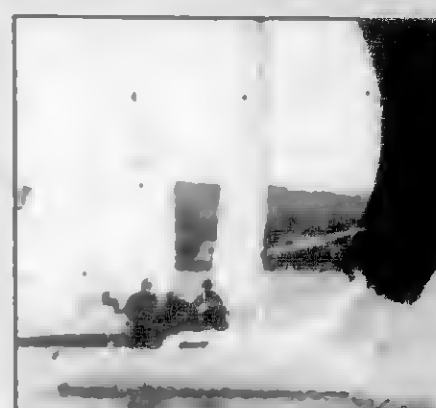
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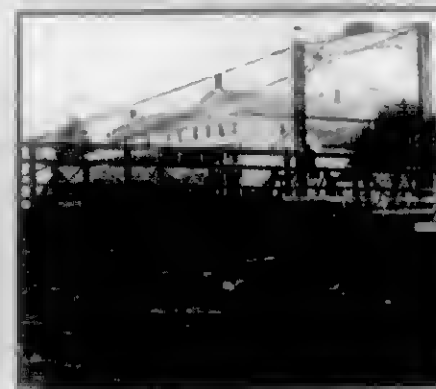
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Honor the veterans on May 28

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

For some people, Memorial Day means a long weekend but for many who served in a branch of the United States military during war-time, the holiday is sacred.

For 10 years, World War II veteran Charlie Butcher, 73, of Charlevoix has proudly marched with his fellow veterans from the American Legion, down Bridge Street on Memorial Day. And that

is where you'll find him on May 28. "Memorial Day to me is about the veterans, those of us who survived and those ones who didn't, we all gave everything we had," he explained.

But Veteran's Affairs director Bob Drebenstedt claims patriotism like Butcher's is teetering on becoming part of the endangered species list.

Drebenstedt's claim is evidenced by two factors apparent in Charlevoix. The first indicator he

says points to lackadaisical patriotism is the diminishing number of people who attend Memorial Day festivities and the second is declining membership in local veteran's clubs.

Butcher agrees with Drebenstedt and fears the possible impact of these issues. He claims, "There is declining membership; if we don't get members, eventually the club will fold up."

Currently, Charlevoix has about 100 members of the Veterans of

Foreign Wars (VFW) and 130 members of the American Legion. Butcher estimated that the local groups see one or two new members a year.

But Butcher says low numbers may not be a result of declining veteran interest, it may be an aging veteran population. He said 3,000 World War II veterans are currently dying every month and that living World War II veterans are 73 years old and up.

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Arnold resigns from board

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The words resignation and retirement have plagued the Charlevoix Public Library four times in the last month and a fifth instance recently surfaced.

Linny Arnold has been the Marion Township library board representative since January of 1997 but on May 15 she threw in the towel.

In Arnold's letter of resignation that she wrote to Marion Township supervisor, Wilson "Bud" Boss, she states, "I find that I am no longer able to align myself in any way with the other (library) board members who have committed the cruel, despicable act of firing (former library director) Mary Beth Wallick."

In 1997 when Arnold accepted the position of library board secretary she said she was proud to serve with "people like that" (two teachers and a former superintendent). She said things were good for a long time, but then things got weird — the board began pursuing their personal agenda and being a board member wasn't enjoyable anymore.

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Petunia planting time

Faye Feindt, of Charlevoix, was seen downtown last week planting petunias perhaps in preparation for this week's annual Operation Petunia. During Operation Petunia, the community plants the flowers along Bridge Street. This year's event will start at 5 p.m., Thursday. Afterwards, refreshments will be served in East Park. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Donald James Mattoon, 39, Boyne City. Domestic violence-second degree-aggravated. Bound over to circuit court.

Mark Gordon Donker, 37, Charlevoix. Two counts of delivery and manufacturing of a controlled substance, narcotics/cocaine, under 50 grams; and delivery and manufacturing of a controlled substance, narcotics/cocaine, between 225 and 649 grams. Bound over to circuit court.

John Daryl Gibson, 43, East Jordan. Motor vehicle passenger possessing open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Bartholomew James Gasco, 19, Elmira. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Michael Lawrence Mackin, 18, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Donald Joseph Lacross, 24, East Jordan. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Neil Elliot Howie, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Charles Albert Burkle, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES

classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Timothy Allen Girlinghouse, 25, East Jordan. Motor vehicle passenger possessing open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Keith Daniel Rau, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Robert Patrick Cunningham, 17, Boyne Falls. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Derek Charles Turnbull, 24, Boyne City. Delivery and manufacturing of a controlled substance, marijuana. Bound over to circuit court.

Daniel Michael Jacobson, 37, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 52 days held in abeyance; \$865 in fines and costs.

Michael Robert Karlskin Jr., 21, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 82 days held in abeyance; \$920 in fines and costs.

Georgia Lee Turnbull, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. One year probation; \$310 in fines and costs.

David Houseman, 40, Charlevoix. Truancy. Nine months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 82 days; \$160 in fines and costs.

Joshua Quinton Gray, 19, Elmira. Contributing to the delinquency of a minor. Six months probation; 90 days in jail, 90 days held in abeyance; \$345 in fines and costs.

Timothy Junior-Arender Morris, 19, East Jordan. Violation of school trespassing law. Fines and costs totaling \$95.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Matthew Scott Feenstra, 23, Grand Rapids. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Three years probation; jail for 12 months with credit for 91 days, serve 12 months; \$1,510 in fines and costs.

Jeffrey Delane Cook, 34, Charlevoix. Attempted larceny in a building. Jail for six months with credit for 100 days, to serve six months.

Dartagnan T. Briggs, 26, New Boston. Criminal sexual conduct-fourth degree-victim between the ages of 13-16. Jail for 12 months with credit for two days, serve 12 months.

Douglas B. Erfourth, 29, Boyne Falls. Receiving and concealing stolen property more than \$200, less than \$1,000. Jail for 12 months, serve 12 months.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Tables of Content, 214 West Upright Street, Charlevoix, by

Erin Brennan
J. Karlskin Excavating, 3435 Hillview Drive, Boyne Falls, by James E. Karlskin
Lighthouse Embroidery, 105 Hampton, Charlevoix, by F. Christine Gengle

Lakeview Farms, 08148 Dutchman's Bay Road, East Jordan, by David C. Grutsch
Talking Crow Studio, 05195 High Road, Boyne City, by Shanna Robinson

Dolly's Distinctive Details, 437 Boyne Avenue, Boyne City, by Shanna Robinson and Dulce S. Aronoff

Arnie Hudson Builders, 04549 US-131, P.O. Box 250, Walloon Lake, by Arnold Hudson and Carole Hudson
Wildside Designs, 06964 Old Norwood Road #3, Charlevoix, by Louiselle Inc.

Sky High Athletics, 04786 Boyne City/East Jordan Road, P.O. Box 112, East Jordan, by Andy Bryant, Curt Dunafin and Steve Hill

Barnes Do All, 122 Pine River Lane #111, Pointes North Inn, Charlevoix, by Roger B. Barnes Jr.

Black Bear Coffee and Tea Lodge, 405 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Java Mack Inc., a Michigan Corporation president, Lisa McCormack

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Robert Lyman Wise III, 36, Charlevoix and Doreen Marie

Erno, 36, Charlevoix
Daniel Allen Reece, 31, East Jordan and Melissa Anne Linderleaf, 31, East Jordan
Duane Edwin Tillotson Vorce, 72, Charlevoix and Gloria June Milliman, 68, Petoskey

Robert Lloyd Cody, 30, East Jordan and Jennifer Gwyn Barnett, 27, East Jordan
Nathan Philip Collins, 22, Tulsa, Okla. and Alisha Marie Crumbaugh, 20, Boyne City

Divorces
The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

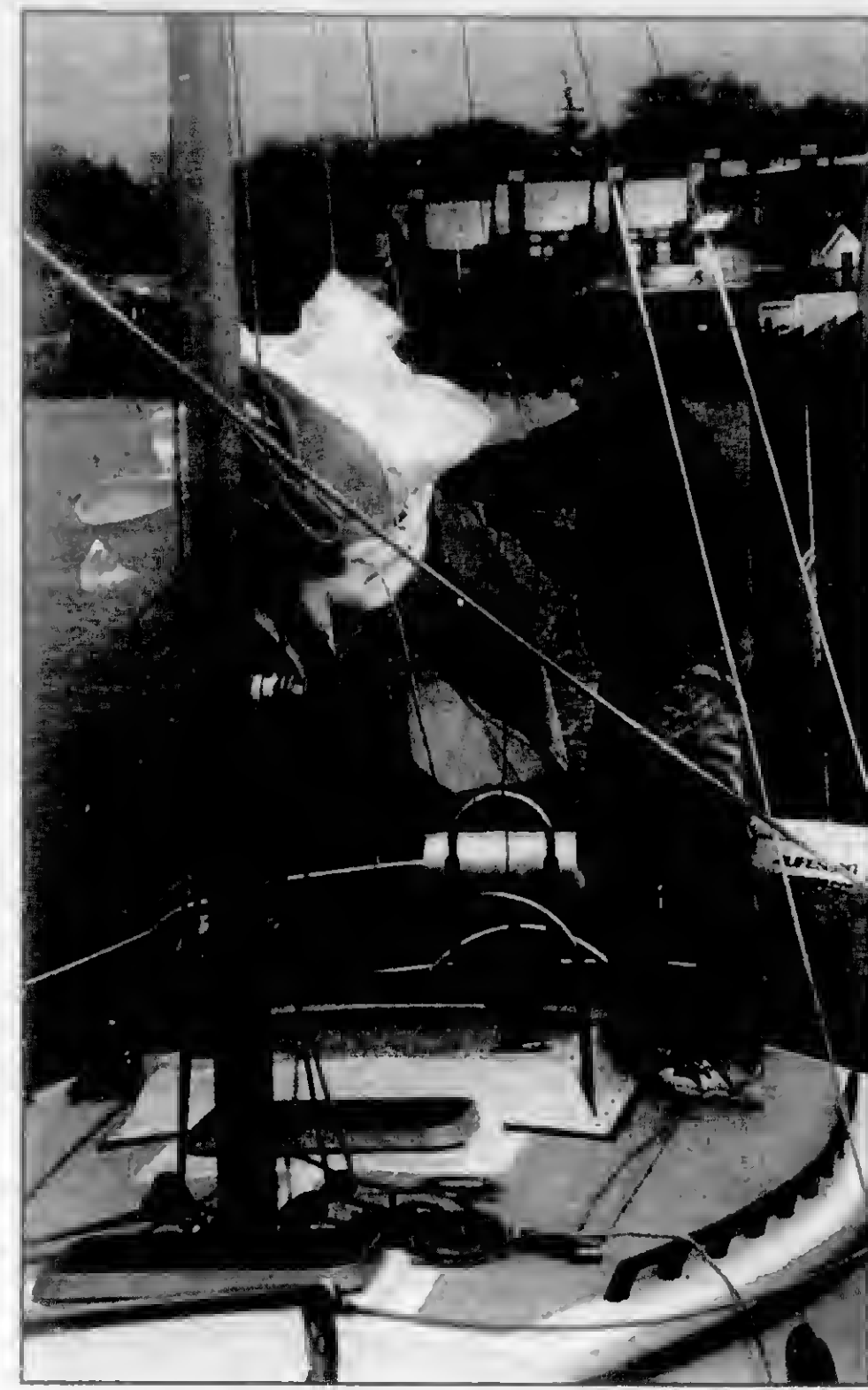
Dennis O'Neill-Potter vs. Rachel Carma O'Neill-Potter

Births

Ashley Jean Latoff, weighing 5 pounds, 15 ounces, was born to Carlyle Latoff and Tasha Runberg of Beaver Island on May 14 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Amber Marie, weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces, was born to Dornie and Lynn Gibson of East Jordan on May 17 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Ashlynn Elizabeth was born to Charles and Elizabeth Sherman on May 14. Ashlynn weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces. Her brothers are Charlie, 8, and Andrew Dallas, 5. Her grandparents are Connie Ford of Charlevoix, Larry and Angie Ford of Morrice and Chuck and Marilyn Sherman of Tucson, Ariz.



Getting ready

Kathy Fracke, of Mt. Pleasant, gets her boat ready for a recent outing on the lake. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain
May 15	71	46	.07"
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May 21	77	56	—

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Groups to combat student drug use in Charlevoix area

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

During an evening meeting on May 15 at BASES Teen Center in Charlevoix, a small marker board marked with a strong message stood quietly in the discussion circle of eight Charlevoix County residents.

The board clearly stated the meeting's purpose and also revealed the million dollar question that Scott Kelly, executive director of BASES, has dedicated his life to answering. It read, "Purpose: How can the community become more involved to assist schools and agencies in reducing teen alcohol and drug use?"

Even with seven parents from Boyne City, East Jordan and Charlevoix and an East Jordan teacher in attendance, no definite answer was discovered. But the seeds of a pro-active approach to preventing school age substance abuse were sown.

The group of eight rehearsed some of the data presented by David Wilmes of the Minnesota based Hazelden group who conducted a substance use survey of Boyne City, East Jordan and Charlevoix schools. The group concluded that the measures being taken across the county to help dependence-risk students, are missing their mark and it's time to find a program that will succeed.

Kathy Bradley of Charlevoix

said that the Hazelden findings frightened her. Bradley said she fears that if the problem continues to grow, unattended by the community, a fatality will most likely result.

Kelly agreed and pointed to a source of conflict that isn't allowing these issues to be resolved.

"There is a lot of blaming that says, 'It's the school's fault, it's the family's fault.' The blame runs in a big circle with everyone pointing everywhere but at themselves," he explained.

In an attempt to stop a possible tragedy from happening, the volunteer group decided to stop pointing fingers and to start a grass roots effort to educate the community. They plan to arm themselves with information and to distribute the information throughout the county.

To attack the problem, the group that met last week will be the trunk of a community tree, they hope will bloom, branch out and most importantly spread its message of health and wellness.

Their message will encourage parents to take a strong no-use position with their children. To help

parents understand the importance of the message, the group plans to host awareness seminars.

Ideas generated by group members as potential seminar topics include: club drugs, signs parents should look for that indicate use, where is the help, summer drug alert for parents and an in-depth look into women's issues.

Aside from the seminars, information will also be disseminated via media outlets. One plan Kelly discussed with the group was airing videos about the perils of substance abuse on the PACE network that now services Boyne City, East Jordan and Charlevoix.

To help kick off the group's growth, members are recruiting representatives from throughout the communities in Charlevoix County. Anyone interested in helping can attend the next meeting where more formal plans and a group name will be established.

The group's next meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m., May 24 at BASES, located at 208 West Lincoln Street in Charlevoix. For more information contact Scott Kelly at 547-1144.

Correction

In the May 9 edition of the Charlevoix Courier's "Oh Boix" section on page 7, a name of one of the Michigan State University graduates was misspelled. It should have been spelled, "David Roarke McKeown."

Also, in last week's edition, on page 2 in the box of library board members, it should be clarified that Rick Brandi is not a city council member. He was appointed to the library board by council to represent them.

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What do you think of industrial parks

The results from this month's "What do you think?" question are in.

But, from the looks of things, people were not interested in the topic. The topic was, "What do you think about the economy?"

We received one response to it.

It was from Lou Hirschman of Saginaw. He wrote, "Greenspan made a blunder last May. Now he's playing Peter Pan to put it back together. Maybe if the Joneses (consumer) keeps spending, we may come out of it. We are not out of the woods, we are still walking a tightrope. It takes time, but we are on the way."

Thank you Mr. Hirschman for responding. On to this month's topic:

The city is currently searching for a place to create a new industrial park. The current industrial park, north of the bridge, is full and in order to attract more companies to Charlevoix, the city wants to build another one.

The city is not alone in saying this park is needed.

What do you think?

Several industry leaders and the director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce has said a new industrial park is needed.

So, what do you think? Where should Charlevoix build another industrial park? Or should a new one be built at all?

Keep your comments to 250 words or less and remember to sign your name to it. Also, stay on the subject and leave the personal attacks to yourself.

Comments can be sent to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com; faxed to (231) 547-4992 or even dropped off to our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix.

The results will be published in the June 20 edition of the Charlevoix Courier.

What do you think?

I think an industrial park should go:

Please mail this to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI, 49720 or drop it off at our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix. Answers can be e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com.

The sexy life of flowers that bloom in the forests



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

The season of flowers is certainly upon us.

The maple trees have bloomed and dropped the unsuccessful flowers all over my sidewalk. The woods are full of what the botanists call "prevernal blooms," those that manage flowering before the trees are completely leafed out and the forest gets dark.

My lawn, which does not closely resemble a golf green, has at least a dozen kinds of small blooming plants in full flower; plants that I did not put there. It's time to consider what flowers are really about and how dangerous it once was to be a botanist.

Beginning about the second century A.D., the concept of sex as sinful held sway for at least 1,700 years. The same sources that seemed to suggest that sex was sinful maintained that flowers were pure entities and free of the taint of

such sin. The lilies of the field neither sow nor reap; they are present to beautify the world, no more, no less. Flowers could therefore not be involved in sex or reproduction. This was the thoughtful position of the greatest scholastic minds during that time; St. Augustine, St. Thomas, Galen and Aristotle among them. The suggestion that flowers might be involved in sex and reproduction became heresy and heretics were harshly treated during the years before about 1700. We burned witches after 1700, but seldom burned heretics.

Before 1700 the first fearless botanist had suggested gently in print that flowers might be serving some sexual purpose. Rudolph Jacob Camerarius wrote a book titled, "A letter on the Sex of Plants" in which he reported experiments that conclusively demonstrated sexual reproduction in plants. But he refused to draw the obvious conclusions out of fear that the church would brand him a heretic. More than a century later, Christian Sprengel, the schoolteacher son of a Protestant minister, published further experiments, but they too were ignored out of the still prevalent conviction that several saints and Aristotle had been right for almost 2,000 years. Examination of nature by schoolteachers and potential

heretics could hardly overturn such certainty.

The idea of flowers as pure sexless beauty did not totally disappear until the Nineteenth Century, when religious conviction changed a bit and evidence from science became overwhelming. We now know that the sole purpose of flowers from the plant's point of view is the accomplishment of sexual reproduction. Flowery sex right out there in the open for all to see was still a bit difficult for the Victorians, but we have grown accustomed.

Enjoy the flowers of spring, but recall clearly that ideas that you now take for granted were once reason for summary execution. Freedom of thought is a great advance in human history. Even botanists rightly celebrate it.

If you seek more information about this subject, you could consult, "The Wonderful Life of Flowers" by P. Jaeger, published in 1961 and found at garage sales and in the basement of libraries.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Look at whole marina issue

Editor:

Regarding the Charlevoix marina issue, a committee has just completed interviews for a land site planner. Last year United Design Associates was hired for a preliminary study of the city's legal riparian rights and what might fit within those rights. When the appropriate people are hired, I am confident the city will give the citizens an opportunity to have input, not just on the water side of the project, but on the park side as well. This would be the

appropriate time for the editor to ask the community what it thinks. In order to end up with the best result, I believe these areas need to be looked at as a whole since they are interconnected.

I believe the seawall should be straightened and the docks should be floating providing a safer environment especially for smaller boats' low water levels. The conditions of our bathroom facilities are an embarrassment to our community.

Regarding the bridge, it takes approximately 15 seconds for each boat to pass under assuming they

are spaced appropriately. Everywhere else I have boated, the bridge tender communicates over a VHF radio. We could put the same amount of boats through the bridge in nearly half the time if the boats were told what to do and when. As an example, a small sailboat circling in Lake Michigan waiting for the bridge to open, does not make a move toward the bridge until they physically see it go up for fear of having to circle in a very tight area. Watch the distance between boats and you will see a time reduction.

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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Most transient boaters leave early in the morning and arrive in the late afternoon.

For the most part, bridge openings between those times are from local boaters. This issue is also only nine weeks, out of 52.

The assumption that more docks will bring more boats is croneous.

Many of these boats are already in our harbor, but are anchored out as a result of not being able to get a dock. Boats without tenders, assuming they were worth getting to. Instead they are dumping gray water into our lake, thus adding unnecessary pollution. Secondly, our merchants get nothing from these transient boaters as they pull the anchor the next morning and leave our port. To those that think additional docks are just another way for our local merchants to get richer, you need to take a closer look. It is a nine week season and the turnover in our downtown retail space shows it is not easy to cover that 52 week overhead. I believe in large part, the vitality of our community depends on the success of our downtown area. If we can help the merchants it helps us all.

How many slips are enough? I recognize that unlike some marinas built out in the Great Lakes, ours is within a natural harbor. Presently we have 17 slips accommodating 34

boats. Other marinas in our region have the following slips: Elk Rapids, 94; Harbor Springs, 77; Mackinac Island, 82; Mackinaw City, 105; Northport, 129; Petoskey, 100; Suttons Bay, 160; Traverse City, 114.

Currently, there will be marina additions to Mackinac Island and Traverse City and new marinas have been approved for Mackinaw City and St. Ignace.

Next to Mackinac Island, we have the second highest demand in all of northern Michigan. My family and I live on Round Lake and we want to make sure that the beauty of our harbor is protected. I don't think 111 slips is the number, however, I don't think 34 is the number either. Perhaps the right number is somewhere in between. I envision something much wider, such as Harbor Springs so that all residents can enjoy walking the main pier, not just the boaters.

John Winn
Michigan State
Waterways Commissioner
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

Northwest Academy in Charlevoix recently had our second annual Career Day for middle and high school students. The student committee responsible for planning the day would like to commend the following community members for giving up their morning to share information about their chosen ca-

reers: Alicia Byberg, Dr. Natalie Gonzales, Dr. David Holland, Tom Kachadurian, Trooper Jim Keller, Tech Sgt. Rik Rambo, Steven Seely and Paul Stripay. We would also like to thank John Murphy of Char/Em I.S.D. for assistance in obtaining a small transition grant to help fund the day.

School/community partnerships like this provide unequalled opportunities for young people to explore possibilities for their future. And, responses from students indicated that they were very appreciative and had a terrific morning.

Susan Kissingner
School-to-Work Coordinator
Northwest Academy

Thank you

Editor:

On May 16, 14 employees from Harbor Industries volunteered at the Charlevoix Senior Center and completed lots of spring cleaning chores, delivered meals to our home bound and cooked and served a chicken dinner for over one hundred people! Each month, center volunteers prepare and serve two fund-raiser dinners. This day, help from the Harbor Industries crew enabled our senior cooks to take the evening off.

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Sheriff looking for 'good samaritans'

East Jordan E.M.S. Director, Jay Peck, and Sheriff George T. Lasater are currently looking for the "good samaritans" who administered CPR in an attempt to revive a fatal accident victim, Charles H. Richter, on April 24, at the intersection of M-66 and Rogers Rd. in South Arm Township of Charlevoix County.

The "good samaritans" were first

at the scene and attempted life saving measures until emergency personnel arrived.

The EMS director and sheriff would like to recognize these citizens on behalf of the Richter family and citizens of Charlevoix County.

You may reach Peck at East Jordan E.M.S. Garage at 536-7881 or Lasater at the Charlevoix Sheriff's Office at 547-4461.

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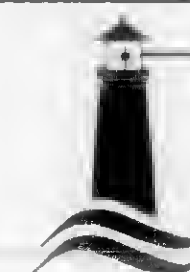
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Honored officer

Detective/Sergeant Mike Wheat recently received this year's Community Citizen Award from the National Grange and Barnard Grange #689 for twenty years of outstanding service as a police officer. Charlevoix County Sheriff Lasater noted Sergeant Wheat has a natural talent for being a law officer. Pictured is Officer Wheat, his wife Judy and Darlene Dhaseleer (Grange Member) presenting the award. (Courtesy photo)

Courier subscription rates to be adjusted

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Because of increases in the cost of publishing a newspaper, the *Charlevoix Courier* will be slightly changing its home delivery rates starting June 6.

"It's a modest adjustment that will hopefully reflect the cost of doing business," Ken Winter, Courier publisher, said.

The new rates will be: \$43.40 for a local yearly subscription and \$56.60 for a yearly out-of-area subscription; \$21.70 for a local six month subscription and \$28.30 for an out-of-area six month subscription; and \$10.85 for a local three month subscription and \$14.15 for an out-of-area three month subscription.

Additionally, the subscription rates for military persons, senior citizens and subscriptions sent outside of the United States will be slightly adjusted.

The military rate will be \$37 for a yearly subscription only.

The senior citizen rates for local subscriptions will be: \$37 for a yearly subscription, \$18.50 for a six month subscription and \$9.25 for a three month subscription.

The rate for subscriptions mailed outside of the United States will be: \$108.60 for a yearly subscription, \$54.30 for a six month subscription and \$27.15 for a three month subscription.

If you currently have a subscription, the changes will take effect with your next subscription renewal notice after June 6.

According to Winter, the changes are due to two factors:

• The first is two postage increases in less than six months, raising the cost of home delivery. The first postage increase took effect early this winter and the second will be going into effect July 1.

• Secondly, the cost of newsprint and additions to the quality of the *Charlevoix Courier's* coverage has increased the newspaper's overall cost of doing business.

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Engagement

Prusakiewicz - Parish

Amy Prusakiewicz and John Parish, both of Grand Rapids, were recently engaged to be married.

Amy's parents are James and Gail Prusakiewicz of Gaylord. John's parents are Paul and Margie Parish of Charlevoix.

A wedding is being planned for Oct. 20, 2001 at the St. Mary Cathedral Parish in Gaylord.

The bride-to-be is a 1994 graduate of Gaylord St. Mary's and a 1998 graduate of Lake Superior State University. She is employed at Spectrum Health in Grand Rapids.

The groom-to-be is a 1993 graduate of Charlevoix High School. He is employed by Sysco Foods in Grand Rapids.



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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people

New to law firm

Larry L. Burgess, of Charlevoix, has joined the law offices of Barron & Gol-ski, P.L.C. Prior to joining the firm, Burgess was chief assistant prosecuting attorney for Charlevoix County and an adjunct faculty member in the Criminal Justice and English Departments at North Central Michigan College.

Purdue dean's list

Sara Kirby, daughter of Tom and Kathy Kirby, has been placed on the dean's list and received semester honors at Purdue University. Sara, a pre-vet major, has also been inducted into Alpha Lambda Delta and Phi Eta Sigma National Honor Societies.

Reynolds appointed as director

Geoffrey Reynolds, formerly of Charlevoix, has been appointed director of the Joint Archives of Holland, located at Hope College. Reynolds has served as collections archivist with the rank of assistant professor since January of 1997 and has been acting director of the archives since January of this year. He will assume his new duties on July 1. He is a member of several professional and historical associations, and serves as an archival consultant to the Charlevoix Historical Society. He has written articles on topics related to archival work as well as a variety of aspects of state and local history. He is currently investigating the military and post-war production of the Foster Boat Company of Charlevoix and the history of the boat-building industry in Holland. He was also executive museum director of the Harsha House Museum in Charlevoix.

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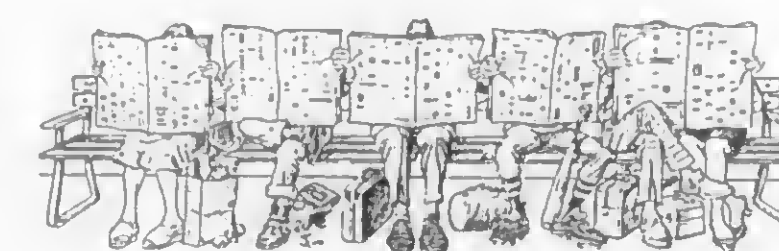
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Obituaries

Robert J. Feenstra: Died May 19, 2001

Robert J. Feenstra, 53, of Walker and formerly of Charlevoix went to be with his Lord on May 19.

He was preceded in death by his grandson Benjamin.

He is survived by his wife Suzanne; his children, Joel, Matthew and Lori Feenstra, Rebecca

and Darwin Feuerster; his grandchildren Rachel and Caleb Feenstra; his brothers, Peter (Fran) Feenstra and Chuck (Barb) Feenstra; brother-in-law Jack (Vicki) Knott and brother-in-law Paul (Karen) Toczydlowski and brother-in-law William Knott; step-mother Lavern

Feenstra and her many nieces, nephews and cousins; mother-in-law, Alice Knott-Cunningham and step-father-in-law Clyde Cunningham and his family.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Michigan.

Sophia Katy O'Neill: Feb. 28, 1915 - May 19, 2001

Sophia Katy O'Neill, 86, of St. Clair Shores died May 19 at St. John Hospital in Detroit.

Sophia was born Feb. 28, 1915 in Charlevoix. She was a nanny for the Loeb family in Charlevoix for many years.

She is survived by her husband Lee O'Neill and her children, Lee

(Marlene), Don (Judith), Earle (Diane), Paulette (Fred) Marshall, Maryann (Dwayne) Waldrop, Syrie (Stanley) Hirth, Peggy (Dave) Jankow, Kristine (Dave) Capponi, Susan and Phillip (Peggy). She is also survived by 25 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

She is the sister of Kay Cum-

plings, Libby DeYoung and Agnes Sulak.

She was preceded in death by Paul Harthorn.

Memorials honoring the memory of Mrs. O'Neill may be directed to the Charlevoix United Methodist Church, 104 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Charles Clair Stevens: Jan. 24, 1920 - May 10, 2001

Charles Clair Stevens, 81, died May 10 at St. Luke's Regional Medical Center after a brief illness.

Clair was born Jan. 24, 1920 in Charlevoix, where he was raised on a large farm homesteaded by his grandfather. He was one of eight children born to Geneva Jackson Stevens and Charles Stevens.

Clair served in the U.S. Navy for four years during World War II on the USS Sperry, a submarine tender. His ship was engaged in most of the major battles of the South Pacific aiding wounded soldiers and damaged ships.

After the war, Clair became a master plumber. During his career he supervised hundreds of men on large construction projects. From 1970 until his retirement in 1985 he

was chief mechanical inspector for the University of Michigan.

Clair had a lifelong love of fiddling. His uncle gave him an old fiddle when he was seven and by age 12 he had taught himself to play well enough to entertain at socials and dances.

Clair was a founding member of Original Michigan Fiddlers Association and served as its first president from 1975 to 1992. The OMFA wrote of him, "Clair Stevens did more to promote old-time fiddling around Michigan during his 17 years as president than any other person."

Clair moved to his wife, LaReine's, home state of Idaho in 1997, where he joined the Idaho Old-time Fiddlers Association.

He gave countless hours of service throughout his life, playing for school groups, nursing homes, charitable functions, fairs and other celebrations.

Survivors include Clair's wife, LaReine Dewey Stevens of Boise; two children from his first marriage, Rosemarie Clair Stevens of Oregon and Sidney Charles Stevens of Florida; sisters Josephine Wood, Phyllis Allison and Joan Graves; and brothers, Byard, Bill and Bruce Stevens, all from Michigan. He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother Don.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Idaho Old-time Fiddlers Association Scholarship Fund.

Lois Violet Vassoff: Dec. 6, 1903 - May 21, 2001

Lois Violet Vassoff, 97, died May 21, 2001 at Grandview Medical Care Facility in East Jordan.

A funeral will be at 1 p.m. today at Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Lois' grandson, James W. Marshall III, will officiate. Burial will take place at 1 p.m. Friday at Forest Hill Cemetery in Ann Arbor.

Lois was born on Dec. 6, 1903 in Hamilton, Ind. the daughter of George and Sarah (Albright) Collins.

She was raised near Hamilton until 1922 when she moved to Ann Arbor.

Lois worked at University Hospital in Ann Arbor as a nurses aid

and medical records clerk from 1922 until her retirement in 1966.

After she retired she continued as a volunteer at the hospital working with critical care patients.

She married Kouzman P. Vassoff June 11, 1924, in Ann Arbor. He preceded her in death on September 29, 1960.

Lois moved to Charlevoix in 1973. She continued her education there, graduating from Charlevoix High School Class of 1989, becoming the school's oldest graduate at the age of 86.

Yet, Lois' greatest accomplishment was the effect of her gentleness and faithfulness to her family modeling a faith in Christ through

her steady love.

Lois was a member of the First Baptist Church of Charlevoix for over 25 years. Survivors include one son, George K. (Marlene) Vassoff of Manchester; one daughter, Mari (James) Marshall of Sanford Lake and Venice, Fla.; eight grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild and one sister, Nina Sowles on Indiana.

She was preceded in death by 5 brothers and 3 sisters.

Memorial contributions may be made to Grandview Medical Care Facility. Envelopes for contributions are available at Winchester Funeral Home.

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City hires Pollack Design for East Park renovation

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After wading through the credentials of four planning firms for the upcoming East Park renovation project, the city selection committee chose Pollack Design Associates of Ann Arbor.

Firm principal Peter Pollack will be heading up the East Park project. He said that the city outlined the objective his firm will be working toward. This objective is to design a park that will be responsive to the needs of the marina and the town and at the same time will relate to Veteran's Park and Bridge Park.

"This new park has to be conscious of everything around it. This is something for the residents of Charlevoix. The question we will ask is, 'What do residents want to

live with 12 months out of the year,'" Pollack explained.

To conclude what will best serve Charlevoix residents, the firm plans to work closely with the city administration and staff and the community. He foresees community "visioning sessions" where residents will offer input and the planning firm will share project possibilities.

A proposed project timeline shows the first of these sessions may take place as soon as July.

During the meeting, Pollack said the community will have the opportunity to voice their feelings and impressions about what is being proposed.

"In any public arena it is very unlikely to have 100 percent satisfied, you don't want to disappoint anybody, but you have to be realistic," Pollack said.

The firm plans to pay close attention to the events and activities that are most appropriate for East Park. He said once they are able to pinpoint uses for the park they can put the "hard stuff," like benches and lights, in place.

The Pollack firm has been practicing in Michigan since 1974. They have dealt with numerous recreation and waterfront parks in both urban and rural areas. But as Pollack said, no project is the same as another and his firm custom fits everything they do.

He explained that in the places the firm works, their focus is on humanity — he plans to gather input from the people who live here.

The tentative timeline shows a project plan for the East Park renovation will be prepared by Pollack by November or December of 2001.

Man arrested for OUIL after crash

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department responded to a personal injury accident at 11:38 p.m. on May 19 on Boyne City-East Jordan Road near Deer Lake Road in Wilson Township.

A 36-year-old Elmira man was driving a 1999 Jeep Cherokee that left the roadway, rolled over and struck a utility pole, shearing the pole 7 1/2 feet off the ground. He was injured and refused medical treatment and was subsequently arrested for operating under the influence

of alcohol and driving on a revoked license.

His passenger was a 35-year-old Elmira woman who was transported by the Boyne City Ambulance to Otsego Memorial Hospital where she was treated and released.

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Butcher, Drebenstedt worry about declining numbers

VETERANS

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"At one time there were 16 million World War II veterans; never again will there be that size of a military that we can foresee. The consequence is that we don't have the number of people to draw from to establish veteran's organizations," he said.



Charlie Butcher

Butcher also stressed the importance of veterans who participated in more recent conflicts joining the organizations. He said their membership ensures the support of veteran's activities and benefits.

"All the younger guys are busy raising families and working," he said.

He added that the war a veteran served in does not determine their level of patriotism and involvement in organizations.

"Regardless of which war a veteran was involved in there has never been any question about the determination and the sacrifice made by the men

who fought in those wars," he said.

Butcher said he joined the American Legion in 1950, three years after returning from World War II. He came back from Europe convinced that America would be involved in a conflict with the Russians because of the communist country's "aggressive" actions.

He also said he became involved because he believed in what the group was doing for veteran's affairs.

"There were thousands of men and women soldiers that needed support from an organization, to maintain hospitals. The main reason I joined was because the Legion was highly responsible for establishing the G.I. (Government Issue) Bill for returning G.I.s," he explained.

Butcher said the bill was a means of compensation for having served in the military. He referred to the bill as "the greatest piece of legislation passed by Congress since the Constitution, primarily responsible for making this country the great power that it is today."

"W.W. I veterans were determined that W.W. II G.I.s would come back to a better life than they did," he said.

Drebenstedt is also concerned that if these groups are abandoned, these services will no longer be accessible

to the men and women who have earned them.

Drebenstedt said that during the Gulf War there was increased interest in Memorial Day, at least temporarily.

But he hopes to see an improvement in public support of veterans on Memorial Day.

"We could give a little back to those who went off to represent this country," he said.

He blames the decline in interest on a lack of information being passed on from generation to generation.

Drebenstedt said as a country we need to recognize the sacrifice of veterans.

"I am thankful for America fulfilling its promise to veterans of all branches that lived and made our history. On Memorial Day we are celebrating history from Valley Forge up to Bosnia," he said.

At 9:45 a.m., May 28, veterans from the VFW, the American Legion Color Guard and Rifle Guard, the color guard from the United States Coast Guard station Charlevoix and the Charlevoix High School band will meet at the American Legion Hall, located off of East Garfield Street, to get in formation for the parade which will begin at 10 a.m.

Services will be in East Park, at which time Charlevoix High School senior Ben Macks will deliver Lincoln's Gettysburg address.



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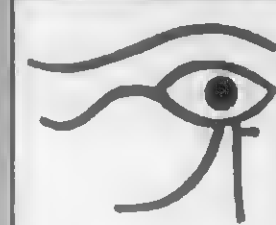
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Charlevoix offers trees to residents for planting

By JULIE MUSHLEK
Staff Writer

In recognition of lush local foliage the National Arbor Day Foundation named Charlevoix a "Tree City USA" for the ninth time and gave the city the 2000 Growth Award for the third time.

Information distributed by the Charlevoix Shade Tree Commission states, "It's our trees without question, that are a large and necessary part of the beautiful in 'Charlevoix the Beautiful.'"

Commission member Roger Knutson said, "We encourage the care, planting and maintenance of the tree legacy in Charlevoix. The city has approximately 3,200 street side trees, some of the oldest of which were planted over a century ago. The tree commission members are the guardians of that legacy."

The health of the trees lining city streets is not just a chance happening. They are well manicured by city staff and citizens. Tree care efforts are directed by city street superintendent John Martin who takes charge of planting, trimming and removal of hazardous trees, and also directs efforts to collect and compost leaves and yard trimmings.

Martin said he continues his management of city trees, "because that is what makes Charlevoix, Charlevoix."

Shade Tree Commission secretary Robert Irving said that last year, the city removed 44 trees and planted 42,

but this year they hope to double the number of trees planted.

However, the city also needs the help of business and home owners in watering the young trees during hot, dry periods and in making planting requests.

Linda Weller at the city manager's office will help residents fill a vacancy in the street side tree line on city property easement areas.

The city urges those interested to get a jump on their order because quantities are limited.

Tree varieties currently available for full planting include; the American Liberty Elm, Callery Pear, Green Ash, Littleleaf Linden, Crimson King Maple, Red Maple and the Sugar Maple.

Weller can be reached by calling 547-3270.

Qualifying for the "Tree City USA" award requires more than trimming and planting trees. Applicants must also have a tree care ordinance in effect, have a legal tree governing body (the shade tree commission), have a tree program and an Arbor Day observance.

Qualifying for the growth award that Charlevoix took home in 1995, 1997 and now again for 2000 is a whole other set of requirements. Growth Award applicants must be eligible for the Tree City USA award, the tree budget must exceed that of the previous year and tree related projects must be submitted to the foundation.



Walk for a cure

These participants in the Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Breast Cancer walk relaxed after the event while listening to music provided by Bill Stevens on guitar, Rod Stevens on banjo, and Dudley Stevens on fiddle. The event took place May 12 in East Park. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Club uses garden to remember loved ones

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The garden includes such plantings as hosta, weeping mulberry, variegated dogwood, burning bush, junipers, yews and tamarix. The committee hopes to replace two purple-leaf plum trees lost to winterkill a year ago.

Memorial contributions made by members and friends throughout the year enable the club to plant and care for this garden. Spring is a nice time to view this garden that is in the process of being "spring cleaned." Club members hope that you will walk or drive by.

You need not be a garden club member to make a memorial gift as a living memory for a friend or a loved one. If interested in making a contribution, call or write Nancy Fowler, 409 East Dixon Avenue, Charlevoix. (231) 547-9314.

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End the myths surrounding sexual assault

The words sexual assault bring to mind images of extreme violence, a brutal attack by a stranger. While that may be true in some circumstances, it is not what happens in the vast majority of sexual assaults.

During April, National Sexual Assault Awareness Month, the Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan challenged society's image of sexual assault. Many myths surround the issue: The victim must have "asked for it" by being seductive, careless, drunk or high; if the victim did not physically struggle with the assailant, it wasn't really rape.

Most victims of rape do not fit the stereotype that society wants to place on them, said Tracy Skinner, MSW, CSW, and coordinator of the Women's Resource Center Sexual Assault Program.

"These myths often shift responsibility and blame from the rapist to the victim," Skinner said.

Understanding the myths surrounding sexual assault helps many during recovery. What happened was a crime and the victim is not to blame for the rapist's behavior, she noted.

"The voices of survivors have told me again and again, 'I didn't think what happened to me was rape. I was forced to have sex, but it didn't fit with what I thought rape was,'" Skinner said. "The awful truth is, what these survivors did go through was a sexual assault,

even though it may not fit with what we typically — and often incorrectly — view as sexual assault or rape."

Shattering the myths society continues to believe about the crime of sexual assault in northern Michigan is an important role for the Women's Resource Center, explained Chris Krajewski, director of the Women's Resource Center Domestic Abuse and Sexual Assault Program.

"Northern Michigan is not immune from the crime of sexual assault," Krajewski said. "Many women I talk to about their experience never report to the police or go to the hospital for a variety of reasons — they're afraid word will get out in the small town they live in, they're worried they'll know the police officer involved in the investigation or the nurse or doctor at the emergency room."

"Women wonder: 'Does everyone need to know?' Will my name be in the paper?" Krajewski said.

Most women are assaulted by men they know, complicating the issue of reporting.

"They have a sense of shock that a man they knew and trusted would not accept no. He may be a long-time friend of the victim, or a good friend of the family and women are embarrassed to accuse someone who is known by friends and family," she said.

Again, Krajewski emphasizes, these issues or myths do not shift responsibility and blame. What

happened was a crime and the rapist is responsible for his behavior.

Teens who are assaulted have additional concerns about their privacy and other issues surrounding reporting, Skinner noted.

For example, one teen was afraid that if she told her parents, they'd become angry. She and her friends had lied about where they were going one night. They'd been drinking and if the teen reported the assault, she

didn't want everyone at the party to get in trouble for drinking. And besides, reporting wouldn't change what happened.

Women's Resource Center staff emphasize that society needs to see the complete picture of what sexual assault is. Sexual assault and rape are defined as any unwanted sexual act or contact that is attempted or completed by force, threat of force, or coercion. In Michigan, the legal term for this type of crime is criminal sexual conduct.

"We need to understand that a crime may have been committed even though there was no penetration, or there wasn't a struggle or clothing wasn't torn," Krajewski said. "There are many reasons why a person doesn't struggle; shock, being overpowered by the assailant. We need to open our eyes to the myths surrounding sexual assault and hold those accountable who commit this crime. We need to keep the rapist responsible for his behavior."



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"With fuel prices expected to be at or near record highs, making sure your vehicle is ready for the road will help increase your mileage on vacations this summer," Richard J. Miller, AAA Michigan Community Safety Services manager said.

Here are some common tips motorists can use to increase mileage:

- When times are cool, check your tire pressure monthly. It's normal for tires to lose pressure, and that can cut fuel economy by as

much as two percent each pound below recommended levels. To find what is right for your vehicle, see the owner's manual or consult the label attached to the driver door pillar.

- Avoid fast starts and stops that waste fuel. Anticipate red lights.

- If vacationing with friends, carpool as much as possible. Plan your route to avoid construction delays and congestion. Plan meal stops when traffic is likely heaviest.

- Luggage inside the vehicle or trailer, rather than on the roof, will minimize wind resistance and increase your gas mileage.

- When you arrive, carefully plan

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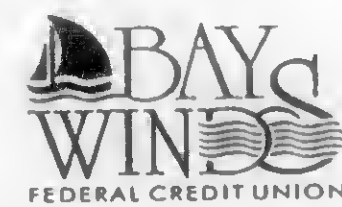
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Soccer team wins two in a row, three straight at home

The Charlevoix girls' soccer team racked up two consecutive wins last week.

The team beat East Jordan Monday, 10-0 and Roscommon on May 17, 3-1. The Monday win was also their third consecutive victory at Shanahan Field.

On Monday, Abby Shaperkott and Danielle Vogelheim each tallied three goals and one assist. Other goals were scored by: Kelly Dreyer — also with four assists, Shayna Drost, Libby Withrow and Kelly Zimmerman.

Other assists went to Jayme Murray, Marcy Bennett and

Taryn Drost.

In the May 17 game, Dreyer and Vogelheim continued their torrid offensive play and junior Murray controlled the defensive half to lead the Rayders to a conference victory.

The Bucks scored first when their all-state candidate Jennifer Gaylor beat two defenders and took the ball, scoring on a one-on-one versus the keeper. As is becoming their custom, the Rayders stormed back when Dreyer deflected the ball to Vogelheim who sent in a rocket from 20 yards out to end the first half.

The second half belonged to Charlevoix when the same

combination connected to put the Rayders on top to stay. Charlevoix's final goal belonged to Dreyer, off a nice setup from junior midfielder Karlee Barnard.

Drost turned in another fine game at midfield, marking Roscommon's Gaylor and limiting her to the one tally. Keeper Zimmerman turned back eight chances to record another win in the net.

"We're coming together at the right time and taking our game to the opposition rather than waiting," Coach Carol Madison said.

The Rayders improved to 6-5 in the conference.

Bridge marathon winners for Charlevoix Hospital Guild

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild awarded the winner of this year's bridge marathon.

First in flight A was Helen Henkel and June Couse. Second is Marge Dinwiddie and Marty Strawbridge.

Flight B was won by Marie Webb and Angie Supernaw followed by Helen Henkel and Phyllis Block.

Flight C winners are Joyce Totten and Jill Washburn, with Dee Larash and Pam Newcomb taking second.

Flight D was won by Stan and Lee Katlein while placing second was Dick and Mary Lou Dinion.

Bill and Gerry Brady won Flight E while Woody and Maggi Wilson took second.

Interested players, single or couples are invited to sign up for next winter marathon.

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MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

Lions, 6-0
Oleson's, 3-1
Shannon's Wood Floor, 2-3
Round Lake Lodge, 2-4
American Legion, 1-3
Dairy Queen, 1-4

LAST WEEK'S SCORES

Round Lake Lodge 11, Shannon's 9
Oleson's 12, Dairy Queen 7
Lions 15, American Legion
Oleson's 5, Round Lake Lodge 2
Lions 7, Shannon's 1

MINOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

Larry Drost Builders, 3-0
Teachers' Team, 2-1
Twin Bay, 1-2
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SPORTS

Tennis team closes out season, looks to next one

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

While its season has come to a close, Charlevoix High School tennis coach Garth Miller said the team has a lot to be proud of.

"It was a real joy to coach this group this year," he said. Charlevoix finished out its season with a conference meet on May 11, a dual meet with Boyne City on May 17 and finally the regional tournament on May 18.

Miller said the team was a bit disappointed after the conference meet, as they finished in last place out of five teams. They were edged out by Boyne City by one point.

However, Charlevoix got its revenge.

In a dual meet with Boyne City following the conference tournament, the Rayders won, 4-3.

"We were really excited that we were able to avenge our loss

earlier," Miller said.

The Rayders were riding high with this victory as they went into the regional tournament against 11 teams.

While the team finished in eighth place, again Miller said he saw some strong play.

He specifically pointed to Haas in the singles, Lisa Miller in the singles, the team of Molly Arnold and Melissa McDonough in doubles and the team of Bill Foster and Michelle Martin in doubles.

"It was an exciting way for those seniors to go out," Miller added. "The two doubles teams just showed extraordinary improvement. I was proud of them."

While the season is over, Miller is already looking forward to getting on the court next year.

"We have a solid nucleus coming back, but we sure will miss the leadership of the seniors," he said.

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Spring sailing getting underway on the lake



A. Nony Mouse
'Yachting notes'

This is not a Weather Forecast... After stating "A. Nony's forecast is for about 70 degrees with, perhaps, a sprinkle," this mouse has been advised to give up long range weather forecasting.

Sure it was near 70 earlier in the day and later precipitation could hardly be called a sprinkle, but by race time it was darn cold, still damp and virtually no wind. Despite all that, quite a few hardy souls turned out for this, the second and final practice race of the seasons.

Again, nine J-22s crossed the starting line, as did several of the big boys — SLAPSHOT was joined by Mark Pirie's new WINDRUNNER and Kenifect's new HOOTIE. It looks as though GOTCA may have some real competition for that fleet's honors. We heard that FLASH is now in the water (and floating!) and expect her out for the first Spring Series start today (May 23).

The first race was sailed in light and variable air as THUNDER-STUCK parlayed the shifts to nose out the very fast SUPERFLUOUS. That ended up being the only completed race of the evening as the gentle breeze became no breeze about halfway through the second race. Until it died, we had what promised to be interesting competition. MOISTURE MISSILE won the

start, but FIRST DATE went over early; restarted and then ended up in the lead at the first mark. That's when both the wind and the sailors called it a night.

Many thanks to Tom Griffin and Mike Miller for organizing the practice races (and for towing several becalmed skippers and crews home)!

The power boaters had their planning meeting Friday evening, but the turnout was disappointing in terms of quantity of skippers attending (although the quality was outstanding). No report yet on what great events are now planned other than participation in the Charlevoix Venetian Boat Parade, the evening of July 28, and the Charlevoix Yacht Club Annual Fantastic On-the-Water Treasure Hunt, scheduled for August 26. More later — as soon as we have that schedule of events.

NAUTICAL TRIVIA #1 — (A new feature to be included in Yachting Notes when space permits.) The Plimsoll line is a mark painted on the side of merchant vessels showing the various draught levels to which the ship may be loaded. The Plimsoll line is a circle bisected by a horizontal line, indicating the summer freeboard of the ship. Vessels less than 100 meters in length include a lowest line marked "WNA." "WNA" is the acronym for? Answer: Next Week

We'll start publishing Spring Series Wednesday Race results next week. Until then, have fun and get your boats and crews in racing form.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the spring and summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its web site at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

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Auction to benefit resource center to be May 31

Fourteen years ago, 15 artists joined together at the first art auction to benefit the Women's Resource Center.

Total sales reached just over \$2,500. Last year 60 artists had total sales of just over \$11,000. Two artists, Jan Vandenbrink and Cat Bartreau, have been in all of the past shows and are scheduled to be in this one as well.

The fifteenth annual "Women's Work" art auction benefit for the Women's Resource Center (WRC) is scheduled

for May 31.

The auction will be at Stafford's Bay View Inn in Petoskey. The silent auction runs from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The winning bids from the Silent Auction are announced at approximately 7:15 p.m., and the Live Auction then starts at 7:30 p.m.

The silent auction will also feature some wonderful golf packages and gift certificates to local retailers and restaurants.

"Certainly we always hope

that one more artist will join the auction each year and that we'll make at least one dollar more, but the real reason we all enjoy this event so much is that it's fun!" says Deb Smith, WRC Assistant Director.

"The WRC depends on community support to be able to continue to provide services and to grow. This event allows the community to give, but they also get to take something home at the end of the evening."

All of the artists donate at

least one piece, and then share in the proceeds from the sale of the other one or two pieces they put in. (Many artists donate all of the proceeds.)

Pieces are usually priced at much below what you would have to pay in a gallery or store to encourage quick, exciting bidding.

The WRC is expecting approximately 50 to 60 artists to show their work during this year's event. Mediums will include: pottery, jewelry, watercolors, stained glass, mixed

media, fiber art, baskets, weaving, quilted items, wood furniture, clothing and dried flowers/herbs.

Hors d'oeuvres will be available.

The cost is \$15 per person or \$25 per couple and tickets may be purchased at the door.

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Learn to mind your manners with Gilbert

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix resident and author Edith Gilbert is working to buck the American trend toward, a "fast food mentality" that she thinks is threatening to make table manners a thing of the past.

"Parents are not sitting down to dinner together anymore. They are running off to soccer matches or music lessons and grandparents are not living in the same community where they can have sit-down meals because families are so scattered," Gilbert said.

"There are times in our lives when we will attend weddings or family gatherings and we need to know how to compose ourselves."

So, Gilbert has taken it upon herself to educate some northern Michigan students in the virtues of table manners. Her first stop was Northwest Academy, Charlevoix's charter school, where she taught high school students the art of fine dining.

Her most recent undertaking was to prepare two fifth grade classes from Central Lake Elementary School for a five course lunch at Murphy's Lamp Light Inn in Central Lake.

Gilbert, with the help of fifth grade teachers Jeff Kessler and Eric Nuffer, gave three presentations before 36 students.

The special project was part of a confidence building unit at the school.

Kessler had left education for 20 years and recently returned to teaching. He said he sees chaos in

"There are times in our lives when we will attend weddings or family gatherings and we need to know how to compose ourselves."

Edith Gilbert,
Etiquette teacher

the lunch room and kids that need a bolt of confidence.

The special dining unit was introduced to the students as a tool to help build their confidence, not specifically to teach manners. Confidence was defined as, "knowing what you are doing."

Kessler said the premise of the unit was to, "Convince fifth graders that they have the ability to conquer uncertainty with knowledge."

Gilbert kicked things off with an imaginary outing. She called the mind bender, "Imagine you are invited to eat at the White House and they served Cornish Game Hens. What do you do?"

Gilbert told the students that good manners reflected their confidence.

The White House unit was followed up by a video titled, "The Art of Dining for Tots and Teens," which outlined the intricacies of formal dining etiquette.

Kessler said that he has showed science videos that the students yawned at but they were mesmerized by the "stuffy" dining tell-all.

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(Above) Students show off their latest pool of knowledge as they toast their host, Charlevoix resident and author, Edith Gilbert. (Left) Central Lake fifth grade student Ryan Aenis adjusts his tie in preparation for five courses of fine dining. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



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Some dining tips

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- Keep an eye on your mom. Make sure ladies and older guests are seated before sitting down.
- Be nice to your napkin. Place your napkin in your lap and leave it there except when you use it to wipe your mouth.

- Know your silverware. The name of each piece of silverware usually tells you its use. Remember to use the proper piece of silverware with the food you are eating.

- Know your place setting. Knives are placed on the right side of the plate because most people hold them in their right hand. Forks go on the left because they are held in the left hand for cutting meat.

- Get ready, get set. Do not start eating until everyone at the table has been served. This is true for every course.

- Soup should be sipped, not slurped.

- Know your salads. Salads can look like a lot of things - from lettuce, to gelatins, to fruits, to slaws. A salad is usually served in a separate bowl or plate to the left of your dinner plate.

- Wait for the main event. The entree is why you're here. So, make sure you've saved enough room for it.

- Finger foods. Some foods are hard to eat with silverware so there's nothing wrong with using your fingers. These include: olives, pickles, radishes and corn on the cob.

- I'm done. There are polite ways to let others know you are finished with your main course. Make sure your butter knife is across your bread and butter plate, your salad fork across your salad plate and your dinner knife and fork across your dinner plate.

- Say "thank you" to everyone. Waiters and waitresses have a tough job, say "thanks" every chance you get.

Gilbert takes her dining etiquette lessons to school

ETIQUETTE

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Gilbert followed up with a second unit that was more hands on. The students used paper plates, plastic dinner ware and imaginary toasts. Using the props, Gilbert taught the children how to act in a restaurant from the time they step through the door until they were ready to leave.

The hard work came to a head

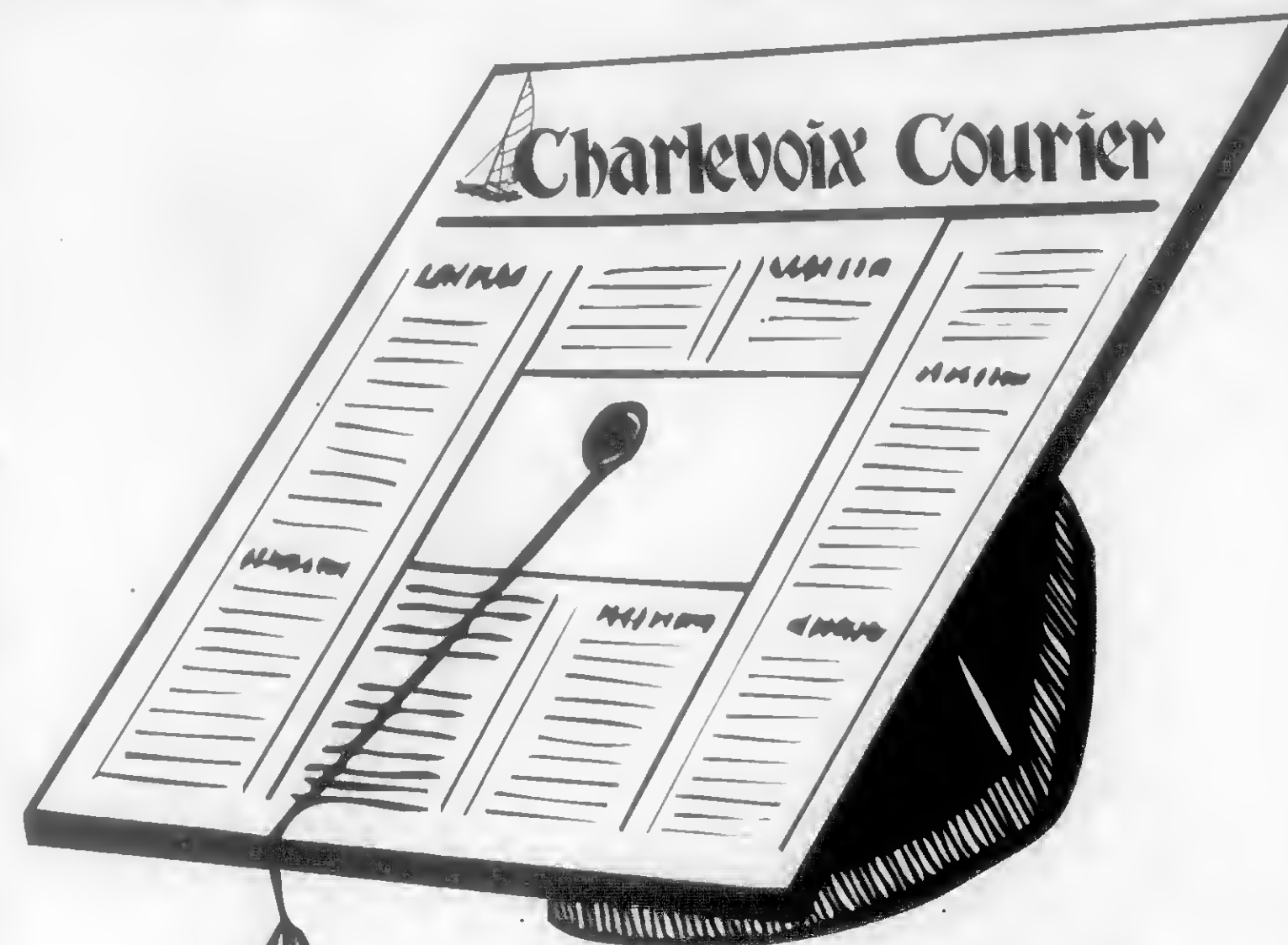
on May 17 when it came time for the kids to show their stuff. As they sauntered into the restaurant donning their Sunday best they were excited but apprehensive.

Fifth grade student Clayton Shepard said, "This is kind of scary, I'm not used to doing this all the time." But he quickly adjusted and reached for his napkin, gently placing it in his lap.

He shared the table with three other fifth grade boys, two of whom said they learned a couple

rules of dining they won't forget. Jason Barnett said he learned how to slice his food properly or in his words, "how not to saw at it" and Tyler Johnson said he won't forget it's improper to rest his elbows on the table.

After the meal Gilbert said, "They (the students) could be at any prep school in the east. They did 10 toasts at least, for me, the chef, their teachers. It was absolutely adorable, their reaction was far beyond anything I expected."



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Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE CHARLEVOIX CITY PLANNING COMMISSION June 11, 2001 - 6:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, June 11, 2001 at 6:00 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room of City Hall, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 to receive public input to discuss a proposed ordinance which amends portions of Chapter 51, Zoning and Planning. The following items are being considered:

1. Section 5.5(15a) - renumbering and replacement - definition of "building line"
2. The current Section 5.5(15a) would be renumbered (15b)
3. Section 5.8(11)(d) - repeal existing and replace definition of "width"
4. Section 5.33(1) - repeal and replace - Minimum lot area and width
5. Section 5.43(1) - repeal and replace - Minimum lot area and width
6. Section 5.48(1) - repeal and replace - Minimum lot area and width
7. Section 5.226 - repeal and replace - Nonconforming lots of record
8. Section 5.256(6) - repeal and replace - Conditions of approval

The amendment will establish minimum lot width requirements. The proposed ordinance also adds the definition of "building line" and redefines the definition of "width" and changes the requirements for a non-conforming lot of record. The amendment will also permit the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant a six month extension for the start of the project construction.

A complete copy of the proposed language is available at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's Office.

Interested citizens can make comments at the public hearing or written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, Michigan.

Gerry Harsch, City Planner

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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS May 15, 2001 - 12:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members present except Councilman A. J. Witthoef.

The State of Michigan grant for up to \$55,000 to purchase plant materials for the US 31 South Landscaping Project must be spent by September 30, 2001, or the grant will be lost. Before purchasing the plant materials, grading, fill, and black dirt are necessary.

Motion to approve a change order to the Clave Harbor Industries Infrastructure Contract for grading for an estimated \$32,000.

Motion to approve a fill contract with C. H. Smith for an estimated \$19,300.

Motion to approve purchase of black dirt from Drenth Brothers for an estimated \$6,250.

Council adjourned at 12:30 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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Service organizations —

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The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Satur-

days at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrill at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For

more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

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Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651. Grandvue Auxiliary meets the

second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

The first of the two channel swing bridges

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society

By the summer of 1878, Charlevoix was gazing in wonderment and awe at the first of its two swing bridges, a lovely, feminine, perfectly balanced addition to the cityscape, and a gala sight, it was clad in a fresh coat of brilliant, vermilion paint.

Two openwork girders upheld a delicate arch-like crosspiece in the center. On festive occasions, these uprights might be girded in white wrappings swirled by garlands, then capped by small pine trees both on top and on the walkway railings. Thin double cables stretched from the girder tops to either end on both sides, structurally necessary to support the weight of the roadbed. This made it both a suspension and swing bridge that pivoted atop a huge turntable that rested on a high circle of metal pilings located within a tapered protective framework island of thick timbers set precisely in the middle of the channel.

The turntable's worm-gear mechanism was activated by a giant "key" lowered into a hole in the roadbed. At least two men were required to turn this behemoth key whose steel peg was over four feet long and oak arms stretched to 16 feet, spanning the roadbed with only six inches to spare. Four men was the best number for the quickest turning, thus not really solving the problem of the previous bridge's requirement of multiple manpower (six to operate the former winch) to be on hand for every opening. But there never seemed to be a lack of volunteers ready to pitch in. The average turning time for a cycle was about eight minutes: four to open, four to close.

(This key also was used for a few months on the fourth bridge in 1901, then relegated to emergency status once that bridge became steam powered.) Several decades later, it came into the possession of nationally known author and local teacher Bill Ratigan, whose son and daughter-in-law Patsy and Alvin Ranger donated it to the Charlevoix Historical Society. Former society president John Gaskin, grandson of Charlevoix's first mayor, Harvey Lee Iddings, expertly restored this key and with the city's approval had it mounted for permanent display in Hoffman Park on Park Avenue near the bridge. The plank walkway into and surrounding the key echo the plank roadbeds of our two swing bridges.

Within four years the channel

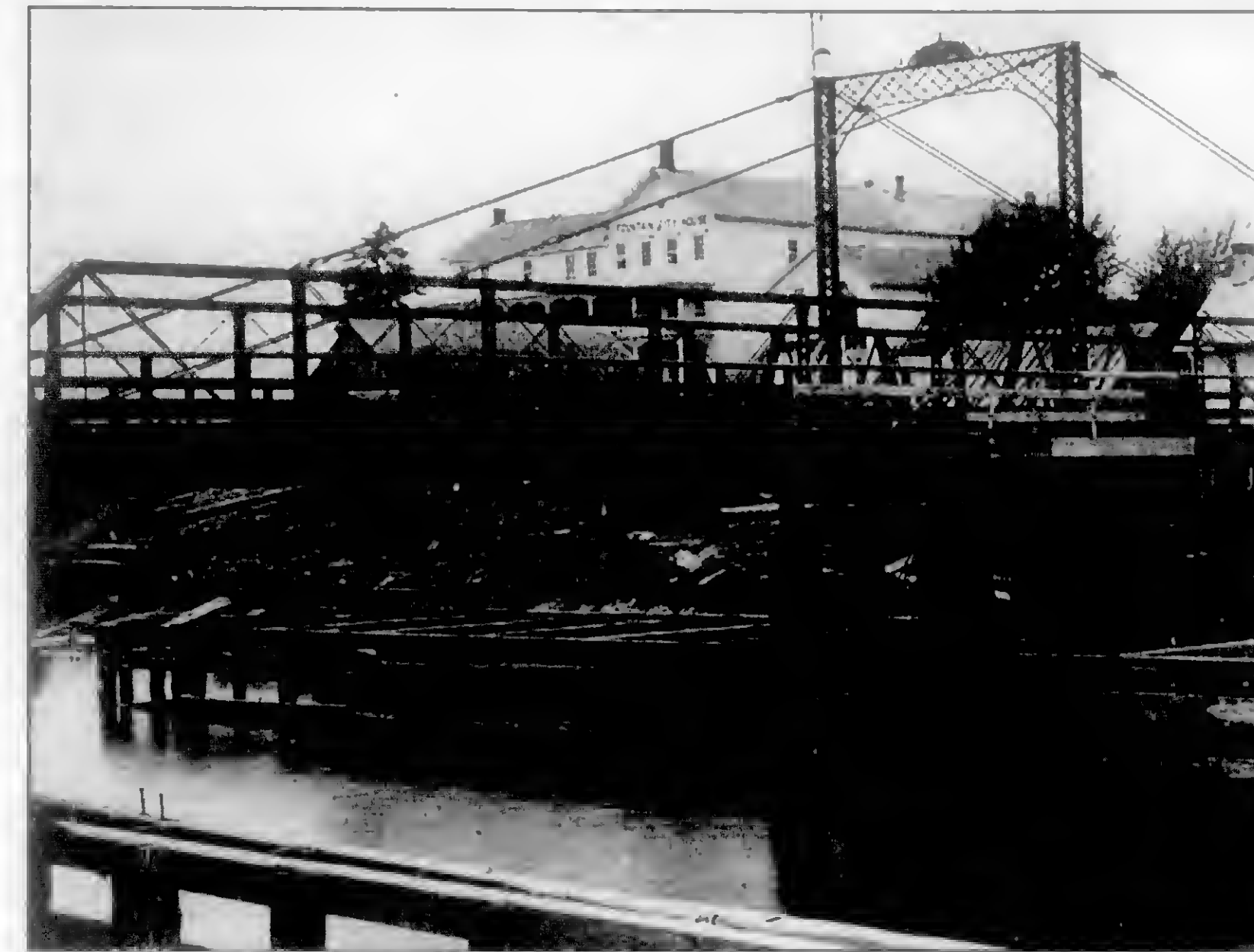
had been widened to the dimension it enjoys today. This definitely put the stamp on Charlevoix's eminence as the most important port in northwest lower Michigan, the greatest boom to the economy of the whole region.

The first big vessel to enter created quite a stir when July 9, 1882 saw the triumphant entry of the passenger steamer Fountain City into Round Lake. She had been calling here ever since 1866 when the great Fox and Rose dock was in place jutting into Lake Michigan, disembarking her passengers there. Now she was the first of hundreds to come and when she passed through, "a lusty cheer went up from hundreds of throats," (*Charlevoix Sentinel*) of those assembled to welcome her near the bridge.

All could now come in, that is, except one. The U.S. Revenue Cutter Andrew Johnson, the only federal vessel on the Great Lakes, had been calling here frequently to collect customs fees. Charlevoix actually had a customs collector as a civic office. She was a side-wheeler, and entered the channel always to pull up at the north revetment just west of the bridge because the draw was too narrow by two feet for her huge side appurtenances. The channel may have been widened, but not at the bridge, so the 1882 widening did the Johnson little good.

In September of 1881, the *Sentinel* reported that, "The captain...when here last week, told Deputy Commissioner Green that he would make this the headquarters of his steamer next summer if the bridge draw was wide enough to admit him into the harbor. As it only lacks two feet, Commissioner Nettleton is taking up the advisability of widening the draw." David C. Nettleton was very concerned that making the Johnson cool her heels every time she came into the channel, but not into port like every other ship, would not set well with the powers that be that oversaw important waterways in Washington. He worried how this might impact the town's future fortunes in the government's eyes.

A month later, the *Sentinel* reported that, "Commissioner Nettleton is about to make the bridge draw wider by putting four feet of the approach on hinges. It will never have to be used except in the case of the entrance of the U.S. Steamer Andy Johnson." This claim, however, must be taken with a huge grain of salt. The problem lay not at the road-way approach, but down below at



The first of the two swing bridges to grace the Charlevoix channel. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

the waterline, where the revetment made the draw even narrower by several inches. It may have been wishful thinking out loud, or more likely a tongue-in-cheek sop to the government that "yes, we are studying the problem, and we're on top of it. Don't worry, the problem is near solution." As far as is known, the roadbed approach was never hinged, it would have weighed an enormous amount and required the services of an inordinate number of men to be available at certain times to heave it up, and cost a fortune to engineer. On top of that, no captain of a vessel the size of the Johnson in his right mind would ever negotiate a draw that allowed him only one foot of clearance, that he could hardly see on either side.

So, for over 20 years, in all likelihood, the Andrew Johnson was like the poor relation who was welcome to visit as long as

he stayed on the front porch, and when he gained respectability (in the boat's case, a new bridge and wider draw in 1901) he was welcome to step into the parlor.

Also in 1881, Officer James Martin, who had been pulling double duty as salaried officer of the law and bridge tender, thought he should be paid more for doing two jobs, so he offered to do all his duties for \$1 per day, night duty included, and it was accepted. As my father, Bob Miles, put it so succinctly in his book on Charlevoix, "It seemed most logical that the policeman should be the tender, for it was argued that in this way he could keep one eye on the ships that could navigate in a proper manner and the other eye on a few human derelicts that under certain conditions couldn't navigate at all."

(A footnote to the history of this bridge: In October of 1879,

work was being done on the south approach, when "A horse belonging to H.W. Beach of Banks (township), fell through the uncompleted approach...but fortunately was hurt but little." Beach was the father of Rex Beach, famed American author of adventure novels, several of them made into films such as "The Spoilers," who was born in Atwood.)

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EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events...

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m. Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Community Action Group to meet

A Community Action Group to Address Adolescent Substance Abuse Issues is meeting at BASES will be from 7:30 to 9 p.m., Thursday. Based on the recent survey of Charlevoix County students and the presentations about this information by Hazelden, a group of concerned citizens has expressed an interest in taking an active role in assisting schools and agencies to address adolescent substance abuse concerns in our communities in Charlevoix County. The agenda in-

cludes a name for the group, 3 projects to be selected, and establishing timelines project completion.

Blood drive

The American Red Cross will be in Charlevoix on May 31. The bloodmobile will be at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church on the corner of Bridge Street and Meech Street. The hours are from 1 p.m. until 6:45 p.m. Please call 347-5984 to make an appointment or just drop in.

Bake sale

The Women's Guild of Bethany Lutheran Church will sponsor a Homemade Bake Sale at 10 a.m. on May 26 at Glen's Market.

Matching funds are being applied for through Lutheran Brotherhood Tip of the Mitt Branch 8959. This is one of many projects to procure kitchen appliances in the new church facility.

Republican dinner

The Charlevoix County Republican Party Dinner is at the Grey Gables

Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue, in Charlevoix on May 30. The cost is \$25 per person. The reception begins at 6 p.m. with dinner to follow at 7 p.m. Guest speaker is Lt. Governor Dick Posthumus. Please call John Haggard at 547-4046 (work) or 547-6600 (home) with your menu selection as soon as possible. Choices are whitefish, prime rib or shrimp stuffed chicken breasts.

Church speaker

The Golden Rule Spiritualist Church speaker for Sunday, May 27 will be Virginia Goodwin of Levering. That service will be at 10:00 a.m. For more information about Golden Rule Spiritualist Church, please contact Secretary Karen Stanhope at 347-7916. The church is located at 10867 Maple Grove Road in Charlevoix.

Bottle drive

The Charlevoix High School Performing Arts will conduct a bottle drive on June beginning at 6 p.m. If you will not be home and need bottles or cans to be picked up, please call 547-9842.

Featured event Memorial Day parade



At 9:45 a.m., May 28, veterans from the VFW, the American Legion Color Guard and Rifle Guard, the color guard from the United States Coast Guard station Charlevoix and the Charlevoix High School band will meet at the American Legion Hall, located off of East Garfield Street, to get in formation for the parade which will begin at 10 a.m. Services will be in East Park, at which time Charlevoix High School senior Ben Macks will deliver Lincoln's Gettysburg address. (File photo)

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Arnold resigns, says she cannot work with board

LIBRARY

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Arnold said that prior to the May 10 library board meeting, when Wallick decided to accept a retirement proposal, she was thinking about resigning but she said she stayed on to support Wallick.

"They (the board) haven't paid a lot of attention to me for months.

Maybe I can do more from this side anyway," Arnold said.

However, in the wake of her resignation and the retirement of Wallick, Arnold said she is grappling over whether or not she will attend library board meetings.

"It will be just as icy sitting in the audience as it was sitting on the board," she said.

In reaction to Arnold's resignation, library board president Rick Brandi said, "We need a new

board member I guess. We need a full board to make good decisions. It's (the resignation) unfortunate. I just thank her for the time that she spent with the board."

He explained that since the board's inception in 1997 there has never been a vacancy and all the current representatives have retained their original positions.

Each board member is appointed by the township board or, in Brandi's case, the city of Charlevoix

and in Mary Ann Chew's case, the school board. They then serve a three year term before being up for re-appointment.

Brandi's position and Norwood Township representative Ethel Coeling's seat are up for re-appointment, both terms expire June 30.

Brandi said that if the board is able to find an interim director for the library they may call a special meeting. He said that they have advertised the position at universities

throughout the state with library programs.

If no interested person comes forward the regularly scheduled meeting will be the next to take place at 6:30 p.m. June 14 in the library basement.

Marion supervisor Boss said that he would like to hear from Marion Township residents who are interested in filling Arnold's vacant seat. Boss can be contacted by calling 547-5287.

Lunch, Laugh and Learn series schedule

The second and third of a 10 luncheon series, "Lunch, Laugh and Learn" is scheduled for back-to-back on June 6 and 13 at the Charlevoix Country Club.

The focus will be on bridge, the popular card game on June 6. Two outstanding players and instructors will share their thoughts with luncheon attendees.

Dan Clark of Central Lake, who has a regional master card and a life master; Mary Sue Hansen of Big Rapids, both recognized in the Midwest as excellent players, will divide the audience into non-players/beginners and those currently playing.

Fundamentals will be stressed and the experienced players will learn of new strategy and special situations.

The June 13 luncheon is entitled "Get the Scoop on 2001 Venetian Festival Plans" and again, will be at the country club.

It's actually a media conference with Venetian Board president Dan Barron and Venetian Games commissioner Dean Davenport sharing for the first time publicly, the new festival innovations, special features and expanded activities.

Television, radio and print media representatives will be invited to attend. In addition, "The Captain" will introduce the queen candidates and David Miles of the Historical Society will make a short presentation of past Venetian highlights.

There is no cost to attend any of the Lunch, Laugh, and Learn sessions. The cost of an optional lunch is \$8.95 and the public is invited.

To assure you have a seat for either or both of these luncheons, call for reservations at 547-9796. Reservations, however, are not required and "walk up" attendees are welcome as long as space permits.

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New bike



The Charlevoix Police Department has a new bike to patrol the city with.

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Planting time



Charlevoix residents took part in last week's annual petunia planting along Bridge Street.

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Run to state



Several members of the Charlevoix boys' and girls' track teams will be heading to the state meet this weekend.

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Industrial site search continues for city

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Locations for a possible Charlevoix industrial park are being discussed by city and township officials, but finding the perfect parcel hasn't been easy.

Recently, former first ward councilman Bob Timms asked city council to look into the viability of the 29 acre site where Hoskins Manufacturing in Marion Township is located.

Aug. 1 is the proposed shutdown date for Hoskins — the close of the company will leave almost 100 employees out of work and a 75,000 square foot building vacant.

City Manager Mike Wiesner said that for several years the city has been looking for a site to designate as an industrial park, but haven't been able to find what they are looking for and Hoskins isn't the answer.

The \$3.5 million price tag on the parcel, which is not yet officially on the market, is too high for the city, he said.

Aside from the dollar figure, Wiesner said other features of the property make it ill-equipped for the city's use, like the site's lack of both sewer and water lines.

Beyond utilities and finances Wiesner said that 29 acres isn't as large of a site as they were hoping to acquire. He said the city is looking for at least a 40 acre parcel, "if not more."

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Rain not expected to raise water levels

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Recent high volumes of rainfall may have lake lovers breathing a sigh of relief but, this summer, the Army Corps of Engineers Detroit branch is predicting Lake Michigan water levels to remain below their long-term average.

As of May 23 Charlevoix



In honor

(Above) Coast Guardsmen from the Acacia stand at attention during the Memorial Day ceremony in East Park. The ceremony, which featured a recitation of the Gettysburg Address, followed the annual Memorial Day parade down Bridge Street (right). (Photos by Jeremy McBain.)



"Lake Michigan, Huron, St. Clair and Erie are expected to experience less than average seasonal rises through the summer."

Army Corps of Engineers.
Statement about water levels from their web site

was showered in 4.54 inches of precipitation, 2.3 inches more than the area received last year

during the entire month of May and 3.02 inches more than what we saw during the month

of May in 1996.

Charlevoix water and wastewater superintendent, Sam Cresswell said the high volumes of precipitation will help to boost low water levels, but as was forecasted by the engineering group, no major increases for Lake Michigan water levels are on the horizon.

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Truck presentation

Dale Boss, with his wife Marilyn Boss standing by, cut the ribbon on the new Charlevoix petunia watering truck May 24 during the annual planting. The truck will be used to keep the colorful flowers lining the streets of Charlevoix from being

thirsty this summer. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Anthony David Cesaro, 19, Wixom. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$200.

Cornelio Cornejo AKA Gomez-Ponce, 30, Charlevoix. Driving with multiple licenses. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Anna Mae Spencer, 19, Harbor Springs. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend victim IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Paul Robert White, 41, Petoskey. Delivery and manufacturing of a controlled substance-marijuana; and possession of a controlled substance-analogues. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license suspended six months; 10 months in jail with credit for one day, serve 10 months; \$810 in fines and costs.

Timothy Allen Girlinghouse, 25, East Jordan. Unlawful use of a motor vehicle. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; six months in jail with credit for two days, serve six months; \$4,544.71 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with

the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Tasteful Treasures by Jodie, 3826 Hejhal Road, East Jordan, by Jodie Massey

Bricker Painting & Decorating, 4661 Korthase Road, Boyne City, by Katie Bricker

Pressworthy, 110 Hillcrest Drive, East Jordan, by William R. Moore

My Sister's Closet, 1207 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Patricia Butcher

Superior Studio Porcelain and China Restoration, 05774 Maple Grove Road, Charlevoix, by Sally A. Brooks

Harborside Services, 902 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Patricia A. Christ

Harborside Taxi, 902 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Patricia A. Christ

Marriages

The following people were granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Michael Eugene Streasick, 36, East Jordan and Cynthia Lynn Karlskin, 31, East Jordan

Carl E. Blanchard IV, 32, Boston, Mass. and Cynthia J. Trimmer, 38, Boston, Mass.

Divorces

The following people have been granted judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Pamela A. Greetis vs. Thomas G. Greetis

Marjorie Hockin Romig vs. Paul Edgar Romig

Connie Boike vs. Terry Boike

Kay Suzanne Rewald vs. Charles C. Rewald

Janet L. Thomson vs. Duanne Carlton Thomson

Births

Emily Lynn Dunson, weighing 8 pounds, 4 ounces, was born to Clay Dunson and Susan Moore of East Jordan on May 21, at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Caid David Schroeder was born to Krale and Jodi Schroeder of Boyne City on May 16 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Kelsi Cierra Hill was born to Scott and Cynthia Hill of Boyne City on May 24 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Ashley Ann Marie Beckwith, weighing 5 pounds, 15 ounces, was born to Dana and Dawn Beckwith of East Jordan on May 26 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Police department gets new bike for patrols

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

This summer, Charlevoix City Police officers will take to the streets in style.

A new Mercedes Benz has been added to their fleet of cruisers.

In the wake of continually rising gas prices, the best thing about this mover is not its plush seat and care-free handling but that it doesn't require gas.... it's pedal powered.

Just last week the city police station received a top of the line bike, free from Mercedes Benz U.S.A. located in Orlando, Fla.

City police chief Dennis Halverson said the bike is valued at \$3,000.

"Obviously, another piece of equipment of this caliber is a nice addition. I'm optimistic that it will work out fine," he added.

The force already has two patrol bikes, but Halverson said they are more of a mountain bike style.

City officers use the mountain bikes to patrol areas like Mt. McSaub and the beaches. The Benz is more of a street bike.

Halverson foresees officer Jim Schlappi and officer Peter Shrift using the bike often to patrol downtown parks at

night.

Halverson said three weeks ago he received a letter from Mercedes Benz U.S.A. offering the city their special police bike and he filled out the response.

After sending in the response Halverson called other police chiefs around the state. He said none of the chiefs he spoke with had heard of the free police cycle special offer.

"For whatever reason they picked us we're happy," Halverson said.

The bike, which arrived May 20, was put together by Charlevoix resident Todd Friedinger on May 23 and is ready to take to the roads.



Todd Friedinger poses with the new bike donated to the Charlevoix Police. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Remember the rules of summer in Charlevoix

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

In order to keep people safe and ticket free, Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson is reminding readers to obey city ordinances that are seasonal in nature.

The three main ordinances that he says he finds more people forgetting in summer are: Prohibitions on bikes, skateboards and rollerblades on downtown sidewalks, people not picking up after their pets and people having alcohol in the parks after 9:30 p.m.

On the first ordinance, Halverson said people are always forgetting about that rule and riding their bikes or rollerblades downtown. This

creates a safety problem for pedestrians and causes damage to city property, especially when it involves rollerblades and skateboards.

"They just play havoc with our rails and everything. They just really do a lot of damage to it," he said.

Halverson also said people must remember the city is not porta-potty for their pets.

"While people are walking their dogs, they must possess a device to pick up and carry away dung," he said.

As for the last least-known ordinance, Halverson simply said the rule only applies to parks within the city that allow alcohol. Since alcohol is prohibited from any park within 1,000 feet of a highway, that

means you are only allowed to possess alcohol at Michigan Beach, Depot Beach and Ferry Beach.

In addition to these ordinances, Halverson said people should remember that parking is actively enforced in the summertime.

As of Memorial Day weekend, the parking meters in the downtown area have gone up and a person has been hired by the police department to check them. Also, there is a two hour parking limit on the side streets and there is no

overnight parking without a permit.

"Parking is a high priority because the volume of cars and the people increases," Halverson said.

By having parking enforcement, he said the police are keeping people safe and helping the merchants by creating turnover.

Halverson also reminds people to keep a cool head in their vehicles while driving around the city in the congested summer traffic.

"That is probably our number one root cause of (traffic)

problems. People get frustrated and get in a hurry," he said.

"You can't in Charlevoix." If you lose your cool in the city traffic, your chances of getting into an accident or getting a traffic ticket by a city police officer greatly increase.

"You have to put your mind in another gear in Charlevoix in the summer in regard to traffic and driving around," he said.

Weather

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May 22	76	50	.37"
May 23	63	45	trace
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May 28	59	46	.04"

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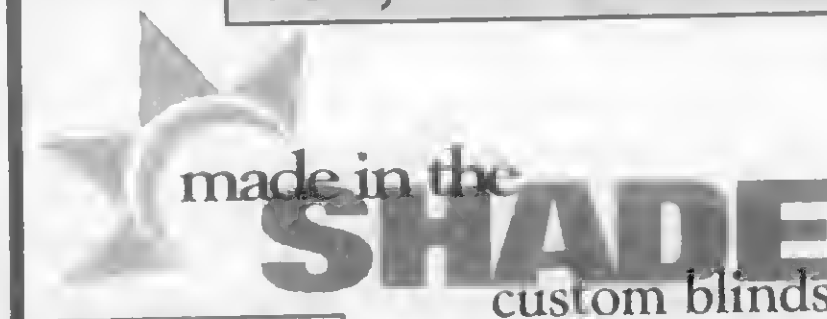
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OPINIONS

Wind can provide great power supply

Electricity courses through every corner of this country.

The warm glows of our homes at night, the alarm clocks waking us up for another day, the computers in our offices and the televisions we use to unwind are just some of the many devices in our lives dependent on this force.

But, there are problems with this resource. Electricity does not just spontaneously appear in the lines leading to our homes, but it must be created by an electric company through such ways as the burning of coal or even messing with smaller-than-microscopic particles to create energy in a nuclear reactor.

However, this coal can produce pollution as it burns into the atmosphere or is mined from the ground and a nuclear reactor's by-product is toxic waste — a substance that will kill you outright.

Even with the messiness that results from producing electricity, we are a growing nation with even increasing energy needs.

Therefore it is vital that we find other ways of producing more electricity, but in environmentally friendly ways.

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EDITORIAL

And one of the ways we can get electricity with minimal impact to the environment is by harnessing the power of the wind.

Here in Charlevoix County we have started looking into that very power source — capturing the power of the wind by using wind turbines — specifically in Bay Township.

But some people have complained that these turbines visually unappealing in rural landscapes and they are fighting the township to keep them out, all the while enjoying the benefits of electricity in their homes.

These wind turbines may look a little out of place in a rural environment, but so does smog, acid rain and coal mines.

It is time for us to start looking into other sources of energy and this is one way we can do it.

While a electricity producing wind turbine may look a little out of place in a farmer's field, it sure beats slowly losing our environment to pollution.

Young string musicians put on great performance



Edith Gilbert
'Behind the news'

dents lifted their little bows — some not much bigger than a ruler — while I held my breath. Could they really play a tune? You bet they could!

I recognized the opening melody, "Three Blind Mice," followed by other more spirited tunes, such as "Theme from the New World Symphony." The audience cheered, clapped and video-taped with such enthusiasm one would have thought they were listening to Isaac Stern himself.

As the evening progressed, the youngsters re-grouped, and more difficult pieces were performed, such as "Hoedown from Rodeo" by Aaron Copeland. The evening concluded with Beethoven's "Ode to Joy" arranged and conducted by Kary Johnson and performed by the Crooked Tree Youth Orchestra.

Everyone marveled at gutsy Kary Johnson! The logistics of arranging such a concert was formidable, but she pulled it off with great professionalism.

Thirteen area schools reaching from Central Lake to Pellston, covering a two county area participated in this project. Hired by the Crooked Tree Arts Center last August, Kary arrived here to begin this popular string program in 13 public and private schools, located in Charlevoix and Emmet County. These include Charlevoix Elementary, St. Mary's and Beaver Island

Community School. Thirteen children from Beaver Island came over by boat for this special concert. That's nearly half of the school population!

Kary Johnson has been a long time public and private music teacher. She is a graduate of Western Michigan University and Arizona State University. She started the Kalamazoo Symphony Society and has taught for 22 years in Kalamazoo and Battle Creek Public Schools.

This summer, July 10 to Aug. 2, The Crooked Tree Arts Center is offering a mini summer camp for string instruments. Students will meet three mornings a week — Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday — from 10 a.m. to noon at the Art Center in Petoskey.

Johnson will be assisted by Bing Farrar as low strings instructor and John Van Patton, violin instructor. Fee enrollment for the mini camp is \$90 for four weeks, \$60 for two weeks.

For more information, please call 347-4337.

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. Her columns appear at various times in the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.

Letters to the editor

Thank you

Editor:

On behalf of the Charlevoix Elementary Parent-Teacher Organization, I would like to thank all of the parents and teachers who volunteered their time to help with the Annual Spring Carnival. Again this year, we had school board members who helped with our concessions and games. We truly need each and every volunteer and your help is greatly appreciated — by the PTO and especially by the children who love this event!

This year we added three new games. Many boys and girls enjoyed one game in particular. The game was "Shoot with the Stars." Six of our very own Rayders came to shoot baskets with the kids. They were: Scott Parrish, Jim Shepherd, Dennis Avery, Jere Teuscher, Nate Teuscher and Patrick Gowell. Thanks guys, the kids loved it! The prizes for this game were 16" blow up basketballs — I think our boys played it 120 times!! They literally had a "ball"! You guys are the best! We also had many other high

school volunteers who helped with games, the black light room and prizes! They were: Mandy Macks, Maggie Romig and Kim Miller. Thanks to Gayle Cherry for rounding them up! Our face painters were: Kaylee Kughman, Erika Loucks, Amy Drew, Jessica Dominic and Erin Buckner. Many thanks to you for your time! Also, many, many thanks to our great set up and take down crew!

As always, our raffle was a huge success!

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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Our raffle can only be a success because of the great prize donations from our area businesses. I sincerely thank all of you for your generosity. The money raised is used to do many great things for our kids and their school.

Another new game this year was "Ace in the hole." The kids enjoyed tossing birdies into a toilet for their chance to win a safety flasher!

If any of you would like to say "thank you" personally to the people who put in many hours working for "your" kids, they are Mary Kushner, Carrie Jelinek, Heather Kage and Sherry McCary.

Heidi Jones
Carnival Coordinator

Start school later

Editor:

I'm a student at Charlevoix Middle School. I think that school should start later in the day. When we come to school after waking up at 6 a.m., we are very tired. Sometimes kids even fall asleep in school. I don't see why we have to start so early. I feel we could have a better and stronger education if school just started two hours later. We would be more alert and aware of our assignments and what is going on in class. We would all succeed and go farther.

Kids get stressed out when they are exhausted and have an overload

of work to do. When we get stressed out we often do things we shouldn't do. If school started two hours later, I think it would help in all areas of our education.

Mike Graham
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Make guns illegal

Editor:

Please help us have a better country by making guns illegal, so people can't have one in their possession. I think guns should be illegal so we can live in a better country and kids don't have to be scared when they walk to a park to play. From all the stories I hear on TV I get a little scared myself. After awhile it makes me wonder, why do we even invent guns. They're just plain old dangerous.

The first reason why I think guns should be illegal is because, a lot of people just lose their minds and shoot. For example, a person could drive past a play ground and pull out a gun and shoot. The person in the car could have not even known the little girl or boy. That can happen anytime and anywhere. It's all be-

cause, the person in the car was mad or lonely. It could have been any other reason too.

If we were to make guns illegal hunters would still be able to hunt. They could use bow and arrows, traps and many other things as well. Is it even really a sport to go out and shoot a poor defenseless baby deer, that never did anything to you? I sure hope not. For all the shootings we had, I am surprised there's this many people still living on earth. Thousands of people have died because of shootings. A lot of shooting took place last year. One of the biggest shootings was in Colorado. Two high school boys killed several kids and also themselves. This happened because they did not have many friends. If you can, or try, to make guns illegal, neither I or any other kid will have to worry about walking or playing by the road or anywhere else. When I watch the news at night I won't have to see anything on gun shootings. On less gun, one less worry. So please stop the violence.

Robyn Petzak
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Golf prices should be same

Editor:

I am a student at Charlevoix Middle School. We should make township prices and the prices for the people in town the same at the golf course.

First, you could make more money if you did this.

If you lower prices, more people can afford to come.

Second, some people can't pay \$410 for a yearly pass.

Some of the people that do come might figure out a way to get their passes cheaper.

You may also lose business along with money if you don't do this.

Finally, people that live outside of town have to pay almost twice as much money.

There should be a mile radius for how far you can live outside of town to pay the in town rates.

Thank you for paying attention to this.

Kyle Smith
Sixth grade student
Charlevoix Middle School

Legos cost too much

Editor:

I am a student in sixth grade. I think Lego's cost too much. Even though Legos are little plastic blocks, they are really expensive. Even a little box costs about \$10. Poor families can't experience this educational toy. I am sure the Lego Company would make more money than they already are, by selling them for less. If the prices were lower more people would buy Legos. The company would make more money.

I also think you should lower the prices so families can get their kids good Christmas and birthday presents.

Why would they have the prices so high anyway? I mean, they are just little cheap plastic blocks. I don't understand why they should cost so much money. I think Lego should get their act together and lower the prices for their own sake and for the sake of children everywhere.

Taylor Witthoef
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The flowers are very noticeable and may even act to draw some new people to sample the life of our city.

I believe there is a parallel here to the spiritual life. As Christians, we are also called to grow things in our lives that are attractive. The "garden" that we are to cultivate is described in Galatians 5:22-23 where Paul, after putting forward the rather grim list known as the "works of the flesh," goes on to make a contrast with the "fruit of the Spirit": "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law."

The beauty and actual attractiveness of our lives is enhanced by the Fruit of the Spirit being in full bloom. People who see the Fruit tend to be drawn to it and, hence, are drawn to the kingdom of God.

A great deal could be said about each of these qualities, but I thought it would be sufficient to mention one short scripture for each, letting them be self explanatory (and then a sort of summary passage at the

Beacons of Blessing

end).

LOVE (John 13:34-35): "A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

JOY (John 15:10-11): "If you obey my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have obeyed my Father's commands and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete."

PEACE (John 14:27): "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid."

PATIENCE (Colossians 1:10-12): "And we pray this in order that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and may please him in every way; bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God, being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might so that you may have great endurance and patience, and joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the kingdom of light."

KINDNESS (Colossians 3:12): "Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humil-

ty, gentleness and patience." GOODNESS (Ephesians 5:8-10): "For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Live as children of light (for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth) and find out what pleases the Lord."

FAITHFULNESS (3 John 1:3-4): "It gave me great joy to have some brothers come and tell about your faithfulness to the truth and how you continue to walk in the truth. I have no greater joy than to hear that my children are walking in the truth."

GENTLENESS (Philippians 4:4-6): "Rejoice in the Lord always. I will say it again: Rejoice! Let your gentleness be evident to all. The Lord is near. Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God."

SELF-CONTROL (2 Timothy 1:7): "For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline. (or self-control)"

By way of summary, I will leave you with 2 Peter 1:5-8 ... "For this very reason, make every effort to add to your faith goodness; and to goodness, knowledge; and to knowledge, self-control; and to self-control, perseverance; and to perseverance, godliness; and to godliness, brotherly kindness; and to brotherly kindness, love. For if you possess these qualities in increasing measure, they will keep you from being ineffective and unproductive in your knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Obituaries

Hulda Elizabeth Shuman Lounsbury: Aug. 10, 1912 - May 25, 2001

Hulda Elizabeth Shuman Lounsbury, 88, of River Forest, Ill. died May 25, 2001, in the Johnson Health Care Facility of Windsor Park Manor, in Carol Stream, Ill.

Mrs. Lounsbury was born Aug. 10, 1912 in Oak Park, Ill. where she grew up. She was a 1930 graduate of Oak Park-River Forest High School. She received a bachelor of arts degree in English from Oberlin College, in Wooster, Ohio in 1934.

In 1941, she married Dr. Franklin Lounsbury of Oak Park. Dr. Lounsbury died in 1984.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of

River Forest, The River Forest Tennis Club, The Oak Park Country Club, The Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation, The Ernest Hemingway Foundation and the River Forest Drama Club.

At one time, she was in the following offices: past president of the Roosevelt School Mother's Club, fourth vice-president and press chairperson of the Nineteenth Century Women's Club, secretary and founding member of the Oak Park-River Forest Historical Society, chairperson of the Oak Park-River Forest Infant Welfare Station, chairperson of the Circle 27 the Infant Welfare Society, chairperson of Fidelity

Circle and secretary of the Women's Society in the First Presbyterian Church of River Forest.

She volunteered at West Suburban Hospital, by taking newborn baby photos for years. Mrs. Lounsbury is survived by her 3 children: Martha Trantow of River Forest, Ill., Dr. Ben Lounsbury of Auburn, Maine and Laurie Lounsbury of Charlevoix and seven grandchildren.

A memorial service will be on May 31 at First Presbyterian Church, 7551 Quick Avenue (at Lathrop), River Forest, Ill.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the church, noted "Elevator Fund."

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Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.
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Donors for the Charlevoix petunia truck were publicly thanked May 24 following the annual flower planting along both sides of Bridge Street. They are: (From left) Steve Bennett of the Charlevoix Convention and Visitors' Bureau, Jacqueline Merta of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, Dale Boss for Keep Charlevoix Beautiful and Jacqueline Kruttsch for the Garden Club. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Official Notice

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS May 21, 2001 • 7:00 PM

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members present.

Council approved Development Plan Review for David Couture's Treasure Chest, 106 Park Avenue.

Council approved Performance Engineers to perform professional service work at Depot Beach and Michigan Beach.

Council awarded a Bore Machine bid to Ditch Witch.

Council approved contract with Inland Services for Waste Water Treatment Plant Biosolids Removal.

Council set a Public Hearing date of June 4, 2001 to hear a request for a Lot Split by Brian Halbert, 611 Sheridan.

Council approved a resolution allowing the transfer of three tax abatements from CPI Products LLC to CPI Products, Inc.

Council adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

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Bass Tournament to be hosted in Charlevoix

The Michigan Bass Anglers Sportsman Society will be hosting another tournament on June 1 and 2 in Charlevoix.

Approximately 125 fishermen are scheduled to compete in the tournament.

The top fisherman from each club will qualify to go to the Michigan BASS Federation State Championships.

Tournament participants will launch from Ferry Beach on both Friday and Saturday. Largemouth and smallmouth bass will be caught, tallied by total weight and released back into the water alive.

The morning launch will be at approximately 7 a.m., both days, and the weigh-in will be at approximately 4 p.m.

For more information, contact the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce office at 547-2101.

Official Notice

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on May 23, 2001, in Boyne City, Michigan.

Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.

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Official Notice

NOTICE LAST DAY TO REGISTER NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS OF NORWOOD TOWNSHIP CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

All electors are hereby given notice that a Special Election will be held in Norwood Township on Tuesday, July 17, 2001.

Electors who wish to vote in the Special election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, June 18, 2001. If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address in the township in which you live you may do so at the following locations listed in this notice.

In Person:
At your city or township clerk's office or at the office of the Charlevoix County Clerk during normal business hours.

At any of the Secretary of State Branch offices located throughout the state during normal business hours.

At the specified agency for clients receiving services through the Family Independence Agency, the Department of Community Health, Michigan Jobs Commission and some offices of the Commission for the Blind.

At the military recruitment offices for persons enlisting in the armed forces.

By Mail:
By obtaining and completing a Mail Voter Registration Application and forwarding to the election official as directed on the application by the close of registration deadline. Mail voter registration applications may be obtained by contacting your city, township or county clerk.
NOTE: A person who registers to vote by mail is required to vote in person unless they have previously voted in the city/township where they live or are at least 60 years of age or are handicapped.

Electors who wish to register with the county or city/township clerk are advised to call ahead for location.

Doris Pearl, Clerk
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Smiling greeters

Walkers who participated in the Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Memorial Breast Cancer Walk on May 12 were greeted with cold water and words of encouragement by these girls from Girl Scout Troops 264 and 265 of Charlevoix. (Courtesy photo)

City to offer direct pay for utility customers

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

You can now have your city utility payments taken directly out of your checking account.

According to Charlevoix City treasurer Rick Brandi, starting next month, any Charlevoix resident that pays utilities bills to the city, has the option of having those bills paid directly from their personal checking accounts. This eliminates the need for them to send in or drop off checks to city hall.

Brandi said he tested the system out on himself and it worked perfectly.

"They can use whoever their regular bank is. It should simplify it," he added.

Payment for the utility bill will be taken out of the participating customer's accounts on the due date of the bill. Customers will still receive a bill in the mail, but it would say "direct

pay" on it.

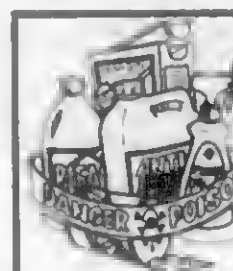
While making bill payments easier for the city utility customers, Brandi said the new system will also save the city money.

For each utility bill paid by check, the city must pay a transaction fee to the bank. However, by taking the money directly out of the customer's account, the bank does not count that as a transaction, thus there is no transaction fee.

Brandi added, utilities that are currently under this system generally have about 20 percent of their customers using the option. He is hoping to get 400-500 of the city's customers taking advantage of the direct pay option.

Forms for the new plan are being mailed to Charlevoix utility customers throughout the next few weeks.

For more information, contact the City Treasurers Office at 547-3259.



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Bluewater Marine opens for business to the boaters

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Boaters in the Charlevoix area have a new place to go for all their maintenance needs, Bluewater Marine Services.

Bluewater Marine Services opened for business on April 1 and is owned by Larry Nunemaker and Steve Tuttle, both of Charlevoix.

Their principle service is boat repair and upkeep, but they also offer a variety of specialty services. Some of those services

are: varnishing, waxing, fiberglass repair, installations, lettering, gelcoat repairs and detailing services.

Nunemaker said he opened the business in the area because it is a great location for this type of company. Plus, he said it was a service he thinks is needed.

"I enjoy working on boats," Nunemaker said. And this is something he has enjoyed for 15 years, adding years of experience to his work.

Nunemaker added the company is very mobile, giving them

the ability to perform most repairs and services on short notice. Plus, while they are located in Charlevoix, they can provide service to boaters in Petoskey, Bay Harbor, Boyne City and East Jordan.

"With the season fast approaching, we look forward to serving your boating needs," Nunemaker added.

Bluewater Marine Services is open Monday through Saturday, year-round. The business can be contacted by calling 547-1358 or (231) 409-1799.



Larry Nunemaker wants to help keep your boat running smoothly and looking great on the water this summer. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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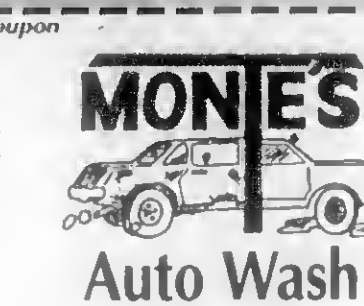
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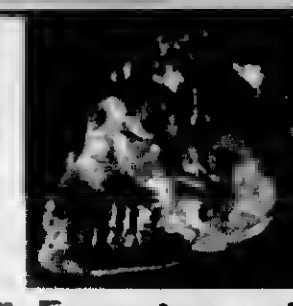
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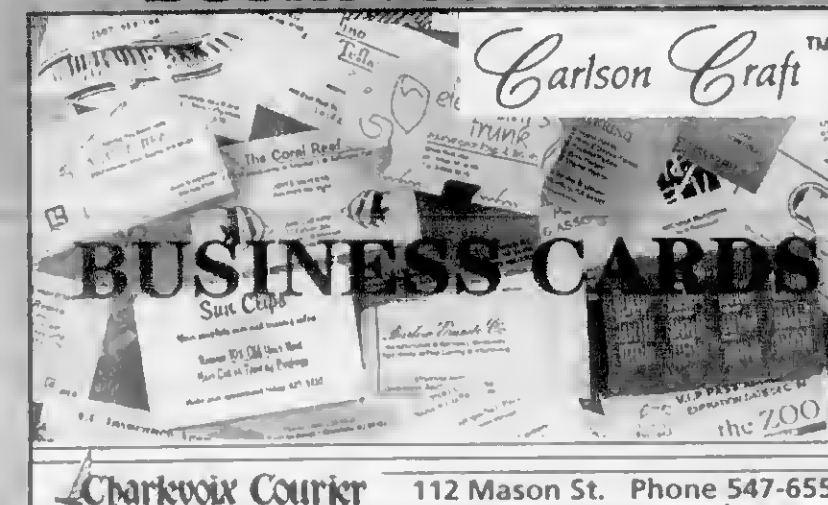
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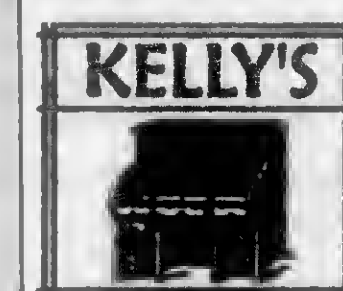


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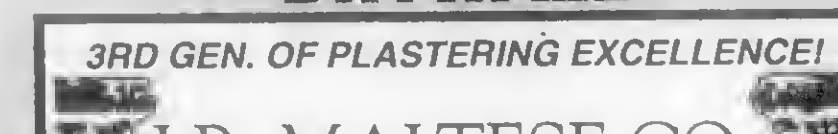
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Performing Arts Series to finish up

The Crooked Tree Arts Center announced the final presentation in the Virginia McCune Performing Arts Series for 2000-2001.

The classic fairy tale of Cinderella will be performed in the Ross Stoakes Theatre of the Arts Center on June 15 and 16. Puppet making workshops are a great opportunity to learn hands-on from the puppet masters. Two workshops are offered at 10 a.m., June 15 and June 16.

The June 15 workshop is sold out, but a few seats remain for the June 16 session.

Tickets are \$5 for each child. Performances of Cinderella are scheduled at 7:30 p.m. for June 15 and at 2 p.m., June 16. Ticket prices are \$15 adults and \$8 students.

Call for special rates for groups of 8 or more. The Crooked Tree Arts Center is located in downtown Petoskey at 461 E. Mitchell Street. The telephone number is (231) 347-4337.

Seventh annual run for the pool, Saturday

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool will have its seventh annual 5K Run/Walk and 10K Run at 9 a.m. on Saturday at the Charlevoix Country Club.

Proceeds from the event will go to the pool. The fee is \$12 on race day. Registration and the information desk will open at 8 a.m.

All participants preregistered will receive an official race t-shirt. A limited number of shirts will be available the day of the race.

Medals for first, second and third place will be awarded in each age group for both men and women. Medals will also be awarded to the top two finishers in both the 5K and 10K races.

For more information or to receive an entry form, call All Gooch at the pool, 547-0982.



Learning about the plush lifestyle

Students in Mrs. Vondra's class at Charlevoix Elementary School raised \$190 during a three month popcorn sale they had every Friday at the school. The project was meant to teach the students money management skills. The students decided to use the money for a lunch outing to Nanny's Restaurant in Charlevoix. The outing took place May 14, but what the students didn't know was that they would be traveling to the restaurant and back in a limousine provided by Quality Limousine of Charlevoix. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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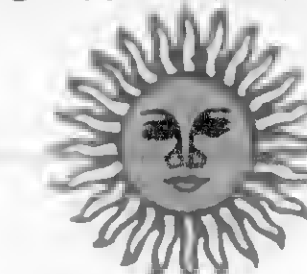


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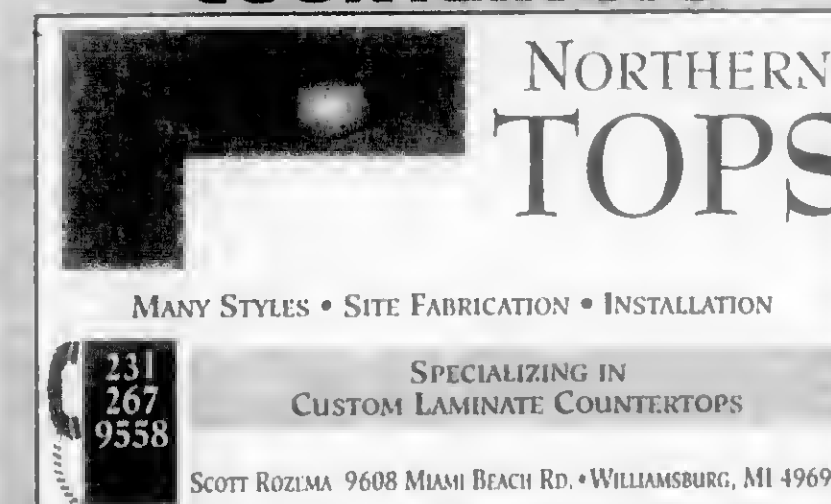
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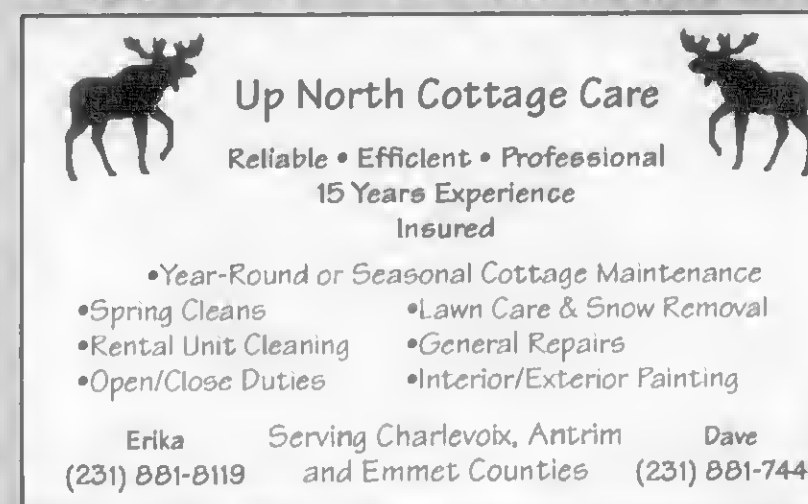


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Camp Read will kick off on July 9 and will run through Aug. 2. Classes are Monday through Thursday at the Charlevoix Middle School.

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Crooked Tree summer class/workshop times

Christina Dembek will teach *Midwife to the Muse*, offered Thursday evenings starting on June 19 through Aug. 22. *Midwife to the Muse* is a course in the creative process. This class will be a journey through some of the stages of labor involved in the birth of a creative work. This course emphasizes

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Youth Orchestra Mini Camp is scheduled for July 10 through Aug.

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Lexi Barnes, 5, of Charlevoix, holds up a license plate available for purchase through Keep Charlevoix Beautiful. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Flower fun

(Left) Jim Berlage of the Charlevoix Rotary Club serves up some 'dogs to the petunia planters. (Above left) Sheryl John and her granddaughter Page John, 5, both of Charlevoix, help beautify the city. (Right, from left) Paige Martin, 10, Tanya Wynkoop, 10, and Cindy Martin, all of Charlevoix, plant a few petunias outside of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



Charlevoix city council member Sherm Chamberlain does his part at the May 24 annual petunia planting. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Members of the boys' track team headed to state are: (front) Rory Gnatkowski, (back) Gordie Selph, Tim Dainling, Patrick Gowell, Scott Parrish, Todd Carey, Josh Popenhagen and Peter Gorkiewicz. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Track teams state bound

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Several Charlevoix High School boys' and girls' track team members are heading to the state championships this Saturday in Comstock Park.

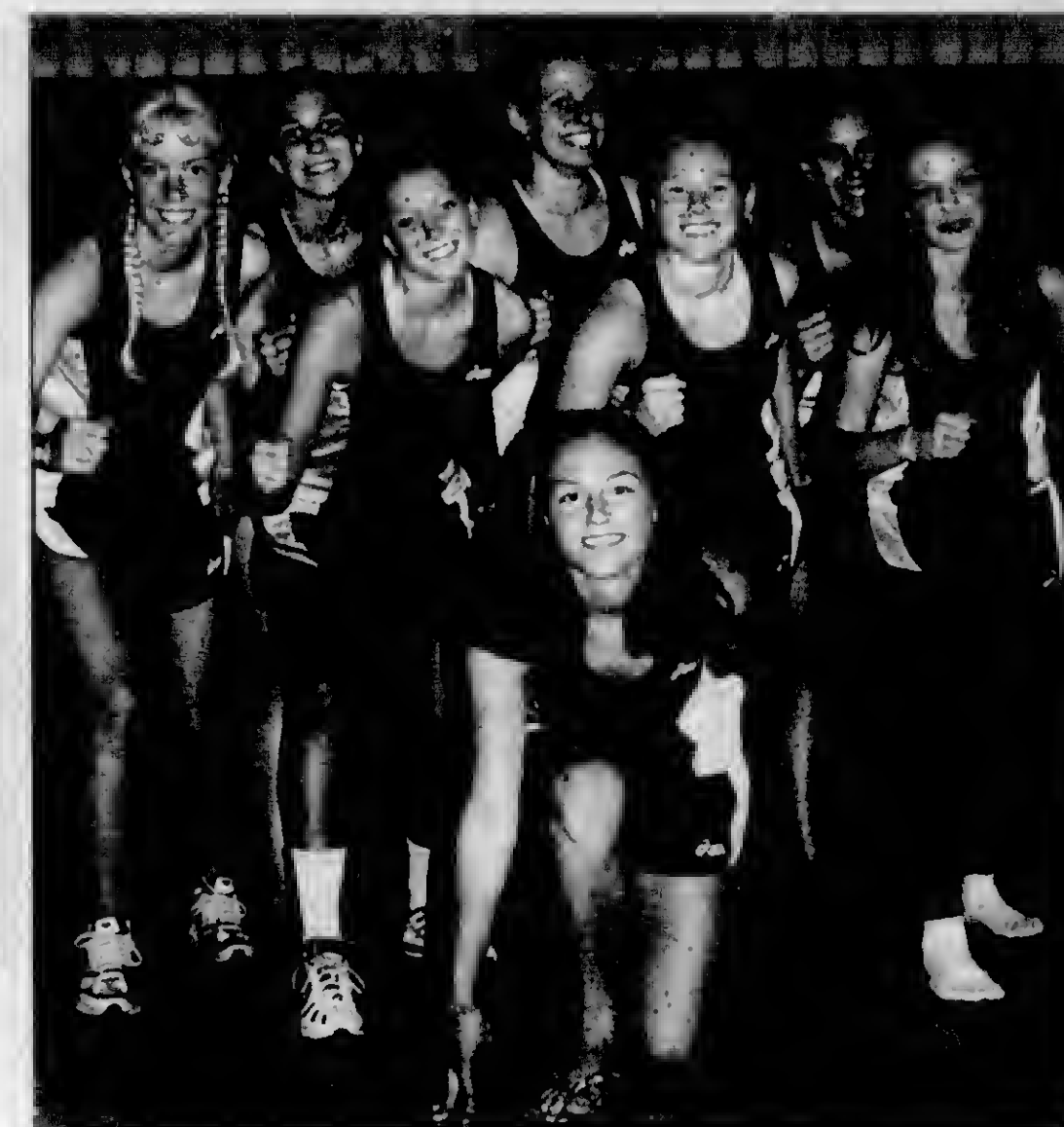
Going on the girls' team will be: Kati Swenor, Kelly Reid,

Katie Lieberman, Amy Kurtz, Heather Probert, Liz Ulrich, Michelle Rowe and Jenny Miller. Representing the boys' team will be: Rory Gnatkowski, Gordie Selph, Tim Dainling, Patrick Gowell, Scott Parrish, Todd Carey, Josh Popenhagen, Peter Gorkiewicz and Troy Smith.

According to girl's team coach

Jenny Miller, this team is a great group of girls who have great skills and a great attitude. "They are really looking forward to running and really have the team concept down," Miller said. "They have worked hard for this."

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Members of the girls' track team headed to state are: (Front) Amy Kurtz, (middle, from left) Katie Swenor, Kelly Reid, Katie Lieberman, (back) Heather Probert, Liz Ulrich, Michelle Rowe and Jenny Miller. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Rayders close conference season with 6-0, 7-3 wins

By ALLEN TELGENHOFF
Sports writer

The Rayders closed their conference schedule on a successful note with a doubleheader sweep over Kalkaska, 6-0 and 7-3. Earlier in the week, Charlevoix split with Cheboygan, winning the opener, 7-5 but dropping the nightcap, 10-2.

Against Cheboygan, the Rayders rode a big four-run fifth inning come-from-behind for the win. The Chiefs led 5-3 heading into the decisive frame. Matt Kilkenny hit a two run double to get Charlevoix close and Matt Kochanny followed with the game winning RBI single.

Defensive gems helped, as well as centerfielder Matt Horon threw a Cheboygan runner out at the plate in the fifth and the Rayder catcher threw a Chief runner attempting to steal second out to end the game.

Chris Loper picked up the win on the mound, overcoming four Rayder errors to give up only four hits, striking out six. Loper helped his own

"Game one was a very exciting come-from-behind win for us."

Pete Scholten,
Charlevoix baseball coach

cause with a two-run single in the first inning and a double in the fourth.

In the nightcap, Cheboygan used an eight-run second inning to blow the game open early for the win. The Chief's hurler had a no-hit bid broken up by singles by Horon and Jeremiah Teuscher in the sixth.

"(Game one) was a very exciting come-from-behind win for us," coach Pete Scholten said. "We had some key hits in the fifth inning and some big defensive plays in both the fifth and sixth inning that helped us pull it out."

The Rayders' sweep on the Blazers' upped their own conference mark to 8-4.

Dennis Avery (6-0 on the year) needed only 59 pitches to throw a four-hit, one-walk gem in the opener.

Registration for junior golf to be June 14 at city course

Registration will soon be opening for the sixth year of the Charlevoix County Junior Golf Association's program.

Official registration for this summer's junior golf program is June 14 at the Municipal Course.

Area youngsters must be at least 8 years of age and no older than 17 and must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Registration for interested participants 12 years old and older is at 9 a.m. and for those eight and younger is at 10 a.m.

There is a per-lesson fee of \$4 or a \$35 season plan option is also offered. The season plan pays for all scheduled lessons and includes accident insurance.

Pros from local courses that will make up this year's staff include: Steve Braun and Marty Joy from the Belvedere Club, Joan Waha from Dunmaglas, Steve Good, Jina Rapin and Shane Hollandsworth from the Charlevoix Country Club and Scott Blechel from the Municipal course.

The emphasis will again be on learning golf rules and procedures,

proper fundamentals and techniques and course etiquette.

There will be two sessions each week at the Belvedere, the Charlevoix Country Club, Municipal, Antrim Dells and Dunmaglas. A couple of tournaments will also be spaced in during the program.

In addition, there will be a Sunday evening "fun" league for selected advanced players, with a variety of events scheduled for the Belvedere course. Plans are underway to allow juniors to participate in a pilot program with a fee-reducing element at the Municipal course on certain days.

Director Dean Davenport also reminds parents, "We will again have scholarships available based on need for families where the fee may be a hardship with details available at registration. We also will have loaner clubs available. Additional adult volunteers are needed to work in the mentor program so that whenever youngsters play a few holes they will have an adult monitoring them. Those interested should call 547-6433 or the city recreation department 547-3253.

State meet to be Saturday

TRACK

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Miller said the relay teams are looking fantastic and have been seeded into the top eight of state.

As for individuals, Miller said Swenor and Ulrich are looking good. Both of these girls have broken the school record in distance running twice this year.

"They both have potential to medal," Miller said.

On the boys' team, Coach Ken Plude said this will be a great learning experience for them all. Of all the boys going to state, only one — Gnatkowski — has been to a state meet before.

"They are green, but this is the only way to get experience," Plude said.

Plude also said his relay teams have some great potential to medal at the state meet. As for individuals, he said Gnatkowski's experience will come in handy.

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Great evening greets first spring sailing race



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The amazing part was seeing two boats, both with spinners full, each sailing downwind directly toward each other! That breeze then dropped to nothing for long enough to discourage all and cause a few to simply give up the ghost. Later, Mother Nature relented, the sunshine broke through and a four or five knot breeze carried the remainder of the fleet to the finish line. Another rather unusual event noted at the finish line as the P-26 CYGNUS took line honors, crossing at 7:33:39, with fleet mate ORIGINAL SIN only 20 seconds back.

In the Spinnaker Fleet it was GOTHCA; trailed 25 seconds later by HOOTIE. WINDRUNNER followed just over a minute later with

SLAPSHOT back a bit. Looks like MINT JULEP must have dropped out.

In the P-26 fleet, LOST VERMONT and ARTEMIS distantly trailed the above-mentioned CYGNUS and ORIGINAL SIN.

BALD EAGLE nailed down first place in the JAM Fleet but also was last in that fleet as no others finished. (Good looking crew, skipper!)

Eleven J-22s made it to the finish line with first place II RECKLESS, almost 2 minutes ahead of HUSSY. Then we saw PALEFACE LITE, FIRST DATE and SWINE FLEW wrap up the top five in close order. A few minutes later THUNDERSTRUCK crossed ahead of CRAZY HORSE by only 10 seconds.

Just 12 seconds later HIGH MAINTENANCE crossed the line. In another minute, the rest of the J-22 Fleet followed: ROCK STEADY, SUPERFLUOUS (what on earth happened, Marty?) and BAN-ZAI.

NAUTICAL TRIVIA #2. An easy one, after last week's problem child. Navy personnel riding in their particular type of craft are the subjects of an old sea chantey. To win this week's contest, e-mail josh@northlink.net with the correct watercraft for each of the following: 1) Seamen, 2) Admiral, 3) Captain.

Tiebreaker 1: How does riding in his craft make the captain feel? **Tiebreaker 2:** What does riding in his craft give the admiral?

Summary of last week's question and the answer: The Plimsoll line on vessels less than 100 meters in length include a lowest line marked "WNA." The answer — "WNA" is an acronym for "Winter, North Atlantic."

HEY, THERE, SUNFISHERMEN (& WOMEN)! First practice races for the Sunday Sunfish Sailors will be June 10. We don't have official word on time or location — if you don't hear further before that day, sail to (or launch from) the foot of Eastern Avenue (Pine Point) in time for a 2 p.m. start, just offshore. If a member would like to borrow one to try out this fun

sport, contact Josh at 547-2000. First come, first served. Hope to see you at the Club this Friday evening, June 1, as Noel and Lynn are the hosts.

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Plaintiff

Honorable Richard Pajtas Case No. 00-657-19-CH

vs. LEON J. BUSH

136 Court Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND FRANCES J. BUSH

617 Earl Street, Boyne City, MI 49712

AND BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A.

3 Park Plaza

16th Floor

Irvine, CA 92614

Defendants

PAUL E. NETTLEMAN P26331

Attorney for Plaintiff

2202 MITCHELL PARK DRIVE, SUITE 8

P.O. Box 868

Petoskey, MI 49770

(231) 347-1990

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

1. On February 2, 2001, the Honorable Richard M. Pajtas, Circuit Court Judge entered a Judgment and Order for Sale against Defendants, LEON J. BUSH and FRANCES J. BUSH and BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, N.A. in favor of Plaintiff, ST. FRANCIS X. FEDERAL CREDIT UNION.

2. The Judgment declared that the amounts owed to the Plaintiff be paid by Defendants forthwith and in default thereof that the property of Defendants described in the Complaint be sold by the Sheriff, Under-Sheriff or any Deputy Sheriff of

Charlevoix County, at public auction and the proceeds of sale be distributed to the Plaintiff.

4. As of the date of this notice, this Judgment and Order for Sale, on June 14th, 2001 at 11 a.m. at a public auction to be held in the Main Lobby of the Charlevoix County Court House, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, all right title and interest of Defendants in and to the following property:

Premises situated in the City of Boyne City, Charlevoix County, Michigan.

Lots 8, 9, and 10 of E.Y. Morgan's Addition to the City of Boyne City, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 1 Plats, page 87, Charlevoix County Records.

Dated: April 12, 2001

Don Schneider

Charlevoix County Under-Sheriff

Prepared by:

Paul E. Nettleman (P26331)

Attorney for Plaintiff, St. Francis X. Federal Credit Union

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT

COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Decedent's Estate

FILE NO. 01-010226-DE

Estate of Versa Viola Cole

Date of birth: March 5, 1906

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Versa Viola Cole, who lived at 432 Main St., Boyne City, MI 49712, died 2/16/01.

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The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addition help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8

a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at

7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospi-

tal Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to

Water levels not expected to rise from recent rainfall

WATER

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In fact, the group's web site (huron.lre.usace.army.mil/hmp/ghh.html) states, "Lakes Michigan, Huron, St. Clair and Erie are expected to experience less than average seasonal rises through the summer."

As of May 18 the engineering group said they expected Lake Michigan water levels to be 577.26 feet while the average level shown on their charts was 577.5 feet. The group's calculations prove the lake level is three inches below last year's mark.

Cresswell isn't worried. He believes the lake levels ebb and

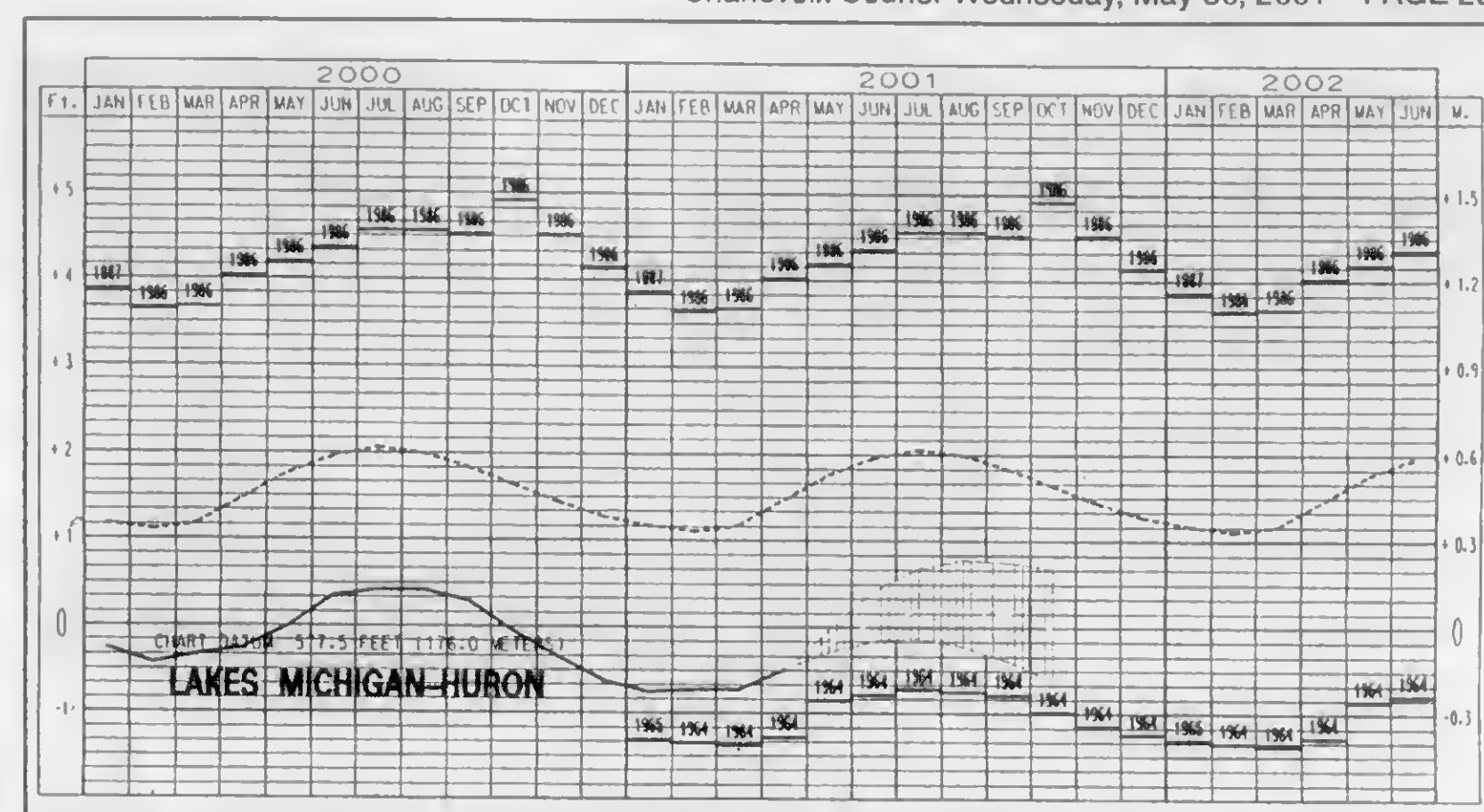
flow in naturally determined cycles.

His "the lake will rebound again" attitude may be shared with those who lived in Charlevoix in 1986 when the lake reached its all-time high.

In fact, current Lake Michigan water levels are 52 inches below their 1986 level.

Those whose time in Charlevoix dated back to 1964 may also remember a period when residents and visitors were sweating the low water levels: Lake Michigan hit its all-time low that year and current levels are eight inches above the 1964 dry-spell.

The group expects to see Lake Michigan's water level rise another two inches by June 18.



This graph shows the water levels and predicted water levels for 2000-2002. The lowest line is the lowest level, second is the current level, third is the average level and the fourth line is the highest level. (Courtesy graph)

Art auction to benefit Women's Resource Center

Fourteen years ago, 15 artists joined together at the first art auction to benefit the Women's Resource Center. Total sales reached just over \$2,500. Last year, 60 artists had total sales of just over \$11,000.

Two artists, Jan Vandenbrink and Cat Barteau have been in all of the past shows and are scheduled to be in this one as well.

The fifteenth annual "Women's Work" art auction benefit for the

center is scheduled for May 31 at Stafford's Bay View Inn in Petoskey. The silent auction, featuring golf packages and gift certificates will take place from 5 p.m. to 7. The winning bids from the silent auction will be announced at 7:15 p.m. and the live auction will follow at 7:30 p.m.

"Certainly we always hope that one more artist will join the auction each year and that we'll make at least one more dollar, but

the real reason we enjoy this event so much is that it's fun," Women's Resource Center assistant director, Deb Smith said.

"The WRC depends on community support to be able to continue to provide service and to grow. This event allows the community to give, but they also get to take something home at the end of the evening."

All of the artists donate at least one piece and then share in the

proceeds from the sale of the other one or two pieces they put in. Many artists donate all of the proceeds. Pieces are usually priced below what you would have to pay in a gallery or a store.

The WRC is expecting 50 to 60 artists to show their work at this year's event. Assorted mediums will include: pottery, jewelry, watercolors, stained glass, mixed media, fiber art, baskets, weaving, quilted items, wood furni-

ture, clothing and dried flowers/herbs.

Hors d'oeuvres will be served and a cash bar will be available.

Tickets may be purchased at the door. Cost for the event is \$15 per person and \$25 per couple.

Cash, check, Visa and MasterCard can be used to make auction purchases which must be taken the night of the auction.

For more information call the center at (231) 347-0067.

AAA gives tips on boating safety for summer

Boat owners must exercise extra caution on water, says AAA.

Whether you're out for an evening of fishing on your favorite lake, or paddling down a river in your new kayak, small boat owners should bring plenty of safety awareness with them when they shove off from the dock, says AAA Michigan.

"For the first time, Michigan's boat registrations have topped one million," states Richard J. Miller, AAA Michigan Community Safety Services manager.

"State figures show that pre-season boat registrations stand at more than 1,000,049, and will probably rise as the summer gets underway," he says. "There are many new boaters on the lakes, especially those using smaller craft, and the combination of inexperience, low water and other factors means boaters need to practice extra vigilance this summer."

Figures from 2000 show that boating fatalities overall are up, and nearly three of four of Michigan's boating deaths in 2000 occurred in small craft 16 feet and under. Thirty-three persons died while boating on Michigan

waters last year, compared with 28 in 1999. Twenty-five of the 33 boating fatalities recorded last year, or 73 percent, occurred in vessels 16 feet and under, and 24 who died were not wearing a Personal Flotation Device, or PFD. Four deaths occurred in canoes, four in kayaks, four on personal watercraft, 14 motorboats, four in rowboats and three in sailboats.

Small boat operators are dealing with special circumstances that operators of larger craft don't face, so the need for PFDs is especially critical, AAA Michigan advises. Small craft, 16 feet and under, are most often used by anglers. Compared to larger craft, they are more vulnerable to swamping by waves from passing boats and are inherently more unstable.

The most common accident involving anglers is falling overboard and capsizing while trying to move around or land a fish. Twenty-one of the 33 fatalities in 2000 in-

volved capsizing and falling overboard.

If you must move in a small boat, crouch down to lower your center of gravity, and move slowly.

EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m., Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Norwood Ice Cream Social

From 2 to 5 p.m., on July 7, is the Norwood Ice Cream Social with lots of ice cream and homemade cookies, guided horse-drawn wagon

tours and demonstrations of rope making, blacksmithing, children's games, quilts and crafts. Organizers are searching for Norwood school pictures and memorabilia to display. Call 547-0721 if you can help.

Bottle drive

The Charlevoix High School Performing Arts will conduct a bottle drive beginning at 6 p.m. on June 4. If you will not be home and need bottles or cans to be picked up, please call 547-9842.

Blood drive

The American Red Cross will be in Charlevoix on May 31. The bloodmobile will be at the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church on the corner of

Bridge Street and Meech Street. The hours are from 1 p.m. until 6:45 p.m. Please call 547-5984 to make an appointment or just drop in.

Republican Party dinner

The Charlevoix County Republican Party Dinner is at the Grey Gables Inn, 308 Belvedere Avenue, in Charlevoix today. The cost is \$25 per person. The reception begins at 6 p.m. with dinner to follow at 7 p.m. Guest speaker is Lt. Governor Dick Posthumus. Please call John Haggard at 547-4046 (work) or 547-6600 (home) with your menu selection as soon as possible. Choices are whitefish, prime rib or shrimp stuffed chicken breasts.

Featured event

Graduation ceremonies



Charlevoix High School and the Beaver Island Community School will be celebrating graduation over the next two weeks. The Charlevoix graduation will be at 2 p.m. Sunday in the gym at the high school. The Beaver Island graduation will be June 9 outside of Holy Cross Church on the island. (File photo)

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Search for site continues for city

INDUSTRIAL
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"In the long-term, I question whether or not 40 would even be large enough," he said.

He said the Hoskins parcel is more practical for a company looking to move into a pre-existing facility.

"The city is looking to provide industrial lots for businesses that need to expand or move," Wiesner said.

While the building may be well-suited for a business to move in and set up shop, Marion Township zoning administrator, Bob Drebenstedt said that a broker out of Traverse City contacted him, before the impending shut-down was even announced, inquiring about a possible rezoning of the parcel from industrial to residential.

Drebenstedt said he told the individual they would have to speak with the Marion Township Planning Board. He said the broker's intention was not to relocate a business to Charlevoix but instead to build condominiums on the land.

"We all know it (the Hoskins land) is going to go condos," Drebenstedt said.

So, the search continues and the question of where the city will find land for industry remains. But, with the current rate of property acquisition in Charlevoix and as more residents move to outlying townships, the clock may be ticking.

Wiesner said township property purchasing is a concern for the city also. "As property develops it (the search for property) will get more and more difficult."

Drebenstedt said that the Hoskins site is only one of the city's choices.

"I know of another one out there they (city officials) are looking at too, but it is not an absolute. If it's a secret right now, I give the benefit of the doubt to the city because they are trying to keep the price down," he said.

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A gathering of heroes

Veterans of World War II from the Charlevoix area recently gathered at Charlevoix Cinema III for a showing of the movie Pearl Harbor. They are: Bob Kelley, Max Novak, Tom Louiselle, Chet Otmanowski, Chuck Hosper, Ralph Doan, Gene Riedel, Clarence Rabac, Ken Staley, Joe Nicolai, Leo Beeman, Bruce Woodcock, Gordon Maule, Tom Breakey, Mercer Carey, Ilar Eastwood, Joe Etienne, Louise McKenzie, Thelma Behling, Max Novak and Don Greyerbelhl. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Beaver Island graduates excited for future

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

For five of the six Beaver Island class of 2001 graduates the diploma they'll receive June 9 will symbolize more than four years of high school success. It means they'll soon make a move from the island to the mainland.

Class valedictorian Kyle Wojan, was born in Charlevoix and moved to the island when he wasn't even a week old. Now, 17 years later, he'll trade life on the island in — for at least a few years — to further his education.

"I'm looking forward to the move, in a way it will be weird. It's not too far of a drive home," Wojan said.

In August, Wojan will make the move to Mt. Pleasant where he is enrolled in Central Michigan University's Cad-Cam program that focuses on computer aided drafting.

Computer aided drafting sounds complicated, but Wojan's academic track record shows he's capable of success — he will graduate from the Beaver Island school with a 3.754 grade point average.

"Being valedictorian this year shows how hard I've worked over the years and I am being recognized for good grades," Wojan said.

Wojan is not only an academic star, but he also proved himself to be an asset on the court. He was named the Beaver Island basketball team's most valuable player in both his junior and senior years.

Courtney Moore, 18, is Wojan's neighbor on the island. Moore will also be joining him on the Central campus. She plans to start out with a focus on general studies and possibly make her way into photo journalism.

After looking at Moore's academic performance it is obvious that come August, Mt. Pleasant will have some hot competition on their hands. Moore came in with a 3.7, just a fraction below Wojan.

"We've been competing since we were young. But second best with high honors is not disappointing," she said.

Moore said that even with Wojan by her side, and a few other friends, the move to one of Michigan's largest campuses will be an adjustment.

"I think that smaller schools and smaller class sizes are better, you get more individual attention. It will be different not knowing everyone. Here you've known everyone since you were little," she said.

Moore and Wojan's classmate, Abigail Adams, 18, will be attending Olivet College located just outside of Battle Creek. Adams won't be an average student on campus, she will also be a member of the women's basketball team.

Adams was accepted into Olivet's HY-PERS program focused on health and sports. She said that her Sept. 2 move to the mainland won't be too overwhelming because Olivet's campus is small.

Like Adams, Wojan and Moore,



Beaver Island valedictorian Kyle Wojan, left, had some tough competition for the spot from Courtney Moore, right, the salutatorian. Moore's grade point average was just a fraction below Wojan's. (Courtesy photos)

Erin Russell, 18, is excited about what will follow graduation day. Russell plans to attend Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo where she'll major in Health Education and minor in English.

She has her study plans mapped out but she's a little worried about her Aug. 23 move to Western's big campus.

"I think at first it will be a major culture shock. I'll have to deal with more people and less atten-

tion from my teachers," she said. But she isn't letting culture shock concerns get in the way, she said she is looking forward to diving into all the great things a big school has to offer.

"I am looking forward to my first football game and to being on my own and taking care of myself," she said.

While the others didn't mention the high cost of education these days, Andrea Keehn, 17, said with-

out the Army National Guard she wouldn't be able to go to school at all. After graduation Keehn will be stationed at the National Guard's South Carolina post.

She said that after she completes her time in the service the guard has a number of colleges for her to choose from.

"I'm going to learn about mechanics at AIT in Maryland, I heard it is really fun there and you can learn a lot," Keehn said.



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Charlevoix Val and Sal very involved

BY JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The "unintelligent blond" stereotype commonly associated with having fair hair has been discredited by Charlevoix High School's class of 2001 valedictorian, Shannon Nystrom and salutatorian, Corey Bascom.

Throughout their academic careers this dynamic duo has excelled across the board. Whether it was math, science or English they worked diligently, received the grades and in the end took home the highest honors given to graduates.

Nystrom will graduate from Charlevoix High School with a flawless 4.0 grade point average. Her academic success has been recognized time and time again.

During her four years in high school, Nystrom was given her academic letter and four pins, in her sophomore and junior years she was chosen for the French award and during her freshman, junior and senior years she was given the career and technical education award.

She also defied the odds by being both right and left brained — Nystrom is both academically and artistically inclined. In fact, she was given the art award as both a freshman and a sophomore and lettered as a drum major with the high school band.

While Nystrom has been hailed for her academic and artistic inclination she also displayed some fancy footwork on the field and in the

studio. She lettered her freshman and sophomore years with the varsity soccer team and has dedicated many years of her life to ballet, pointe and jazz dance.

When she's not busy dancing, studying or painting, Nystrom has been hard at work with school organizations including the National Honor Society, Student Council and the French Club.

So how does she do it all? "It's time management really. It's also self-discipline and the desire to accomplish all of these things," she explained.

After four years of excelling in multiple realms, her work was recognized by numerous universities. Nystrom received an academic merit scholarship from Belmont University located in Nashville, Tenn. where she will begin her collegiate studies in the fall of 2001. At Belmont, Nystrom plans to major in music business and minor in video production as part of the university's honor's program.

Her MEAP test scores also earned her the Michigan Merit Award and she was recognized with the Alma College Distinguished Trustee Honors Scholarship.

Bascom came in less than a tenth of a point away from Nystrom's perfect grade point, scoring a 3.931 overall.

"My hard work and dedication has paid off," he said.

And, like Nystrom he earned his academic letter and four academic pins and was awarded the career



Charlevoix High School valedictorian Shannon Nystrom and salutatorian Corey Bascom have some big plans for their futures. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

and technical education award.

The similar paths diverged when it came time to choose a foreign language. Bascom chose Spanish over French and made the most of bilingualism in his four year stint with the Spanish club.

While Nystrom was busy dancing Bascom kept in shape shooting

hoops, running cross country and teeing off.

Now that it has come time for him to make a move in his academic career Bascom found his high MEAP test scores earned him the financial rewards associated with being a recipient of the Michigan Merit Award. The scholarship will

help him out with tuition in the fall of 2001 when he'll step onto the Grand Valley State University campus.

Bascom was accepted to Grand Valley's prestigious Seidman School of Business where he will study either business finance or accounting.

A look back at the 2000-2001 school year



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News of the past



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Polluted industry site to be cleaned

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Contamination cleanup efforts are underway at Charlevoix's DME Company, which is listed on the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality's (MDEQ) fiscal year 2000 project list.

On May 31 Technical Drilling Services dug 30 feet below the earth's surface to retrieve soil samples at the contaminated site of DME Company located at 06342 Ferry Road.

Bob Wagner, environmental manager with the Gaylord post of the MDEQ says that if Charlevoix's DME Company won't clean up the PCE (tetrachloroethylene) groundwater contamination they caused, then the MDEQ will.

"The contaminant has been discharging into the lake for some time and it's begun migrating to residents' homes," Wagner said.

Wagner explained that DME is currently pursuing a design of a system that will pump the contaminated water out of the ground, strip it of its contaminants and then re-inject it into the ground.

If the company is unwilling to follow through with the cleanup, Wagner's MDEQ team has a backup plan.

"One way or another there will be a cleanup of the groundwater. We will fund it if DME doesn't go forward," Wagner said.

Wagner explained that the MDEQ is in the process of designing a \$300,000 treatment application that will release a hydrogen compound into the ground which will reformulate the chemical into a non-harmful state.

Side effects of PCE contamination include: liver and kidney damage and chronic skin disorders.

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Charlevoix graduation



Graduation giddiness

The Class of 2001 finished out its time in the Charlevoix School District Sunday in the Charlevoix High School Gym. Graduates made the final walk down the aisle to receive their high school diplomas. Each graduate was also congratulated by school principal Gary Grundman with a hug, as is seen here (right) with graduate Nigel Martin. After the ceremony, the now-former students gathered outside for the traditional hat-throw (above). (Photos by Julie Musilek)



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District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Charles Lee Dawson II, 29, East Jordan. Conducting criminal enterprises; and five counts of taxes-fail to file/false return. Bound over to circuit court.

Susan Rae Dawson, 33, East Jordan. Conducting criminal enterprises; and five counts of taxes-fail to file/false return. Bound over to circuit court.

William Dowell Baten, 42, Charlevoix. Disorderly/obscene conduct. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Russell James Simmons Jr., 21, Charlevoix. Disorderly/obscene conduct. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Matthew Scott Veenstra, 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend victim IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Donald James Rosendall, 29, Grand Rapids. Possession of a controlled substance-narcotic/cocaine, under 25 grams. Bound over to circuit court.

Thomas Aryon Shulick, 21, Charlevoix. Homicide-unmurder. Bound over to circuit court.

Kathleen May Bamadyn, 37, Indian River. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Kenneth Orval Wingo, 28, East Jordan. Resisting and obstructing a police officer. Bound over to circuit court.

George Hill Arbaugh Jr., 60, East Lansing. Contributing to the delinquency of a minor. Fines and costs totaling \$500.

Ronald Ernest Olson, 47, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Maria Ann Sage, 21, Charlevoix. Attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer. One year probation; 181 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 170 days held in abeyance; \$760 in

fines and costs.

Dennis Wayne Andrick, 55, Boyne City. Indecent exposure. One year probation; 365 days in jail with credit for four days, 361 days held in abeyance; \$660 in fines and costs.

Derrick Dwayne Dell, 24, Boyne City. Domestic violence. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail; \$585 in fines and costs.

Dennis Robert Ellis, 41, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Nine months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following case was heard in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

John Chester Wulf, 40, Traverse City. Attempted sex offender, failed to register. Jail for 60 days with credit for five days, serve 60 days.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

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Point Resource, 1025 Wilson Street, Boyne City, by Thomas G. Tock

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By JEREMY MCBAIN
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Divorce
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Electors who wish to register with the county or city/township clerk are advised to call ahead for location.

Doris Pearl, Clerk
Norwood Township

Middle School students discuss drug use

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Everyone can agree that drugs and kids don't mix, so how and why are substances making their way into the hands of local students?

"There are a couple people in our grade who use drugs. A few people give us the reputation of 'druggies,'" Charlevoix Middle School seventh grade student Scott Barta said.

To try and make headway into this issue four seventh grade students from Charlevoix Middle School, were interviewed following a presentation about drugs made by Pam Allen from Listen America.

The students offered candid opinions about the issue of use in their schools and in their lives.

They said that Allen's focus on tobacco products was merited because after inhalants, alcohol and tobacco are the two most accessible substances to them.

The first slide Allen showed was a cartoon camel smoking a cigarette. She asked the students to name the character. A few giggles were heard throughout the crowd and students furiously scribbled

their answers.

Allen said that cigarette companies are using the character to intentionally market their deadly product to younger kids. She said that in a survey, more kindergartners recognized Joe Camel than did Mickey Mouse.

She then showed the students cancer infected lungs and mouths. Comments like "gross," and "yuck" erupted from the students.

The next slide was a man who had his cancer infected voice box removed. He was smoking a cigarette through the round hole left after his surgery. The nicotine had a strong hold on the man even after it caused a potentially fatal illness.

Allen told the group nicotine is six to eight times more addictive than alcohol.

The next slide, a depiction of a tar ridden lung, evoked a, "that's sick," from a member of the seventh grade group. Allen told students that smokers who consume one pack per day for one year take one quart of tar into their lungs. If you smoke two packs for one year that number doubles to half a gallon. The tar is sticky and it makes it difficult for the lungs to work.

Middle school student-athlete

"I've got too much to do with my life."

Ryan Graham,

Middle school student on why he doesn't use drugs.

Caitlin Cole said that is part of the reason why she doesn't use.

"Ewe, I play sports. I don't want that nasty mouth," she said.

"I'm worried about the physical issues. You can't take cancer back, your mom will not forgive you."

But for Barta, pressure from his parents, not the physical issues, has been his driving force to steer clear of drugs.

"My dad has told me several times that if I do drugs I won't be allowed to live in his house anymore," he said.

The next stop in the presentation was chewing tobacco.

Allen informed the students chewing tobacco is just as addictive as cigarettes and that those who chew tobacco are more likely to develop gum disease.

She also informed students that chewing tobacco contains, sugar, molasses, salt, fiberglass, bugs and bug parts. She said that the manufacturer puts the glass in so it will cut the users cheek, the nicotine can be absorbed into the blood

stream and "you get hooked."

Lastly, Allen reviewed the issues of marijuana making a comparison to cigarettes. She said while both can cause lung cancer, one marijuana joint has 10 times the tar of one cigarette.

What wasn't covered is the substance students said is most widely used, at the middle school, inhalants.

The four students interviewed all said that inhalants are the easiest to get their hands on and are the most widely used including, Redi-Whip and Glade.

They also agreed that during the 2000-2001 school year, drugs started to make their way deeper into the class.

Cole said media is at fault for

school-age use.

"It's because we are growing up in such a connected world with T.V. and the internet. We see more ads," she explained.

Aside from pointing to media, Cole's classmate Kristin Dupuis also said age is a factor that explains drug experimentation. She said everyone wants to be rebellious and go against their parents.

In rebelling, Cole said users still aren't thought of as "cool." Dupuis agreed with Cole and commented that she doesn't feel pressure to use and that those who do, like Cole said, are looked down on.

All in all, this group of students said they have too much to lose to waste time with drugs.

Ryan Graham said, "I've got too much to do with my life."

However, they also said there are students at Charlevoix Middle School using inhalants, tobacco, marijuana and alcohol who need help.

Get the scoop on the Venetian Festival

Get the early scoop on the 71st Annual Venetian Festival at the Charlevoix Country Club at noon on June 13.

The luncheon is part of a series hosted at the Country Club called Lunch, Laugh and Learn.

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For many Charlevoix students, the beauty of summer brings not only time away from school, lazy hot afternoons at the beach or a chance to make some extra cash with a part-time job, it also means the start of a new life as a high school graduate.

Last weekend, parents and teachers of Charlevoix High School seniors watched as these students walked the aisle to receive their long-awaited diploma. These students worked hard during their time in the Charlevoix school district and Sunday they received their rewards.

This class was filled with students who set goals and achieved them. The high number of students in this class with very high grade point averages was plenty impressive, but they did more than that.

This class proved they were not only leaders in the academic field, but also leaders for the school. Many times we heard tales of the seniors taking the time to talk with the younger students about the many obstacles in life, such as drugs.

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For their efforts we commend them.

But, the hard work is not over for them. Now they face a new life filled with many possibilities and many new challenges.

Some of them will go on to college and some will begin a life in the work force. But we know all of them will be successful in their own way if they keep up with the high standards they set in high school.

Since we see big things in the future for these students, we also wish them a safe summer. With all the graduation parties and last-chance "hurrahs" with friends situations can quickly become unsafe and someone can get hurt. Please stay safe this summer and don't do anything stupid, like drinking and driving or riding in a vehicle with a driver who has been drinking.

Congratulations graduates on a successful tenure in the Charlevoix school district. We hope you have a great summer and a successful life.

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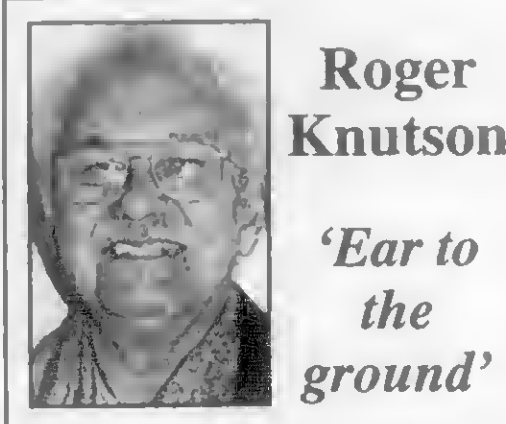
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Leaves are nature's little wonders in the summer



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

Every tree in Charlevoix has put out its yearly flush of new leaves. Abundant as leaves are, we might tend to take them for granted. Don't do it. They are engineering marvels, complex chemical factories and pollution control devices of the highest order. They work without pay and make our world possible.

The genius of structural engineering is to make as much as possible out of as little as possible. The delicate tracery of the Mackinac Bridge provides a fine example. A bridge of solid steel might be just as strong, but would require thousands of times as much material. Most plant leaves, examined closely are largely air space. Some leaves are as much as 80 percent empty air and what is not air is mostly water.

The solid substance of a leaf makes up about 5 percent of the total weight, but that five percent provides a structure strong enough to survive 50 mile per hour winds and rigid enough to support itself horizontally against gravity. The majority of the solid substance in leaves is, pound-for-pound, structurally stronger than the finest steel.

The leaves are covered with the sort of wax we extract and use to waterproof our most valuable possessions. Read the label on the most expensive auto wax and you will find the word, "carnauba." The Carnauba is a kind of tropical palm with even more and better wax than our local leaves.

Chemically leaves manage a set of remarkable changes that we find impossible to duplicate with any of our chemical factories. Each leaf is able to take carbon dioxide from the air and water from the soil, and with those two simple materials it makes food for us and every other creature on earth. We don't eat maple leaves or most other tree leaves, but all the plant leaves on Earth are making the same astonishing changes in the air and water that surrounds them.

What the leaves make is sugar, fats and proteins that support all the animal life on Earth, including us. There is ultimately no other source of food for any creature.

The energy of sunlight makes this miracle of chemistry possible. On a world with less light, most plants could not survive and no other life would be possible. Plants in our climate live through the winter on what they have stored up during the

sunniest times, just as we must.

How is it that leaves can be pollution control devices? A single example will suffice. Carbon monoxide is a serious air pollutant: a colorless, odorless poisonous gas produced by the incomplete combustion of motor fuels and charcoal, among other things. Plants find it difficult to distinguish between carbon dioxide, that they use to make food, and carbon monoxide. They take in carbon monoxide and use it.

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Several honored in county sheriff's office

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According to a letter written by Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater, "The officers receiving these awards have gone above and beyond the call of duty exceeding expectations of their peers and citizens they serve."

Those receiving honors, and the reason for these, were:

- Transport officers Barry Anderson and Shari Hofbauer. These officers were assigned to assist in the protection and safety of a crime victim who was traveling to Missouri to testify in a trial. According to Charlevoix Det./Sgt. Michael Wheat, they kept a 24 hour watch on the victim and kept the victim upbeat and in a positive attitude.

- Correction officer Judy Wheat. According to Det./Sgt. Wheat, Judy Wheat informed authorities that a person she was transporting to a mental hospital told her she had been the victim of

a serious crime in Missouri. Det./Sgt. Wheat wrote in a letter of commendation, "I believe it was Judy Wheat's compassion and dedication to service that led her to take the information given (by the victim) seriously and pass that information on, so an investigation could bring the perpetrator of the crime to justice."

- Also receiving honors for the Missouri case was Det./Sgt. Michael Wheat. Wheat received the Sheriff's Star Award. According to Sheriff Lasater, Wheat pursued the case in a two year investigation, both in Michigan and Missouri. Since the crime occurred in Missouri, this presented many barriers for Wheat, but that did not stop him. Lasater wrote on the award, "Sgt. Wheat not only stood out for his enthusiastic spirit in his persistence to bring this investigation to a fruitful end, but his personal involvement in soliciting both his fellow officers and his family to assist him supporting a very fragile victim during her delicate period of testimony. Sgt. Wheat saved this young woman's

life."

- Auxiliary Officer Richard Gallant and Sergeant Patrick Avery were both given a Departmental Citation Award and Sheriff's Life Saving Award for an incident that took place Nov. 30, 2000. According to Sheriff Lasater, both men put their own safety aside on that day by wading into the cold waters of Lake Michigan to rescue an intoxicated man.

- Deputy Roger Moses received a Humanitarian Commendation for an incident on Feb. 1, 2001. According to the sheriff, Moses was dispatched to a call for assistance in Wilson Township where the caller said he was going to end his life. Moses found the person in his home with a loaded gun pointed at his own head. Moses refused to leave when told to do so by this person and continued to talk to the individual with the "utmost compassion, concern and fear that he would harm himself."

- Seven members of the department were awarded Unit Commendations for Gallantry for an

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Michigan Tech dean's list

Several Charlevoix area students were named to the Michigan Technological University dean's list for the spring semester. They are: Laurel Ellen English, Andrew Michael Granath, Joshua James Habel, Candice Jean Siwarga, Margaret Elizabeth Spang and Joel William Trubilowicz.

BGSU graduate

Melissa Vincent, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from Bowling Green State University, in Bowling Green, Ohio. Vincent received a bachelor of science in education.

Pre-Teen Michigan Scholarship and Recognition

Brittney Lamb, daughter of Susan Lamb of Charlevoix, has been selected as a finalist in the Pre-Teen Michigan Scholarship and Recognition Program to be Aug. 10-12 at the Holiday Inn South in Lansing. Pre-Teen Michigan is a by-invitation-only scholarship and recognition event involving young ladies 7-to-12 years of age based on their school academic records, awards, honors won and participation in outside activities.

Belvedere charity donates

Seventy-two golfers took part in the fifth annual Blue-OX-Open Charity Triathlon on May 12 at Belvedere Golf Course. The event helped raise \$1,275 for the Beaver Island Rural Health Center.

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Sheriff gives honors

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incident that took place on Sept. 9, 1997 in Marion Township. On this date, members of the department responded to help deputies arrest a man who had barricaded himself in his home. At one point the man threatened to take his own life. However, the man was arrested without further harm or injury to himself or the responding officers. Those receiving the commendations were: Deputy David B. Hauge, Deputy (retired) William Cousineau, Deputy James Pettis, Sergeant James Owens, Animal Control Officer Julie Whitley, Sheriff George T. Lasater and Undersheriff Don

Schneider.

- Detective Sergeant Donald J. Sproul was given a Sheriff's Star Award for his investigation on a high-profile criminal sexual assault in Charlevoix. According to the award, "This investigation extended over several months of interviews with victims, which took him out of the county on several occasions to make personal contact with numerous victims." This investigation led to the arrest of three area men for molesting sev-

- Four members of the department were also given certificates as field training officers. They were: Trudi M. Sauve, Scott L. Miller, George R. Lasater, Jr. and David B. Hauge.

- Three officers were also given certificates of appreciation for their efforts in writing the policies and procedures for a transition into the new jail facility. They were: Kirk A. Raymond, Judy A. Wheat and Derek D. Gaylord.



Local gymnast

On May 12, local gymnast Katie Left competed in Ann Arbor at the Pre-Teen State Gymnastics Meet. She received blue ribbons in vault, bars and floor exercise and a red ribbon for beam. (Courtesy photo)

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Obituaries

Harold M. Bates: Jan. 8, 1910 - April 20, 2001

Harold M. Bates, 91, of Charlevoix, and formerly of Williamston, died in Venice, Fla., April 20, 2001.

He was born Jan. 8, 1910, in Lansing, the son of Madison F. Bates, co-owner of Bates and Edmonds Manufacturing Company, now known as Wohler Corp. As a teenager he was employed by Bates and Edmonds.

He came to Williamston in 1940 and was active in the Boy

Scouts. For a time he worked at United Manufacturing. He retired from Diamond Reo in 1972, moved to Charlevoix and wintered in Venice, Fla.

Surviving are his wife of 65 years, Beth (Tuttle); son Roger (Janell); grandsons Ryan of Breckenridge, Colo., and Thad (Andrea) of Haslett; two nieces, Mary Lou (Wayne) Crandall of Homer and Marcia Mac (Richard) Rentfrow of Raleigh,

S.C. He is greatly missed by Jack O. Canfield (Ramona) of Williamston, Alice Hayden Young of Bradenton, Fla. and longtime friends from Charlevoix and Norwood.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the charity of your choice.

Memorial services were June 5 at the Gorsline-Runciman Company Williamston Chapel in Williamston.

Teresa M. Gallagher: March 11, 1907 - May 31, 2001

Teresa M. Gallagher, 94, of Charlevoix and formerly of Beaver Island, died May 31, 2001 at Bortz Health Care in Petoskey.

A Mass of the Resurrection was June 2 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Thomas A. Neis officiated. A burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery.

She was born on March 11, 1907 on Beaver Island, the daughter of Daniel P. and Margaret (Gallagher) Boyle. Teresa was raised on Beaver Island and graduated from St. James High School.

She married James Gallagher on Oct. 25, 1933 in Chicago. He preceded her in death on Sept. 12, 1991.

Teresa was instrumental in founding the Beaver Island Medical Center. In 1959 Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher moved to Charlevoix where she became a member of the St. Mary's Church, St. Mary's Rosary/Altar Society and the Third Order Franciscans.

Survivors include a son, Brian J. (Delores); a daughter, Teresa Janet (Richard) O'Donnell both of Beaver Island; and a daughter,

Eleanor Mary (Glen) McDonough of Wyoming; nine grandchildren, Patrick McDonough, Diane O'Donnell, Mike O'Donnell, Judy Crowell, Bill O'Donnell, Barbara Flowers, Ronda O'Donnell, James Gallagher and Kathryn McQuay and 14 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a brother, Jack Boyle; two sisters, Mary Turner McDonough and Julie Boyle; and a half brother, John Quinlan.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Beaver Island Medical Center.

Mary E. Miller: Died June 3, 2001

Mary E. Miller, 93, of Charlevoix, died June 3, 2001, at Boulder Park Terrace Nursing Home in Charlevoix. Memorial contributions may be directed to the Charlevoix County Humane Society or to the American Cancer Society.

A memorial service will be announced at a later date and interment will take place in Augusta Cemetery in Augusta, Wis. Arrangements were made by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

A complete obituary will follow.

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Some council members question high costs

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix's signature petunia lined streets are adored by residents and visitors, but when the time came for Charlevoix city council members to decide how much from the community promotion budget would be used to weed the flowers, two councilmen said enough is enough.

Second ward councilmen Bill Bellows and Gabriel "Gabe" Campbell both said it's time to get out of the weeding business and \$16,100 for weeding of the petunias and some area flower beds is too much.

"Not everyone is a millionaire. With this budget it (petunia weeding) is almost \$40 per household. We have to say 'woe' somewhere," Campbell said when mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell called for a motion on the weeding issue.

But, first ward councilman Norman "Boogie" Carlson, third ward councilmen Sherm Chamberlain and August "A.J." Witthoef made the claim that last year, the first time professional gardeners were

used, the flowers looked better than ever.

Chamberlain said he thinks the high quality weeding reflects the quality of Charlevoix.

"It all comes down to presenting the city in the best possible manner. I felt it was well worth the expenditure," he said.

In the end the three member majority vote ruled and council decided to give the go ahead to employ the services of Petoskey-based Peggy's Gardening.

The city agreed to pay \$26 an hour for each Peggy's employee, \$1 per hour more than what the same gardeners requested last summer. The professionals from Peggy's will both weed the flower beds and apply herbicide.

Campbell and Bellows suggested alternatives to paying a professional firm including; using prisoners from the corrections facility near Pellston and using community service workers.

But city street superintendent John Martin explained that in the past the city has gone that route and both the quality of the petunias and traffic flow suffered.

Martin, an advocate of the professional service, presented to council the flip-side of the high cost. He said that the flowers were thicker and better last year and the streets were rarely blocked when the services were being performed.

"Whenever you are anywhere and people mention Charlevoix, there are two things they talk about. The first thing is the petunias and the second is the parks," Martin said in a post-council meeting interview.

This year, more than the curbside flowers will decorate the

downtown. The Downtown Development Authority (DDA) has also agreed to fund baskets of blooms that will hang from 60 city light poles.

Martin said that the baskets will most likely be hung during the week of June 11.

The local non-profit group Keep Charlevoix Beautiful provides both the curbside petunias and those that will be planted in the baskets. However, the baskets themselves and the brackets to anchor them will be funded by the DDA using city tax dollars.

Martin said that the brackets are \$66 a piece and baskets are \$36 each. The city plans to order 60 of each, at a total cost of \$6,120.

Martin said that Peggy's will not be maintaining the baskets, rather, seasonal city workers will water and weed them.

According to city treasurer Rick Brandi there are 2,802 taxpayers in the city who are funding basket and curbside flower beautification efforts — if the maximum weeding funding for Peggy's (\$16,100) is used then the cost to each taxpayer this year will be, \$7.93.

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HEALTH

The reasons for kidney stones may help stop them



Edward Newcomb, M.D.

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One of the most excruciating pains a human can experience is the agony of passing a kidney stone. Woman patients, whom I have spoken with, tell me that passing a kidney stone is more painful than giving birth.

Kidney stones are quite common in both our society and in other western societies as well. Some studies have shown that by age 70, approximately 12 percent of men and 5 percent of women will have experienced at least one stone "event." Is there anything we can do to make it less likely to get a kidney stone or prevent a recurrence?

To answer that question, we

need to look at what causes kidney stones in the first place. Is it what we eat, is it how we metabolize what we eat or is it hereditary? The answer is probably a combination of all three of these.

There are certain hereditary (genetic) and fortunately rare diseases that do have increased risk of stone formation. Cystinuria, primary hyperparathyroidism, primary hyperoxaluria and certain forms of hypercalcaemia (excess calcium in the urine) tend to run in families, suggesting a genetic link.

Evidence of a dietary link suggests when one compares the frequency of stones in different populations, people in non-Westernized societies pass very few stones when compared to more Western (modern, developed) countries. In England during World War II, when certain foods such as meat were in short supply, the number of people seeking treatment for kidney stone emergencies declined significantly.

Immigrants from non-western societies who adopt Western diets develop as many stones as US citizens.

Dietary factors seem to play a role in stone formation and if we can identify some of these factors we should be able to lower our risk.

Let us first look at dietary calcium. Most kidney stones are made up of calcium and logic would make one think that the more calcium one has in their diet, the more likely they are to form a stone. In reality this is not true and in fact the opposite may be more accurate. The key here is the source of dietary calcium. In both men and women, the risk of stone formation goes down as the intake of dietary calcium goes up. This calcium is from dietary sources such as dairy and vegetable products. Calcium supplements in pill form can increase stone risk in women, but does not seem to be a factor in men. This gets confusing because it is recommended

that women increase their calcium intake of 1,000-1,500 mg a day to prevent osteoporosis and at the same time they may be increasing their risk of kidney stones. In women who have had kidney stones in the past it is a good idea for them to attempt to get a majority of their calcium from dietary sources and if supplements are needed, calcium citrate may be the least likely calcium supplement to cause stones.

Potassium is another mineral that seems to be related to stone formation. In both men and women, the more potassium (found in fresh fruits and vegetables) in the diet, the less likely it is to develop kidney stones. The opposite seems to be the case with sodium (salt) intake. In women especially, a high sodium intake is associated with more stones and the same relationship exists with sucrose (table sugar). In men the relationship between salt and sugar intake is not as strong.

There seems to be a relationship between certain beverages and stone formation. As noted earlier, milk consumption actually lowers risk and drinking extra water definitely can be helpful. Juices tend to vary considerably. Because of their high potassium content, orange juice and lemonade seem to lower stone risk. However, grapefruit and tomato juices increase stone formation. Caffeinated coffee and tea seem to have a mild protective effect as does moderate wine consumption in women.

In summary there is a connection between kidney stone formation and diet. We can lower our risk of this painful condition by drinking more water (two liters a day), increasing our intake of dietary calcium and potassium and by decreasing our consumption of sodium and sugar.

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Library board names new interim director

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Over the next 10 weeks Grand Rapids native Charlie Kregel, 48, will spend his weeknights camping at Fisherman's Island and weekdays working at the Charlevoix Public Library.

On June 4, at a special meeting of the Charlevoix Public Library Board, Kregel was interviewed and hired as the board voted unanimously in favor of him filling in as interim director.

"I'm looking forward to working in a small town public library. It's where I started," Kregel said.

Kregel earned his master's degree in both business and library science at the University of Chicago.

After completing his master's studies Kregel went on to work at the University of

Kansas where he was the law school government documents librarian for two-and-a-half years.

He then made the move from Kansas to Chicago where he worked at the Kirkland and Ellis law firm. He said that when he came on board with the firm, "things were not up to snuff" and that he played an integral role in managing and maintaining the staff to accomplish the goals of the organization.

After 15 years with the firm, Kregel called it quits and dedicated his life to traveling.

"I became a full-time traveler and I got really good at it," he said.

Now, following almost seven nomadic years, he has stopped in northern Michigan where initially he was just visiting two close friends, Dale and Ruth Hull of Petoskey.

"It takes time to find a good person to do this."

Rick Brandi,
Charlevoix library board president

"I planned to stop for only two or three weeks, but then I saw the advertisement (for the interim director's position) in the paper and thought, 'That looks like fun, why not?'" he said.

During the interview process, board member Anne Hansen asked Kregel what he thinks his greatest strengths are.

He said he has a great understanding of different constituencies' interests. He sees himself as being good at understanding what motivates people. However he also openly admitted his weaknesses.

"Currently my skills are a bit out of date; being com-

pletely out of the work world for the last six-and-half years does have a cost," he said.

Betty Henne asked Kregel how he supports his travels. Kregel said he accepts a modest standard of living — while on the road, his least expensive accommodations have cost 35 cents a night and the most lavish had a \$10 price tag.

Henne then asked how he plans to deal with community relations.

Kregel responded that he has no ties to the community of Charlevoix, no agenda and no intention of applying for the long-term director's position — three attributes he hopes will meet the needs of

the interim position. Kregel said he plans to take direction from the board and the community with his first priority being to get new books ordered and the summer reading program prepared.

Board president Rick Brandi said that two other applications for the interim position came in on June 4. Bonnie Reed of South Borgman and Susan Straw of Kalkaska both applied, but Brandi said that the applicants weren't available until mid to late June and that Kregel's credentials were better.

Kregel will be paid \$10,000 over the 10 week period.

For the long-term director's position the board is looking to hire an individual who is MLS certified and has at least three years of experience.

"It takes time to find a good person to do this," Brandi said.

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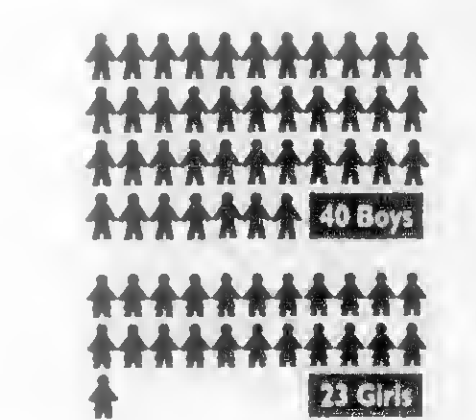
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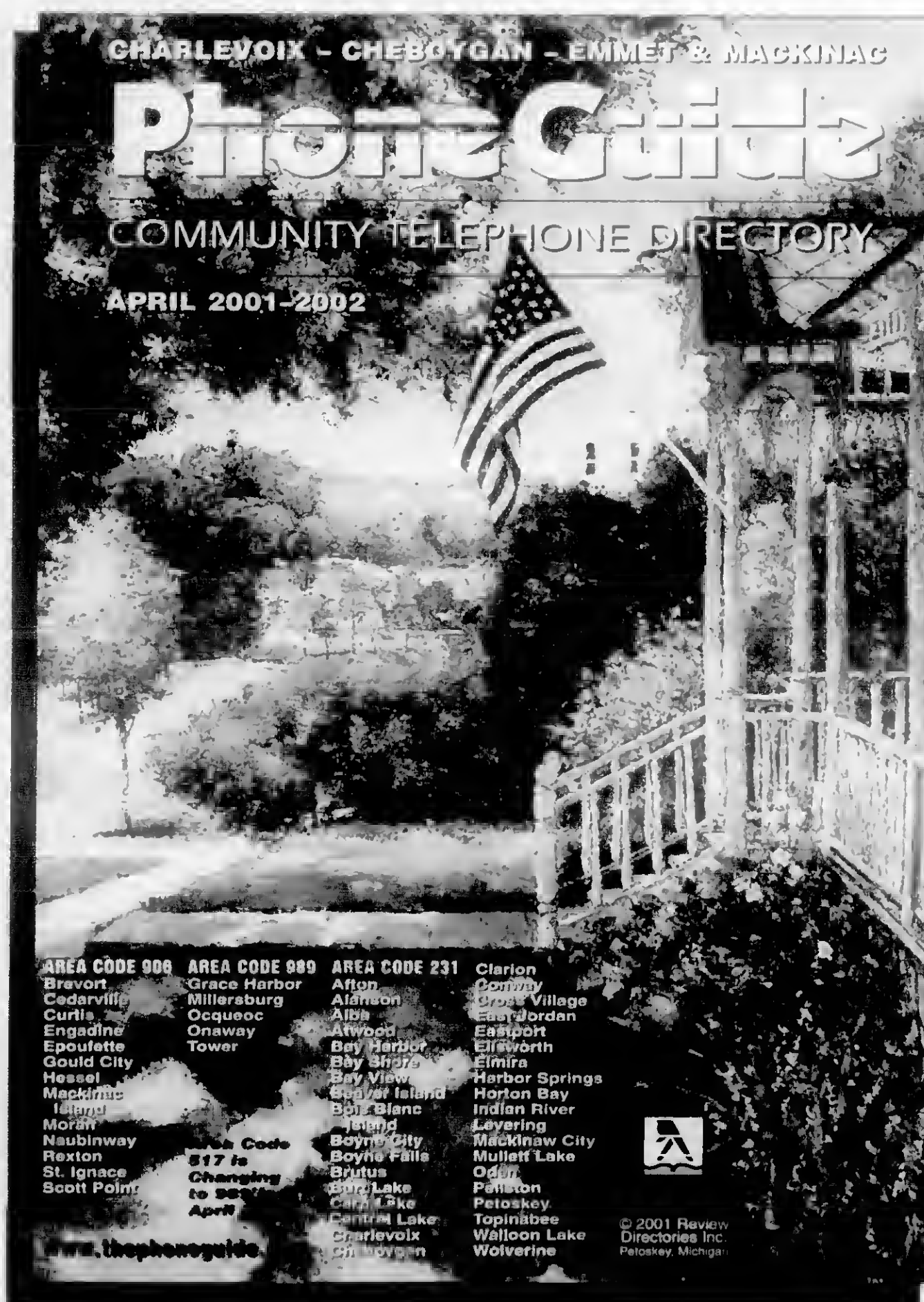
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Norwood gets permit for dry hydrant pond

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) recently issued an after-the-fact permit that allowed dredging of a dry hydrant pond off of Witmere Road in Norwood Township, that was once a violation, to continue.

On April 20, just a few days after the MDEQ received a confidential complaint about a wetlands disturbance at the pond digging site in Norwood Township, environmental quality analyst John Arevalo reviewed the area and found that the wetlands violation cited in the complaint wasn't valid.

"Given the amount of work that had already occurred, whether or not it was wetlands beforehand is impossible to establish...it's gone now," he said.

However, on April 20 Arevalo still brought the project to a halt because it violated section 301 of the MDEQ's Wetlands Act.

Section 301, the inland lakes and streams review, requires construction to be 500 feet from streams and inland lakes. The Witmere project was within 350 feet of Inwood Creek, so the township required a permit prior to starting work on the pond.

However, the township and the excavation company, Drenth Brothers of Ellsworth both claim they were unaware of Inwood Creek's proximity to the site and thus did not file for a permit with the MDEQ.

The Norwood Township board then filed a request with Charlevoix County Soil Erosion Officer, Wendy Armstrong, to obtain a soil erosion permit and with the MDEQ to get an after-the-fact permit.

Armstrong issued the soil erosion permit on April 30 and the MDEQ issued the after-the-fact permit on May 24.

"Digging a pond doesn't have much of an impact. Because of the minor impact, I saw fit to authorize the project with an after-the-fact permit," Arevalo said.



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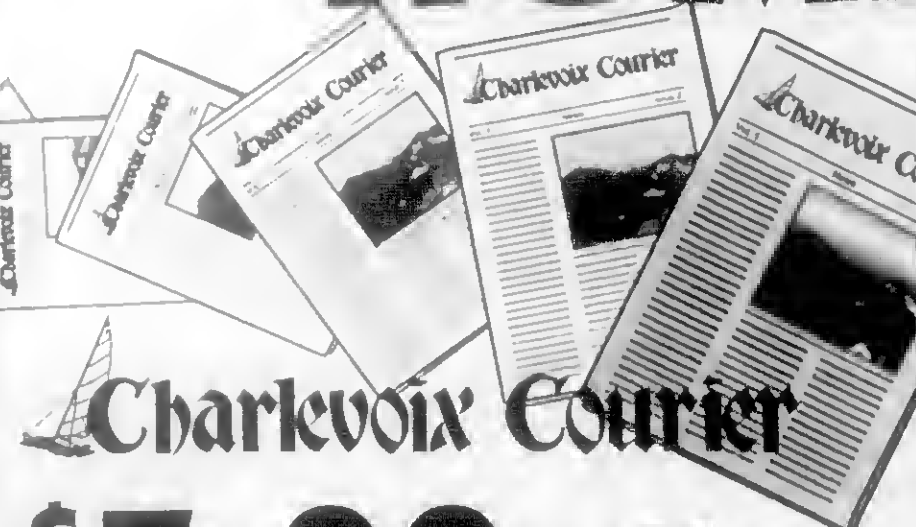
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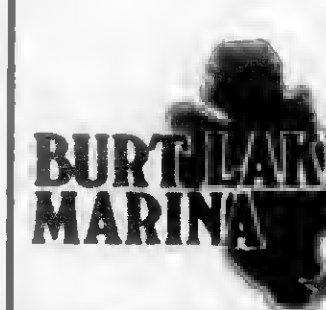


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MURDER

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He died around 4:30 p.m. that afternoon.

An investigation revealed that Cook had boated to the Charlevoix marina with some friends that weekend. While there on Saturday, witnesses alleged Shulick came onto one of their boats and began harassing them. At one point, there was a physical altercation between one of the boaters and Shulick, police reports state.

Witnesses further said sometime around 2:30 a.m. April 30, a man came onto the dock who sounded

like Shulick. Cook got out of his boat to talk to the man and was heard screaming shortly after.

One of the witnesses on the boat told police that he saw a man running from the scene and chased him, but could not catch him.

But before Cook died from his wounds, he was able to tell his friends that the man who stabbed him was the same man who had been bothering the group earlier named, "Tom."

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17th Annual Lake Charlevoix Area Trout Tournament June 8-9-10, 2001 Registration

Registration will take place at Tournament Headquarters in East Park - Bandshell. The deadline for registering will be 8 p.m., June 7th, 2001. The entry is \$25 per adult, \$10 for children ages 6 thru 12, children five and under are free, but must register. Registration fees must be paid in U.S. currency. For more information call (231)547-6805, (231)547-9054 or (231)547-6725.

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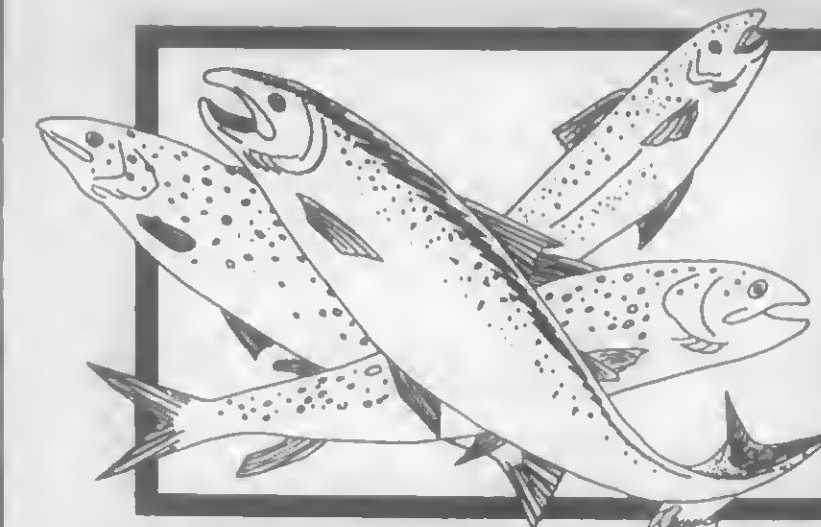
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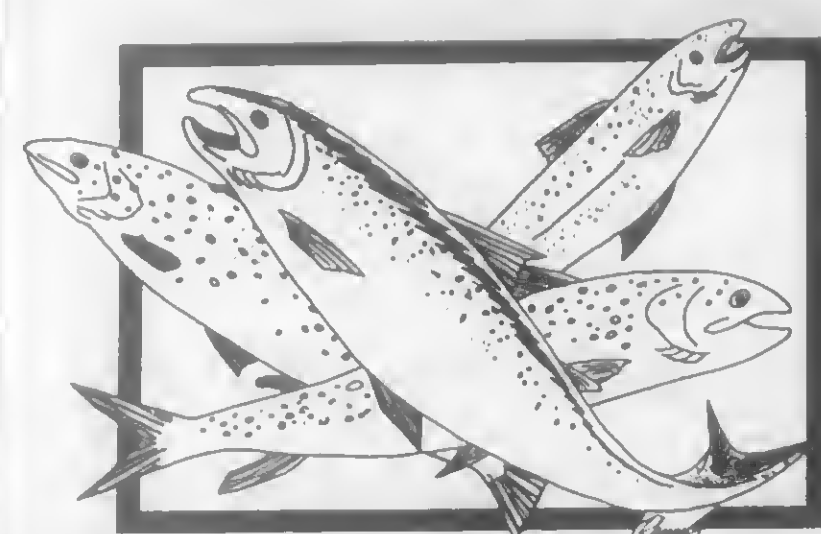
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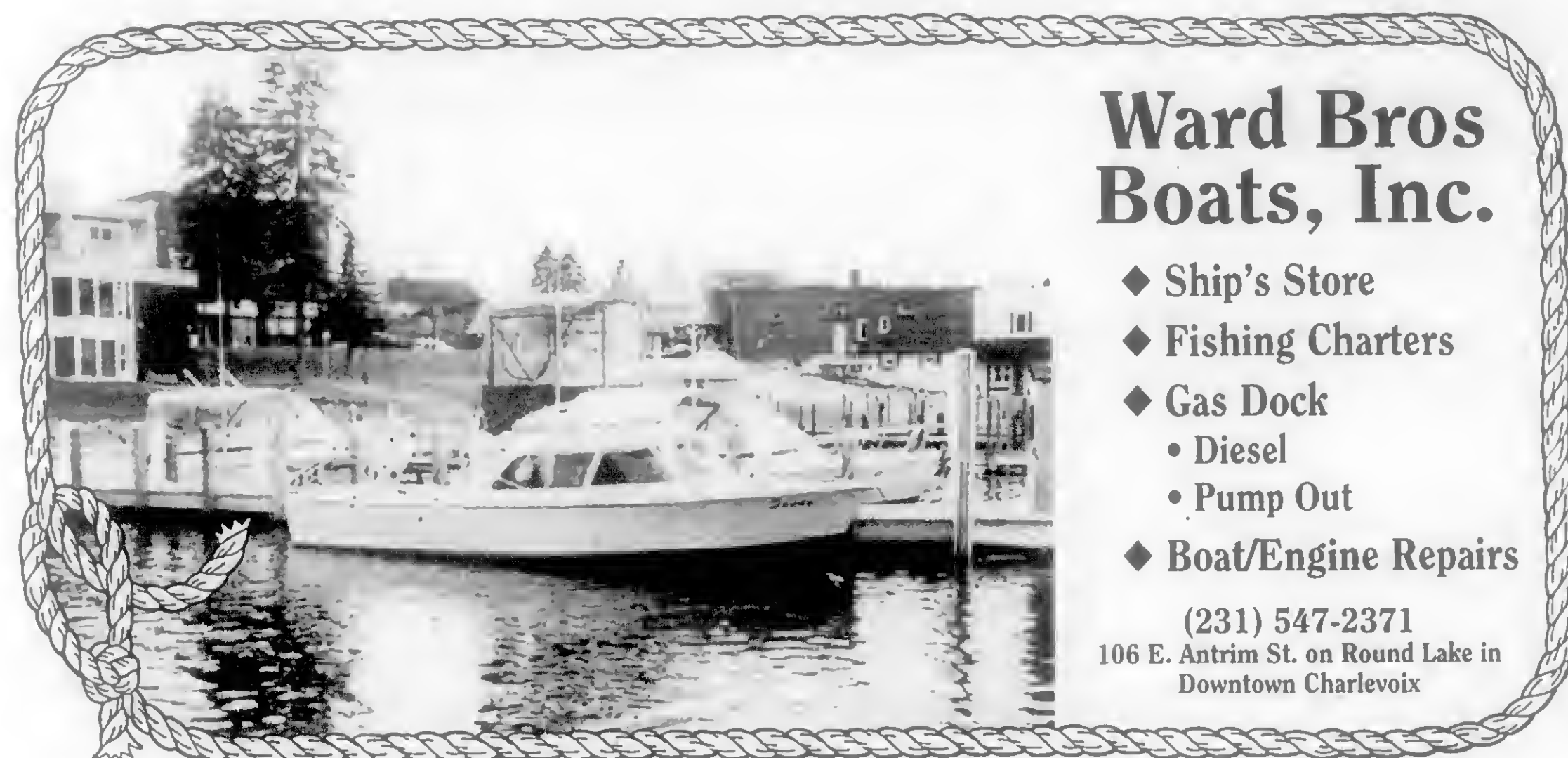


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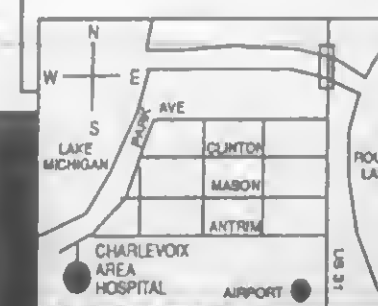
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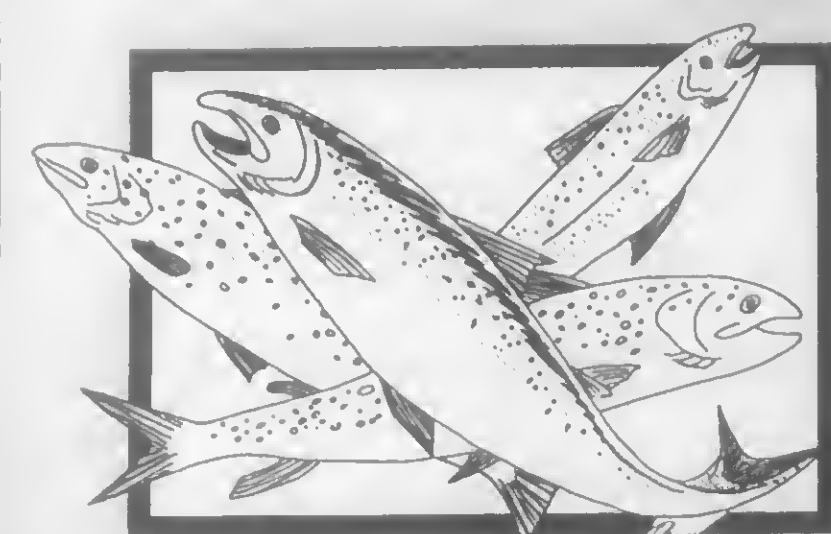
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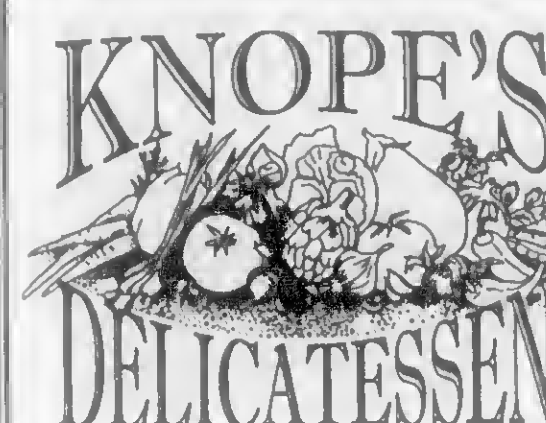
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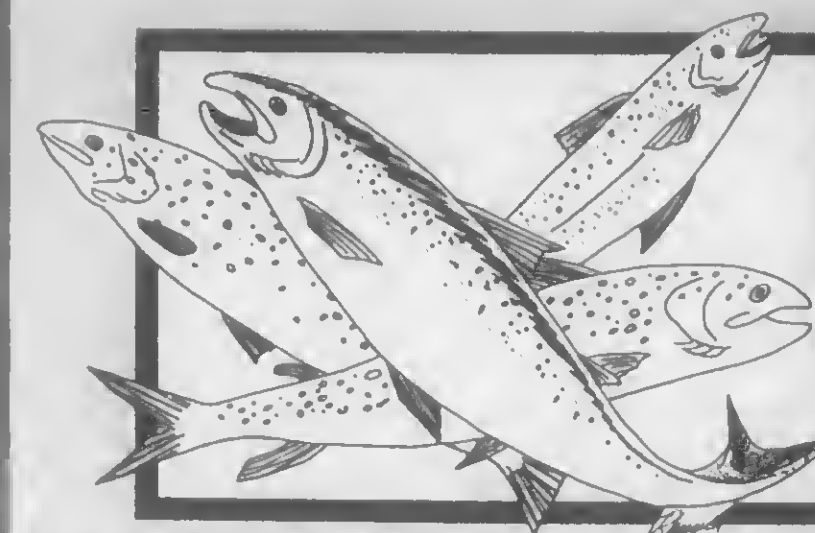
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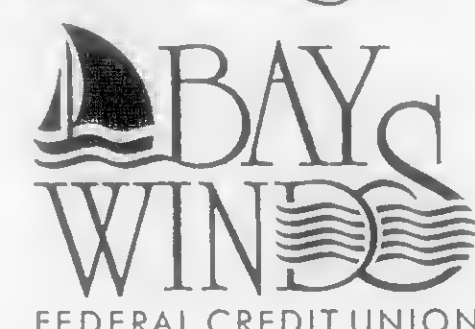
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Voters to decide school issues on June 11

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

On June 11, Charlevoix School District voters will decide whether or not two school board members will stay another term, what direction two millage proposals will take and who will be appointed to the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District (Char-Em ISD) board.

The first issue on the ballot that voters will face is which two community members will be elected to serve a four-year term with the school board.

As of June 4, incumbents, Kenneth "Scott" Boss and Mark "Barney" Way, both of Mar-
ion Township,

were the only candidates running in the school board election.

However, individuals interested in the position have until 4 p.m. June 8 to file as write-ins at the Charlevoix Community School's Superintendent's office located at 208 Clinton Street in Charlevoix.

Way and Boss are finishing up their first four-year terms and both are hoping to be re-elected.

Boss said that when he was first elected to the board in 1997, one of the board's priorities was to make sure Charlevoix residents could be proud of Charlevoix schools.

"I think you can see we've got different leadership — on the board, at the superintendent level and with

the teachers. Things have gone from not so good to darn good," he said.

Boss added that he plans to build on this pride by using his next term to follow through. Boss said continuity is the key to continued success across the district.

"We have a facility issue, taxpayers gave us the ok, now what is crucial is seeing things through. We have things to get done and I would like to help make sure we get a bigger bang out of the taxpayer's buck," he said.

Like Boss, Way joined the school board in 1997. In his first term Way said he hoped to see the ball get rolling on a new high school and that is exactly the direction the board and the community have moved in.

"One of our (the school board's) goals was to get the new high school built and to get the millage passed. Doing that took a lot of work," he said.

If re-elected Way said he plans

to follow through with the facility issue the district is facing. However, with the high school in the process of being built he will concentrate on what will be done with the middle school.

After voters have chosen candidates for the Charlevoix School Board they'll be asked to decide whether or not to renew the district's operating millage.

The millage allows the school district to levy the statutory rate of 18 mills against non-homestead, those with a home in Charlevoix that is not their primary residence, and non-qualified agricultural property in 2001, 2002 and 2003. The ballot language states that if passed, the Headlee Amendment will be rolled back, raising the rate .75 mill.

The third item on the ballot is electing three people to the Char-Em ISD Board. Members of the Char-Em ISD Board of Education are elected to fill a six-year term that will expire in 2007. Can-

dates for the position include Robert W. Anderson, Jay Essenberg, Mary P. Jason and write-ins.

The fourth subject voters will decide on will affect the entire Char-Em ISD. The proposal requests a millage renewal to fund vocational and technical education.

The millage will allow the ISD to continue levying .7243 mill and to restore the .0257 mill rolled back by the Headlee Amendment.

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Registration forms are available from Anna Austin at (231) 588-2333 or can be picked up from the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency offices in Bellaire, Charlevoix and Mancelona.

Garden Club to take trip to downstate gardens

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will have a field trip to the Frederik Meijer Gardens in Grand Rapids.

The group will leave at 8 a.m., June 12 and return at approximately 7 p.m. They will have lunch at the gardens. For additional information on the bus availability please contact Cynthia Garland 547-6707.

The gardens cover 118 acres and offer the beauty of nature as well as gardens and sculpture, both indoors and out. Wear comfortable walking shoes.

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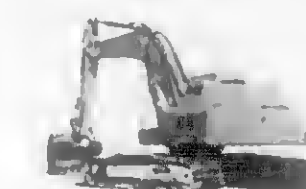
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Please call 547-5361 to sign up for these classes.

The center wants to especially invite all the center volunteers to the Appreciation Brunch on June 8, at 10:30 a.m. for the public with the Petoskey Friendship Center Chorus, under the direction of Marie Cupp, providing music for everyone. All Center volunteers should call in reservations by noon on Thursday.

Another big event at the center will take place on June 15 and 16. It is going to be a gigantic garage, craft and bake sale. Please bring any sale items to the Charlevoix Center beginning on June 11.

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Young author

Above, Charlevoix fourth grader Molly Corcoran reads her biography. The students wrote their own biographies for a class project. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Trail connecting to Harbor Springs to be built

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After almost two years of waiting patiently Charlevoix cyclists are breathing a sigh of relief.

The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) has agreed to build a 7.8 mile non-motorized trail in Charlevoix County. Ambitious northern Michigan outdoor enthusiasts will now be able to travel from Waller Road in Charlevoix Township all the way to Harbor Springs without being sped along by automobiles.

"The grant will allow the development of a non-motorized trail from the City of Charlevoix

to Bay Shore, connecting the trail with Petoskey and Harbor Springs," Charlevoix County planner Larry Sullivan explained.

Sullivan said the size of the project held things up. Instead of tackling the whole trail at once, the state decided to break it up into pieces.

Grant dollars totaling \$1.4 million have already been received for the stretch that will run along US-31 North from Waller Road to Nine Mile Point. But MDOT hesitated to agree to fund the portion running from Nine Mile Point to Bay Shore, that they have now agreed to, because of the sensitive terrain.

"The grant will allow the development of a non-motorized trail from the City of Charlevoix to Bay Shore, connecting the trail with Petoskey and Harbor Springs."

Larry Sullivan,
Charlevoix County planner

Sullivan said that the path we are currently seeing take shape is the result of a commitment MDOT made to the county over 10 years ago when the local rail tracks were taken up. MDOT agreed to help work toward the development of a non-motorized trail between Petoskey and

Charlevoix.

Sullivan said that initially the intention was to locate the trail on the rail corridor but they were unable to get agreement from nearby property owners so they started looking elsewhere. He added that the rail route would have reduced the cost of the project tremendously because the terrain where the trail will be located on US-31 north runs over slopes and wetland areas.

He said the highway route will be scenic, fully equipped with spectacular lake views. The trail will also tie into existing parks so public bathrooms will be easily accessible.

Sullivan sees this as the beginning of a larger trail system that will some day connect Charlevoix to Leelanau County. "I think it will spawn a lot of other trail development in the area," he said.

The county is looking at constructing the path over the course of 2002.

Church to present "Mercy Streets" movie

There will be a free showing of the new movie "Mercy Streets" at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Community Reformed Church.

The writer and director of this film is Jon Gunn, the son of Father Jim and Jan Gunn of Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix.

Mercy Streets has been nominated for Best Family Movie for 2000 by the Movie Guide Awards and is presently number 19 on the Billboard Top 100. It stars Eric Roberts, David White, Cynthia Watros, Lawrence Taylor and Stacy Keach.

White plays identical twin brothers who were separated as teenagers. One brother pursued a life in the church and the other brother received his direction from a con-man.

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Students score well

Charlevoix Middle School Technology Education students scored well at the state competition, "The Michigan Arts and Technology Association" in East Jordan on May 9. The Charlevoix students teacher, Brian Rockafellow said that there were about 7,000 projects included at the state fair. The Charlevoix seventh and eighth grade entrants took 17 projects, 11 of which were recognized and another won honorable mention. Pictured are: (front, from left) Abbey VanHorn, Aden Vallad, Ryan Smith (back row) Amy Drew, Tabatha Muma, Nathan Oshaben, Mike DiMartino, Ryan Grahm and Scott Sladek. (Courtesy photo)



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The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

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a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

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The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospi-

tal Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served at 11:30 a.m.

LENGTHEN THREE BOAT SLIPS AT CITY DOCKS

Eighteen Foot Extension to Accommodate Larger Yachts

Work was started Tuesday morning by the Sears Dock & Dredging Co., operated by Franklin C. Sears, on the extension of three yacht slips at the foot of Antrim street.

Repairs to all of the slips were made during the winter and present work will provide an 18 foot extension required to accommodate larger pleasure craft. In addition to the work outlined above, clusters of protecting piling will be driven at the municipal dock to replace those torn out by boats landing.

Charlevoix Courier May 28, 1941

NEW PARK IS A CREDIT TO CITY BAND STAND AND WHARVES NEXT ON PROGRAM

Shrubby and Trees Set Out This Week Make Spot One of Great Beauty

Charlevoix's waterfront park on the former Legion lot at the corner of Bridge Street and Belvedere avenue and the recently acquired Carpenter property is being transformed into a spot of beauty, one which Charlevoix citizens can well be proud of.

During the past few weeks a crew of men have been working on the grounds, grading and leveling off the plot, laying water pipes and electric light wires. Two sets of cement stairs, one on the Bridge Street side and one on the Belvedere Avenue side, have been built leading down into the park. Four large electric lights will illuminate the entrance, one on each corner post of the stairs, and two large boulevard lights similar to those on State street will be used in the center of the park.

On Tuesday of this week, under the direction of George Hemingway and George McMullin of the Charlevoix County Nurseries, trees and shrubbery were set out. Three rows of French maple and birch trees run through the center of the park. On each corner has been placed groups of Colorado and white spruce and py-arb-votae. Along the outside border of the park are rows of spirea, hydranga and dogwood, along with several other varieties.

The same program is to be carried out on the former Carpenter property. The grounds will be graded and terraced off toward the lake and set out with shrubbery the same as the Legion lot. It is proposed to erect a band stand on this property, the floor of which will be on a level with Bridge Street, with the lower

part to be used as a public toilet. Plans have been accepted for the new wharves on Round Lake at the foot of the park and the contract will be let as soon as bids are received.

In our opinion this is one of the most beneficial forward moves taken by the city for some time. To keep up our reputation as a resort city, we must furnish attractions for our visitors. Those who are prone to believe that the city is wasting money on the project will see their error during the coming summer.

Charlevoix Courier May 12, 1926

CHICAGO GOLF COURSE OPENS

MANY NEW IMPROVEMENTS SINCE LAST SEASON

New Belvedere Course Will BE Ready for Play by First Week in August

The Chicago Golf Club of Charlevoix officially opened for the 1926 season on Monday morning of this week with a few changes in the office force and many important changes and improvements on the course.

Wm. Watson, who has acted in the capacity of professional for a number of years, will be here again this year. Cleveland Roe is caddy master again this season, and his brother George Roe, will patrol the course. Russell F. Blakeslee is bookkeeper with Miss Lila Heise as assistant. Billy Supemaw is the new assistant caddy master.

Among the many improvements started last fall and completed during this spring are new, modern trappings throughout the entire course. The location of the tee on hole number 3 has been changed, as

has the lay and length, the hole now being 186 yards, running east and west. Number 4 now runs through a patch of woods which was cleared for that purpose. Number 4 is now number 5 and former number 5 has been eliminated and converged into number 6 adding over a hundred yards to the length of that hole.

A modern sprinkling system covering greens, fairways and tees has been installed. A motor driven pump with a capacity of 40,000 gallons daily will pump water to the tanks on the grounds. New, bright-colored flags with numbers in large black letters, take the place of the ones formerly used.

The course is in wonderful condition this season, numerous spring rains putting the fairway, greens and tees in first class shape.

Charlevoix Courier June 23, 1926

C-G Will Raze Old Building

Thousands of memories recalling hardship, fun and comradeship linger within its old frame walls.

But it no longer serves the needs of the U.S. Coast Guard. So the old Charlevoix Lifeboat Station—behind the National Fish Hatchery on the Pine River channel—must go.

The Coast Guard has put the station building and utility building up for demolition bids. It is not selling the property.

Persons interested in purchasing the old buildings and removing them from the property should get their bid in by June 8 to the Contracting Officer, Ninth Coast Guard District, Main Post Office Bldg., Cleveland, O.

The two buildings are described as:

"1. Old Station Building—



The Charlevoix Life Saving Station in 1905. (Photo courtesy of Cynthia Postmus)

Frame, two-story, attic, including a basement and adjoining two bay boat house with steel tracks for launchway; floor area equals 3,975 square feet.

"2. Furnace and Laundry building—Frame, one-story, 300 square feet floor area."

"BOTH ITEMS 1 and 2 are in a state of deterioration, have old-fashioned fixtures, a considerable amount of cracking on the interior walls, and cracked and settling areas in the foundation."

The garage barracks building on the site will not be razed. It is a modern building.

The old station building became surplus when the new Charlevoix Coast Guard station was constructed in 1962 at the east end of the railroad bridge channel into Lake Charlevoix.

The Coast Guard received the old station site from the City of Charlevoix for \$1 in 1899. The property transfer agreement may

make it necessary for the Coast Guard to return the property to the City if it is no longer used.

HARVEY L. Idding, Charlevoix Village president in 1899, signed the property transfer agreement. It was also signed by William McCarty, village clerk.

Charlevoix Coast Guard Group executive officer CWO James Seidl reports no definite plans have been announced for the property's future use.

Mayor E. D. Hawley has said the city is interested in reclaiming the property if it is no longer needed by the Coast Guard.

Charlevoix Courier June 2, 1965

Editor's note: These articles were collected by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Public Library.

EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m., Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Lake Charlevoix public forum

There will be a public forum at 7 p.m., June 14 at the Boyne City City Hall Auditorium with the Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project. Participants will learn about the work of the Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project, hear results of

nonpoint source pollution inventories such as road crossing sites, streambank erosion, land use, learn about the proposed recommendations to reduce pollution and keep Lake Charlevoix and its tributaries clean and provide comments to help project partners prioritize action steps. For more information contact Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council at (231) 347-1181 or check our web site, www.watershedcouncil.org.

Pool meeting

Charlevoix Area Community Pool annual meeting will be held at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix from 5 to 6 p.m. on Thursday. The public is welcome.

Girls' soccer alumni game

Mark your calendar for the First Annual Charlevoix Girls' Soccer

Alumni Game at 6 p.m., June 14 at Kipke Field. The game will serve as a fundraiser for the girls program. All former Charlevoix High School women players are invited to participate. Please call Tom Conlan (547-2510) or Carol Madison (348-3317) for information.

Mr. Soccer Camp

The Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Board is sponsoring a Mr. Soccer Camp August 6-10 at Shanahan Field. Two sessions will be held. The morning session, which runs from 9-11:30 a.m., will be for the 8 and under aged player. The afternoon session will be for those 9-11 years old (born 1989 or later) and runs from 1:30-4 p.m. Cost for the camp is \$60 per player. For more information contact either Anders Kelto at (231)938-9022 or Carol Madison at 348-3317.

Featured event Hospice Auction

The Charlevoix County Hospice will have an auction to raise money. The auction starts at 5 p.m., June 8, in the Boyne Mountain Convention Center with a silent auction. The live auction will begin at a later time.

The auctioneers are Jeff Macfarlane and Jim White, both who have been providing the service for a number of years.

For a \$20 donation, you have access to both auctions, hor d'oeuvres and a cash bar, a \$500 grand prize and the music of Margaret Thomson.

Auction tickets are available from Boyne Country Books in Boyne City, Busy Bridge in East Jordan, the Clothing Company in Charlevoix or at the door.

The auction is an important funding source for Charlevoix County Hospice, which provides service to Charlevoix County and parts of Antrim and Emmet counties.

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MDEQ: DME site needs cleanup

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But Wagner's biggest concern isn't the PCE — it's what it quickly becomes. The PCE degrades into vinyl chloride, a known carcinogen.

"Our biggest concern has been the discharge of vinyl chloride to

Lake Charlevoix, at times it seeps along the beach. We haven't had issues with seepage along the beach recently but with the changing ground water and lake levels that could change," Wagner said.

Because of vinyl chloride's tendency to seep, the MDEQ is also in the process of evaluating indoor air. The chloride can vaporize and migrate through cracks into base-

ments.

"We haven't found any evidence of homes or residences currently at risk (of vinyl chloride contamination) yet, it is still a concern (because of PCE's presence in the area.) The sooner it is removed the less of a threat we have," Wagner said.

Because of the toxicity of PCE and its transformer substance vinyl

chloride, Wagner said PCE use has been discontinued in most businesses.

"Most (businesses) have had groundwater problems because of using and storing it," Wagner said.

Unlike most, DME started using PCE in 1955 as a degreaser to remove oil and other debris from the steel ejector pins they manufacture and continues to use the toxic sub-

stance.

Wagner said the MDEQ is not aware of any current releases of the substance that would add to the contamination problem.

Representatives for DME Company said they will not publicly comment on this issue.

The MDEQ plans to make sure either their plan or DME's is hard at work by the fall of 2001.

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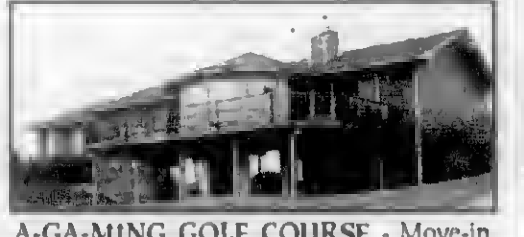
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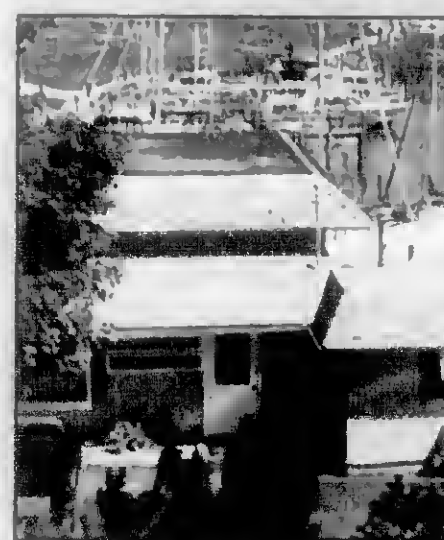
Inside...

New principal

Charlevoix High School assistant principal, athletic director and boys' varsity basketball coach Keith Haske has been named the new Charlevoix Middle School Principal.

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Rezone?



Some Charlevoix residents are objecting to a rezoning request made for this property on Belvedere Avenue. They think it will hurt their property values.

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Days gone by



Marilyn Boss shares her memories of Michigan Beach and other Charlevoix landmarks in this week's SCRAPBOOK.

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Millages denied, incumbents re-elected

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

At the June 11 biennial election Charlevoix School District voters said no to two millage proposals, but elected incumbents to both the local school board and to the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District board of education.

Voters shot down the .75 mill tax increase which asked for a rollback of the Headlee Amendment reduction. The rollback would have benefited the district's operating budget. The tax increase

"Nobody wants to lose money to operate on, but it's not the end of the world."

John Sturock,
Charlevoix schools superintendent

applied only to commercial properties and non-homestead properties in the district.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, John Sturock, said that the vote will result in a loss of \$30,000 to the district's general operational fund.

"Nobody wants to lose money to operate on but it's not the end

of the world," he said.

The decision to decline the rollback was made by a narrow margin — 396 people voted in favor of the increase and 479 votes were cast against it.

Sturock said that it is difficult to pass a millage with such low voter turnout. Of the 7,290 eligible voters in the district only 893

decided to come out and exercise their right — that is a 12 percent voter turnout.

A second decision made by Charlevoix School District voters surprised Mark Eckhardt, the superintendent of the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District (Char-Em ISD).

Charlevoix was the only district in the Char-Em ISD to ultimately decide against the area vocational technical education millage renewal. In Charlevoix 411 voters supported the renewal while 469 decided against it.

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Venetian Festival announces this year's lineup for music and games

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

With musical acts from all over the country and a variety of games and activities to participate in or watch, this year's Charlevoix Venetian Festival has something for just about everyone in the family.

"It's kind of exciting. I think it is a thing the community has taken a lot of pride in," Dean Davenport, Venetian Games commissioner and director, said. The festival will start on July 22 and end on July 28 with the annual Grand Electrical Boat Parade on Round Lake.

This year's game lineup will include:

- July 22 — A three-on-three basketball tournament that may be at Michigan Beach — details are still pending — the Carey Cup for junior golfers and, a new addition, Disc Golf at Mount McSaubia. In disk golf, participants must throw a flying disk into various baskets set up in a course. Like golf, points are totaled up based on the number of tries.

- July 23 — A three-on-three soccer tournament at Shanahan Field.

- July 24 — The Keith Carey Venetian Cup Championship golf finals for adults at the municipal course and a croquet clinic and tournament in Bridge Park.

- July 25 — A co-ed beach volleyball tournament at Ferry Beach, the Venetian Cup Sailing Regatta on Lake Charlevoix, swimming championships at the Charlevoix Community Pool and bingo in East Park.

- July 26 — Cottage croquet in Bridge Park for "special challenges."

- July 27 — A co-ed softball tournament at the city diamond.

See VENETIAN, page 24



I can catch 'em

Kevin Archambault, of Charlevoix, forgot his pole to fish for trout in the East Park trout pond during this weekend's Trout Tournament, so he decided to try the next best thing....his little hands. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Jessica Katherine Robinson, 17, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Robert Joseph Trudell, 17, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Carl Clarence Murray, 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend IMPACT panel; \$110 in fines and costs.

Jayson Avery Hill, 29, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Heather Lynn Steimel, 18, Charlevoix. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Amanda Brooke Bullock, 19, Charlevoix. Sex offender, failed to register. Bound over to circuit court.

Jeffery Craig Tenney, 29, Ludington. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$820 in fines and costs.

Coy Leon Groves Jr., 32, Lafayette, Tenn. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Scott David May, 29, Elmira. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Mario Castellana, 36, Sterling Heights. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Allan Thomas Francis, 38, Traverse City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third of

fense-felony; and driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Bound over to circuit court.

Charles William Marrs Jr., 41, Elmira. Domestic violence. Jail for 93 days with credit for 89, serve four days.

Kathryn Ann Green, 18, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Jerry Peter Krussell, 20, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Joseph James Vankalker, 20, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Christopher David Hibbler, 18, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Franklin Vern Lashmit, 20, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

George Andrew Anderson, 19, East Jordan. Attempted unlawful use of a motor vehicle. Six months probation; 64 days in jail with credit for four days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$585 in fines and costs.

Cindy Lou Smith, 44, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, 40 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 41 days held in abeyance; \$1,145 in fines and costs.

Angela Maxine Devers, 22, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Six months probation; 40 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 35 days held in abeyance; \$210 in fines and costs.

John Julius Roberts, 22, Clinton Township. Driving while license suspended; and fourth degree attempted flee and elude. Fines and costs totaling \$1,225.

Jorge De La Rosa Rangel, 26, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Mark David Bess, 34, Grayling. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Andrew Maynard Pressnell, 26, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Two years probation; license suspended as a condition of probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; vehicle used in the offense shall be immobilized or forfeited; 11 months in jail with credit for one day, serve six months; \$910 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

B.A.Y. Catering, 214 Park Avenue, Charlevoix, by Barbara A. Yared

Solar Construction, 305 Silver Street Apartment 214, Boyne City, by Lawrence D. Patterson

Pooh's Patch Daycare, 309 West Hurlbut Street, Charlevoix, by Debra Marsh

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Clyde Edward Jack, 44, Dallas, Texas and Loreen Frances Kondrat, 44, Boyne Falls

Kenneth Joseph Myers, 43, Boyne City and Tonia Lynn Dzieszinski, 28, Boyne City

Kelly Drew Harmon, 35, Boyne Falls and Paula Jean Smith, 36, Boyne Falls

James Eric Mattson, 27, Boyne City and Carin Linn Nielsen, 27, Boyne City

Jared Daniel Lawrason, 24, Gaylord and Lisa Lynne Wheat, 22, Charlevoix

Robert J. Kopeck, 54, Walker and Linda S. Hall, 50, Boyne City

James Luck Harris, 52, Charlevoix and Robin Lee Kanipe, 38, Charlevoix

Stephen Lee Gawne, 34, Charlevoix and Billie Jo Martin, 25, Charlevoix

James Michael Gaudette I, 41, Charlevoix and Lori Ann Nelson, 36, Charlevoix

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in

the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Linda J. Arquette vs. Joseph A. Arquette

Jamie Marie Brooks vs. Charles Richard Brooks

Melissa Kelley vs. Christopher Kelley

Alexandra Dell vs. Roger H. Dell

Tammy Lynn McClure vs. Charles L. McClure

John F. D'Amour vs. Rebecca Sue D'Amour

Births

Cheyenne Marie Brown was born to James and Cheryl Brown of East Jordan on June 5 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Cheyenne joins her brother James at home.

Caleb Shane Pittman, was born to Ryan and Jennifer Pittman at Charlevoix on June 5 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain
June 5	53	43	—
June 6	58	47	—
June 7	71	50	—
June 8	65	48	—
June 9	68	49	—
June 10	72	52	.33"
June 11	74	54	.45"

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June 5	53	43	—
June 6	58	47	—
June 7	71	50	—
June 8	65	48	—
June 9	68	49	—
June 10	72	52	.33"
June 11	74	54	.45"

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Senior prank goes too far for principal

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer
And by JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

"The school does not sanction senior pranks. But, they do happen."

Gary Grundman,
Charlevoix High School principal

A Memorial Day senior sleep-over at Charlevoix High School went awry when an unknown member of the class pulled out a building master key.

"It was kids having fun, in a building with no supervision, with keys that would open everything," senior class member Hal Evans III explained.

Evans said about 75 percent of the senior class spent the night in the building that weekend. But, some of them participated in a prank that went too far.

One of the students at the sleep-over had a master key that could open every door in the school. Evans said at this point, things got out of control.

Some of the pranks he described included: unplugging computers in the publications room; breaking into the cafeteria, stealing peanut butter and wiping it on the handles of every underclassmen's locker and removing desks from their rooms and putting them outside or rearranging them.

"I think it was in bad taste and pretty childish to have 15 pranks going on at the same time. Unlocking rooms and messing with things wasn't cool," Evans said.

Evans said about half of the students who attended started going into rooms, while the other half did not participate.

School principal Gary Grundman said he was very angry at the magnitude of this prank. Seniors at the school have traditionally committed a "senior prank" right before graduation, he said.

"The school does not sanction senior pranks. But, they do happen," Grundman said. While the prank created quite a mess and Grundman was very angry about it, he added the seniors redeemed themselves by cleaning it all up.

"I was really proud of the senior leadership. When I walked in (to school after the Memorial Day vacation) at 7:30 a.m., it was 95 percent clean," he said. "As usual, the real good kids took care of the other ones that didn't want to behave."

As far as the students spending the night at the school, he

said they did not have permission, but he was not surprised they did. Many times throughout the years, he said, seniors spent the night in the school's courtyard right before final exams.

Grundman added the student who had the master key to the school was caught and the key was returned.

"If there is a bright side to it, I am in the process of planning security for the new building. The kids made me think of some things I didn't think of before," he said.

Grundman said no permanent damage was caused as a result of the prank, but Evans explained that because students tinkered with the bell system, it needs to be reprogrammed.

"It wasn't fair to slap him (Grundman) in the face," Evans said.

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OPINIONS

Those little things that can cause a smile



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

Sometimes it is the little things that make me smile.

These little things remind me that nothing is perfect and I shouldn't worry that I am not.

Recently I spent about 6 hours driving in my vehicle to the Lansing area and back for a newspaper workshop, thus giving me plenty of time to think about these little things that people do or say that are just so crazy they create a laugh.

I enjoy making my readers smile along with me, therefore I thought I would share a few of these with you.

Since I was driving down the road during this period of thought, the first one revolves around driving. It is amazing to me how we act when we drive. Even a rocket scientist will turn into an imbecile behind the steering wheel.

It seems when we drive we want to do anything but drive. I watched people talking on car phones, eating lunch, putting on makeup and arguing with their passengers, all while traveling down the road at more than 70 mph.

So much time was being spent on these other activities that driving skills suffered. These people would cut each other off, refuse to use blinkers, swerve in the lane and insist on driving two inches

from the bumper of the car in front of them.

To ease my nerves I began to think about non-driving quirks that are humorous. The first one that came to my mind — since I write a lot — are the words that people use in their speech and writing.

In the many letters and meeting notes that are submitted to the Charlevoix Courier each week, there are two "words" that stick out in my mind: "signage" and "monies." People love to use these two terms when talking about official business. I guess they think it makes the information seem more official. Problem is, these are not real words.

Look them up in the dictionary and you will not find them. From what I am guessing from the writing I receive, the authors think "signage" means the signs in front

of a business and "monies" means a collection of money. I have even seen these non-words on official city of Charlevoix memos.

Why do people insist on trying to make themselves sound smart by making up words? Why can't they just say, "money" instead of "monies" and "signs" instead of "signage?" Oh well, at least it gives me a giggle.

Another smile comes from my thoughts about the recent parking ticket "scandal." Recently a man paid his parking ticket with change, but the city police chief would not accept it. The chief sent the change back to the man, with a letter explaining they would not accept the change — specifically pennies — at a cost of \$3.50 in postage. The original ticket was \$2.

Now, I sort of understand both sides of this issue. The chief has a

part-time office worker who doesn't need to spend all of her time counting out pennies sent in to pay parking tickets. However, the man paying the ticket did use legal tender to pay it and the chief probably should have accepted it.

This has caused quite a stir among some of the locals around town. Here is where the smile is: It is so nice to know that Charlevoix is such a small, peaceful town that the biggest police gripe is whether or not the chief should accept pennies for parking ticket payments.

I read reports in other newspapers from downstate about their police corruption and high crime rates, then listen to the local debate about pennies. It is so nice to live in a town with this as the big gripe.

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The fun of teaching etiquette



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the News'

One has to be very careful when talking to 10-year-olds because they remember everything you say!

I recently was invited to be a "Confidence Consultant" to the fifth grade class in Central Lake. The subject was table manners. By the way of introduction I mentioned that there are two ways of handling a knife and fork, the Continental Way and the American Way.

As you know, with the latter you keep exchanging the knife and fork in a zig-zag manner. For emphasis I referred to the well-known espionage tale of the American spy, who was recognized as a foreigner, because he ate his food by constantly switching the fork from the left to the right hand, American style.

When I received 35 "Thank You" notes from the class, the first note

said, "If I become a spy, I'll be sure to use the right kind of eating posture."

Another youngster said: "I found it easy to eat Continental style."

The fifth grade teacher, Jeff Kessler, having previously spent 16 years in the corporate world, is well aware how important it is to be able to handle oneself in unfamiliar situations. We were both glad to learn that our lesson took hold.

"I do feel ready to be invited to the White House," he said. "We had a blast learning manners and how to be classy in a fancy restaurant like the Lamplighter Inn. It was fantastic!"

The Detroit Free Press announced that Central Michigan University is offering a summer entrepreneurial institute for minorities, which will teach students, among other subjects, social skills and etiquette, "but because these issues are universal and cross racial and ethnic lines, the program is open to all students."

It's too bad to have to wait until one is in college to learn these skills.

"You are a good teacher. It was really nice of you, especially when you taught us how to cut meat. I used to do it totally wrong," another student stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, the owners

of the Lamplighter Restaurant, were more than pleased to host the fifth grade, because among other things, this group was shown how to enter a restaurant and be seated. They were taught to follow the hostess to their table and wait until a parent told them where to sit.

Over the years, the Murphys confided, they have had the unfortunate experience of having some children running around the dining room without parents saying a word, nor have some parents prepared their children in advance to eat anything but a "Happy Meal" in a fast food restaurant.

"Thanks to you, I will always feel brave and confident when I go with my grandparents to a fancy restaurant like Mr. and Mrs. Murphy's," another student said. "My parents are very proud of me, because of your class."

Finally, not only did the children enjoy learning how to propose a toast in appreciation to the chef and to their hosts for the four course meal, but they learned how to write delightful "thank you" notes.

These I shall always treasure.

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.

Letters to the editor

What is the accepted currency?

Editor:
As a follow-up to Ron Abfalter's letter in last week's Courier "are pennies money?"

At 10:40 a.m. June 6, I too received a parking meter violation for \$2. Since I had loose change in the car I put it in the envelope provided and dropped it into the courtesy box. I then bought a Charlevoix Courier at Central Drug Store only to find out I had just repeated Ron's mistake!

So, I did some homework and timed myself counting out the pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters I sent in to pay the fine. Time — 11 seconds. I then timed myself to take an envelope, address it, put on the postage and deposit coins into it — 23 seconds.

Since the city is losing \$1.50 on every \$2 ticket when it returns money, I suggest a simple solution of common sense — print on the violation envelope what currency is and is not acceptable to pay your fines.

Jim Haggard
Charlevoix

Editorial rebuttal

Editor:
The facts as presented in the recent editions of your paper give cause for me to write again. To begin with, I am rather interested in what was called in the Army

"selective enforcement" of your publication guidelines. When I first wrote, I was given a specific rule of "no letter more than 450 words or no publication." However, for more than a month I have noted letters much longer in content. Is this a new standard or do letters on subjects of interest to you have greater leeway?

The May 30 editorial concerning wind generators again fails to mention all the facts. I investigated the possibility of one for my farm and learned quite a bit of information from the County Zoning Commission. Wind generators are at least 300 feet tall. Their blades are in excess of 100 feet each. They require a counter balance of a 40 foot deep concrete foundation. The electricity which they generate is also not the cheapest for the consumer. May I suggest that those of us who remember Charlevoix B.C. (Before Condos) will tell you many homes, including the one on the "proposed" school site had windmills, which generated electricity, ran farm machinery and sold electricity back to the REA. They are sometimes still seen as older homes, they are much shorter, highly efficient, don't have 100 foot blades to take out passing flocks of birds and blend in to the scenery much better than a wind generator.

I was quite surprised to see the city is intending to construct a

sewer to the "proposed" school site on Marion Center Road. I don't remember that as part of the millage question or construction proposal. How exactly is a sewer going to be laid down at Marion Center when there is hardly enough room for the current heavy traffic flow? Has this been mentioned to the Belvedere Club? I doubt they will be too happy when their golf course is trenched for sewer pipes. Why is it that the city is doing the work? Is it now implied that the area between what I thought was the city limit and the school has now been annexed by the city? Is it now that the school is going to become a sewer authority? More importantly are my school tax dollars now going to pay for a city sewer project?

There are 431 words on this page; I hope that meets today's requirement.

Joseph F. Seidel
U.S. Army Retired

(Editor's note: While we do have a 450 word limit on letters and like short letters over long ones, we will work with letter writers who exceed that number to edit their letters down. If the staff at the Courier is given the proper amount of time to work with the letter writer, we have been known to give about a 100 word leeway. This also depends on space available on the "letters page" that week.)

Remember those little things when stressed

COLUMN

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Many times after I finish editing the paper, designing it and getting it printed, I am horrified to find an error in it. Sometimes I put off looking at the finished paper until the end of the day on Wednesday, that way I at least have one nice day not fretting over misspelled names or other errors.

Recently something caught my attention that reminded me perfection is a very hard goal to reach when publishing something. For the last three months I have noticed the word Charlevoix spelled "Charleviox" on my city electric bill.

After calling the city to inform them about the spelling error, I learned it was a typo that happened at the printer and the city has thousands of these pre-printed misspelled billing sheets.

The city was quite embarrassed about it. I think they really shouldn't be. Being in the business of printing words myself, I understand that mistakes like this do happen and are just reminders that we are not perfect. It's just nice to see it happen to someone other than me for a change.

My drive to Lansing and back in the midst of angry, aggressive drivers turned into a very pleasant day as I thought about these little things. I found myself laughing many times and not really worrying about the others around me.

On the plus side, I learned sometimes the best way to really annoy the drivers around you is to drive happy. It really makes a trip more interesting to watch the looks on the other drivers faces when you smile and wave at them.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com.



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Engagement

Spang — Ward

Margaret E. Spang, of Charlevoix, and Nicholas J. Ward, of Andover, Minn. were recently engaged to be married.

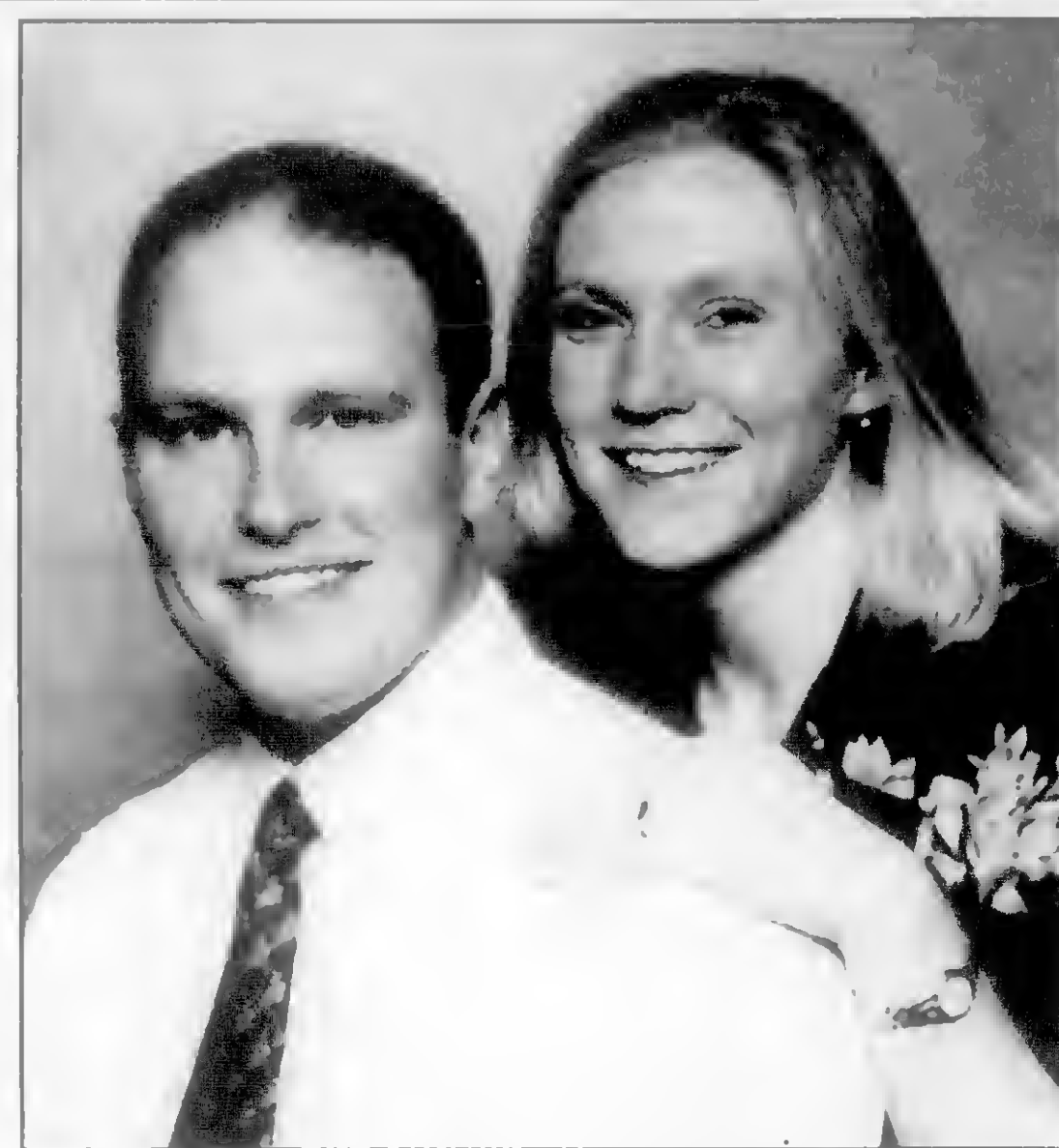
Margaret is the daughter of James and Margaret Spang of Charlevoix. Nicholas is the son of Joseph and Annette Ward of Andover, Minn.

A wedding is being planned for Oct. 6, 2001 in Stillwater, Minn.

The bride-to-be is a 1997 graduate of Charlevoix. She will also be graduating from Michigan Technological University in August. She will have a bachelor of science degree in biomedical engineering and an associates degree in Spanish.

The groom-to-be is a 1997 graduate of Anoke, Minn. and he graduated from Michigan Technological University in May. He has a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering.

He currently is employed by Tapemark, Inc. in Saint Paul, Minn.



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Because of space limitations in the newspaper, we generally try to avoid publishing "check-handing" pictures or "ribbon-cutting" pictures. However, we will work with your organization to get a picture that reflects the event and is visually interesting to our readers.

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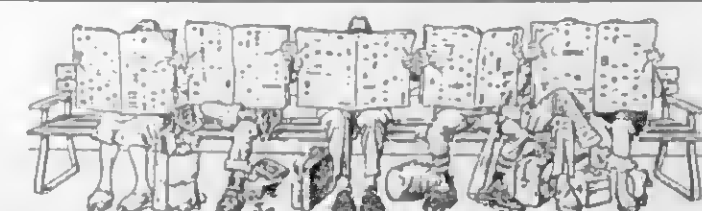
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Engagement

Tambellini — McConnell

Kara Elizabeth Tambellini and K. John McConnell, both of San Francisco, Calif., were recently engaged to be married.

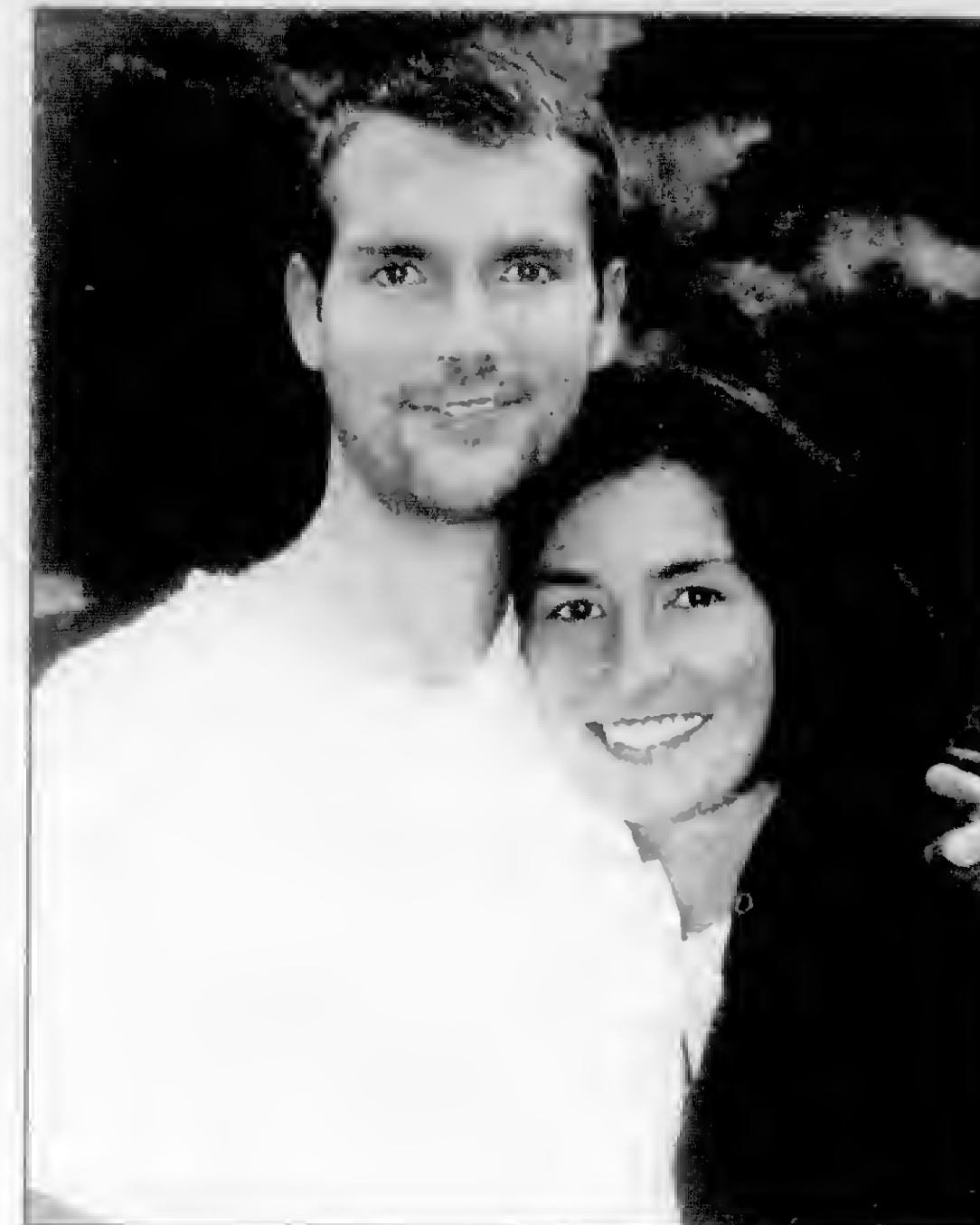
Kara is the daughter of Robert and Gretchen Tambellini of Charlevoix.

John is the son of Marge and Gene Ragland of Ann Arbor and Ted and Virginia McConnell of Hyattsville, Md.

A wedding is being planned for July 20, 2001 in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a 1990 graduate of Albion College and a 1994 graduate of the University of Michigan. She is currently the assistant dean of students and an English and humanities instructor at Drew College Preparatory School in San Francisco, Calif.

The groom-to-be is a 1990 graduate of Stanford University, a 1993 graduate of the University of Washington and a 2001 graduate of Stanford University where he just completed his studies for a doctorate's degree.



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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Aquinas dean's list

Aquinas College has named Abigail Paterka of Charlevoix to its Dean's List for the winter 2001 semester. Paterka is the daughter of Steve and Kathleen Paterka of Charlevoix and a 1999 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

University of Michigan graduate

Kelli A. Skiba, daughter of Susan and Brownie Flanders of Charlevoix and Henry Skiba of Alpena graduated from the University of Michigan April 28 with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics and English.

Ferris State University graduate

Kylie L. Avery, daughter of Vickie S. Nettleton of Charlevoix and Steven W. Avery of Sault Ste. Marie, recently graduated from Ferris State University with a bachelor of science degree.

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Celebrant Singers is an outreach of Stone Ministries, Inc., a non-profit Christian corporation ministering to the needs of people through music and the arts. (Courtesy photo)

Obituaries

Delores M. Malloch: Dec. 28, 1913 - June 6, 2001

Delores M. Malloch, 87, of Charlevoix died June 6 at Bortz Health Care of Petoskey.

Delores was born in Detroit on Dec. 28, 1913, the daughter of Arthur and Eleanor (Bellville) Mansfield. She took nurse's training at Toronto General Hospital in Ontario and became a registered nurse. She worked as an in-home nurse in St. Clair Shores.

She married Arch Buckner in Detroit in 1933 and they had three sons.

She later married Alvin Allor in St. Clair Shores in 1963 and they made their home in Charlevoix in 1967. Alvin preceded Delores in death on Nov. 10, 1973.

She married Captain Benjamin Malloch in September of 1978 in St. Clair Shores and he preceded her in death on Nov. 15, 1980.

Delores was an active gardener and took great pride in landscaping and decorating her home. She loved her pets and most of all was a devoted and loving grandmother.

Delores is survived by her sons, Ernest A. and his wife Elizabeth Buckner of Marietta, Ga., Ron M. and his wife Sally Buckner and Dale E. and his wife Darlene Buckner all of Charlevoix; grandchildren, Kim, Michael, David and Jeff Buckner and Heather Sape; a great-granddaughter, Julia Sape. She is also survived by her doctor and long-time friend John Lignell.

Delores was preceded in death by a brother, Joseph Stevens in 1999.

Margaret Stroud: Oct. 11, 1911 - June 7, 2001

Margaret (Kruis) Stroud, 89, of Charlevoix died June 7 at her home after a long battle with Parkinson's Disease. The funeral was June 11 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

The Rev. Duane Nelson of the Madison Heights Church of the Nazarene officiated and burial was at Brookside Cemetery.

Margaret was born Oct. 11, 1911 in Grand Rapids. On Feb. 1, 1933

she married Oscar P. Stroud and the couple made their home in Charlevoix in 1934.

She owned and operated Stroud's Wayside Motel and Cabins with her husband for several years. Margaret was a member of MENSA and was active in the Republican Party.

She is survived by her husband Oscar; daughters, Beverly (Greg) Bryan and Linda (Richard)

Berglund, all of Wyoming; grandchildren, Greg (Brenda) Bryan of Charlevoix, Gordon (Linda) Bryan of Wyoming, Geoffrey Bryan of Grand Rapids, Richard T. (Rachel) Berglund of Oakmont, Pa. and Jennifer L. Berglund of Wyoming and six great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to Michigan Parkinson Foundation, 3990 John R. Street, Detroit, Mich. 48201.

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Cruise coming to town

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

For the first time in about 50 years, a cruise ship will be visiting Charlevoix.

At around 9:30 a.m. on June 21, the Greek-flagged passenger-ship, Arcadia will drop anchor just off the pier at Michigan Beach or in Round Lake. Passengers from the ship will be ferried to mainland Charlevoix.

The ship is expected to depart the Charlevoix area around 4 a.m. the next day, bound for Detroit.

Kris Rassmussen, downtown coordinator for Charlevoix, said she has been working on bringing this ship to Charlevoix for about a year.

"Hopefully this will be just the first cruise ship of many other cruise ships coming in," she said. Rassmussen said other companies have expressed interest in cruising the Great Lakes and stopping in Charlevoix.

It is not known at this time if the Arcadia will actually come into Round Lake, Rassmussen said.

"It depends on the weather and other factors. They will decide on the day of arriving if it (the Arcadia) will come into Round Lake."

Charlevoix Harbor Master Hal Evans said he is not sure how long the bridge would be up if the cruise ship decides to drop-anchor in Round Lake for the night. He said the ship is about twice the size of the Coast Guard ship docked in Charlevoix and half the size of the Great Lake freighters that used to

come in.

Regardless of where the ship stays for the night, a small ship will be used to bring the Arcadia's passengers to the mainland. It will be docking near the United States Coast Guard Ship Arcadia.

According to the Ralph Diehl, president of Great Lakes Cruises, Inc. — the cruise line bringing in the ship — the Arcadia will not actually dock in Charlevoix because the water is too shallow. Charlevoix and Traverse City are the only cities, out of the 28 the ship stops at, that the Arcadia must anchor outside of.

As for bringing the ship into Round Lake, Diehl was not optimistic.

"I am not sure if we are going to be able to make it into that little lake," he said.

The Arcadia was originally built in 1969 and completely rebuilt in 1989. Additionally, it had a \$2 million refurbishment in February.

The ship is 367 feet long, has a 18-and-a-half foot draft, a 54-foot breadth and carries 224 passengers with 115 crew members.

The Arcadia flies under a Greek flag because it is owned by a Greek company and spends its winters in Greece. Great Lakes Cruises only charters the ship, Diehl said.

For the June 21 trip, Diehl said the passenger list is only at about 100.

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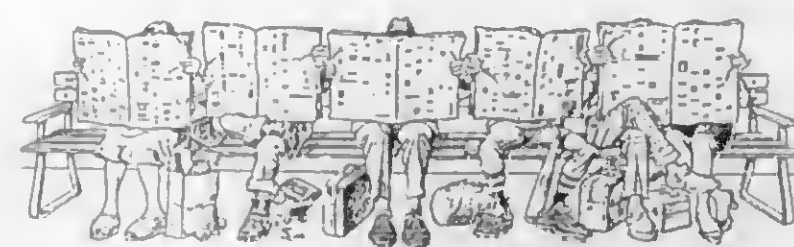
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Haske named new school principal

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

In August, after 16 years as Charlevoix Middle School principal, Dennis VanGuilder will officially hand over the reins to former Charlevoix High School assistant principal and athletic director Keith Haske.

In April, VanGuilder announced his resignation and a middle school principal selection committee got to work. The committee sifted through the credentials of 38 applicants and on May 30 they conducted interviews and narrowed

the field to seven.

Round two came on June 5 and the deal was sealed for Haske — the committee decided to recommend him to the school board. At the board's meeting on June 11 they unanimously voted him in.

"I'm fired up. One of my career goals is to be a building principal. I was hoping when they (the school district) hired me four years ago that they would have enough faith in me to make me a building administrator," Haske said.

But, he isn't only excited to be able to cross one of his goals off his to do list, he is also looking forward to working with the students. He described middle schoolers as somewhat of a special student breed.

"They (middle school students) appreciate it (school.) Their energy level is different, it's refreshing," he said.

Some may be thinking Haske is excited, but is he ready to take on the hectic middle school halls? He certainly thinks so.

Haske has been in classrooms and school halls for 17 years and through his sixth grade son, he has even picked up insider's insight into the middle school mind.

Haske said his son was excited about him taking the new position at the middle school for about five seconds, but he understands that.

"My mom was a teacher and I avoided her as much as I could. In a

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Keith Haske,
new middle school principal

couple of years I'll have my daughter too. I have compassion for them, having gone through that myself," he said.

In addition to Haske's administrative role at the high school, he is known as the coach who took the boys' Rayder basketball team to the

state championship this year.

As for the coaching job, Haske said the district is currently hashing over the situation, but that he hopes to continue.

However, as of June 11 nothing was set in stone and Haske said, "At this point I can't comment on that."

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Shooting sports starting to attract women

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

When you picture someone at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club, shooting clay skeet, what sex is the person you've imagined?

The person in the minds of many readers was most likely male. However, according to two Charlevoix women, the stereotype that nice girls don't shoot guns isn't true — women also enjoy guns for sport and/or hunting.

In fact, 45-year-old Charlevoix resident Nita Martin enjoys splitting clay at the end of the day.

"I want to get good at it; it's fun for me to do. It's a source of relaxation. When I'm shooting the rest of the world goes away," she said.

Martin started shooting a 410 and a 20 gauge two months ago and has since gone out five times and now she's hooked. She says she impacts

clays with about 75 percent of her shots.

So why did this petite, fiery, local take up the sport?

Martin said she finds it "immensely gratifying."

In fact, gratification and the feeling of accomplishment are two of the same reasons Jean Musilek, 26, a Charlevoix resident, said she chose to shoot.

"I get a sense of accomplishment in succeeding at something I have never done before. It's also rewarding to succeed at what is generally considered to be a man's domain," Musilek explained.

But, in some instances the kick of the gun against your shoulder, the weight of the firearm and its inherent ability to inflict harm make people feel out of control and uncomfortable.

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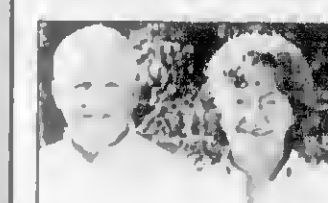


Women are becoming more common in shooting sports in the area.
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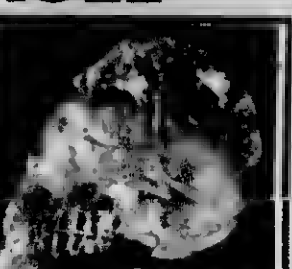


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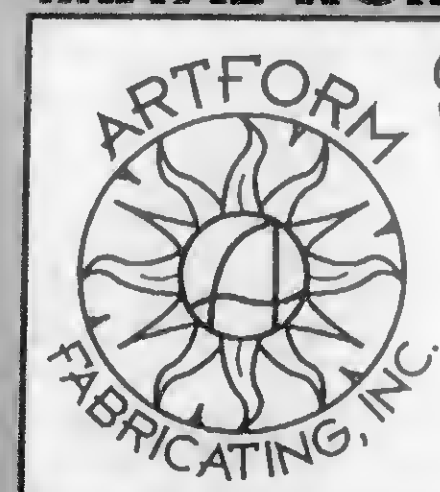
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According to co-owner of the store Kirby Dipert, Gear to Wear offers its customers "high quality sports clothing at a reasonable price." And the only brand of sports clothing you will find in Dipert's business is Gear for Sports.

"We carried the Gear product for a number of years. Gear wanted to offer a Gear-only store and we took advantage of that. We are not a factory store, but exclusive to Gear. We are the first in the country," Dipert said.

Dipert, along with his wife Jacqueline Mabec, had a store in the same location as Gear to Wear for many years, in addition to other businesses he owns in the downtown Charlevoix area.

The couple have been in the Charlevoix retail business for about 26 years. In addition to belonging to several organizations, they actively donate to the community and live in Charlevoix throughout the year.

Gear to Wear is open from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. every day during the summer. It is closed during the winter season.

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The staff of Gear to Wear are ready to fit you into some new clothing. They are: (From left) manager Debbie Angermuller, Jacqueline Mabec and Kirby Dipert, co-owners. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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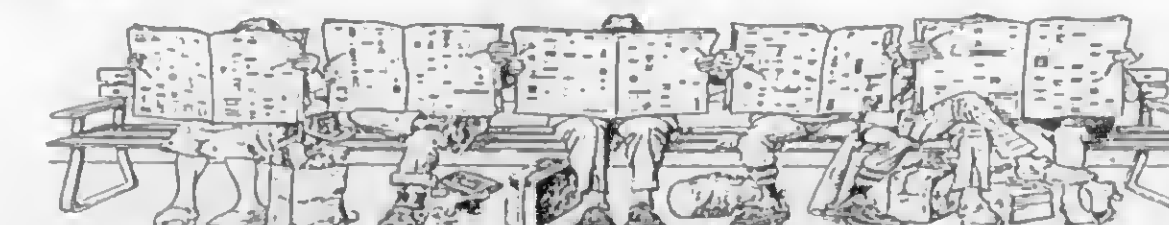
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Not for these two. Martin and Musilek were naturals.

"It's a firearm, it's not a weapon — that helps you psychologically to overcome the fear," Martin explained.

She added that 20 years ago when she first shot, she was terrified. But just two months ago she picked up the hobby again and wasn't afraid.

Aside from being psychologically prepared her tools were better this time around. Her brother, Steve Martin, an avid shooter and Rod and Gun Club member, gave her step-by-step instructions that she said made all the difference.

Even though it was Musilek's first time out, she too didn't let fear get the best of her and was able to find the experience empowering.

"I felt very powerful and in control. I pull the trigger and I say when to pull the clay," she said.

Her comfort level and confidence shined as she made contact with 80 percent of the clays she fired at.

However, both women don't hunt and said that shooting animals isn't something they are as interested in as shooting for sport. Neither said they associate guns with aggression nor do they associate hunting with aggression.

Even though women like Martin and Musilek are beginning to hunt with firearms and are shooting for sport, men continue to dominate in both fields. Martin blames this gender split on manufactured social stereotypes.

She said that a male friend once told her to get out and shoot because she would be at less of a dis-

advantage. But some may claim there are stereotypes associated with being a woman and shooting, just as there are in not shooting.

Martin and Musilek's attitude is, "to each their own," do what makes you happy.

"To me there is no loss of femininity by being able to do something that society has conditioned us to think we can't do," Martin said.

Both agreed that guns aren't for everyone but that they have benefited in many ways from their experience.

Gun savvy women and those without a clue around a firearm are invited to join other women in an instructional environment from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., June 16 for the National Rifle Association's first ever Charlevoix Ladies Day at the Range.

The event will take place at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club, three miles north of Charlevoix on US-31.

Shirley Crozier, event Chairwoman and local Rod and Gun Club member said, "The success of these all-women shoots seems to be ladies teaching ladies where they are not intimidated, but relaxed and allowed to make mistakes."

The day will include learning about and shooting shotguns, rifles and hand guns. Participants can also join in on trap, skeet and marksmanship.

Special guest instructor, Phil Krumm who is a former FBI handgun instructor from the Quantico FBI Academy, will be on-site to share information.

The cost for the day is \$15 per person. Reservations can be made by mailing a check to Crozier at 720 West Crozier Road, Boyne City, MI 49712.



Charlevoix resident Nita Martin takes aim under the watchful eye of her instructor and brother, Steve Martin, at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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A day in the life of an EMT in Charlevoix



Julie Musilek
"Stepping out"

During an afternoon outing with Charlevoix emergency medical technician and firefighter Bob Roloff, his secret recipe for success was revealed.

With the help of three of his close friends — Diet Coke, pizza and adrenaline — fire station shift commander Roloff works three 24 hour shifts every week. But the craziest part about him isn't that he's fueled by health food, it's that he literally puts in a full day and does it with a smile.

Not only does he work long shifts, but he also spends all of his days off on ambulance call — so, when he isn't waiting to sound the sirens and douse a fire, you can find him nearby one of two emergency vehicles he calls "rigs."

Roloff's second title, EMT keeps him on his toes. In fact, during the typical year the local emergency medical service is called to between 800 and 1,000 scenes.

"I could have a day off, but I just like doing this. There is no better feeling than going to a scene with a guy in full cardiac arrest and then talking to him a week later," he explained.

Not only is Roloff a work horse, he also gives back. He used his own money when he equipped his personal rig, a white GMC Yukon, and his wife Audrey's white Ford pickup with defibrillators used to shock heart attack sufferers into a normal heart rhythm.

"If you don't have that piece of equipment and someone has a heart attack, they most likely aren't coming out of it," he said.

He explained the EMTs are given three minutes to get to the station. Once they jump in the ambulance, and make it to the scene, four to six minutes may have passed and "you have a problem."

During his 20 years in the life-saving business Roloff has saved six heart attack sufferers.

"It's nice to go out and help people. I don't think I'll ever get burned out, I just love the job," he said as he munched on pizza, five hours into his day-long shift.

Burnout for some comes after a strenuous afternoon, but for Roloff it's been 20 years of long days and apparently burnout is nowhere in sight.

His lifesaving, fire fighting whirlwind started back in 1981 when he decided to be a firefighter, but there wasn't a spot for him to fill. So, rather than wasting his ambition, current street superintendent John Martin who was fire chief at the time, suggested that he take EMT classes.

And so the story began. From that point forward, Charlevoix has been well served by Roloff.

Linda Weller, a former EMT who



Charlevoix EMT Bob Roloff shows off his personal lifesaving automobile. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

is currently the assistant to city manager Mike Wiesner said, "Being an EMT takes a very special person; you give your time and your life to the job. There's a lot at stake. Bob and the members of the crew here are exceptional men and women and I'm honored to know them, because they do make a difference in this town."

Currently there are 40 men and women working for both fire and ambulance, but Charlevoix could use volunteer firefighters and EMTs.

If you are looking to join the team, talk to Roloff or fire chief Doug Carver. If not, remember the

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Hayes Township looking into sewers

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Hayes Township residents who attended the June 4 Charlevoix City Council meeting may have gotten the impression that a sewer extension from the city to the township is in the works, but township supervisor Tim Boyko says the board is simply preparing for the future.

"The question was whether we would ever consider a sewer. This is not on the agenda or on the immediate horizon," Boyko said.

The Hayes Township Board told the city that the township would like to be on the City of Charlevoix's possible sewer extension list which means engineering a master plan.

City manager Mike Wiesner said, "It will be a master plan

to guide us in sizing future sewer extensions."

Wiesner said he does not foresee running sewer to Hayes in the next two decades.

But, master plan engineering costs are being paid for through tap-in fees charged to those members in Charlevoix township that have tied into the city's line like residents of both North Point Woods and the Charlevoix Country Club.

John Adams and Associates Inc. of Ypsilanti are engineering the Hayes Township Sanitary Sewer Master plan on a budget not to exceed \$21,000.

Currently, waste generated in Hayes is dealt with in private septic fields, but according to Boyko, the future may require a more advanced sewer system.

"In the future, with the aging septic fields there may be an environmental reason to do

that (extend the sewer to Hayes), but it is not an immediate concern. To close the door indefinitely lacks foresight," he said.

Because the future may mean a sewer system is needed to service Hayes, the township board told the city they may be interested and are ready to engineer a master plan. Boyko referred to their decision as part of "generational planning."

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Art Unfiltered to feature emerging artists

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Art Unfiltered, a weekend of film, art and noise, is still accepting applications for the Visual Arts Exhibition.

Emerging artists ages 18-30 are encouraged to enter their work with the new deadline of Saturday. The three day program scheduled for June 28-June 30 will be at the Crooked Tree Arts Center, who is serving as host and sponsor.

The opening reception of the Visual Arts Exhibition, titled 2001: An Art Odyssey will be at 7 p.m., June 28 at Crooked Tree Arts Center, with no admission charge.

On that same evening, an experimental sound presentation will be given in the theater at the arts center, with an admission price of \$5, beginning at 9 p.m. The film festival will be on

June 29 and June 30 in the theater of the arts center, tickets are \$5.

On the evening of June 30, beginning at 10 p.m., an all-night music party featuring Freekbass, DJ Psycho, DJ Max Jerome and DJ Sharkey is scheduled. This portion of the event will take place at the North Central Michigan College Cafe.

Tickets are \$10 in advance and

\$15 at the door. Tickets will go on sale beginning June 15.

Art Unfiltered is a collaboration of artists, musicians, instructors and technicians.

Committee members include: Jim Owen, Kristin Story, Michelle Chenard, CJ Winnell, Mike Muniak, Nathan Dean, Barbara Frey, Steve Stodor and the Crooked Tree Arts Center staff.

To submit an entry, sign up to attend Art Unfiltered or additional details, see the web site, www.artunfiltered.org.

Funding for this event is provided in part by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs and the Frey Foundation.

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• Gray's Reef Lens, a fourth order Fresnel lens originally located in the Gray's Reef Lighthouse west of the Mackinac Straits, is on permanent loan from the United States Coast Guard Preservation Museum. The lens has a new display backdrop designed by Chuck Mason and Cameron Atee (at right), Charlevoix Middle School art students of Caroline Smith. The students used the Internet to research Lake Michigan freighters and tugs and then sketched and painted them on the scene.

- **Charlevoix Fishing Industry**, a Heritage Exhibit highlights in photos and artifacts the history of fishing and its impact on the development of the town of Charlevoix.

Summer hours at the museum are from 1-4 p.m. Monday-Saturday. For more information call 547-0373. (Courtesy photo)



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Cliff Jones, a fifth grade student at Charlevoix Elementary School, was the winner in the "Smokey the Bear" poster contest. Jones also placed second in the region and first in the state with his poster. (Courtesy photo)



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HEALTH

Doctor answers common hearing aid questions



Marlene Bevan, Ph.D.

'Your health'

Hearing aid technology has come a long way in the past six years and digital hearing aids are changing the way people think about their hearing aids.

Using dual microphones, adaptive noise reduction, digital feedback suppression and software-based digital sound processors, many people are able to understand in situations of background noise when their old hearing aids were useless.

Dr. Marlene A. Bevan said, "As an audiologist and hearing instru-

ments specialist I do more than improve my clients' hearing. I also help them to improve the quality of their lives." Below she answers some of the most common questions regarding this subject.

Q. Why do digital hearing aids sound different than your old hearing aids? What are the differences between traditional (non-programmable) hearing aids and digitally programmable hearing aids and 100 percent digital hearing aids?

A. Traditional hearing aids receive information on how to amplify sound from electronic circuitry that is within the instrument. Digitally programmable hearing aids receive that same information from a computer, but then amplify sound in the same manner as traditional hearing aids do. A digital hearing aid has both a computerized digital programmer and digital sound proces-

sors. Think of it as the differences between a tape deck and a CD player. The tape deck may even receive its instructions digitally, but the tape playing is processed in an analogue format and may sound noisy or even distorted. The CD player is receiving digital instructions and is producing the sound from the CD in a digital fashion. There is a marked difference in clarity.

Q. Why is digital processing better than analogue processing? Will this difference help you to understand conversation more clearly?

A. Digitizing a sound allows us to break sound down to the smallest possible parts and then to amplify those parts to make them more audible and more understandable. We can do this digitally without adding any noise to the signal and without degrading its clarity. The digital

amplifying process actually can improve the signal for some people who have hearing loss by enhancing the speech signal to ensure optimum clarity in background noise.

Q. What if my hearing changes? Will I need new hearing aids?

A. Digital hearing aids can be reprogrammed to fit mild to severe hearing loss. Unless your hearing changes to the profound loss category, digital hearing can be reprogrammed to fit changes in your hearing sensitivity.

Q. Will tomorrow's digital hearing aid technologies surpass the digital hearing aid I purchase today?

A. Changes in digital technology are for the most part software based. It is like the programs on your computer. You may decide to purchase future upgrades for your

Quicken checkbook program, but they will most likely run on the same computer you own today.

Q. How can I tell if digital hearing aids will be a worthwhile investment for me?

A. If you're experiencing difficulty hearing conversation in background noise, or if your hearing aids are over four years old, you need to hear the difference that Digital Hearing can make in your life. Find a qualified hearing professional and arrange a trial evaluation period. Hear for yourself how much more benefit digital hearing aids can give you. And inquire as to their "trade-in" programs when you trade up for a digital hearing solution.

Dr. Marlene A. Bevan can be contacted by calling (231) 547-3100 or visit her web site at www.audicare.com.

Vertigo therapy expanding in Boyne City rehab clinic

People suffering from chronic dizziness, light headedness, spinning, tilting, nausea, headaches, ringing in the ears and double vision may find relief from Vestibular Rehabilitation, or Vertigo Therapy.

Boyne Rehabilitation Center in Boyne City is expanding its Vestibular Rehabilitation Program. The center has been treating patients with vertigo problems or vestibular disorders since 1997. The program is so successful, and the need so great in the community, that now the entire staff at the cen-

ter has been formally trained in Vestibular Rehabilitation.

"Recently, the entire staff has been formally trained in Vestibular Rehabilitation, allowing the center to provide the community with one of the finest Vertigo Rehabilitation programs in Michigan," said Cindy Banner, director of Boyne Rehabilitation Center.

Research shows that Physical Therapy has been very beneficial in treating patients suffering from problems including Benign Paroxysmal Positional Vertigo (BPPV), a

common problem causing vertigo, and Labyrinthitis or Vestibular Neuritis, often experienced after a person has an inner ear infection, said Banner. Meniere's Syndrome and Perilymph Fistula are other common types of vestibular diagnoses that have responded well to Physical Therapy, Banner said.

"The common signs and symptoms of vestibular problems may interfere with your ability to perform daily activities or work," Banner said.

By undergoing Vestibular Reha-

bilitation, patients often feel complete, or nearly complete, relief of their dizzy symptoms.

"The average person experiencing vertigo problems is seen for two to three treatment sessions, which last about 30 to 60 minutes," Banner said. "Patients who demonstrate significant balance problems occasionally will require Physical Therapy two or three times a week for one month."

Rehabilitation often includes therapeutic exercises such as eye and head coordination, habituation,

walking programs, balance retraining to improve motor coordination and sensory organization, and particle repositioning maneuvers.

Patients are given a home program, which includes three or four exercises and a walking regimen when appropriate, Banner said.

For more information about treatment to overcome vertigo, contact Cindy Banner at the Boyne Rehabilitation Center at 582-6365, or the Physical Rehabilitation Department at Charlevoix Area Hospital at 547-8630.

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Belvedere rezoning faces some opposition

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

When it comes to rezoning requests, the Charlevoix City Council bases its decision on whether or not the benefits of the change will outweigh the cost.

Recently council approved a zoning change on the northside, but a second request left them stumped.

The first they considered was the Shadko/Country Day Inc. property, a 7.985 acre parcel located at 621 and 615 Petoskey Avenue, sandwiched between Petoskey Avenue and Division Street. Both the property and Country Day, are owned by Charlevoix resident and Realtor Ed Amick of Amick Lakeside Realtors.

Amick's site and all the abutting properties were originally zoned R-1, single family residential but council found just cause to change the zoning to R-2, single family residential. Each home in the R-2 zone must be built on a lot of a minimum 9,000 square feet.

In the staff report distributed to all councilmen it is stated that, "The purpose of the R-2 single family residential zoning district is to provide and encourage the development of a sound and stable medium density residential environment."

Lazer Construction of Petoskey is working with Country Day on the development of the property and will be doing the construction management of the project.

Council decided quickly and unanimously that Amick's request was one worth granting. However, when it came time to decide on a Belvedere Avenue rezoning request things didn't progress quite as smoothly.

Two Belvedere property owners, located at 103 Belvedere Avenue, Martha Soderberg/Lloyd Kirby and Robert Hoffman, would like to change their zoning from professional office, marine commercial to central business district in order to literally raise the roof.

In a letter written by Kirby to city planner, Gerry Harsch, Kirby states, "It is our intention to build a second story (son-in-law) living quarters over my mother-in-law's one-bedroom first-floor living quarters."

He went on to say that the property will remain as a family residence on both floors with a potential home office in Kirby's retirement years.

However, some residents living in the Wharf and behind the lot and those from the Ward Business spoke in opposition to the change, because while it is a residence now, in the future, the change may allow for unwanted uses, like a restaurant or a tavern. Other property owners said the change would substantially lower their property values because the height increase would diminish their view of Round Lake.

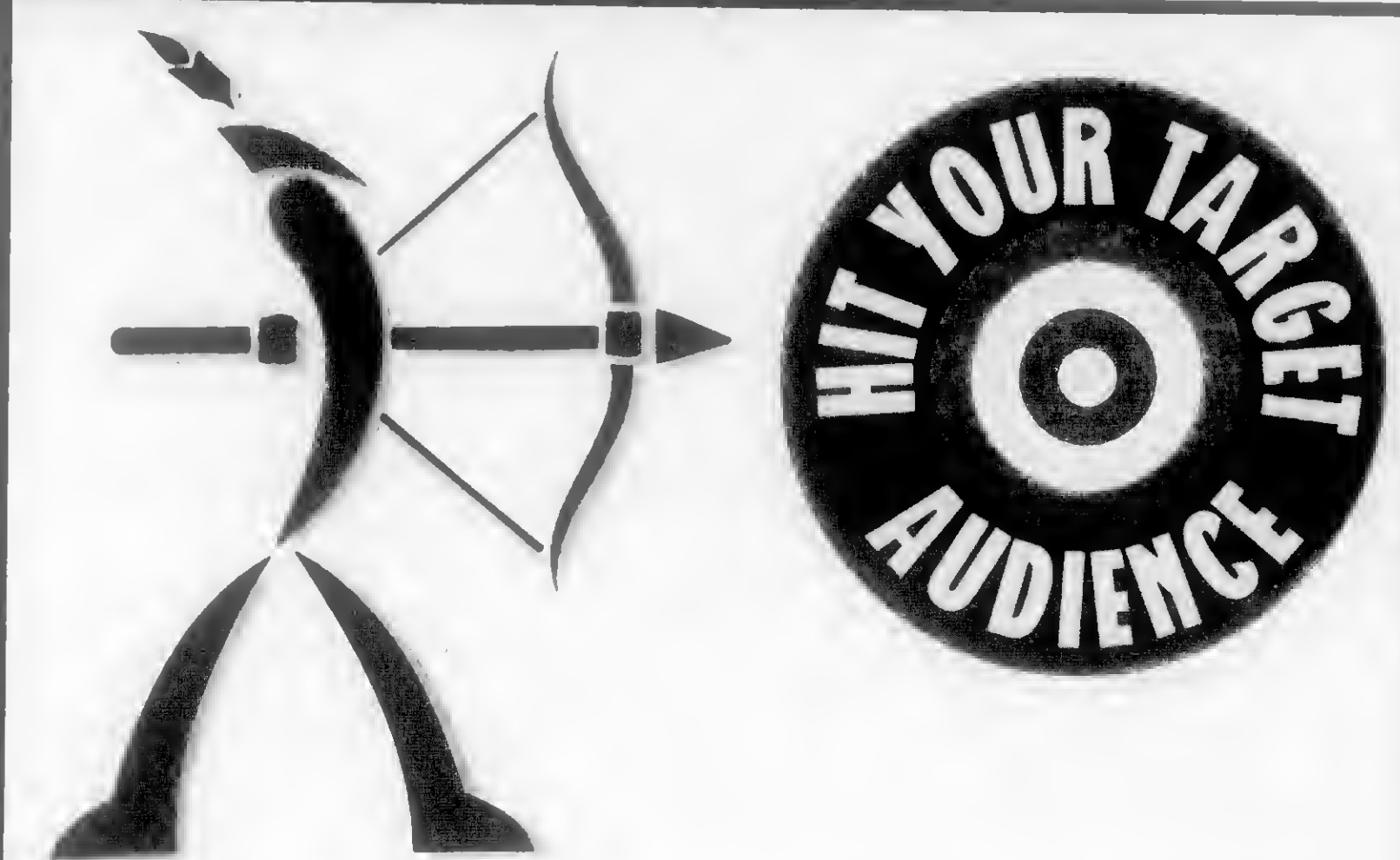
At the public hearing, members of council were not comfortable approving the rezoning but thought that maybe the property owners could achieve the changes by getting variances without re-zoning the property.

The variance question has to be answered by the city board of appeals who will look at Soderberg/Kirby and Hoffman's requests in the future.

Council then decided to table the issue until their September meeting. City planner Gerry Harsch said, "If the board of appeals approves the variances they request and allows them to build, my guess is council will turn down the rezoning."



A view of the property up for rezoning on Belvedere Avenue from the deck of one of its neighbors. Several residents living around the property have objected to the rezoning because the owner wants to add an additional story to the building. The residents say it will hurt their property values by limiting the view of Round Lake. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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A recent AAA Michigan survey of state residents aged 45 and older confirms 44 percent have a health condition that impacts their ability to travel.

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"During this day and age of traffic congestion, flight delays and other factors that lengthen travel time, it is especially imperative that travelers with potential health problems, such as arthritis or overactive bladder, take steps to ensure continued health during an extended trip," said Stuart Stoller, D.O., a family-practice physician in Sterling Heights. "No one wants his or her dream vacation interrupted by illness that might have been avoided by taking some simple preventative measures."

To help spread awareness about key issues surrounding "healthy" travel, AAA Michigan and Pharmacia Corporation - leading global pharmaceutical company - have joined forces to launch a year-long, travel-health-education campaign.

The program, called Travel Healthy, Travel Happy, features a comprehen-

sive brochure that helps consumers cope with common travel health issues such as motion sickness, arthritis, allergies, diarrhea and overactive bladder.

"It is our hope that his unique travel-health program will provide travelers with important information about how to think ahead and prepare for the everyday health concerns to better ensure a more pleasant travel experience," said Larry Dickens, director of Vendor Relations and Travel Support at AAA Travel.

PLAN AHEAD
Proper planning prevents many foreseeable health problems during a long trip said Dr. Stoller. First, consider your destination climate and pack accordingly. Don't forget your sunscreen, insect repellent and bottled water. Take along a small first-aid kit for bumps and bruises and remember to pack all prescription and over-the-counter medications in a waterproof container that is easily accessible in a carry-on bag.

Before leaving for a vacation, visit the family doctor to discuss any troubling symptoms of overactive bladder, a newly launched once-daily treatment called DETROL LA may prove helpful. Other "healthy travel" tips:

To avoid motion sickness - when traveling by car, try to sit in the front seat and avoid reading. By boat, sit as

close to the middle of the vessel as possible. On a plane, sit near the wing.

For digestive problems such as diarrhea and/or irritable bowel syndrome, avoid stress, caffeine, and certain types of high-fat foods.

Those with allergies should take the same precautions on vacation that they do at home. Bring an antihistamine and pack your own pillowcase for use in hotels.

Pack appropriate medications for pain and inflammation associated with arthritis. Take frequent breaks to walk around and relieve stiff joints and muscles.

If you are subject to frequent urination (more than 8 times per day) or ur-

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Commencing 1805 - 7/8 feet West of the quarter post between Sections 23 and 24, Township 34 North of Range 8 West and 330 feet South of the east and west 1/4 line of said section; thence South 483- 1/4 feet to the center of Petoskey Avenue, City of Charlevoix; thence Southwesterly along center of said Avenue 168.3 feet; thence North 544 feet to a point due West of place of beginning; thence East to the place of beginning, being a part of N 1/2 of SE 1/4, Section 23, in Township 34 North of Range 8 West.

123-054

Beginning on the East and West quarter line of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West, 1981 feet West of the East quarter corner of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West; thence South 330 feet; thence West 263.2 feet, more or less, to a point 130 feet East of the East line of Meech Street; thence North parallel with said Meech Street 330 feet to said quarter line; thence East on said quarter line 263.2 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning; being a part of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section 23, Town 34 North, Range 8 West. The above described land is subject to the right of way of Division Street along its North boundary. The aforesaid East line of Meech Street being established as intersecting said Quarter line at a point 2374.2 feet West of said East Quarter post.

123-053

Commencing at a point 1849 feet West of the Quarter Post between Sections 23 and 24, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; thence South 330 feet; thence West 132 feet; thence North 330 feet; thence East along the center line of Division Street 132 feet to the place of beginning; and being a part of the West Half (W 1/2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of said Section 23, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; SUBJECT to the right of way of Division Street.

(Also known as 621 and 615 Petoskey Avenue and having tax code numbers 052-123-052-00, 052-123-053-00, 052-123-054-00 and 052-123-058-00.)

from the R-1 zoning district to the R-2 zoning district.

SECTION 2. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after enactment.

Ordinance No. 666 was hereby adopted on the 4th day of June, 2001 by the Charlevoix City Council as follows:

Yeas: Council members Bellows, Campbell, Carlson, Haggard and Witthoelt.
Nays: None.
Abstain: Chamberlain.
Absent: None.

A complete copy of the June 4, 2001 Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Official Notice

The Marion Township Board will hold a public hearing on the proposed township budget for fiscal year 2001-2002 at the Marion Township Hall on Marion Center Road on June 19th at 7:30 p.m. THE PROPERTY TAX MILLAGE RATE PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED BUDGET WILL BE A SUBJECT OF THIS HEARING. A copy of the budget is available for public inspection at the township hall that evening, 19 June, 2001.

Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact Wilson Boss at 547-5289 of the Marion Township Board or writing 1546 Potter Road, Charlevoix.

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**CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS
June 4, 2001 • 7:00 PM**

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members present.

Council approved John Adams and Associates to perform a Sanitary Sewer Master Plan for Hayes Township.

Council approved a resolution for a lot split request made by Brian Halbert of 611 Sheridan.

Council approved an ordinance to rezone 615 and 621 Petoskey Avenue from "R-1", Single Family Residential to "R-2" Single Family Residential. Council agreed to table the rezoning requests made by Robert Hoffman and Soderberg/Kirby until September 4, 2001.

Council approved a resolution and some initial funding in support of an appeal of the recently adopted plan of apportionment for Charlevoix County.

Council adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Liz Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

Election results for Monday ELECTION

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"I was very surprised, if you look at the programs and services provided by the technical education millage, Charlevoix students are real benefactors," Eckhardt said.

However, the decision of Charlevoix voters was not the opinion of the majority across the ISD. In the end, the technical education millage passed by 67 percent.

Also on the ballot were two incumbent school board members with Charlevoix public schools who were re-elected to serve four year terms.

Kenneth "Scott" Boss received 572 votes, 50.4 percent and Mark "Barney" Way received 531 votes, 46.7 percent of the vote. There were 33 votes for a write-in candidate.

Three members of the Char-Em ISD board of education were also re-appointed to serve a six-year term. They are: Robert W. Anderson, Jay Es-senberger and Mary P. Jason.

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Senior of the year nominees sought

Michigan Office of Services to the Aging Director Lynn Alexander has announced that nominations for the Senior Citizen of the Year award will be accepted until July 20.

The award, sponsored by the Office of Services to the Aging and Michigan State Fair, recognizes persons 60 and older in the areas of service and leadership.

Winners will receive a cash award made possible by Consumers Energy Company and will be pre-

sented on Senior Citizens Day at the Michigan State Fair, Monday, August 27.

"Michigan is home to many active seniors committed to helping others and building our communities," said Alexander. "Winners in this annual awards competition come from all walks of life. We are looking for those unsung heroes who strive to be of service to their peers and community."

"The wisdom, knowledge, and dedication seniors contribute is im-

measurable," said State Fair General Manager John Hertel. "This award is an opportunity to highlight those contributions, and we are pleased to have this long-standing partnership with the Office of Services to the Aging in sponsoring this award."

Nominations must be submitted by an organization.

Nomination forms are available from the Office of Services to the Aging by calling (517) 373-8230 or through any of the 16 local Area

Agencies on Aging. The forms must be postmarked no later than July 20.

Nomination forms and information can also be found on the Office of Services to the Aging web site at <http://www.MiSenior.net>.

Winners will be notified in writing. Attendance at the awards presentation is not necessary to win. Completed nomination forms should be sent to Senior Citizen of the Year, Michigan Office of Services to the Aging, P.O. Box 30676, Lansing, MI 48909-8176.

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Venetian Festival entertainment

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- July 22**
- From 7 to 10:30 p.m. in East Park: United States Coast Guard helicopter rescue demonstration in Round Lake; SHOP Choir an urban gospel group from Chicago, Ill. and Replay, a classic rock group from Muskegon.
- July 23**
- From 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. in East Park: Northwest Academy Jazz All Stars, student musicians from Charlevoix; and Jill Jack, a roots and acoustic rock band from Detroit.
 - From 8:45 to 10 p.m. in Bridge Park: Classic Jazz Stompers, a traditional roots jazz band from Dayton, Ohio.
- July 24**
- From 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. in East Park: Charlevoix City Band and Lisa Haley and the Zydekats, a zydeco group from Roddy, La.
 - From 7:30 to 8:45 p.m. in Bridge Park: Lou Thunder and the Rainmakers, a blues band from Ludington.
- July 25**
- From 7:30 to 10:30 in East Park: Symfonisch Jeugdorkest Edegem, a symphonic youth orchestra from Belgium; and Lady Sunshine and the X Band, a blues group from Detroit.
 - From 7:30 to 10 p.m. in Bridge Park: Rayder Jam session, Charlevoix High School musicians; The Incredible Edibles, a contemporary rock group from Kalamazoo and Charlevoix; and The Mural Project, a contemporary rock group from Charlevoix.
- July 26**
- From 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. in East Park: Fabulous Oldies But Goodies, a 1950s rock and roll group from Lansing; and The Fabulous Horn Dogs, a rock group from Traverse City.

from Traverse City.

- From 8:45 to 10 p.m. in Bridge Park: The Salt City Dixieland Band, a Dixieland and ragtime jazz band from Manistee.

July 27

- From 6 to 11 p.m. in East Park: The Americanos, a drum and bugle corp. from Menasha, Wis.; the Rayder Jazz Band, student musicians from Charlevoix High School; the Venetian Queen Coronation Ceremony and the "Night Sky" Fireworks spectacular — shot from Lake Charlevoix.

- From 8:45 to 10 p.m. in Bridge Park: The Doe Woodard Project, a jazz and blues band from Charlevoix.

- From 8 to 10 p.m. in the Ferry Beach Pavilion: The Up North Big Band, a swing and big band group from Charlevoix.

July 28

- From 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in East Park: The Petoskey High School Steel Drum Band, student musicians from Petoskey; the street parade, on Bridge Street near East Park; The Sault Ste. Marie Pipe Band, a bagpipe band from Canada; The Young Americans, a Broadway choral group from Boyne Highlands and southern California; and the Michigan State University Spartan Band from East Lansing.

- From 7 to 11 p.m. in East Park: The Blue Lake International Jazz Band, student musicians from throughout the United States; Venetian Games Awards Ceremony; The Mighty Meaty Swing Kings, a swing and big band group from Toledo, Ohio; and the Harbor Fireworks/Grand Electrical Boat Parade, in Round Lake near East Park.

- From 8:45 to 10 p.m. in Bridge Park: The Amanda Waggoner Band, a rhythm and blues group from Traverse City.

Festival hopes to provide diverse musical, game mix

VENETIAN

Continued from page 1

- July 28 — The Jeff Drenth Memorial Foot Races at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

- July 29 — Tennis finals at Shanahan Field and, another new addition, a sporting clays shoot at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club.

According to Davenport, you must be a qualified shooter to take part in the clay shoot.

In addition to these events, there will be a kids day on July 26 in East Park. Children can watch a puppet show or make some crafts, in addition to many other activities.

There will also be a United States Coast Guard helicopter rescue demonstration around 7 p.m. July 22 in Round Lake. Additionally, the United States Coast Guard ship Arcadia will be open for public tours throughout the week.

There will also be a Venetian queen coronation on July 27 in East Park and a craft courtyard on July 27 and 28 near the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

The week's musical events are just as diverse as the activities.

Dan Barron, Venetian Board president, said there will be two stages set up in the downtown area this year to provide a better musical variety to festival-goers. In addition to the stage in East Park, there will be a temporary stage set up in Bridge Park.

The musical acts will be heard throughout the festival from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. each night of the festival.

Some of the highlights will be: The SHOP choir, an urban gospel group from Chicago, Ill. on July 22 in East Park; Jill Jack on July 23 in East Park; Lisa Haley and the Zydekats, a zydeco group from Louisiana, on July 24 in East Park; a symphonic youth orchestra from Belgium on July 25 in East Park and the Michigan State Uni-

versity Spartan Band on July 28 in East Park.

Barron said the MSU band will be performing in the Venetian parade, which starts at 11 a.m. on July 28. They will then be playing in East Park and afterwards will go to Ferry Beach for a special MSU alumni cookout.

"We hope this will prompt other universities to come up here (in the future)," Barron said.

Plus, on July 27, there will actually be musical groups playing at three locations in the Charlevoix area. In addition to stages in East Park and Bridge Park, Barron said the Up North Big Band will be playing at Ferry Beach.

To round out the entertainment, the festival will once again have two nights of fireworks displays.

At about 10:15 p.m. Friday, fireworks will be shot from the Venetian Barge just off of Depot Beach. And around the same time on July 28, low-level fireworks will be shot from the middle of Round Lake as part of the Grand Electrical Boat Parade.



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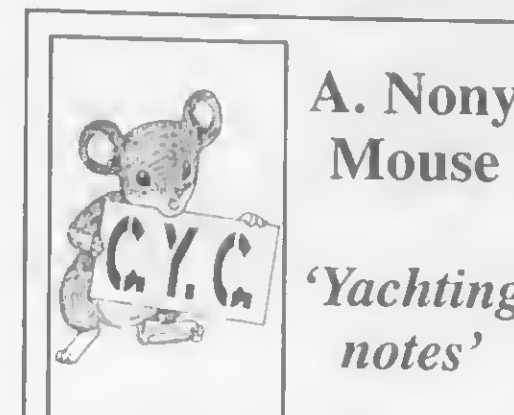
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SPORTS

Some great races at the Wednesday night series



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The "Big Boat" Spinnaker Fleet is really getting tough! WINDRUNNER was first across the finish line at 7:26:32 with nearly a six-minute lead over GOTCHA, but corrected times brought the fleet right together and really changed the final results.

SLAPSHOT's corrected elapsed time of 1:16:39 earned her the First Place honors with MINT JULEP close behind (1:17:17). Eight seconds further back was GOTCHA; four-

teen seconds later, HOOTIE at 1:17:39 just six seconds ahead of WINDRUNNER (1:17:45). The top five all corrected within the span of one minute, six seconds. The Attee's new HOI POLLOI trailed, but still corrected only three minutes out of first place for a very nice initial race. (A warm welcome!)

With the big wind shift changing the course from the planned tacking and downwind duel to a boat parade, the Jib and Main Fleet didn't miss not having spinnakers.

FLASH crossed the line at 7:33:24, right up there with the Spinnaker Fleet and eight minutes ahead of BALD EAGLE, next to cross in the JAM Fleet. That was enough to save her time (1:25:00) over the EAGLE's corrected 1:28:57. APOTHECARY (1:30:56) and CHEEMAUN (1:32:01) were not far behind. Very fast times

for all of the Jib and Main Fleet.

LOST VERMONTNER either had the 'chute up backwards or that darn cow was backing up like mad as it took the honors in the P-26 Fleet at 1:25:00. Unlike the other fleets, the P-26s were spread out a bit as CYGNUS trailed by two minutes followed by ORIGINAL SIN. ARTEMIS did not finish.

Thirteen J-22s theoretically started at 6 p.m. but more than half the fleet were over the line at 5:59:59, causing a general recall. They then killed time until the other fleets started and re-started at 6:20 with only the Charlevoix Yacht Club commodore being a bit premature. At the finish the Commodore Consort took the honors in HUSSY with SUPERFLUOUS and II RECKLESS less than a minute back. Then, all in close order, PALEFACE LITE,

FIRST DATE, HS MOISTURE MISSILE, SWINE FLEW, ROCK STEADY, THUNDER STRUCK and CRAZY HORSE rounded out the top ten. A couple minutes later, BANZAI and HIGH MAINTENANCE crossed, trailed another two minutes later by HOG TIDE.

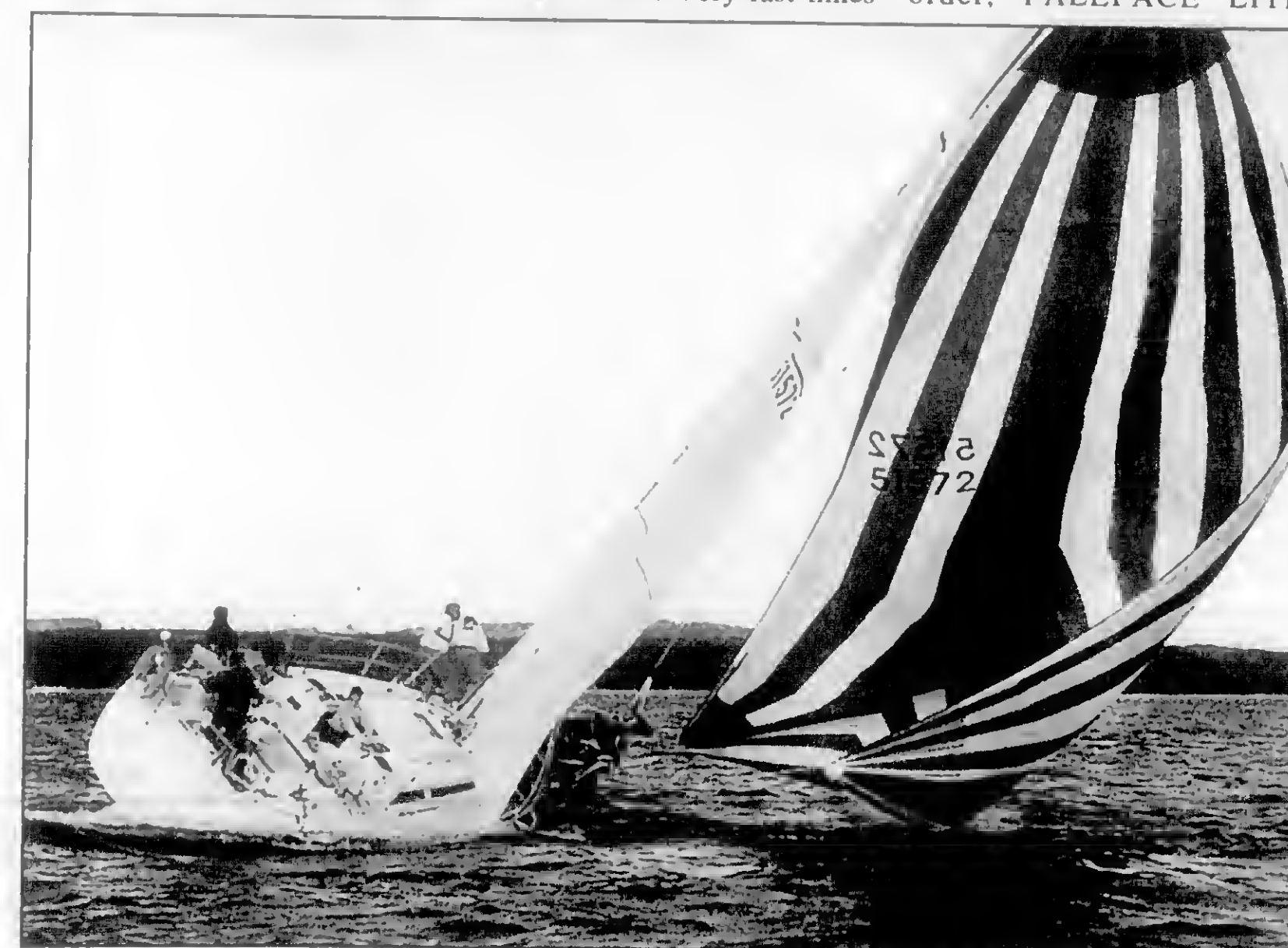
After three races, using no drops, the leaders, Big Boats: GOTCHA 5, SLAPSHOT 7 and HOOTIE 9. P-26s: VERMONTNER 5, CYGNUS 5, and O'SIN 8. JAM Fleet: BALDIE 6 and FLASH 7. J-22s: RECKLESS 5, HUSSY 7, FIRST DATE 12, SUPERFLUOUS 14 and PALEFACE 14.

Nautical Trivia #3: We believe there are at least five specific "ropes" that may be aboard watercraft of various types that, in normal nautical usage, are properly called "...rope(s)," not line, sheet, halyard, lanyard or whatever.

We hereby give you "bell rope" for your first. E-mail joshb@tm.net or leave word at 547-2000, before noon Saturday, with your list. (For water skiing, etc.) as purists claim that vessels only tow with lines (often "hawsers"). Winner(s) get nothing except recognition.

Racing Sailors — the Pine Lake Overnight is June 23-24! Call 547-2122 (Mark) for details. Sunfish, Spring Series #1, June 17, 1 p.m. (Juniors: 10:00 a.m.) Call 536-7975 (Don) for details. Frank and Laura (nicely recovered, neat scar) will host at Charlevoix Yacht Club this Friday evening; see you there?

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the "warm" months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its web site at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.



The Pirie's boat shows its sailing abilities on the lake during the Charlevoix Yacht Club Wednesday night races recently. (Photo by A. Nony Mouse of the Charlevoix Yacht Club)

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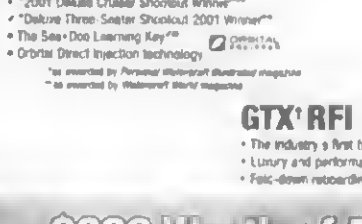
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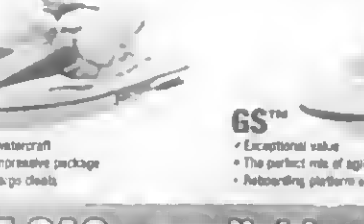
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Baseball team ends year with 19-9 record

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix Rayders ended a successful baseball season with a 19-9 record despite being ousted in district play of the state tournament by conference champion East Jordan, 4-2.

A three-run homer by the Red Devils in the first inning was just too much for Charlevoix to overcome.

Earlier in the week, results were mixed for the Rayders in non-conference action as they swept St. Ignace, 5-4 and 11-3 but were swept by Class A Traverse City West, 9-4 and 10-7.

Against the Saints, Matt Horon led a potent Rayder hitting attack with four hits and three RBI. Matt Kochanny had three hits and two RBI.

Jeremiah Teuscher had two doubles and 2 RBI in the nightcap.

Nate Teuscher picked up the win in relief in game one with his brother Jeremiah earning the save.

Dennis Avery capped a perfect regular season on the hill in game two with his seventh win of the year.

Charlevoix held its own against Traverse City West, jumping out to a 2-0 lead in the first inning on a Chris Loper two-run double. The Rayders trailed only 3-2 after four innings in the opener until two three-run rallies broke the game open.

Nate Teuscher had two hits for Charlevoix. In the nightcap, the script was nearly the same as the game was scoreless after three innings. West exploded for four runs in the fourth and two in the fifth for a 6-0 advantage.

The Rayders came roaring back with six runs in the top of the sixth to knot the game, but West answered with four tallies of their own to put the game away.

Avery, Nate Teuscher, Matt Horon and Matt Kochanny all had two hits in the nightcap. Ryan Leitner had a key RBI single.

Results of the 5K and 10K races were:

5K
• 17 and under, male — Geoff Martin in first, Joe Dart in second and Trevor Koehler in third.
• 17 and under, female — Jayme Murray in first, Stephanie

Spring Pool Run/Walk a success despite rain

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Despite the cold and rain, 62 runners and walkers participated in the seventh annual Spring Pool Run/Walk on June 2.

The event raised \$800 for the Charlevoix Area Pool.

The overall winners of the 5K race were Jack Hambridge and Jayme Murray. The overall winners of the 10K race were Matt Inman and Cindi Left.

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• 17 and under, female — Jayme Murray in first, Stephanie

Dickenson in second and Katie Left in third.

• 18-29, male — Michael Kenney in first, Lee Synkowski in second and Josh Taylor in third.

• 18-29, female — Jennifer Westenbrock in first.

• 30-39, male — Michael Haynes in first, Sean Tenant in second and Paul Schemanski in third.

• 30-39, female — Mikki Schemanski in first, Dawn Hovie in second and Jill Erskin in third.

• 40-49, male — Michael

Shomin in first, Matt Malpass in second and Dave Atkins in third.

• 40-49, female — Cindy Romero in first.

• 50-59, male — James Keller in first.

• 50-59, female — Jan McKay in first, Louise Thompson in second and Lois Ann Jessie (walker) in third.

• 60 and over, male — Jim Elzinga in first, Lew Campbell in second and Curtis Thompson (walker) in third.

• 60 and over, female — Karen Campbell in first, Susan

Mabee (walker) in second and Marilyn Sprick (walker) in third.

• 18-29, female — Megan McShannock in first.

• 30-39, male — Matt Inman in first and James Jenkins in second.

• 30-39, female — Rochelle Cullip in first.

• 40-49, male — Jay Balasc in

first.

• 40-49, female — Cindi Left in first and Laura Taylor in second.

• 50-59, male — John Johnson in first and Jack Smith in second.

• 50-59, female — Laurie Keller in first.

• 60 and over, male — Barry Aspenleiter in first.

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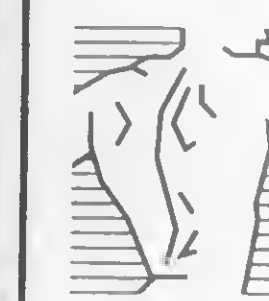
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FILE NO. 01-010266-DE

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CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Charlevoix High School. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addition help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Satur-

days at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month.

For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue.

The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of

the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of

the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events...

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m., Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Children's Crusade

Family of Faith Ministries will be conducting a Children's Crusade on June 29, 30 and July 1. Service times are: Friday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 10:30 a.m. at Family of Faith Ministries. The 2 p.m. Saturday service will be at Ferry Beach in Charlevoix with puppet shoes and free hot dogs.

Family of Faith Ministries is located at 203 E. Upright Street in

Charlevoix. Call 547-4221 for more information.

Old fashioned fish fry

The United Methodist Church is hosting an "Old Fashioned Fish Fry."

The dinner includes: Fish and chips, slaw, carrot salad, rolls, beverages and lemon meringue pie. All you care to eat.

Join them at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church, 104 State Street, Charlevoix. It will be from 4:30 to 7 p.m. on Friday. The cost is \$9 for adults, \$8 for seniors, \$4 children 5-12 and children under 5 are free.

Public forum

There will be a public forum at 7 p.m., June 14 at the Boyne City City Hall Auditorium with the Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project. Participants will learn about the work of the Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project, hear results of nonpoint source

pollution inventories such as road crossing sites, streambank erosion, land use, learn about the proposed recommendations to reduce pollution and keep Lake Charlevoix and its tributaries clean and provide comments to help project partners prioritize action steps. For more information contact Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council at (231) 347-1181 or check our web site, www.watershed-council.org.

Mr. Soccer Camp

The Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Board is sponsoring a Mr. Soccer Camp August 6-10 at Shanahan Field. Two sessions will be held. The morning session, which runs from 9 - 11:30 a.m., will be for the 8 and under aged player. The afternoon session will be for those 9-11 years old (born 1989 or later) and runs from 1:30-4 p.m. Cost for the camp is \$60 per player. For more information contact either Anders Kelto at (231)938-9022 or Carol Madison at 348-3317.

Featured event Bridges on PACE



David L. Miles, co-director of the Charlevoix Historical Society's Harsha House Museum has just completed the taping of a three part history of the Charlevoix channel bridges to be shown on PACE-TV, the local cable access channel. The stories have proved to be extremely popular, having been carried in six installments by the Charlevoix Courier and been heard by an audience in March at a meeting of the historical society. Tentative broadcast dates are: Part 1 — 7:30 p.m., June 15; 4:30 p.m., June 16 and 10:30 a.m., June 17. Part 2 — 7:30 p.m., July 20; 4:30 p.m., July 21 and 10:30 a.m., July 22. Part 3 — 7:30 p.m., Aug. 17; 4:30 p.m., Aug. 18 and 10:30 a.m., Aug. 19. Call 547-0373 for more information. (Courtesy photo)

SCRAPBOOK

The many changes in Charlevoix over time



Marilyn Boss
'Days gone by'

What great changes have been made in recent years in town.

I was thrilled to see the new drinking fountain on the corner of East Antrim and Bridge streets, at the entrance of the newly remodeled Veteran's Park. The new fountain is also very beautiful and wheelchair accessible.

As a child I remember all of the fountains we had downtown and I have wished through the years that they would replace them at various spots. This has always been a town for walking and cruising. Having water to drink for the public is as essential today as it ever was.

There used to be a fountain on the southwest corner of Bridge and Huribut streets where Re/Max is located today. Then there was a flowing mineral fountain at the foot of the hill by Ward Brothers, near their dock.

A little bit further east there was another flowing well by Ralph Washburn's machine shop, which would have been located on the east corner of the condominium which is there today. Another one was located on the northwest corner of Mason and Bridge streets and one in the middle of East Park, in the center of the sidewalk leading down to Round Lake. Another one was on the northwest corner of Clinton and Bridge streets by the old County bank. There was also one located where The Shop of the Gulls shop is now. Another one was located on the east side of the bridge on the sidewalk.

At that time we had eight fountains so we only need seven more to catch up with the way it used to be.

At the Lake Michigan Beach, which is scheduled to be renovated in the fall, there was a water fountain in front of the beach-house in the middle of the sidewalk.

When I was little, the beach had three slides; one small, one mid-sized and one large. There were baby swings for little ones across the sidewalk on the grass. They would sit in a wooden seat, and a crosspiece would come down in front of them to secure them in. There was also a wood merry-go-round, a monkey bar set, teeter totters and a maypole to play on.

After the war, in 1946, Laura

Heise operated the concession stand at the beach house. It was a busy place, used by both town kids and resorters. The Coast Guard station was located on the channel east of the big cement block building that currently houses the Department of Natural Resources.

One of the areas that has seen the most change is where the Ferry Avenue Beach complex is located today. My dad was the Standard Oil agent and distributor and I rode down the Eaton Street hill with him many times to fill the oil truck for deliveries around the Charlevoix area. Their bulk products came in by railroad tank car, and the bulk plant was between Ferry Avenue and the railroad track. The Belvedere Club purchased this land when it was abandoned a few years ago. Next to that boat plant was the Foster Boat Works, which was originally built for the Ferry Morris Seed Company, hence the name Ferry Avenue.

Next to that, to the south, was the DX terminal, later the City Service terminal which received most of their gasoline and oil products by huge tanker ships. The piping ran under the street and up to the top of the hill where the Marina Bluff condos are now located. There were huge above ground storage tanks which were filled with gasoline and fuel oil. When the big double-bottomed gas trucks would pull in next to the terminal building down on the shore, they would be gravity fed from the tanks on the hill. Through the years there were several spills, but no one worried about it.

Across the street from Foster Boat Works, was Zack White's night club, which was for the African-American summer help. Zack played the piano for Duke Ellington during his younger years and when he lived in Charlevoix he entertained the people who worked as chauffeurs and maids for the summer folks.

Next to the DX terminal, was a brushy, swampy area that had been the site of an old saw mill years before.



A postcard showing a scene from one of the early days of Charlevoix's Michigan Beach. (Postcard courtesy of Marilyn Boss)

Directly south of that, right around where the basketball court is now, was A.J. Shelter's pickle factory, later sold to the H.J. Heinz pickle company. The pickle vats were wooden stave, silo type containers about 12 feet tall and 20 feet wide. They had stairs that led up to a walkway, four feet wide and you could walk around the open vats and look down at the pickles processing. This made it easy for the workers to put the cucumbers and various ingredients into the vats. The old Shelter dill pickle recipe produced the finest tasting pickle money could buy. Dale remembers his dad locating a quart of them at a grocery store in Atwood, 5 years after Mr. Shelter died and felt he had really stumbled on a prize.

Charlevoix Coal and Ice Company had coal storage sheds on the west side of the street, where coal was unloaded from the freight cars. The City of Charlevoix has their electric generating plant located right next door to what is

now Nanny's. The cooling water from the diesel engines used to run down to the lake and kids enjoyed putting their feet in it because it was nice and warm.

The Charlevoix Co-operative company was located where Nanny's is today. It was a big feed and grain mill. Directly to the south, where Irish's Charlevoix headquarters is located were the remains of a three story reinforced, poured concrete building that had been abandoned. It was known as the old sugar beet factory. The roof and windows were all gone, and kids used to run and play inside it. Several different contractors tried to pull it down, but were unable to do so.

In 1947, a very eccentric man by the name of John Loskot came to town. He had a full, red beard. He bought a new, two ton red Dodge flat rack truck and he had "The Good Neighbor Founda-

tion," painted on the door. He bought several full-page ads in the newspaper telling about being a good neighbor. He built a tar paper house, approximately 20 by 35 feet on top of some of the abandoned foundations of the old sugar beet factory.

There was no Ferry Beach when I was little. My mom would drive us down a grassy trail where the boat launching ramp is today.

I loved the sound of the tall grass hitting on the bottom of the car as we went down to swim. We would take a bar of Packers Pine Tar soap with us to wash our hair in the water.

Memories are wonderful, but our park and beach on Ferry Avenue and the proposed renovating of the Lake Michigan beach area and Depot Beach are a credit to those who are working to make Charlevoix even more beautiful. Thank you.

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Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

June 14 & 15 - Craft Show and Flea Market, Charlevoix Knights of Columbus Hall
June 16 - Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club Ladies Day at the Range
June 19-22 - Exploration Days 4H (582-6232)
June 20 - Forest Frenzy 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
June 27 - Forest Frenzy 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
June 30 - Celebrate Singers Concert 7:30 p.m. St. Mary's Catholic Church (547-6438)
June 30 - 3rd Annual Festival of the Arts - 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Murphy's Lamplight Inn - 544-6443)
July 4 - Charlevoix 4th of July Parade - 10 a.m.
July 4 - Horton Bay Parade - 1:00 p.m.
July 7-8 - 3rd Annual Charlevoix Summer Art Show
July 11 - Amazing Animals 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
July 12-15 - Quilt Show 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)
July 13 - "Symphony on the Green" Outdoor Concert 6:30 p.m. - Sponsored by the Charlevoix Area Hospital Development Council (547-8502)
July 14-15 - 33rd Annual Craft Show
July 18 - Amazing Animals 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
July 19 - Garden Walk - Charlevoix Area Garden Club 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Mary Adams 547-0348)
July 22-28 - 71st Annual Venetian Festival
July 25 - Amazing Animals 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
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Business Briefs

Sweet Sam's Java Joint, owned by Charlevoix residents Dwight and Lisa McCormack is soon to be named the **BLACK BEAR COFFEE AND TEA LODGE**, featuring specialty coffees and fresh pastries and bagels every morning.

Congratulations, Michael and Michelle Lutz!

Their new business, **M & M MERCHANDISE**, has opened next to Bridge Park. The store features unique gifts for the home and family.

BRUMMS NATURE GALLERY is now open in its new downtown location next to the bridge, and features gifts, collectibles, beads, art, and more.

THE TEA ROOM AT ROSE COTTAGE is now open, featuring specialty teas and finest pastries made daily by a Culinary Institute of American graduate.

Congratulations Rick Wertz and Linda Mason! Rick Wertz, builder, and Linda Mason, Interior Designer, were recently featured in the summer issue of *Better Homes and Gardens - Remodeling*.

FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

Please Note: The cruise ship Arcadia's visit is finally here. They will arrive between 9-10 a.m. on June 21st and anchor in Round Lake and spend the day with us.

The next **Retail Committee Meeting** is June 21, 9:00 a.m. at Stafford's Weatherlane Restaurant. We will be planning for this year's Sidewalk Sales. *Please join us!*

Concerts in the Park

Charlevoix Convention & Visitors Bureau presents free concerts Thursday Nights at 8:00 p.m.

June 14 - The Amanda Waggener Band
June 21 - Tommy Vale & the Torpedoes
June 28 - Lazo & the Radikals
July 5 - Petoskey High School Steel Drum Band
July 12 - Jay Stilo Band
July 19 - Lou Thunder & The Rain Makers
July 26 - Rhythms of Venetian
August 2 - Luther Gravy and the Soul Biscuits
August 9 - Electric Violet
August 16 - The Brothers Groove
August 23 - The Amanda Waggener Band
August 30 - Northwind Brass Band



Lexey May Macks is surrounded by petunias on "Petunia Planting Day" - May 24, 2001. This year was the 20th year of planting, and Keep Charlevoix Beautiful, Inc. was glad that she was there to plant the one-millionth petunia! Terry's Place donated a gift certificate to mark the occasion.

Business After Hours and Golf Special

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Inside...

Sand removal



The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers was in the Pine River Channel last week removing sand in order to make the channel deeper.

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Trout?

The low trout catch during the recent Charlevoix trout tournament has left some people wondering if there is a problem with the fish stock.

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The third bridge



Read the next installment of the Charlevoix Historical Societies series on the channel bridges.

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Venetian's coming

This year's Venetian Festival Court was announced last week along with the official Venetian design for t-shirts. This year's court is (above, from left): Michelle Martin, Shawna Flowers, Amber Parsons, Lisa Miller, Lanie Lopez, Tasha Morrison and Katie Romig. At left, Venetian directors Laurie Lounsbury, Dean Davenport and Dan Barron pose with this year's design for the Venetian t-shirts designed by Russ, Sue and Lori Bolt. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



District has \$3 million surplus

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

In the wake of the national economic downturn, some state governors are cutting back on school programs, which means most schools may be able to offer their students less, but the Charlevoix Public School District is sitting pretty.

As we reach the end of the 2001 fiscal year, the district's accounting manager Judy Boss drafted a budget revealing both a balanced budget for next year and that the district's conservative spending over the past couple of years has paid off. This year's budget shows a \$3,701,992 fund balance.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, John Sturrock said that the fund balance allows the district to be flexible. If Michigan Governor John Engler decides to pull dollars out of a given program, the Charlevoix School District has the ability to independently sustain that program.

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County commission plan appealed

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Charlevoix County may have new County Commission districts due to its adoption in May by the County Apportionment Committee, but that has been appealed.

Committee member and county Republican chair John Haggard, along with fellow committee member Joan Balch, county commissioners Shirley Roloff and Donald Smith and Charlevoix Township supervisor Oscar Stroud appealed the redistricting of the county to the Fourth District Court of Appeals June 14.

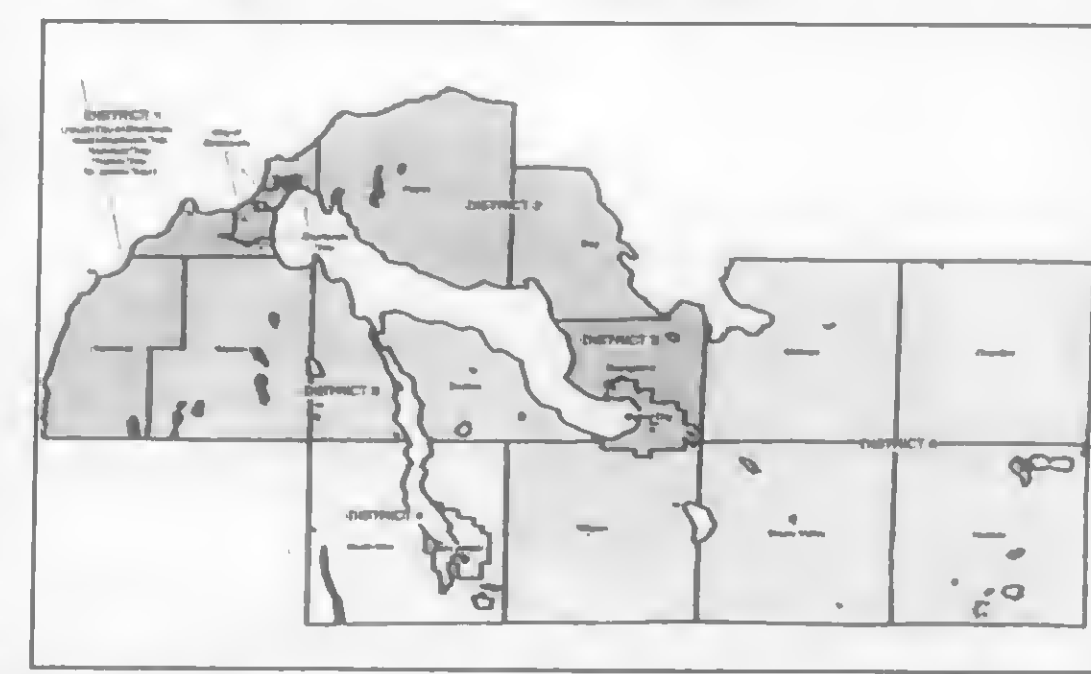
The apportionment committee was made up of Haggard, Balch, Charlevoix County Democratic

Chair Kay Chase, Charlevoix County Prosecutor Mary Beth Kur and Charlevoix County Clerk Jane Brannon. Brannon, Kur and Chase all voted in favor of the adopted apportionment.

Haggard said the major reason for this appeal was the current plan's split of Charlevoix township and the city of Charlevoix's first ward into two separate county commissioner districts. The township and the entire city of Charlevoix have been in the same county commission district for about 20 years.

He said this split will create voter confusion and possibly give the township and city an unfair representation on the county commission.

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This map shows the new Charlevoix County Commissioner districts as they are in the plan adopted by the apportionment committee. (Courtesy map)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the county of Charlevoix:

Anthony Peter Sloan, 43, Charlevoix. Drunk and disorderly person. Jail for four days with credit for four days.

Edward J. Coffman, 47, Ellsworth. Disorderly and obscene conduct. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Paul Douglas Hoffman, 41, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Patrick Clifford Bearden, 17, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Brandon Eugene Powers, 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Billy Jack Pickles, 27, East Jordan. Uttering and publishing. Waived preliminary hearing.

Gail Ann Batterbee, 51, Grand Blanc. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Krystal Kay Rasmussen, 21, Flint. Receiving and concealing stolen property less than \$100. Three months probation; 35 days in jail with credit for two days, three

days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$585 in fines and costs.

Daniel Joseph Vasquez II, 22, Samoil Casian Diaconescu, 21, Detroit. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$810.

John Paul Browe, 31, Muskegon. Non-sufficient funds less than \$50. Fines and costs totaling \$275.

Erin Marie Nickel, 22, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Lake Edward Sheppard, 24, Elmira. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Two years probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 40 days, 51 days on electronic monitor; \$1,620 in fines and costs.

Lake Edward Sheppard, 24, Elmira. Driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Two years probation; 365 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 364 days; \$810 in fines and costs.

Mark William Fanfalone, 18, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Serve 10 days in jail; \$810 in fines and costs.

Karl Wallace Johnson, 31, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for

two days, serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 51 days held in abeyance; \$1,070 in fines and costs.

Andrew Todd Colyer, 39, East Jordan. Possessing weapons while under the influence. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Thomas Wayne Kerr, 20, Charlevoix. Receiving and concealing stolen property more than \$200, less than \$1,000. Six months probation; 30 days in jail, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 20 days held in abeyance; \$535 in fines and costs.

Alfred Lewis Jr., 48, Petoskey. Driving while impaired. Nine months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Travis Gerald Glazier, 21, Johannesburg. Failure to report an accident; and minor in possession of alcohol-third offense. Six months probation; 10 days of community service work; \$1,000 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following people have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Westphals Electrical, 801 Petoskey Avenue, Charlevoix, by Raymond C. Westphal Jr.

AeroMac Manufacturing Inc., 02892 Camp Ten Road, Elmira, by Dean Reynolds and Anjanette Reynolds

Bad Monkey, 7760 Kings Run, Sylvania, Ohio, by Rick Nease and Richard C. Lange

One Guy & A Small Tractor, 6539 Marion Center Road, Charlevoix, by Keith W. Bales

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Kevin Charles McLendon, 32, Charlevoix and Becky Lynn Russell, 35, Charlevoix

James Ivan Nichols, 36, East Jordan and Lisa Renee Cesaro, 33, East Jordan

Michael James Sterly, 26, Charlevoix and Heather Marie

Burns, 26, Charlevoix
Troy Lee Charbonneau, 24, Boyne Falls and Jennifer Lee Landino, 24, Boyne Falls

Daniel Russell Mason, 28, East Jordan and Mary Elizabeth Nevarez, 18, East Jordan

Matthew Alan Myaard, 26, Hudsonville and Andrea Dawne Evans, 25, East Jordan

William Edgar Jensen, 41, Boyne City and Lori Lea Crain, 36, East Jordan

Births

Anne Elizabeth Joy was born to William and Melinda Joy of Charlevoix on June 15, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Hunter Andrew-Keagan Riggs was born to Michael and Michelle Riggs of East Jordan on June 8, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Channel deepened early for cruise ship

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By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The United States Army Corps of Engineers crane barge, "Manitowac," was recently hard at work scooping sand out of Charlevoix's Pine River Channel.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner explained that the army corps of engineers maintains the channel and removes sand periodically.

He added that this time around, the sand removal was attended to earlier in the season in preparation for the arrival of the

367 foot Greek cruise ship, "Arcadia."

The ship is scheduled to arrive in Charlevoix on the first day of summer, Thursday, and if the water isn't rough it may drop anchor in Round Lake. But if conditions aren't ideal, it will anchor out on Lake Michigan and ferry passengers to land.

Tom O'Bryan, civil engineer with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Grand Haven station, the station in charge of the sand removal, said there was a foot of sand down the length of the channel that needed to be removed in order to accommodate the cruise ship.

He explained that it's the government's responsibility to maintain a navigation level of 18 feet below low water datum in the channel. To see that the 18 feet is maintained the government conducts "conditions surveys."

O'Bryan said that Arcadia's draw is 18 feet and to have just 18 feet below low water datum, "isn't good." He said that the government has permission to remove obstruction up to negative 19 feet which, "gives the vessel an extra foot."

Beyond the 19 feet the vessel also had an extra half of a foot to deal with, because of what O'Bryan called the "plus gauge."

O'Bryan said that the sand removal has no harmful environmental impact.

"We are removing an obstruction, which is sand," he said. He added that the group has

"We are removing an obstruction, which is sand."

Tom O'Bryan,
U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

removed roughly the same amount of sand from the channel every year since 1997, extracting a little more this year.

O'Bryan said the corps of engineers didn't have to remove sand until wave energy absorbing rubble mounds were built at the mouth of the channel. He explained that many argue when sand is washed through the "wave intinators" it settles as opposed to traveling through, like it used to.

Wiesner said the sand scooped out of the channel is used by city

street superintendent John Martin to replenish local beaches.

Some of the sand was placed in the Department of Natural Resources Great Lakes Research Station parking lot located on Grant Street. O'Bryan said that whatever material isn't used around town will be thrown over the south breakwater.

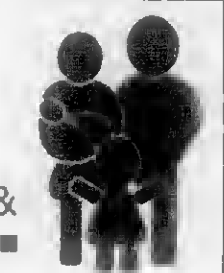
The project is being funded by the federal government who is paying the group \$10,000 per day. O'Bryan said it took the crew a week to complete the project.

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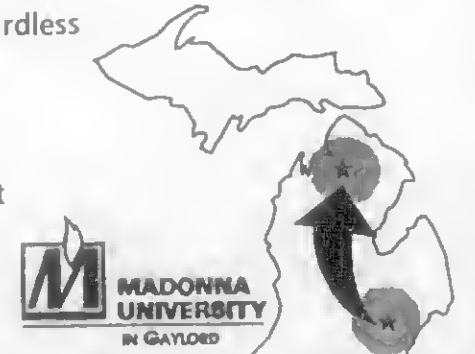
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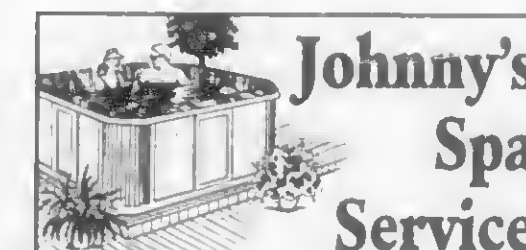
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Budget shows the schools are healthy

Wow!
That pretty much sums up the feelings on the Charlevoix School District's proposed budget for 2001-2002. While many school districts are facing budget problems, Charlevoix continues to be a shining star by having a major budget surplus.

And the 2001-2002 budget projects the surplus to be about \$3 million!

This surplus means we have a cushion to soften the blow if something goes wrong financially.

For example: Last year, the governor of Michigan, John Engler, decided he did not want the state to fund summertime reading programs. By not having state funding for the programs, many school districts found themselves forced to cancel. But not Charlevoix.

Thanks to the surplus in its budget, Charlevoix had the money to fund its own program for the summer. Thankfully, the funding was not cut and Charlevoix did not have to dip into its surplus.

As you can see, the surplus

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created by what seems to be a smart fiscal policy by the Charlevoix School District is something we can all be proud of. It helps cover the costs of those little unseen glitches in school funding.

In the future, if politicians decide to cut funding, if voters balk at millage requests or even if the Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority decides to over-collect on its portion of the school taxes again (see page 7 for an explanation of this) the Charlevoix School District has the needed financial protection.

The school board and superintendent John Sturrock and his staff have been the focus of much criticism in the past. And each time they have had to silence their critics by proving these usually factless claims are fiction by creating fiscally sound budgets, well rounded students and improved facilities.

According to this budget proposal, they have once again proven their critics' claims are imaginary.

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The mysterious creatures that roam our imaginations



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

Our folklore is so filled with monsters of various kinds that it has spawned a specialized field of zoology called cryptozoology which deals with whether any of the monsters actually exist in our present world.

Such monsters get more publicity from less information than any non-spectacular creature can. We all know about the Loch Ness Monster and see on the cable channels frequent speculation about just what it might be, along with all the old and new photographs presuming to show us what some part of the monster looks like on a foggy morning. Sea monsters don't leave tracks, so getting positive evidence of their presence is more difficult, which probably explains why the legends are so persistent.

Various Big Foot, human-like, hairy ape creatures are reported from almost anywhere on earth that there are tracts of trackless forest or glacier. North America has its sasquatch, the Himalayas have the yeti, and all of them have sometimes left tracks. I have seen catalogs that will sell plaster casts of sasquatch footprints, authenticated

by a member of the Society for Cryptozoology.

There are, of course, local legends as well, most of them dating back to reports by the first Europeans to visit this area. The Native American legends included giants, great beasts and amphibious serpents. Henry Schoolcraft recorded many Ojibwa legends in the early 1800s. According to Schoolcraft, the Windigo or Weendigo was a cannibal monster, giant or great beast, and the Genabik or Genapeg or Kenabik was an amphibious serpent of legendary size. We could certainly expect that the legends were based on something in the natural world.

When people from Asia first arrived in what is now North America, possibly as much as 25,000 years ago, the animals they faced were quite different from those at present. At that time, and almost until the final retreat of the glaciers about 10,000 years ago, there were five kinds of giant carnivores inhabiting this place that live on only in the fossils found by the paleontologists and the legends of the people who saw them. No doubt a number of the early Native Americans fell prey to the ferocious Short-faced Bear, eight feet from nose to tail, and possibly the American Lion, about the same length, not counting a long tail. There were in addition the Dire Wolf, larger than the Timber Wolf, the Saber tooth with 10 inch teeth and even a kind of American Cheetah, able to run as fast as the present day African variety. Any or all of those creatures could

be the Windigo of legend. It was the sort of monster that had really eaten people in the past, and would keep any young child from willfully wandering in the forest, far from home.

The Genabik is harder to identify and the only one for which we apparently have local and recent evidence. As I understand it, there have been reports, now some decades old, of a Little Traverse Bay lake serpent, and even the appearance of some enormous three-toed, slimy tracks on an old wooden pier in Petoskey at about that same time. I do not know if the tracks were photographed at the time of their appearance. A picture would be worth having. Should the tracks ever appear again, with present technology we could collect DNA and find out just what the monster was. Every bay should have its monster.

Are such terrible creatures real? They are as real as extinct animals and as real as our nightmares. The important biological truth is that no creature exists alone. If there is some kind of monster, then there must be a whole population of them, since nothing lives forever and reproduction with continuing survival requires a goodly number, not just a single individual.

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Letters to the editor

DME should clean up its act

Editor:

Most live in Charlevoix and northern Michigan because of the beauty of nature and the supposed clean air, earth and water. Whether one grew up here or transplanted here, people in Northern Michigan are nature lovers.

I am surprised at the very neutral article about the contamination of Lake Charlevoix and the earth nearby from Charlevoix's DME Company. I am surprised that more Charlevoix residents are not appalled by the destruction of our beautiful lakes and earth.

Even more surprising is the fact that the Michigan Department of

Environmental Quality will be tasked to clean this up if "DME won't clean up the PCE," as Bob Wagner, environmental manager at Gaylord states.

Why won't DME clean this mess up? Are they young children incapable of cleaning up their own mess?

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Further, why should MDEQ have to pay for this clean up of a dangerous pollutant?

Will this clean up come from my pocket? Granted, I want it cleaned up, but I wasn't even aware that my backyard (literally) is being contaminated.

My backyard is being contaminated with PCE (tetrachloroethylene). The article in the June 6, 2001 Charlevoix Courier states that the side effects of this pollutant is liver and kidney damage and chronic skin disorders.

Well, gee, I hope that the Charlevoix Hospital will do research on these types of diseases so they will be prepared when these problems arise. However liver and kidney damage are not our biggest concerns according to Bob Wagner, "...PCE degrades into vinyl chloride, a known carcinogen."

Wow! This carcinogen can seep along the beaches. Oh, yeah, my 3-year old and I are on our way to Ferry Beach! Not only is this substance a known health hazard that DME is using, but they are still using it, even though it is a known toxic substance. Look at the irony in

that.

I am sure that almost all of Charlevoix residents (and summer residents) stand behind me when I say, "DME clean up your act, now!" We live here because of the pristine beaches, lakes, forests, fields, and streams. DME should not wait until fall of this year to clean this up, but start now, and do not just let it go to the MDEQ to do your dirty work. DME, clean up your act! Now! Rachael Young Charlevoix

Help stop the developers

Citizens who care about our streams, rivers, lakes, clean water and our future need to attend the next meeting of the Stormwater Appeals Board at 9 a.m. on June 22, at the Charlevoix County Annex building.

The Stormwater Appeals Board is in the process of revising The Charlevoix County Stormwater Ordinance. This ordinance is a local law passed to protect our wetlands and waterways.

At this time, the pro-development forces on this board are trying to remove critical language in the ordinance that helps protect our watershed to the benefit of developers.

Greenbelts are critical to the health of our watershed. They keep

sedimentation and flooding in check by slowing runoff and floodwaters, stabilize banks, remove nutrients and toxins and minimize erosion. They are essential to the health of our water supply. According to "Preserving Michigan's Wetlands: Options For Local Governments," recently published by the Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council and underwritten by Michigan DEQ and USEPA: "A minimum of 40 feet of greenbelt along a lake shore is a desirable goal."

The pro-development members on this committee are all trying to eliminate requirements to preserve natural greenbelts and protect our lakes and streams.

The proposed revisions would eliminate language discouraging removal of natural vegetation and tree roots within 25 feet of regulated wetlands and within 50 feet of ordinary high water of lakes and streams and encouraging buffer areas greater than those minimums.

Only one voice, JoAnne Beemon, Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner, is speaking out in defense of the environment and our water supply. She is the only person on this board trying to maintain the ordinance protection of our greenbelts and the health of our watersheds.

This ordinance was designed to legally protect our watershed. If we

do not mobilize and stop the gutting of this important protection, there will be nothing to stop more rapid destructive development in Charlevoix County and the cumulative impacts on our environment. The last remaining wetlands and the quality of our watershed will have no protection from the "never enough" developers!

Please come to the Charlevoix County Annex Building on June 22 and let this board know, we will not allow developers to gut our watershed protection laws.

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COMMUNITY

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Harbor officers

Harbor Industries recently named four new officers to the company. Those officers affecting the Charlevoix operations were Tim Parker and Cindy Parker. Tim, a resident of Spring Lake and Charlevoix, is the new vice president of northern operations and Cindy, a resident of Grand Haven, is the vice president of sales and services.

Rotary scholarships

The Charlevoix Rotary Club recently recognized several Charlevoix Middle School eighth graders for their academic performance. They are: Tyler Bier, Michelle Fritsch, Christopher Golski, Jacklyn Heckendorn, Mallory Mahoney, Anna Taylor, Jacob Teuscher, Jaimen Waha, Kari Way, Sierra Whisler and Michael Wojan.

Wheat named to dean's list

Lisa L. Wheat, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the Murray State University dean's list. Murray State University is located in Murray, Ky.

Darsey Scholar

Emily Martinus, of Charlevoix, was recently selected as a Darsey Scholar, a scholarship that will cover \$2,000 of the tuition costs for the 2000-2001 academic year at Adrian College. Emily, a sophomore majoring in art, is the daughter of Stephen and Jennie Martinus of Charlevoix.

LSSU dean's list

Several students from Charlevoix were named to the Lake Superior State University spring dean's list. They are: Zachary Dennis Bakker, Allan Ramirez Case, Sara Ann Firman, Lisa Lynn Parrish and Christopher Todd Romig.

Calvin dean's list

Two Charlevoix students recently were named to the Calvin College dean's list. They are Candice M. Vandergriff, a senior majoring in physical education, and Jessica R. VanGuilder, a senior majoring in elementary education. Calvin College is located in Grand Rapids.

MSU dean's list

Several Charlevoix students were named to the Michigan State University dean's list recently. They are: Kirsten Senger Brendtro, a freshman; Daniel Ward Pardee, a senior; Jennifer Margaret Ricks, a junior; Kristy Ann Shindorf, a freshman and Amanda Rae Simpson, a freshman.

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Engagement



Egler — Young

Mary Egler, of Reno, Nev., and David Young, of Bellevue, Wash., are engaged to be married.

Mary is the daughter of Charles and Audrey Lehman of Charlevoix. David is the son of Jack and Jean Young of Reno, Nev.

A wedding is being planned for July 21, 2001.

The bride-to-be graduated from Southern Utah University in 1993 with a bachelor of science. She is currently employed with Carson City School District as a technology teacher for elementary school.

The groom-to-be graduated from Eastern Washington University in 1983. He is currently employed with Microsoft.

Weather

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Schools report big surplus

BUDGET

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"We can run on fund equity for a bit if the state cuts programs, it buys us time," Sturock said. "If I can put money away and save for a rainy day, I'm going to do that; our purpose is to provide the best for the kids."

However, not all districts are so fortunate. He said that many districts have to dip into their fund balance to be able to present to the state the required balanced budget, such as Gaylord. Gaylord's 2001-2002 budget is the first in three years to be balanced (revenues equal expenditures) without dipping into their fund equity account.

"We are proposing a balanced budget without dipping into the fund equity account. In fact, we are adding to it," Sturock said.

The budget projects that in the 2001-2002 school year the fund balance will rise \$2,040, which equals a total fund balance of \$3,704,032.

The increase in the fund balance is accounted for in the proposed budget for 2001-2002, which projects revenues to reach \$11,728,680 and expenditures to be \$2,040 less at \$11,726,640.

The greatest revenue generator for a school district is their student body. As a result of the Michigan State Aid Act, in the 2001-2002 school year, the district will receive \$300 more per student. For each student enrolled in the Charlevoix district, the school will receive \$7,687.

Although enrollment has steadily increased over the past three years Boss said the budget conservatively projects the count will fall 9 students short of last year, to 1,412. The state will give the district \$10,854,044 total, an increase of \$357,117 over last year. State funding accounts for 49.2

percent of the districts revenue.

The next largest revenue generator is from local tax dollars. The non-homestead and commercial tax brings in 46.98 percent of the district's revenue. Voters recently voted not to roll back the Headlee Amendment which would have brought an additional \$30,000 to the district from this, non-homestead and commercial source.

The third largest funding source is from the vocational education millage, levied by the Charlevoix and Emmet Counties Intermediate School District (Char-Em ISD). Vocational education dollars that come in from Char-Em make up 2.4 percent of the district's total revenue.

Other smaller sources of district income include Title One, a federal source, and the Title Nine Native American Grant. Title One accounts for .95 percent of the district's income and Title Nine accounts for .47 percent.

Once the dollars flow in, 47.07 percent will be allocated to basic programs. Sturock explained basic programs as: elementary, middle and high school classrooms and teachers, but not counselors or special education instructors.

The counselors and nurses account for 4.43 percent of the expense budget and vocational education and special education programs absorb 12.2 percent, the second highest chunk of the budget.

The third highest percentage of funds goes out to the support staff that maintains the buildings, the costs associated with maintenance and to pay for utilities at the three facilities. Operation and maintenance make up 9.94 percent of the total expense budget.

Costs associated with school administrators; Richard Swenor, Keith Haske and Gary Grundman are 5.83 percent of the districts cost.

Instructional staff which includes librarians and technology specialists are a 5.75 percent piece of the expenditure pie.

All of these people may be at school, but for the kids to get there, the district allocates 5.05 percent to buses or pupil transportation.

Those people you talk to at central office, members of the board of education and legal experts representing the district are all considered, "general administration." The budget allocates 3.22 percent of its income to fund general administration.

Community, adult education makes up 2.28 percent of the almost \$12 million expense budget.

Once they are at school, many kids join athletic teams and eat lunch at school. In order to provide these two services the school has to both supplement the food service and pay for coaches, allocating 2.43 percent of their budget to do so.

Then there are the business people, like Boss, those who do payroll and those who deal with the district's insurance. The business people make up 1.81 percent of the cost in the 2001-2002 proposed budget.

Sturock explained that in taking a close look at a school district's budget you get a sense of what a business school systems really are and the of threat state cuts.

"We have to take what the state gives us. If we start losing dollars, we are a people business. If cuts have to be made, that means we may have to cut programs," he said.

DDA told to pay back \$85,000 to school district

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority (DDA) over-collected funds they captured from the Charlevoix School District in 1994 and 1999 and were ordered by the state to pay the district back.

City treasurer Rick Brandi explained that since 1984, when the DDA was established, a portion of the funds generated from the school district's taxable value has been exempted from going to the school and has been "captured" by the DDA.

In January of 2001, the DDA was informed by the Michigan Department of Treasury of an audit that found they had over-captured \$85,000 in 1994 and 1999. In 1999 alone the DDA captured \$231,096 total.

An example to help understand this form of financing is a subtraction equation. If in the initial year the taxable value of a given area was \$1 million and in the second year the value was \$1,250,000 the capture value is the difference or \$250,000. A given area is the portion of the school district that the DDA impacts.

The DDA must outline all projects they plan to use the captured funds for in paperwork submitted

annually to the Michigan Department of Treasury.

"The DDA is reinvesting in infrastructure in the district. A viable downtown will help them (the schools) too. It's money that wouldn't have been available without the improvements made by the DDA," Brandi said.

He added that in 2000 the taxable value of the area outlined in the DDA's plan was \$13,112,401 and of those funds collected on that value, the DDA captured \$597,394 of school tax money.

The treasury department's auditing specialist Sharon Erwine said in 1994, when Proposal A was passed, tax increment financing changed and tax increment financing authorities (TIFAs), like the local DDA, were limited to capturing only certain amounts.

Erwine said she has conducted over 200 audits and that the \$85,000 return is minor.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools John Sturock said that in 1984 when the capture was initially implemented, it hurt the district but the burden was lifted when Proposal A was passed.

"I don't think it negatively impacts us," he said.

In the school districts amended budget for 2000-2001 the \$85,000 sum is recorded in the adjusted revenue section.

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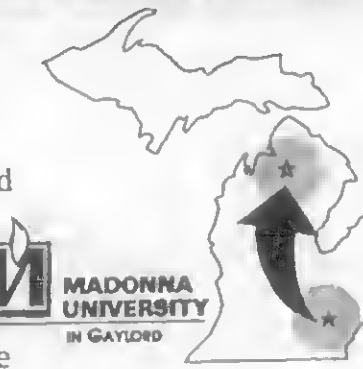
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Sheriff offers some tips for staying safe on the water

As our 2001 summer season gets underway, Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater reminds citizens to use safety while enjoying the waterways.

Unfortunately, while we engage in boating, fishing, scuba diving, swimming and other recreational activities, accidents do occur.

Boating accidents are a major concern to Lasater. Motorboats and personal watercraft (jet skis) are associated with the most injuries.

Injuries sustained on personal watercraft are usually serious, including lacerations, broken bones

and head and back injuries.

Safety tips include:

- Life jackets — must be "readily accessible" and U.S. Coast Guard approved.

- Communication equipment — have a marine radio or cellular telephone for emergencies.

- Weather condition — watch or listen to local weather broadcasts, stop boating during a storm.

- Equipment check — make sure all required navigation lights function properly, check fuel oil levels and your fire extinguishers.

- Education — attend a six-hour

boaters safety course to learn emergency procedures, laws, safety, navigation rules, accident reporting and equipment requirements.

- Float plan — tell someone about your boating plans each time you go out (trip itinerary).

Attendance at Boaters Safety Class is an excellent way to learn or review these basic points. Lasater encourages all interested individuals to contact Marine Deputy David Beyer at (231) 547-4461 ext. 320 for class scheduling information.

Two car crash leaves drivers with minor injuries June 14

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office investigated a two car personal injury crash on M-66 near Stover Creek in Charlevoix Township at approximately 2:45 p.m. June 14.

Kristiana M. Way, 36, of Charlevoix was traveling west on M-66 in a 2001 PT Cruiser, when she stopped to make a left turn and was

struck from behind by Kiel Tilley, 17, of Charlevoix driving a 1994 Buick.

Tilley's Buick was totaled.

He advised he was adjusting the air conditioning in his vehicle and failed to observe the Way vehicle coming to a stop.

All drivers and occupants suffered

minor injuries and refused ambulance transport, seeking their own treatment.

The Sheriff's office was assisted at the scene by the Charlevoix City Police and the Charlevoix City Ambulance.

The crash remains under investigation.

Obituaries

Helen Weislik: Oct. 7, 1924 - June 14, 2001

Helen Weislik, 76, of Charlevoix died June 14 at her home.

Helen was born Oct. 7, 1924, one of eight children, to Peter and Catherine (Peca) Bielcecki in Hamtramck. She was raised in Hamtramck and graduated from Hamtramck High School in 1942.

She married Sylvester Weislik on Feb. 20, 1943 at St. Florian's Catholic Church. The couple moved to Charlevoix on July 1, 1962 where they owned and op-

erated the Townhouse Bar.

Helen still ran the Townhouse up until her illness which was lovingly dubbed "Helen's" by the locals. Sylvester preceded her in death on Dec. 17, 1982.

Helen was a passionate supporter of Charlevoix, enjoyed having a good time and loved to see others celebrate life.

She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and a member of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce.

Survivors include two sons,

Ronald (Carolyn) of Charlevoix and Bruce (Judi) of Troy; granddaughter, Kelliann; brother, Peter (Connie) of Warren; sisters, Terry and Emile of Hamtramck, Mary (Ed) Margiewicz of Warren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to Charlevoix County Hospice or to the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Mary Margaret Geiken: Oct. 6, 1914 - June 18, 2001

Mary Margaret Geiken, 86, lifelong resident of Charlevoix, died June 18, 2001 at Boulder Park Terrace Nursing Home in Charlevoix.

Mass of the Resurrection will be 10 a.m., Thursday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Thomas A. Neis will officiate. Burial will follow in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Mary Margaret was born on Oct. 6, 1914 in Charlevoix, the daughter of Louis S. and Margaret C. (McGuire) Or-lowski.

She attended St. Mary's School and graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1932. Mary Margaret went on

to attend Nazareth College in Kalamazoo where she received a bachelors degree in 1937.

On May 30, 1949 she married Cornelius D. Geiken in Marengo, Iowa. He preceded her in death on Dec. 30, 1961.

She was a member of the St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society, Grandvue Auxiliary, Charlevoix Historical Society, Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild and was a hospital volunteer.

Survivors include a son, Gek (Ellen J.) Geiken of Kentwood; three grandchildren, Eric, Marie and Laura; two step-grandchildren.

David and Bonnie Peters; brother, Louis S. (Rita J.) Or-lowski of Charlevoix; one niece, Peg (Jim) Thatcher of Walled Lake; one cousin, James T. Whitworth of Victor, Iowa; two grandnieces, Stacey (Zack) Fox and Joelle Thatcher and dear friend, Bill Price.

Memorial contributions may be made to Charlevoix Historical Society, American Cancer Society or to Grandvue Medical Care Facility.

Envelopes will be available at the Winchester Funeral Home where friends may call from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. today. A rosary will be recited at 7 p.m.

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Group appeals plan to change county districts

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Plus, he added the law used to make the redistricting does not allow the splits in the currently adopted plan.

"The statute states you should not split cities," he said.

However, Chase maintains the adopted plan does meet the standards of the law.

"The law was looked at numerous times. I can't say there isn't a better plan out there, but three of us couldn't find it," she said.

The issue of county commission districts is revisited every 10 years when the census population count is released. An apportionment committee is created that must come up with a county plan that basically creates county commission districts with as close to an equal population as possible.

Due to changes in Charlevoix County's population in the past 10 years, the committee voted for a new district plan.

Under the adopted plan, the county would be split up into six districts, each with its own commissioner, as it currently has. However, population changes in the county caused changes

in the district boundaries.

The most notable changes were to Charlevoix Township, the city of Charlevoix and Wilson Township. In Charlevoix Township and the first ward of the city, people living on the north side of the Pine River Channel are in one county commission district, while people living on the south side of the channel are in another. In Wilson Township, the split uses Boyne City-East Jordan Road as its marker.

County prosecutor and apportionment committee member Kur said the adopted plan is the most user friendly of the plans the committee looked at because the splits are based on geographic boundaries.

"I looked at natural geographic boundaries. The dividing line at the channel made the most logical sense to me," she said. "We had to split somewhere. I thought I was following the law; I still think that."

But, the group appealing the adopted plan has some support.

Based on the testimony of County Commissioner Smith — who is also named on the appeal — at their meetings, the city of Charlevoix recently voted to give the group \$500 to pay for some of the court costs associated with the appeal and Wilson Township has passed a resolution supporting the appeal.

Charlevoix Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell said council does not like the district split in the first ward, even though he thinks it is a benefit to the city.

"When it first came out, I didn't have a problem with two representatives from the city," he said.

Kur said she was disappointed by these actions.

"It is unfortunate that the two governmental units, meaning the Charlevoix City Council and Wilson Township, that have taken sides on this issue didn't get the other side of the story before they took a position,"

she said.

Charlevoix city clerk, Elizabeth Gooch, even wrote a letter in opposition to the adopted plan. Her main contention was that it would create voter confusion, elections will run at a higher cost to the city due to additional staff and a voting machine and special attention must be made to the distribution of ballots.

However, after writing the letter, Gooch had a conversation with county clerk and apportionment committee member Brannon and has changed part of her opinion.

She learned that her fears that it

would cost more and be more of a burden were taken care of by county.

"I really wouldn't say I am in opposition to it, but I can understand the concern....." she said. "I'd still really like to see the city of Charlevoix maintained under one district."

But, the letter Gooch wrote has been submitted as an exhibit in the appeal.

"It (the letter) is still true except for the cost part. I don't feel so strongly against it," she said.

A response to the appeal is being prepared by Kur. The deadline for this response is July 5.

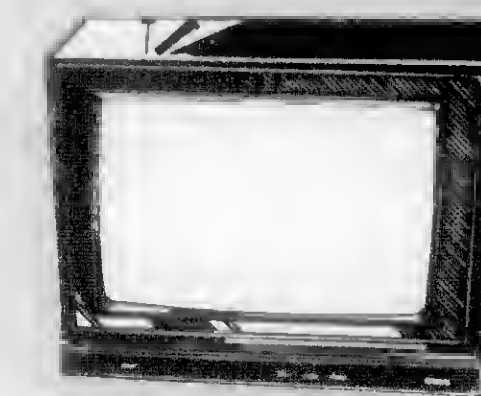
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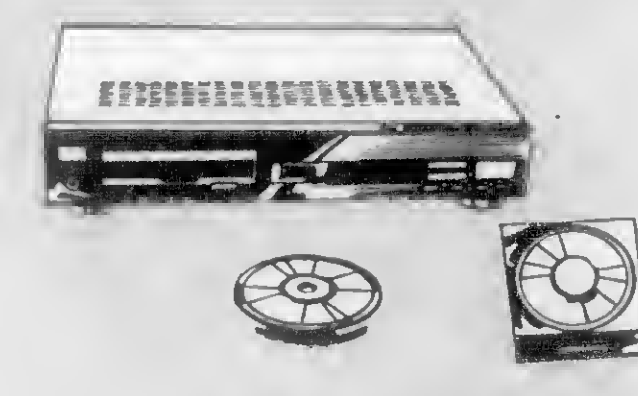
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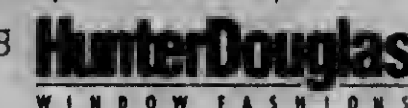
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Some safety tips for a day at the beach



Roderic Tinney, M.D.

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We are so fortunate in this area that past civic minded leaders spared much of our lakefront from private development so that it could be enjoyed by all.

The beach in the summer is a great place for family fun. Children can rendezvous with old friends and make new acquaintances.

Sand, rocks and other beach treasures can spur creativity better than even the biggest box of crayons. The water can cool the temper of even the hottest irritable child (or parent). Busy families just seem to slow down and have fun to-

gether at the beach.

But, the beach may be the source of a parent's greatest fear — the loss or injury of a child.

Drowning and near drowning are leading causes of death and injury in children. In fact, especially in the warmer states, drowning is the leading cause of death in some age groups.

Drowning is defined as a suffocation death occurring within 24 hours of submersion in water. Near drowning victims survive greater than 24 hours, but mortality is high and at least one third of survivors will suffer significant neurological injury.

Prevention is crucial, drowning and near drowning should be nearly 100 percent preventable. There are a number of recommendations made by the Academy of Pediatrics along with other groups such as the Red Cross to prevent drowning and near drowning.

• Take your family to designated swimming areas prefer-

ably where there is a trained lifeguard. A lifeguard will not only be trained in rescue but may help prevent injury by stopping dangerous activities before someone gets hurt.

• Bring your cell phone to the beach. If you really are one of those people who don't have a cell phone, locate the nearest public phone, an emergency phone, before you need it. If there is not such a phone available contact the city or township responsible for the beach to get one installed.

• Whenever your infant or toddler is around water he/she should be within an arms length providing "touch supervision" at all times.

• While infant and toddler aquatic programs can be fun they have never been shown to keep children safer and do carry some risk, especially for young infants. The American Academy of Pediatrics does not believe, "children are developmentally ready for swimming lessons until after their

fourth birthday." Swimming lessons are great for older children, but never assume your child is down proof.

• Other risks for infants swimming include getting cold or hypothermia and swallowing excessive water leading to possible water intoxication or acquiring intestinal infection.

• Even if there is a lifeguard present, constantly watch (or better yet, get in the water and play with) your children. If there is a group of adults be sure at least one is the designated watchman and please save the alcoholic beverages to drink at home after the kids are in bed.

• Closely supervise children jumping from rafts or docks and keep the younger children separated from the older, larger ones.

• Use a buddy system with older children to supplement your adult supervision. Be firm when it comes to any dangerous activity near water. Set the limits when you arrive and

stick to them.

• Put all non-swimmers in a United States Coast Guard approved brightly colored life jacket whenever they are around water. Of course, everyone should wear a life jacket when boating.

• Take a basic life support course (CPR) with your older children. It's a fun family activity and may prove to be invaluable to you and your child.

Have a safe, fun-filled summer with your children at the beach, remember, winter will too soon come and our children grown.

The American Academy of Pediatrics policy statements on swimming and drowning prevention along with other policy statements and pediatric news are available at the AAP web site, www.aap.org.

Dr. Roderic E. Tinney, is a member of the American Board of Pediatrics and has been in practice in Charlevoix since 1986. He can be contacted by calling 547-6554.

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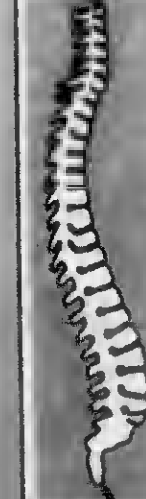
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For the past three years, Liz Meadows has donated her time and energy to the Print Shop at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Liz joins 100-plus volunteers who comprise Charlevoix Area Hospital's volunteer program. These individuals give their time freely, and perform a great service to the hospital.

"Liz can be proud of her achievements," said Rebecca Parker, Volunteer Coordinator at Charlevoix Area Hospital. "Her dedication and commitment provide a service of immeasurable value to our hospital and the community which it serves."

It doesn't take a lot of time or effort to become a volunteer. One hour each week can be a tremendous help. The schedules are flexible, and training is minimal. Each volunteer is required to go through an initial orientation program along with annual education days. A TB test is given annually to insure that volunteers are in good health.

Charlevoix Area Hospital continues to seek volunteers who have the willingness to help out. There are many areas that need assistance. The Print Shop produces approximately 90 percent of all forms used in the hospital. This is a wonderful resource for cost reduction. Some of the tasks involved in the Print Shop are collating, binding, cutting, shredding and printing.

The Gift Shop is operated completely by volunteers. Volunteers stock and maintain the shop and are responsible for the shop's availability to patients and staff.

The Information Desk is where visitors and family members of patients look for assistance in finding their loved one's room or where outpatients go to find out directions to a department for a test. This is where a kind volunteer lends a hand and helps them get to where they are going.

Volunteers often lift patients' spirits when delivering flowers, mail, books and meals to the patients in the hospital.

There are a variety of clerical tasks available for volunteers as well. Clerical needs include filing, mail processing and chart assembly. Several departments often can use receptionists to ease the workload.

There are also opportunities for volunteers to help by doing "At Home Projects" out of their own homes. If this fits your schedule, you may find that you'd enjoy some volunteer hours of sewing, knitting, or special projects.

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Low trout catch causes some concerns about fish

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Perhaps the theme at Charlevoix's 2001 Trout Tournament, that took place over the weekend of June 8-10, was "water, water everywhere and not a trout to anywhere."

The trout is Michigan's state fish, but according to area anglers who cast a line at this year's tournament it seemed like the lake trout was an endangered species.

"I fished harder than I had ever fished before and I caught the fewest fish I have ever caught. I never expected the fishing to be that poor," Dave Juilleret, member of the Lake Charlevoix Area Trout Tournament L.L.C., the group in charge of organizing the event, said.

Fishermen made excuses for the abnormally low number of bites, including everything from weather conditions to the commercial fishing industry.

But, Tom Rozich, Fisheries Supervisor for the Department of Natural Resources (DNR), said there should have been plenty of trout in Lake Charlevoix.

He said that the DNR hasn't changed anything in terms of plantings and that fishing for both brown and lake trout was great in 1999 and at the 2000 tournament the fishing was wonderful.

But Juilleret said that resident and visitor anglers only caught five brown trout of legal limit total this year.

"During a decent year you'll catch five browns in six hours of fishing," he added.

In both 1999 and 2000 the DNR planted 25,000 "advanced" brown trout in Lake Charlevoix that averaged 8 inches in length.

They also planted 100,000 lake trout in both 1999 and 2000 at an average length of 6-7 inches.

"We planted them in deep water too, to avoid walleye predators. I'm at a loss. I think the fish are surviving, whether they swam out to Lake Michigan or just weren't biting, I don't know," Rozich said.

Rozich explained some days the fish are biting and then there are the days, like trout tournament anglers felt, when "you wouldn't think there is a darn fish down there."

At the end of the weekend there were four salmon on the board that Juilleret said were all caught near Seven Mile Point by the same boat.

He added that the three top lake trout caught weren't brought in easily, they had to jig them up with smelt.

Trout tournament brings many visitors to Charlevoix and some are concerned that those who left after the first day with no bites may not be back to try their luck next year.

Juilleret said he did hear some talk from fellow fishermen about not returning for another try but he also said that most of those who fished at the tournament walked away with a prize even if they didn't bring home a fish.

Even if the tournament becomes a local tournament, Juilleret says they only need 500 people fishing to keep their commitments and to keep it alive.

As for the rest of the summer's fishing, Rozich said, "Right now there is no concrete answer. I will meet with those people (members of the trout tournament committee) and reevaluate our stocking effort."



Florida reunion

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Junior golfers in the Charlevoix area kicked off their summer as scholarship winners were announced during the orientation and registration week that saw another large turnout.

With 160 already registered for the program, predictions are that in the next couple of weeks the total will again top 200.

During the orientation sessions, the scholarship winners, who will be attending a week of golf camp at Ferris State University, were introduced.

They are: Gavin Mahoney, Kendra Spencer, J.D. Thomason, Adam Wager, Kelsey Dulancy and Lor Powers. Criteria for their selection included: golf potential, citizenship, dedication and recommendations from teachers.

In the six years of the Charlevoix County Junior Golf Program, over 30 youngsters have attended the prestigious camp.

Initial enrollment for the summer instructional program took place last week and additional golfers have until June 28 to register.

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Search on for volleyball coach, athletic director

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

For the past two years Carolyn Loper has ate, drank and slept Charlevoix High School girls' volleyball. But she recently decided the position was too much.

On June 4, former Charlevoix High School athletic director and assistant principal Keith Haske received a letter of resignation from Loper. In the letter she stated she could no longer continue coaching because she is facing a possible job relocation and because of the long hours she is working that are keeping her away from home.

"This would allow one of the many qualified faculty members to take over the program I fought diligently to rebuild the last two years," she stated.

Haske said that in his 17 years of experience he has found it is more difficult for coaches like Loper, who aren't part of the school staff, to build athletic programs.

However, rather than abandoning her love for both teaching and volleyball, Loper has requested that whoever is hired to fill her position at the high school consider appointing her

to head up the middle school program.

She cited three benefits to the middle school position that make it well-suited to her. Those listed include: a shorter season, fewer away games and her love for the age group.

"I have many wonderful ideas that would help bring their volleyball program up to speed with the surrounding schools. This of

course is also contingent upon my employment remaining in Charlevoix," she stated. "It's been a roller coaster ride with many ups and many downs but overall it was a wonderful experience."

At the June 12 school board meeting the board accepted her resignation. However, in order

to fill Loper's vacancy the district needs to appoint someone to the position of high school assistant principal/athletic director, the spot left open recently when Haske was named the new principal at the middle school.

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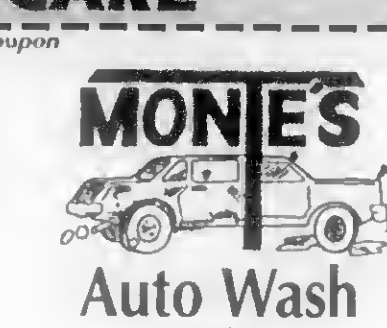
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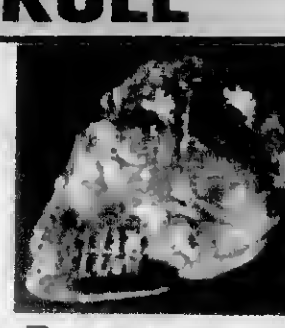
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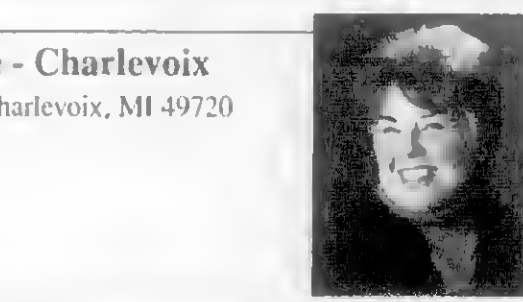
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Doctor brings his family business to Charlevoix

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Dr. Rick Randall is keeping the family business alive and branching it out to northern Michigan.

His clinic, Randall Chiropractic Clinic located at 1302 Bridge Street in Charlevoix, is just the latest addition to the chiropractic medicine his family has been offering since the 1950s.

The first Randall Chiropractic Clinic was opened by his father in 1954 in Flint. The elder Randall was soon followed by his daughter and his two sons, one of which is Rick Randall.

"I knew I wanted to get into the health care field. I looked at dental school and medicine. But, the greatest influence was my father," Randall said. After deciding on chiropractic medicine, Randall graduated from a national chiropractic school in Illinois and has been working with a variety of patients for the past 20 years at his father's practice in Flint.

"I like helping people. It is really

rewarding when you work with people and with your hands you can make a difference for them," he said.

Randall recently moved to northern Michigan and, after spending some time working in real estate, decided he wanted to open his own clinic. He decided on Charlevoix because it is a "beautiful and friendly place to be and Charlevoix needed another chiropractor."

To further make this a family business, Randall's wife, Audra, also works at the clinic. She has a degree in interior design from Michigan State University, but has acquired knowledge and experience in the field of nutrition while working in the Flint office for the past seven years.

Since the original clinic in Flint was well established before he joined on, Randall said many of the patients were older, thus giving him the chance to perfect his skills on people 60 and over.

But, he said, chiropractic medicine works for people of all ages. Randall said he has worked on patients who were from 3 days old

to 94 years old.

Randall emphasizes the health of your back in his treatments. Just like a dentist helps keep your teeth healthy, Randall said he helps keep the spine in good working order.

He added this is of particular benefit to the many athletes in the Charlevoix area.

"Chiropractic and athletics go hand-in-hand," he said. By having a healthy spine, Randall said athletes will find they will pull less muscle, resulting in less injuries.

Randall Chiropractic Clinic opened March 21, 2001. Its hours of operation are currently 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Saturday. Starting July 2, the office will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Monday, 1 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. on Saturday.

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Dr. Rick Randall uses his skills to help keep his wife, Audra's, back in perfect working order. He is hoping to help Charlevoix residents with his techniques. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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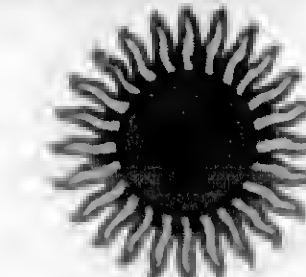
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The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday in the Charlevoix High School cafeteria. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

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is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrillie at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

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7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

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The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

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The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on

the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

EVENTS IN BRIEF

About these coming events....

As a courtesy to readers, announcements of local coming events of broad general interest that arrive by 5 p.m., Friday are published in this section of the newspaper on a one-time, first-come, first-served basis. Because there is no guarantee of placement, readers should not rely on this free service as their only means of reaching the public. Events must be from a non-profit organization.

Helen Open

Announcing the First Annual Helen Open. This first year, the scramble will be limited to 11 teams of five golfers and will be at noon on Aug. 19 at the Charlevoix Municipal Course, with bev-

erages and brats, awards and prizes at the Townhouse afterward.

Registration will be at 3 p.m. on June 24 at the Townhouse. Given the initial response to discussions with various community members and friends, the roster of golfers is expected to fill up very quickly. Even if you're not going to golf, come the afternoon of June 24 for grilled chicken (cash bar, meals served for nominal donation).

Panhellenic Women to meet

The Northern Michigan Panhellenic Women will have the first luncheon meeting of the season at noon, June 27 at Evelyn Hall in Bay View.

All Panhellenic Women of the area are invited to attend. New members are always welcome.

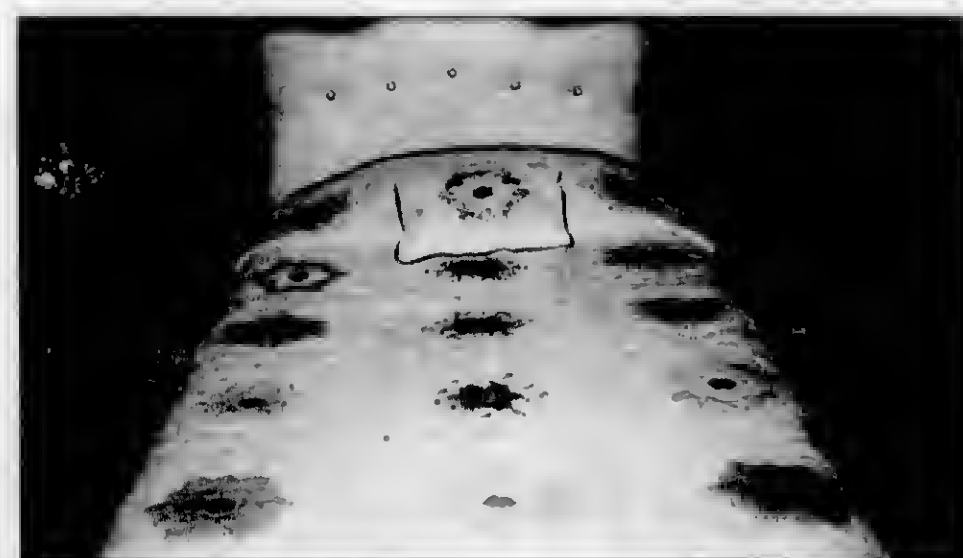
Reservations are due by June 25 and can be made by calling 347-1819 or sign up at the Bay View Post Office.

Norwood Ice Cream Social

From 2 to 5 p.m., on July 7, is the Norwood Ice Cream Social with lots of ice cream and homemade cookies, guided horsedrawn wagon tours and demonstrations of rope making, blacksmithing, children's games, quilts and crafts. Organizers are searching for Norwood school pictures and memorabilia to display. Call 547-0721 if you can help.

Featured event

Quilt show



A quilt show will be given from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 12 - 15 at the Depot next to Depot Beach on Dixon Avenue in Charlevoix. The show will feature a variety of quilts, each with its own unique story, such as the quilt above. This quilt was created by Virginia Rountree and bordered by Mary Helen Riggle in 1998. It was a project by one of the Charlevoix Congregational Church's circle groups. (Courtesy photo)

SCRAPBOOK

The third bridge over the Pine River Channel

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society

With steadily increasing water traffic, bridge number three became like today's, Charlevoix's focal point, a center of magnetic attraction to which most of its activity was at one time or another drawn.

People clustered daily to watch the parade of vessels small to magnificent that came and went from Round Lake. The wooden gates were suspended right at the edge of the drop-off, so when they were down spectators simply leaned their arms on them and placed their toes smack at the rim of the abyss. Should it ever happen that a gate might give away (it reportedly never happened), over they would go into the drink with no one but themselves to blame for getting soaked. This was the era before rules and restrictions, when people took their own risks and paid the consequences for doing so.

In April of 1882, the Charlevoix Sentinel reported that "About noon Friday a cloud of dust appeared over the hill, and soon two horsemen appeared over the bridge, followed by J. Milo Eaton's cavalcade of Texan horses and mules — all running loose and following the two horses and riders. Bringing up the rear came A. J. Cameron and an assistant in Mexican saddles. The animals, nearly 50 in number, went through town on a gallop, and it was a novel sight indeed."

Two months later, "A 'prairie schooner' (Conestoga wagon) of the old-fashioned sort, drawn by one mule and a horse, passed through town Tuesday. It came all the way from North Carolina, and its owner located in Hayes (township)." These were only two of the novel sights the bridge witnessed in its short existence.

By 1885, the traffic going through the channel had reached astonishing proportions. In May alone of that year, brigetender James Martin reported he had swung the bridge a mind-boggling total of 717 times. This statistic alone demonstrates the crucial role Charlevoix now played in the economic functioning and well-being of the Lake Charlevoix basin and surrounding lands. A mere 20 years before, it had been a hard-scrabble little village whose number of buildings could be counted on two hands, its inhabitants eking out a hand-to-mouth existence. Docks, dredged channels, piers and bridges had helped transform it beyond recognition.

In 1891, police officer James Martin was off and Powell Mudge on as brigetender, for 86 cents a day. Apparently he received less than Martin because he didn't hold down two municipal jobs.

By 1900, it was becoming too apparent that a new bridge was going

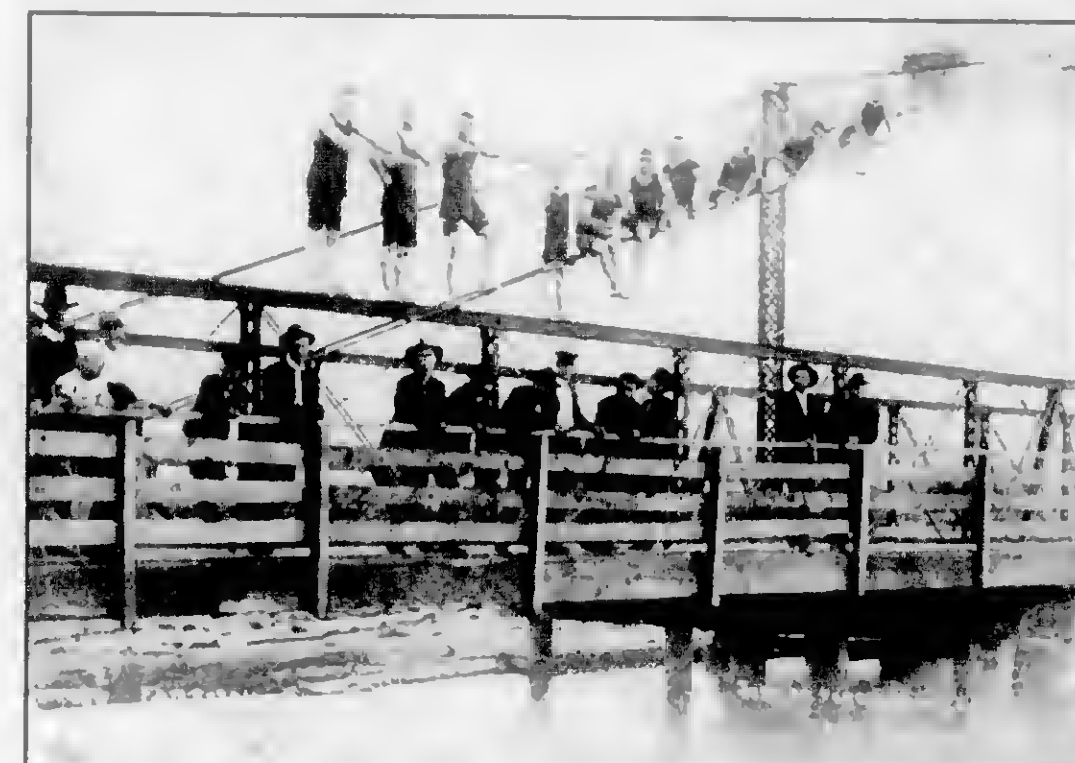
to be needed soon. "The condition of the center foundation of the old bridge is very precarious" from rust and rot, reported the Sentinel, "an old structure (yet only 20-odd years old) which, at the most, cannot be used more than eight years longer." It could be patched up for \$3,000. But the War Department, which

oversaw crucial waterways, emphasized that vessels now plying the Great Lakes had become bigger, and were destined to become larger still. If Charlevoix wanted to take advantage of this fact it would have to deepen the channel from twelve to twenty feet. But for that to happen, since deeper, bigger ships

needed a wider draw, the width at the bridge had to be increased by 20 feet. The entire package would cost \$20,000. The proposal was put to the voters. Willard Smith said in the Sentinel that "We are of the opinion that the latter plan will be in the end the wiser one." Like so much of

what he enthused about and recommended, it was right on the mark. The voters agreed and the bond proposal accepted. They would receive "a broad, modern bridge, with stone center pier and approach abutments."

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Charlevoix residents enjoyed the third bridge over the channel, during a time when there were few regulations and rules prohibiting some of these stunts. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

Official Notice

NOTICE

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on June 13, 2001, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.

Official Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE

In an effort to keep Charlevoix beautiful, city crews will pick up grass clippings and brush from along city streets per the following schedule:

GRASS	BRUSH
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June 21	June 28
July 5	July 12
July 19	July 26
August 2	August 9
August 16	August 23
August 30	September 6

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The life of the third bridge BRIDGE

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So in February of 1901, the wreckers came in, and by early March "The old iron bridge, which we once thought was the only thing on the earth (of its kind), is practically all taken down and is piled up in chunks on the revetment." It was quite an emotional time for the town, since the bridge of which the people had been so proud was, at the time of its construction, a state of the art work of art. South Arm township bought it for \$1,200, and hauled the pieces by scow down Lake Charlevoix where they were reassembled to serve as a major part of the causeway across the tip of the lake's south arm into downtown East Jordan. There it re-

mained until the 1920s when a new causeway was constructed, so it was removed and towed back north a few miles where it was installed as the entry bridge to Holy Island a few miles south of Ironton.

Back to the cable-guided scows again went the town for the ferrying of everything and everybody for the few months required to put our fourth bridge into place. And now was about to begin the remarkable career of the man who devoted his entire adult life to the care and well-being of his bridge, learning his craft beginning in 1899 during the last years of old #3, manning the scows in 1901, and now about to take over for the next 31 years.

His name was Elmer Johnson, and his is a wonderful story.

(To be continued next month)

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Charlevoix man injured in watercraft accident June 17

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office investigated a watercraft accident with injuries on Lake Charlevoix near Evergreen Point in Charlevoix Township at approximately 5 p.m. on June 17.

Bernard Manker, age 21, of Charlevoix was headed inland from Lake Charlevoix just off Evergreen Point aboard a Wayler windsurf board. The victim's brother, Alex Manker, age 22, of Charlevoix was cruising away

from shore when his Kawasaki PWC collided with the windsurf board, swiping the victim's leg.

The operator of the windsurf board suffered minor cuts to his leg and was treated at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The accident was investigated by Charlevoix County marine Deputy Greg G. Justis and remains under investigation.

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Past queen



Read about past Venetian courts in this week's Scrapbook.

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Ship visits town

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

For the first time in about 50 years, a Great Lakes cruise ship used Charlevoix as one of its destination points June 21.

The Greek-flagged ship, Arcadia, arrived early in the morning on June 21, mooring just off the pier near Michigan Beach. Passengers on the ship were ferried to a dock in Charlevoix's municipal marina by the boat Bay Pride, out of Petoskey. After being taken back to the ship around 11 p.m., the Arcadia departed around 4 a.m. June 22.

"It went great. I know a lot of passengers ate on shore and a lot went shopping," Kris Rasmussen, Charlevoix downtown coordinator said.

Rasmussen said the ship's passengers were offered a variety in entertainment when they got to shore. Passengers were offered a tour of the city, there was a band

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The horizon off of Michigan Beach in Charlevoix contained a sight not seen in about 50 years, a passenger cruise ship. The ship, Arcadia, anchored just off the pier near the beach on the morning of June 21. As the sun went down that evening, the ships lights made an impressive reflection on the water. Earlier that day, passengers on the ship were ferried to the mainland where they were greeted by Charlevoix harbor master Hal Evans (above). (Photos by Jeremy McBain)

Business-owner, legend dies June 14

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

On June 14, local legend and Townhouse Bar owner Helen Weislik, 76, died.

Helen was born Oct. 7, 1924 in Hamtramck, where she was raised by her parents, Peter and Catherine Bielecki.

When she was 19, she met and married Sylvester Weislik and in 1962, 19 years after they married, the pair headed north, to Charlevoix. Together Helen and Sylvester owned and operated the Townhouse Bar on Bridge Street.

Sylvester died in 1982 leaving Helen to run things on her own. According to her son Ron, that's exactly what she did.

"There was no doubt the Townhouse was a special place because of Helen."

Bruce Weislik,
from a speech about his mother, Helen Weislik

"Maybe she wanted to prove she could do it by herself. It's a tough business. It's not for the meek," he said.

Anyone who knew Helen could safely say "meek" isn't an adjective that accurately described her. In Ron's 31 years of helping out at the family business, Helen fired him

"many times." It was also common to see uneven tempered clientele expelled from the premises by Helen herself.

Helen's famous phrase, "Don't youse guys got no homes to go to," can be echoed by Charlevoix residents and visitors who tested her patience.

When you were at Helen's you played by her rules. Her work ethic

demanding respect. She put in 70 hour weeks on a regular basis and molded herself the reputation of a tough lady who served stiff cocktails.

But, she had a sense of humor. Many Townhouse patrons fondly recall the 1997 Roast and Toast in honor of Helen. At the event everyone shared their best Helen stories and the profits went to support local schools.

Ron said that she enjoyed everything, but her work schedule was pretty packed, so she didn't have much time for hobbies.

But, when she wasn't working, she knew how to relax.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

John Anthony Karl, 31, Mancelona. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Michael Edward Left, 43, Charlevoix. Attempted obstruction of justice. Bound over to circuit court.

Raymond Lloyd Swadling, 41, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Shawn David Willis, 26, Charlevoix. Sex offender, failed to register. Six months probation; 45 days in jail with credit for one day, 44 days held in abeyance; \$500 in fines and costs.

Faith Marie Tieber, 29, Mancelona. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Carolyn June Tarket, 30, East Jordan. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Ryan Douglas Luras, 21, Ellsworth. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Edward Phillip Lee, 21, Boyne Falls. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Chad Michael Collins, 19, Ellsworth. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$63.

Anwar Tawfiq Madanat, 44, Boyne Falls. Criminal sexual conduct-second degree/relationship. Bound over to circuit court.

Gary Steven McSawby, 47, Charlevoix. Attempted criminal sexual conduct-fourth degree, victim between the ages of 13-16. Two years probation; 365 days in jail with credit for 44 days, serve 60 days, 20 days of community service work; \$810 in fines and costs.

Randall Edward Cade, 40, Shelbyville. Driving while impaired. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 15 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 41 days held in abeyance; \$865 in fines and costs.

Jean Ellen Welch, 45, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 41 days held in abeyance; \$865 in fines and costs.

Jeremy Foster Parks, 27, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Kerry Franklin Moore, 39, Walloon Lake. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-

second offense. Two years probation; 365 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 45 days, 90 days on electronic monitor, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 213 days held in abeyance; \$1,515 in fines and costs.

Michael Alan Cornett, 18, Charlevoix. Minor operating a vehicle with blood alcohol content of .02 to .07 percent. Six months probation; five days of community service work; \$395 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix.

Daniel Edward Manes, 26, Boyne City. Home invasion-first degree; and assault, bodily harm less than murder. Consecutive sentences; home invasion — jail for a minimum of seven years and 11 months and a maximum of 20 years with credit for 189 days; and assault — jail for a minimum of six years and six months and a maximum of 10 years.

Carl Bradley Schmidt, 58, Port Clinton, Ohio. Attempted burning insured property. Two years probation; 12 months in jail with credit for two days, serve six months; \$65,374 in fines and costs.

Jeffrey Bryan Hart, 20, East Jordan. Probation violation-unlawful use of a motor vehicle; and probation violation-allowing a suspended person to drive. Defendant's probation is revoked; 90 days in jail with credit for 25 days, to serve 90 days.

Foster Dennis Boshans, 27, Saginaw. Attempted criminal sexual conduct-fourth degree, victim between the ages of 13-16. One year in jail with credit for one day, to serve 12 months.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Northern Forty Enterprises, 01445 Larson Road, Boyne City, by Wayne E. Ramsey and Elizabeth M. Ramsey

The Cycling Salamander, 02217 US-31 South, Charlevoix, by Rebecca Glatfely and Chester Morris

Real People Productions, 02217 US-31 South, Charlevoix, by Rebecca Glatfely and Chester Morris

Villa Nuava del Norte, L.L.C., 02285 Las Olas Court, Charlevoix, by Robert Dojnowicz

Pat Howard Construction, 01450 Walton Road, Boyne Falls, by Patrick K. Howard

Horton Creek Inn B & B, 05757 Boyne City Road, Charlevoix, by Jeannie Babbitt and David Babbitt

J.C. Brady's Maintenance, 03411 Campton Road, Elmira, by Mark Brady

North Guard, 425 North Park Street, Boyne City, by George E. Moore II

Precision Welding & Fabrication, 03784 Pleasant Valley Road, Boyne City, by Mark R. Zumbaugh

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Scott Allan Kerschner, 35, Charlevoix and Mary Anne Baillargeon, 29, Charlevoix

Daniel Wayne Terryberry, 28, Tecumseh and Kristen Lee Garback, 26, Charlevoix

Brian Kelly Hammond Sr., 34, East Jordan and Kelly Ann Ploe-Evans, 30, East Jordan

Theodore Bruce Armstrong, 37, Leonard and Patricia Mae Peck, 33, Boyne City

Jesse Lee-Allan Silva, 30, Charlevoix and Amanda Lynn Teal, 23, Charlevoix

Zachariah Adam Johnson, 22, Charlevoix and Anastasia Marie Tilton, 25, Charlevoix

Births
Katie Marie Legato, weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces was born to Michael Legato and Carrie Argetsinger of East Jordan on June 20 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital

Correction

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, there was an error in a outline under a picture on page 23. It should have said, "Bridge number three removed to serve as a causeway over the tip of Lake Charlevoix's South Arm into downtown East Jordan."

Development's troubles make it all wet

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Heavy spring rains made "The Whippoorwill," a 26-acre north side development, look marshy, but real estate agent Greg Bryan of ReMax said claims that the site is a regulated wetland simply aren't true.

"There is a high water table there, but that does not make it a wetland. You can be walking in water up to your knees but that doesn't mean it is a designated wetland," he said.

The Whippoorwill sits on 26 acres of land bordering both Waller and Old Orchard roads. Despite the high water table, 14 of the 27 lots included in phase one of the development have been sold.

"The north side of town is a desirable place to live. The Whippoorwill is no less desirable than North Pointe Woods or the Country Club," he said.

Some looking to invest in property at the Whippoorwill have been told that they can't have basements because of the water table issue.

A drainage system has been developed by Performance Engineers Inc., of Charlevoix, including drainage ditches that run along Old Orchard and a retention pond

situated in the center of the development.

The developers, Sue Erber and Ron Weislik also ran into a culvert complication. A culvert that runs across Old Orchard Road was lifted by frost. Last year, when the road was re-paved, the culvert wasn't lowered to its proper position.

As Bryan pointed out, water doesn't run up and he claims that because of the lifted culvert, more of the spring rain settled on-site than would have, had the culvert been properly positioned.

In early June, Manthei Development of Charlevoix was back on-site — they tore the road out, and with the permission of the township, lowered the culvert 12 inches and re-paved the road.

Weislik and Bryan both said that after the culvert was lowered, water levels in the detention pond went down three feet.

Bryan said that all of the engineering has resolved the water issue and that, "There is no doubt it is wet but it will be dry."

It may have seemed like a developers nightmare, but Weislik said better now than later.

"We're fortunate it happened now, that way the problem could be resolved before too many homes were under construction," he said.



This northside development has been having a hard time with flooding. But, the developers feel they are getting it under control. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Other than the surface water issue, the high water table also requires the site to be serviced by sewer. The Whippoorwill is tapped into the city's system.

Another 27 homes are planned to be built in phase two of the project which Weislik said will begin after lots in phase one are sold.

Fourth of July events in area

The Fourth of July will be celebrated throughout Charlevoix County next week.

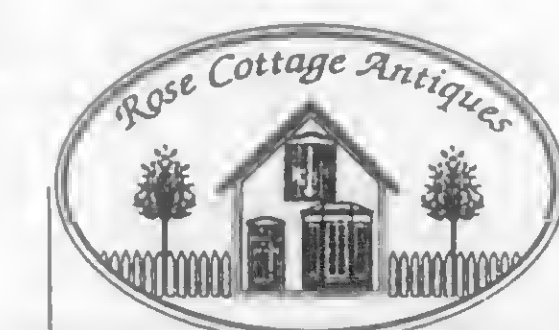
The following events are scheduled to coincide with this summer holiday.

• There will be a parade in downtown Charlevoix starting at 10 a.m. on July 4, from Charlevoix High School to East Park in downtown Charlevoix.

• Beaver Island will be celebrating our nation's birth with fireworks and a parade. The parade starts at 2:30 p.m. in the downtown area of St. James, in addition to a Kid's Carnival. Fireworks can be seen over the harbor at dusk.

• Horton Bay will have its annual Fourth of July parade. This year's parade theme will be the Horton News Network and "all the news that is fit to parade." Parade organizers say, "Neither hail, nor sleet, nor pestilence, nor famine, nor electrical disturbance,

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OPINIONS

What do you think about the festival?

The results are in from last month's "What do you think?" question.

The question was, "Where do you think a new industrial park should be placed in Charlevoix?" Apparently the readers could care less about where an industrial park is placed, because we did not receive any responses.

Therefore, we will move on to this month's "What do you think?" question.

With Venetian Festival looming on Charlevoix's horizon, we have heard many people around town discussing this summertime event. Some people have said the week-long celebration is just too much, while others felt it was just right. People have discussed the location of some of the events, some saying they should not be in the downtown area, while others say they should. And traffic is always an attention getting topic.

We have even heard people sharing their memories about the festival, good and bad.

This festival impacts just about every life in Charlevoix and it seems ev-

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

Everyone has an opinion on the event.

Therefore, this month's question is: "What do you think about the Charlevoix Venetian Festival?" This can be answered several different ways. Examples including telling us what you would change about the festival or share your memories of past festivals.

We invite you to share your thoughts. Although, do not make any personal attacks in it. Personal attacks will be edited out and we may not even publish the letter. Also keep it under 250 words and sign your name to it.

Send your responses to the *Charlevoix Courier* at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com; or drop them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix.

The responses will be published in the July 25 edition of the *Charlevoix Courier*.

Global warming can be proven with Charlevoix



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

Nobody — not from the University of Michigan, nor the Bush administration, nor the European Union in favor of the Kyoto treaty — nobody has checked with any of us in Charlevoix as to our opinion on the threat of global warming.

This is indeed an unfortunate omission.

In answering the question, "Is there or isn't there global warming?" here are indisputable facts, as I recall them.

In the good old days, almost all the summer people had fireplaces and cords of wood were delivered as soon as families arrived late in June. These wood burning fires were lit pretty frequently during the entire season. When visitors came north from, say, southern California or Georgia, they were reminded to bring sweaters and rain gear. In August we could always count on what was known as a "three day blow."

That's when we headed to Petoskey to do serious Christmas shopping

on Lake Street.

For a number of years now we have not lit the grate fire once, all summer! Cords of wood lie unused. Nor have we had a good three day blow. Sweaters lie folded on our shelves and rain gear hangs in our closets. Instead, Sears is selling more air-conditioners. Gone are the chilly evenings with a game of bridge, now we can count on balmy bonfires on the beach and symphonies on the green.

"And what about our winters," puzzled scientists may ask?

Let me tell you! Old timers described snow reaching up to the second story windows. They told of strong armed men who shoveled snow that created a tunnel five foot high from the front door to the sidewalk!

As for me, I recall everyone having a long steel pole attached to their car, topped with a little yellow flag. I think they gave them out at the gas station or sold them in the hardware store. The object being that one could see the little yellow flag coming around the corner, long before one could see the car appearing from behind the mountains of snow piled up on the streets.

Gone are the little yellow flags along with mountains of snow. In fact, the local ski areas were hurting badly for several winters because of the lack of snow. This change has been keeping more and more people

"up north" for longer periods during the winter.

"Winters aren't so bad up north anymore," we are told. Instead the two favorite get-away-months now are November and April, during what is called the "mud" season.

There's no doubt that old timers agree our climate up north is changing. If it's warmer here, that also means it's a lot warmer down south during the summer, which is too bad. What if this trend continues? Will we eventually be growing palm trees here by Round Lake instead of pines?

We've been told that the United States contributes 25 percent of the emissions to the earth's gradual global warming and that this is the most formidable threat to our world's environment. Chicago has already taken the lead to create a greener metropolis by turning to renewable sources such as wind and solar power and with the warming trend I describe in Charlevoix, there's no reason for more scientific studies.

The warming trend is for real!

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Letters to the editor

Response to letters

Editor:

In regard to the May 16 letter by John Yaroch, I would like to say to him thank you so much for offering from your south side position, to place a large marina on the north side in an entirely residential neighborhood near Depot Beach. I guess I could quote nearly every word you said and it would perfectly fit Ferry Beach except that Ferry Beach has more of everything than Depot Beach, including commercial development. OK, so back at you Mr.

Yaroch.

In regard to the May 23 letter by John Winn, that was nice, measured, organized, full of statistics...about nothing...but very well written and organized. OK, lets dissect it: It would appear that there is at least one serious problem with attempting to increase boat slips inside the bridge and that is the bridge. Mr. Winn, your stats on the bridge and your comment on the bridge tenders in other places using some sort of communication technology to set up boats

entering/leaving certainly has merit...big time! However, your comments on the number of boat slips had by lots of other places falls into a somewhat less important category since none of those places is anything like Charlevoix.

Second problem: The town fathers or somebody has some money and it's burning a hole in their pocket, some extra tax money, some grant money, some matching funds, who cares, it's money and someone or several someones want

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to hire and pay "consultants" to tell us how we should be doing things. Allow me to suggest that when those consultants live on Round Lake (as do we, like you, Mr. Winn) then they can come and suggest lots and lots of docks and floats and all sorts of stuff and we both listen.

All right, two problems, the bridge doesn't need to open any more than necessary and Mr. Winn has a technical solution for that. The city fathers have money they want to spend. 1) Fix up/replace the bathrooms, showers, whatever they are in the park so that there is a set for day trippers and a space for people who rent a space at the dock. 2) Make the docks floating, add a few if possible. 3) Fix and increase the size and ability of both pump out and shopper's docks...so that people can actually step off their boat and buy something in downtown Charlevoix, that is the reason being given for all this marina talk, isn't it? 4) Build a breakwater out from the South Pier into Lake Michigan, along the Lake Michigan Beach, move the beach around the shore a bit, put in docks, bathrooms, among others. Then be sure you put up lots of signs saying: "This way to downtown" or "fudge, ice cream and T-shirts this way" or whatever you need to say to attract the new boaters from the new marina into town for dinner, groceries, T-shirts, fudge, wedding gifts or whatever.

Nan Ruth Chardoul
Charlevoix

Thank you, Marilyn

Editor:

My name is Dave Schuchard. My parents were Bob and Lil Bergmann and I have one sister, Mary Mol (she married Bob Mol, a Charlevoix native)...the Bergmann Center is named after my mom who gave a large portion of her life helping the less fortunate. Anyway that is not why I am writing this letter.

I am writing to tell you that I grew up in Charlevoix from 1946-1962 (we moved to Charlevoix from Detroit where I was born in 1942). I really believe that I grew up in the best town and during the best of times — the 50s. I have lived in North Carolina since I was discharged from the army in 1964, and I have subscribed to the *Courier* for all these years to keep "in touch" with Charlevoix. Other than the obituaries from time to time, I very seldom recognize any names or faces, so Marilyn Boss's monthly column is one that I really look forward to. Sometimes she outdates me but for the most part I remember

the names and places from my growing-up years...the most recent article about the beaches really hit home.

When we lived on Bridge Street in the early 50s we would always go to the Ferry Avenue beach (but only after we had finished all of our chores.) Mom always left Mary and I a list on the fridge. We moved to Michigan Avenue in the middle 50s and then we started sharing time with the Depot Beach and the Lake Michigan beach...those memories of spending time at the beach are some of my fondest...the Bergmanns used to have a annual chicken roast on the beach. Dad would build a fire with driftwood and grill chicken and corn on the cob. To this day I have never tasted anything better. I am sure the people who have lived in Charlevoix for most of their lives and were there in the 40s and 50s are enjoying Marilyn's monthly articles, so keep it up Marilyn and thanks for sharing with the past.

Mary and I, along with our spouses, are planning a trip to Charlevoix in the fall, hopefully around Apple Festival time, so Marilyn, why don't you have a "Days gone by" booth set up for those of us that lived during the time when the population of Charlevoix was about 2,500 and it grew to 10,000 in the summer? If so, I will see you then.

David G. Schuchard
Aberdeen,
North Carolina

Thank you

Editor:

On June 8 the Charlevoix County Hospice sponsored another successful benefit auction. This year's theme was, "2001: A Space Odyssey — Reaching for New Heights — Your Reach Will Help Others."

A very deep appreciation to all the artists, crafters and businesses in Antrim, Charlevoix and Emmet counties who donated to the auction. A very deep appreciation to Boyne Mountain for again donating the Convention Center for the auction.

A thank you to auctioneers Jeff Macfarlane and Jim White who kept the live auction moving right along. The music was provided by Margaret Thomson who gave real joy to the evening. Thank you to Carol and Hank Ross, Carol for all her artwork and Hank for the wonderful publicity.

I want to thank all the volunteers who helped collect all the items for the auction and also those who helped set up and worked the night of the auction.

A special thank you to our cashiers, Tracy Conti and Suzanne and Jeff Rogers. And a very special thank you to Pat Johnson and Sharon White who kept me calm, cool and collected!

Due to the generosity of those who attended and made generous bids, Hospice can continue to provide the high level of services that are needed for those making their final health care decisions. We also can continue to provide grief and bereavement services for all in need. We are very grateful to all of the people who supported us on that evening.

Margaret E. Lasater
Executive Director
Charlevoix County Hospice

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The Lake Charlevoix Area Trout Tournament



Winners in the 2001 Lake Charlevoix Area Trout Tournament pose at the event, Sunday. From left to right are Chuck Foster of Boyne Falls with a 12.76 pound salmon, Bill Morris of Oden with a 10.52 pound steelhead, Ken Wojan of Petoskey with a 12.34 pound lake trout and Bruce Roznowski of Gaylord with an 8.30 pound brown trout.

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Local vet competes in Golden Age Games

James Memmer, an Air Force veteran from Charlevoix, was one of more than 400 veterans in their "golden age" who competed in the fifteenth National Veterans Golden Age Games June 9-15 in Duncanville, Texas.

Participants in the games were U.S. military veterans from across the country, all age 55 and over, who receive medical care through the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Memmer, 56, currently receives care at the Veterans Affairs medical facility in Saginaw.

He competed in horseshoes, bowling and bicycling at the games.

"Competing in the Golden Age Games is a wonderful experience to look forward to each year," said Memmer.

The games are meant to demonstrate the value of providing exercise, recreation and friendly competition, which helps older people deal with disability and aging. Athletes compete within ambulatory and wheelchair divisions and age groups.

"These men and women are inspiring. There is no other way to say it," said Secretary of Veterans Affairs Anthony J. Principi. "The Golden Age Games bring together veterans who landed at Normandy,



Charlevoix resident James Memmer competing in the horseshoes event. (Courtesy photo)

POWs from Korea and Purple Heart recipients from Vietnam. Anyone who has ever attended the games

and seen the esprit de corps among the veterans knows the event fills a special need in their lives."

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Various benefits for hospital announced

A number of summer events are being planned this summer to benefit Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The Kappa Sigma Home Tour has traditionally benefited several worthy causes, with the hospital's Obstetrical Department usually being one of them.

The home tour is scheduled for July 11. Tickets are available in Charlevoix at The Appletree, Shop of the Gulls and the Clothing Company. On the day of the tour, tickets may be purchased at each of the homes.

Symphony on the Green, sponsored by the Community Relations Committee will be on July 13 at the Charlevoix Country Club. This summer's event marks the third year the Traverse Symphony Orchestra has played a benefit concert for music lovers, all to benefit the hospital.

"A Toast to Broadway" is the theme of this year's concert and will feature Kevin Rhodes, Maestro with the Traverse Symphony Orchestra and tenor Mark Planner. For ticket information please call 547-8502.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will host their third Annual Garden Walk on July 19. Garden Walk proceeds are used for the club's gardens, including the hospital's Meditation Garden near the front entrance.

This garden is due for a major expansion this summer thanks to the Garden Club and Sharon Blossom, who has designed a new garden in memory of her sister, Janet Brown. The club is also selling raffle tickets for a handmade quilt and footstool. Garden Walk tickets and raffle tickets may be purchased at Don's IGA in Charlevoix, Don's Market in Harbor Springs, The EJ Shop in East Jordan, and Mary's of Boyne in Boyne City. Garden Walk tickets are also available in Charlevoix at the Appletree, Central Drug and A Touch of Spring. Raffle tickets are also available in Charlevoix at Barb's Hallmark and The Clothing Company. Members of the Garden Club also have both walk and raffle tickets.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people

Findlay graduate

Allison Kujawski, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from the University of Findlay in Findlay, Ohio. She has a degree in equestrian studies.

CMU scholarship winner

Tanya Wyniawskyj, of Charlevoix, was recently awarded the Leader Advancement Scholarship from Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant. The four-year renewable scholarship is awarded to the state's top high school student leaders.

NCMC academic honors

Several students from Charlevoix were honored for their academic performance recently at North Central Michigan College. Barbara Anne Haske was named to the President's List at the college with a grade point average of 4.0. Lyndsay Anne Blechel, Erika Buntova, Rene P. Feindt, Robert Allen Kennedy, Josh Alan Leese and Debra C. Robinson were named to the Dean's List. Each of them had grade point averages between 3.5 and 3.99.

Hope College dean's list

Two students from Charlevoix were named to the dean's list at Hope College in Holland recently. They were: Kari Boss, a senior, and Taya Drost, a sophomore.

Naval duty

Navy Petty Officer First Class Daniel Meggison, son of Kathy M. Meggison of Charlevoix and Jerry B. Meggison also of Charlevoix, recently reported for duty at Naval Air Station in Keflavik, Iceland. Daniel is a 1987 graduate of Charlevoix High School. He joined the navy in July 1987.

Michigan Tech graduates

Two students from Charlevoix recently graduated from Michigan Technological University. They, and the degree they graduated with, were: Jason D. Firman with a bachelor of science in civil engineering and Margaret Elizabeth Spang with a bachelor of science in biomedical engineering.

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Barnard Grange 689 recently presented Char-En's Hearing Impaired Class with a check to purchase new books for their classroom.

Concordia dean's list

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A sidewalk as canvas

Kaytlyn Melke, 7, of Charlevoix, spent the afternoon of June 21 decorating city sidewalks with her chalk art. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Take a moment to enjoy the wait at the bridge

By FR. JIM GUNN
Rector, Christ Episcopal Church of Charlevoix

The last article I wrote started with me thinking about the petunias that adorn our city from May throughout the summer. There is another feature of our community that is more prominent in the warm weather... the bridge!

I feel quite sure that everyone reading these words has spent some amount of time sitting in a line of cars waiting for the bridge to go back down and let us continue on our way. I would even be willing to say that some of us have entertained some "colorful" thoughts when coming near the bridge and realizing it is in the up position, since there is no other way to get from here to there without going many miles out of your way!

We live in a culture where such a time of waiting is not valued; rather, it is regretted. I once read a remark highlighting that in the Nineteenth century people were not terribly upset if they missed a stagecoach and had to wait until the next day, but we had gotten to the point in the Twentieth century where we were irritated waiting for

Beacons of Blessing

the next section of a revolving door.

I'd like to suggest that we try giving thanks for being in the line at the bridge — I agree that sounds like a startling idea, but it could have some benefits. We could, for instance, simply accept the fact that we aren't going anywhere for a few minutes and look around us. We might notice some particularly striking piece of God's handiwork. It could even be something we had seen hundreds of times, but shone forth with a new beauty on this occasion.

We could look around us at the people on the streets and in other cars. What is happening in their lives? What problems are they facing that day? What pain is causing them to look sad? We don't have to know the answers to those questions in order to pray for them. God knows the full details of their lives and their problems and their pains. It is His desire to touch their lives

with grace and love and healing — and it may be that our prayer will "open the floodgates of heaven" so that blessings will rain on them.

We could even just sit there and take a couple of deep breaths and seek a sense of peace within us. I once wrote an article for a magazine focusing on prayer. The article was entitled "Stop, Look, and Listen" and I mentioned it previously in another Beacons of Blessings.

It seems appropriate to hold it up again in that it can direct us to simply value that time of waiting. It tells us to do exactly what it says — stop, look and listen. When we take those deep breaths it can prepare us to hear God say something to us. I don't mean that we will necessarily hear an audible voice like on a radio or loudspeaker (although we should never rule out that possibility) but in that quiet space we may have a sense of leading that we can attribute to God.

I will leave it to you to come up with other possibilities to fill the time of waiting at the bridge. There are many that could be profitable and edifying. Perhaps one day I'll see you there in line.

I will definitely endeavor to follow my own advice.

Weislik leaves behind many stories and laughs

WEISLIK

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He said that for the last couple of years the family took three or four trips annually to Stuart, Florida.

He added that she was a softy for the spirit of Christmas. She loved dressing up the business and checking out other store windows around town.

"She liked knowing everybody. She was always a fixture behind the bar. She felt needed, she felt a purpose," Ron said.

Helen was diagnosed with lung cancer on Jan. 3, 2001. Ron said that being inactive was hard on her and that she told him if she could just breathe a little better she could get back to work.

Helen passed away just five months later.

Her son Bruce addressed those who attended a morning Mass of the Resurrection in her memory on June 16 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix.

"There is no doubt the Townhouse was a special place because of Helen," Bruce said. "Over the course of the past 40 years, she tended to the social and entertainment needs of many of you. The Townhouse has become a rite of



Helen Weislik standing behind the bar of her beloved Townhouse. (Courtesy photo)

passage for generations of Charlevoixians."

Throughout the years this "rite of passage" included an initiation by Helen herself. The initiation wasn't a set program, but everyone who came through the glass and wood door had or would soon have a Helen story to tell.

Ron plans to take over operations at the Townhouse.

"I'm going to try to fill her shoes, but those are big shoes," Ron said.

The Weislik family is sponsoring The First Annual Helen Open, a golf tournament scheduled to take place Aug. 19 at the Charlevoix City Course. For more information contact Rochelle Whippo at home 547-3518 or at work, 547-0881.

Tournament proceeds will benefit the American Cancer Society.

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Summer Reading Program to start

The Timestep Players, a children's theater group from Chicago, will kick off this year's Summer Reading Program at the Charlevoix Public Library.

The show will be starting at 1:30 p.m. today in the basement of the library.

Children can also sign up for the summer reading program after the performance by just visiting the library.

According to interim library director Charlie Kregel, this year's summer reading activities will be "loads of fun."

Each child will keep a list of the books they read on a file in the library. For every book completed, children can stick a colored light on a sailboat with their name on it and the boat will be placed on a mural in the library lobby.

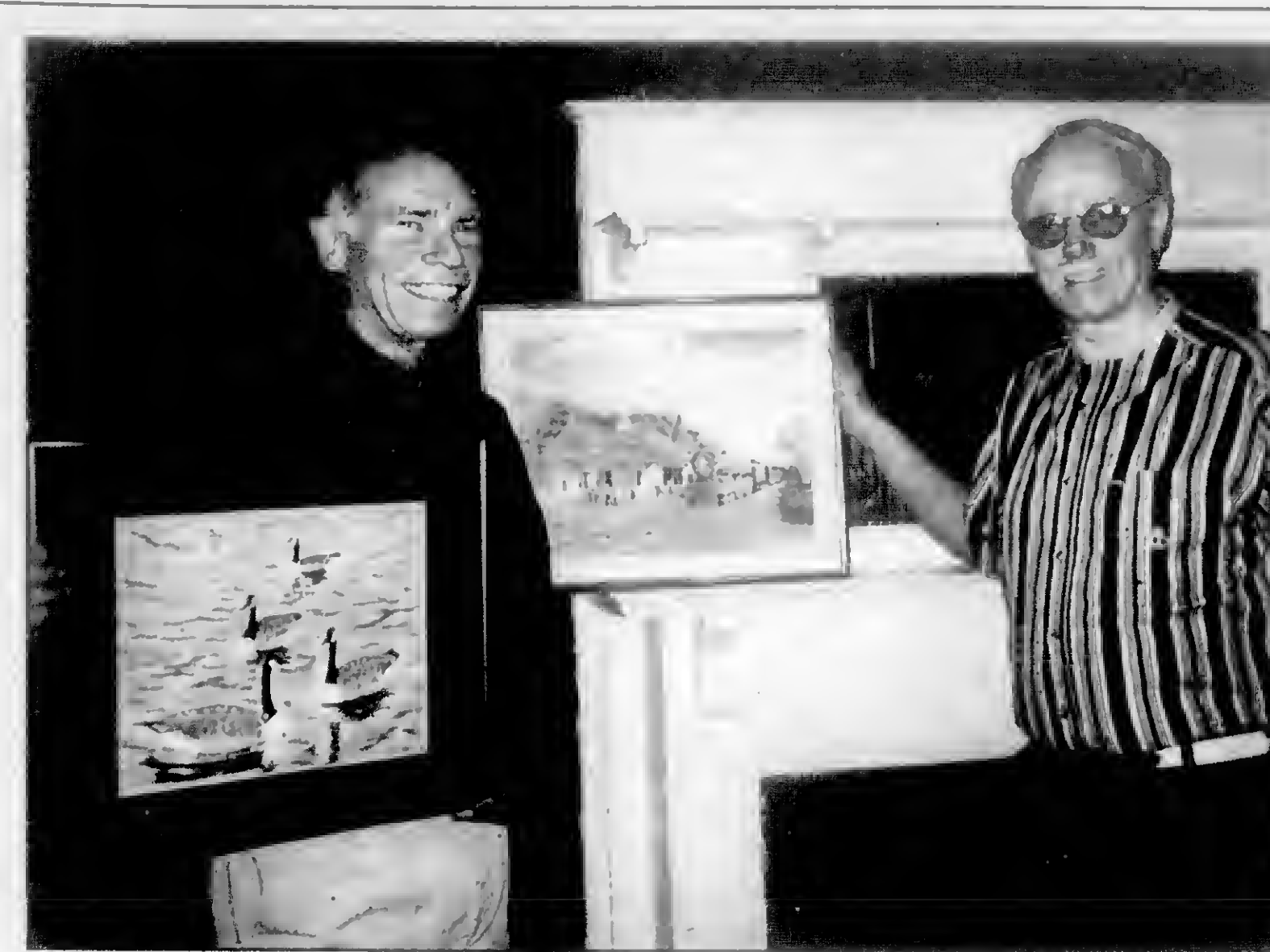
Kregel added some new twists in the program should make it special. At regular times each week, kids will be able to discuss the books they have read with a Friends of the Library volunteer.

There will also be a Celebrity Story Hour where each week a different local celebrity will spend an hour reading to the children.

"So far we have lined up our police and fire chiefs, a lifeguard from the community swimming pool, the school nurse and a high school basketball star," Kregel said.

A schedule of story-reading dates and times is posted in the library.

The summer reading program will finish with a celebration in the afternoon of Aug. 8 on the front lawn of the library. At that time, children will be presented with a certificate acknowledging their reading achievements.



Paintings donated

Two original paintings by Lyle Miles, a Charlevoix resident until his death in 1997, have been given to the Charlevoix Historical Society by the estate of Helen Goldstick, Miles' sister-in-law. The paintings will be restored through the "adopt-a-painting" program. Over 209 pieces of Charlevoix art still require repair and can be adopted by contacting the society at 547-0373. The collection can be seen Monday through Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Harsha House Museum at 103 State Street in Charlevoix. (Courtesy photo)

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Fishing for trophies

John Sanders, of Livonia, recently spent his afternoon enjoying the warm weather and fishing from the Lake Michigan pier. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Get ready to register for this year's Venetian games

The 2001 Venetian Games will feature an array of team and individual events, but to be a part of them make sure you are aware of the registration dates and rules.

Two popular events from last year, golf and tennis, have both been expanded to allow for more participation this year. However, both will maintain the entry restrictions from last year, which required participants to have a Charlevoix area mailing address, thus keeping the event for local enthusiasts.

In the golf tournament, the Keith Carey Cup, adult and junior golfers will vie for championship trophies. Co-managers of the tournament, Tom Dorsek and Scott Blechel, have designed a format with top scorers from the qualifying rounds being placed in either the championship, first, second or third flight.

Participants must register and play qualifying rounds June 28-July 2. Match play will take place July 3-23, with each flight's championship scheduled for Venetian Week, July 24. Defending champions will automatically qualify for match play.

The junior golfers tournament will be on July 19 and 25. For more information call the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course at 547-3268.

The tennis tournament will also have a new format. It will

take place during the entire Venetian week starting on July 17 and climaxing with the finals on July 22. Registration for the tournament will be through the Charlevoix Recreation Department at City Hall with a July 19 deadline. Call 547-3253 for more information.

The popular Jeff Drenth Road Race will again feature 10K, 5K and one mile races, with registration at the recreation department. The race date is July 29.

Swimming for all ages will again be at the Charlevoix Area Community Pool. Participants need only to show up and register at 4 p.m. on July 25 to compete. Races include freestyle, backstroke, butterfly, breaststroke and IM events. For more information call the pool at 547-0982.

A new event last year, Cottage Croquet, will be July 24 in Bridge Park in downtown

Charlevoix. A 1 p.m. clinic will kick off the event with two person teams making up the field with a single elimination tournament following the clinic. For additional information or to volunteer as an event helper call 547-9314.

The new events, disc golf and sporting clays, will be debuted this year. Disc golf is played similar to golf with various "holes" accompanied by assorted hazards. Although instead of a golf ball, participants use a flying disc.

There will be three levels of competition: novice, intermediate and advanced. Registration in advance is available at the city recreation department or on site at Mount McSaubia on July 22.

Sporting clays is a Rod and Gun club sponsored event for certified marksmen with registration at the club site on July 29.

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Three vehicle accident caused by animal in road

There was a three vehicle accident on US-31, a half-mile from the south city limits of Charlevoix around noon on June 22.

Mark Stone, 43, of Kewadin and his daughter Elinor, 13, were traveling north in a GMC Safari van. They were behind a brown 1996 Jeep driven by Glenn White, 67, with his wife Delcie White, 65, of Omena, as a passenger.

Glenn braked and stopped for a small animal, possibly a dog, that ran in front of him. Stone was unable to stop in time, rear-ending the Jeep in front of him.

After being struck from behind, the Jeep was shoved across the centerline, into the left lane, striking a blue, Dodge pickup truck traveling south. The Dodge truck was driven by Thomas Cichoski, 42, of Eastpointe, with his wife, Theodora Cichoski, 45, of Eastpointe, as a passenger.

All three vehicles were damaged considerably.

Both Glenn and Delcie White received injuries that required hospitalization. Theodora Cichoski received a head injury from an impact with the windshield; she was not wearing a seat-belt.

Two dogs that were in the Cichoski truck were cared for by the Charlevoix County Humane Society while their owners were hospitalized.

The Whites and Theodora were transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital by Charlevoix Ambulance.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department was assisted by the Charlevoix Township Fire Department and officers from the Charlevoix City Police Department and the Michigan State Police.

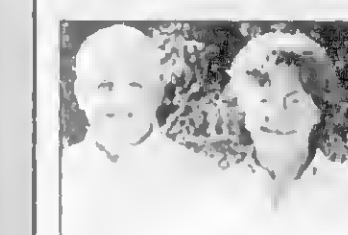


Police and firefighters clean up the scene of a three vehicle crash on US-31 last week caused by an animal crossing the road. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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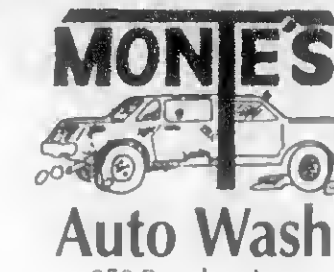
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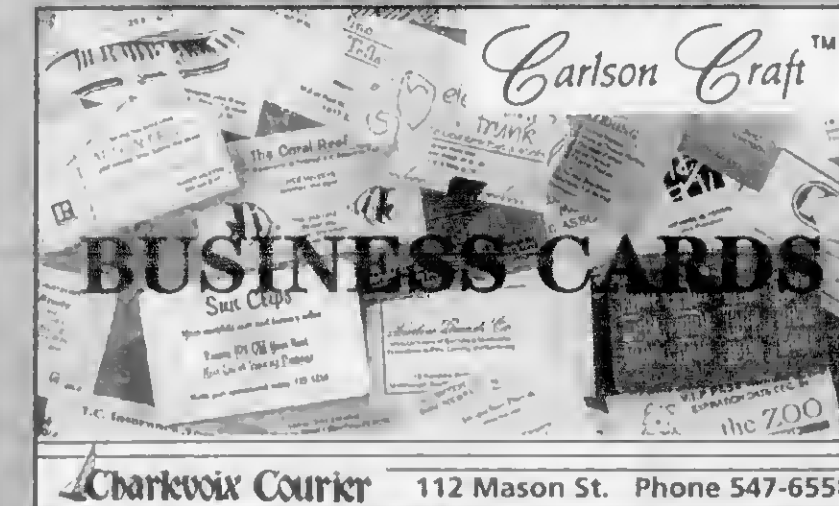
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Just after the roosters sounded the morning alarm at the Kiteley farm Thursday morning, Quincy McMullen, 3, of Cheboygan started grooming a bright red mustache — a perfect match for the streaks of red that quickly painted his once white shirt.

Thursday was the McMullen family's annual strawberry picking outing at the Kiteley farm off of M-66, three miles out of Charlevoix's city limits. Quincy was working the patch using his trademark "one-for-now, one-for-later" system with a red mustache created by strawberry juice.

That's right, the strawberries are in and Quincy's seeded smile and colorful ensemble are a testament to the fact that this year's crop is just as juicy as it is sweet and tasty.

The farm has been in operation for almost 20 years and the Kiteley's trademark strawberry operation began 10-15 years ago under

the watchful eyes of Chuck and Carmen Kiteley.

In 1999, after almost two decades in the business, Chuck and Carmen were ready to hand over the bulk of the operation, but they wanted to keep it in the family. At that time, their son Mike, who grew up on the farm, was living in Tennessee with his wife Sue and their two children. But Sue said they both always wanted to make their way back to Charlevoix.

Mike and Sue bought the operation shortly thereafter and Sue said she caught on quick that strawberries may be easy eating, but cultivating the little red wonders is a different ball game.

She explained that getting your first good crop takes two years.

After planting, there's a year's wait before the patch will yield fruit. Sue also said that strawberries are spreaders, so to keep the rows in ship shape for optimal picking there is a lot of fertilizing, hoeing and weeding.

After the season is over, the plants have to be covered with straw and uncovered the next spring. Sue said that after three or four years of yielding fruit, you have to dig up your plants and start over again.



Andrew McMullen, of Cheboygan, digs deep into the strawberry patch to find the perfect treat to place in his basket. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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James McMullen and Andrew McMullen, both of Cheboygan, along with Katie Kiteley, 5, of Charlevoix and Kara Black, 13, of Florida, feed the goats a morning snack at Kiteley's. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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Not only does the Kiteley family offer Charlevoix residents some of the best strawberries in the business, but they'll also soon have a

boatload of pickable raspberries. Sue anticipated the raspberries coming in right around July 4.

If berries aren't your bag, but fresh veggies spark your interest, by mid-summer you can get some sweet corn and other fresh garden vegetables. Once you've loaded up your car with freshables don't forget to add some scented color to the dining table with a fresh cut bouquet.

When you're suiting up to hit the road remember Quincy's white shirt and reach back in the closet for something more strawberry friendly.

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School budget lists ways to trim money

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix school district has found it's tough to break even in two places, food service and sports, but to cut back on either may mean students lose more than what comes out of the district's wallet.

"A good extracurricular program goes right along with education. The students learn valuable lessons in and out of the classroom," Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, John Sturrock said.

The proposed budget for 2001-2002 shows the general fund contributes \$208,000 to sports and \$40,560 to food service each year.

Sturrock explained that extracurricular programs can't be run on the

revenue they generate — if money is tight, one of the most obvious places for a district to make cuts is in extracurricular activities.

"We would look across the board. But maintaining the integrity of the academic program is my first priority," he said.

However, the district does currently have a \$3 million surplus. As of now none of the four proposals are necessary, but if the general fund can no longer contribute \$208,000 to the athletic budget these options may be explored.

The proposed athletic budget for 2001-2002 shows the bulk of the total revenue, \$246,000, comes from the \$208,000 transfer from the general fund. The next biggest money makers are admissions for boys bas-

ketball, which the budget estimates will bring in \$12,000; football admissions at \$9,000 and season ticket sales at \$8,000.

The district is spending the largest chunk of the revenue on coaches and officials who make up \$154,000 of the \$245,200 expense budget. Other areas where big bucks are spent is equipment/repair which costs \$11,000, uniforms at \$10,000 and travel/meals at \$9,000.

At the June 11 school board meeting the board adopted a plan that would allow them four future options if and when athletic cuts are needed.

The first proposal would allow the district to eliminate all middle school sports at an interscholastic level replacing the sports with an

intramural program.

Or, when push comes to shove the district could eliminate all non-revenue producing sports at the high school and middle school. That would mean both schools would offer football and girls basketball in the fall, boys basketball and girls volleyball in the winter and girls/boys track and baseball/softball in the spring.

The board's third option would be to maintain only varsity sports and possibly offer an intramural program at the lower levels of both the high school and middle school.

The fourth proposal reflects the system Gaylord currently operates on: the pay to participate concept. With the pay to participate system, all sports in both the high school

and middle school can be maintained.

A second area the district is looking to break even is in food service. Sturrock said that the relatively small number of students in the schools make it more expensive to run the program.

In addition to the \$87,000 federal sources supply the district with, the general fund contributes \$40,560. The district is expecting to bring in and pay out \$394,560 next year which equates to a \$40,560 loss from the general budget.

According to the district's accounting manager Judy Boss, in an effort to try and make up some of the money students may have to spend more on a la carte items in the cafeteria.

Men arrested for OUIL after crash on June 16

At 10:25 p.m., June 16, the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department and Boyne City ambulance were dispatched to an unknown accident on Boyne City/East Jordan Road near Tompkins Road in Wilson Township.

The vehicle, later determined to have been driven by Jeffery

Craig Tenney, 30, of Ludington had missed the stop sign on Tompkins Road and hit the bank on the opposite side of Boyne City/East Jordan Road.

Upon arrival all occupants of the vehicle had fled the scene. The Boyne City Police Department was first on the scene. They pursued a second vehicle, which

turned out to be a passenger in the accident coming back to help a friend.

The driver of the second vehicle, Michael Wood of Weidman, was arrested by a Boyne City police officer for driving under the influence of alcohol.

A second Boyne City police officer along with Michigan

State Police apprehended another subject from the accident who was attempting to elude police by swimming away in Deer Lake.

A third subject, Gabriel Perez was apprehended by a Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department deputy at a nearby residence.

All three subjects were treated

by Boyne City Ambulance. Two of the men were released with minor injuries while the driver Jeffery Tenney was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital where he is being treated for more serious internal injuries.

Alcohol was a factor in the accident which remains under investigation.

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Stormwater changes discussed at board meeting

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Concerned residents told the Charlevoix County Stormwater Board of Appeals if they don't put "stronger teeth" in the county stormwater control ordinance, Lake Charlevoix will end up polluted.

"People are frustrated when they see non-compliance on their neighbor's property. Get consistent and back up the ordinance with zoning," Timothy Boyko, Hayes Township supervisor said.

At the June 22 meeting, Boyko said township zoning laws need to reflect the county stormwater ordinance. He believes that if individual townships and the county are on the same page, the ordinance could be enforced more efficiently.

The 17 residents from across the county who attended the meeting supported Boyko's idea of consistency within both township and county government. Many asked the board why enforcement of the old ordinance was poor and how enforcement can be changed so that the

new ordinance will protect our lakes.

Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner JoAnne Beemon said that when six of the seven variance requests that are submitted are granted, the law is being changed and the appeals board needs members who understand conservancy.

She added that with Charlevoix city stormwater draining directly into the lake, the county still has a lot of work to do.

Charlevoix County soil erosion and stormwater control officer Wendy Armstrong said to review all county building permits she would need a staff of 20. It is the responsibility of individual townships to call in and notify Armstrong of questionable development sites.

Armstrong said that in April of 1998 when the first county stormwater control ordinance was established, using Grand Traverse's ordinance as a model, the board decided to review it every couple of years.

The ordinance was reviewed in 1999 and it's time once again to take a look at

possible changes based on Armstrong's recommendations.

Armstrong said one problem she has run into was the definition of commercial. She said as it was stated in the ordinance it didn't define commercial as what they intended it to be.

Commercial use as defined by the ordinance is, "1. The use of property in connection with or for the purchase, sale, display or exchange of goods, merchandise or personal services, as well as the maintenance or operation of businesses or recreational or amusement enterprises. 2. All land uses except for one-family and two-family detached dwellings."

Armstrong has also ran into enforcement issues. She said that a change in the ticketing process whereby ordinance violators would go through the magistrate as opposed to going through the court system would push the process along.

Board member and county commissioner James Behling said that with the change, "You can stop something a lot quicker than going

"People are frustrated when they see non-compliance on their neighbor's property."

Timothy Boyko,
Hayes Township supervisor

through the courts."

A third issue Armstrong would like to see revised is the buffer language. She recommended that the board use enforceable language or remove it from the document.

The current guideline states, "Removal of natural vegetation and tree roots which would expose bare soils within 50 feet of the ordinary high water mark of any lake or stream shall be discouraged."

Boyko suggested taking the word "discourage" out of this stormwater control ordinance guideline and leaving in shall.

The next board work session will take place July 13 in the county commissioners' room inside the Charlevoix County Building.

Members of the Stormwater Board of Appeals are: Shirley Roloff, James Behling, Jim Vaveh, JoAnne Beemon, Jim Malewitz, Tom Erwin and Wendy Armstrong.

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Art festival admission is free. For more information call the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce at (231) 547-2101 or visit www.ArtFestival.com.

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A fashionable time

Mary Ann Roberts of Mary's in Boyne City models sporty wear for the summer during the recent fashion and trunk show at the Charlevoix Country Club. The show featured fashionable threads of local stores across Charlevoix County. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Lions golf tournament scheduled for July 12

About 100 golfers are expected to head for their tees to await the starting gun July 12 at the Belvedere Golf Club for the Charlevoix Lions' Seventh Annual Four Play Team Scramble Charity Golf Tournament.

The four-player teams are each going for top-team trophies and prizes. Each golfer will be after hole-in-one prizes of: \$10,000, a camcorder, an airline round trip ticket for two and a set of golf irons. There will also be prizes for the closest-to-the-pin, longest drive and a \$5,000 putting contest with a finalist's trophy and prize.

The awards dinner will immediately follow the event at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bells Bay Road. Drawings for door prizes will be featured.

The check-in begins at 1 p.m., July 12 and the shotgun start is at 2:30 p.m. The \$5,000 "Put for Bucks" contest finals will follow immediately after the last hole.

The \$95 per player fee includes the 18 holes, cart, all the events and the awards dinner. A fee of \$12 is for awards-dinner-only guests.

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The work consists of construction of approximately: 12,000 SYD of Gravel, 2,014 TONS of Asphalt, 7,000 LFT of Curb & Gutter, 14,400 SFT of Concrete Sidewalks and Driveways, 2,151 LFT of 8" DIP Water Main, 4,462 LFT of 12" DIP Water Main, 13 Fire Hydrants, 1,800 LFT of Water Services, 30 Catch Basins, 30 Manholes, 1,744 LFT 36" Reinforced Concrete Pipe, 621 LFT 12" Reinforced Concrete Pipe, 2,120 LFT of 15" Sanitary Sewer Main, 1,409 LFT of 8" Sanitary Sewer Main, 550 LFT of 6" Sanitary Sewer Laterals, etc.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO THE ELECTORS OF NORWOOD TOWNSHIP CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JULY 17, 2001

To the qualified electors of Norwood Township notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held on Tuesday, July 17, 2001, for the purpose of:

To vote on the following proposals:

Shall the previously voted increase in the 15-mill tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Norwood Township be renewed at .5 mills (\$0.50 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 2001 through 2003 inclusive for Emergency Services; and shall the township levy such renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$15,145.00?

Yes

No

Shall the 15-mill tax limitation on general ad valorem taxes with Norwood Township imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution be increased for said Township by 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 2001 through 2003 inclusive for Road Improvement Purposes and shall the township levy such increase in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$30,290.00?

Yes

No

The Polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock AM and will remain open until 8 o'clock PM of said day of election.

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Charlevoix gets visit from first cruise ship in 50 years

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playing in East Park and they could take advantage of some golf packages, in addition to shopping and dining in Charlevoix.

However, according to some of the passengers on the ship, there was a mix-up in Charlevoix that caused some tour confusion.

Thelma Caplan, a passenger on the Arcadia from Seattle, Wash., said her cruise to Charlevoix was okay, but there was a mix up in the tours when she arrived on the mainland.

"The tourist organization (in Charlevoix) needs a little help in planning so there is a little more organization," she said.

But, most of the passengers took any glitches in plans in stride.

"In general that is what we expect, some small problems," said Alex Gopp of Ann Arbor.

After his day in Charlevoix, Gopp said he thought the people from the area are very nice. As for his cruise, he said, "This idea about cruising the Great Lakes is very interesting."

He added there were several people on the ship from the Charlevoix and Petoskey area.

Brain Stanhope, a musician on the ship from British Columbia, Canada, said the cruise to Charlevoix was lovely and the

water of Lake Michigan was a "black calm."

He said the ship is small and easy to find your way around in, with nice cabins and excellent food.

A fellow musician from the ship, Brian Stanhope, added, "You wouldn't do better in any other hotel."

While the trip went smoothly, it was a light load.

Ralph Diehl, president of Great Lakes Cruises, Inc. — the company that charters the ship — said there were only about 60 passengers on this ship. The Arcadia can hold 224 passengers.

"I've heard from different people in different parts that this is the worst year for tourism in 15 years," he said. However, Diehl expects the next ship to Charlevoix will be much fuller.

As for the reason why the ship did not come into Round

Lake, which was one of its options, Diehl said he had not talked to the Arcadia's captain yet, but thought it probably was due to the width of the Pine River Channel.

"That is definitely a nail-biter," he said.

While he said he knows that freighters used to come down the channel, he said a passenger ship is a completely different thing.

"The problem is if a freighter touches the side (of the channel) it is not a big deal. But if a passenger ship touches the side it is a disaster," Diehl said. He said the media would and Coast Guard would "go nuts" if that happened.

Charlevoix Harbor Master Hal Evans added it was the first time on the Great Lakes for the Arcadia's captain and he was a little nervous about bringing the ship into Round Lake.



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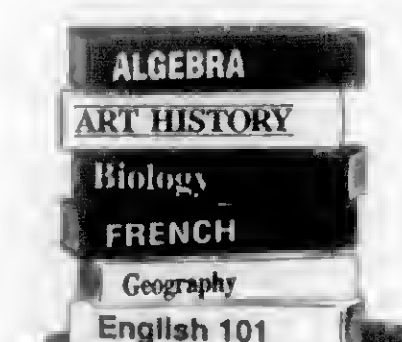
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Chicken chasing

Katie Kiteley, 5, of Charlevoix, uses up some energy, and has some fun in the process, as she chases down a chicken on her family's farm recently. Her family owns and operates Kiteley's Farm and Market. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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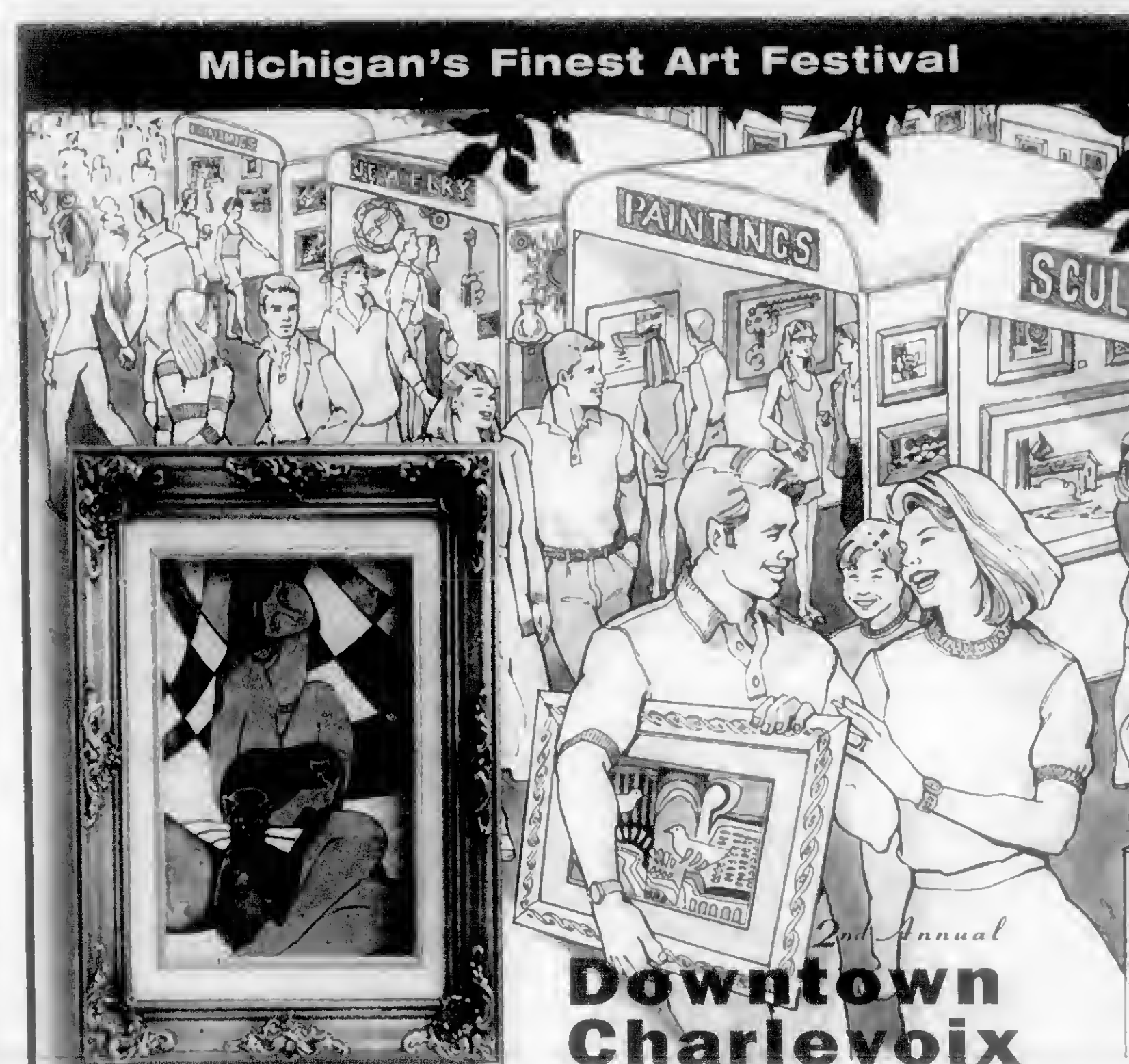
The concerts drew an audience estimated between 8,000 and 10,000 and became a special memory for many young musicians as well as a wonderful moment in Interlochen history.

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At Charlevoix Area Hospital, the use of cellular phones inside the building could interfere with the transmission of information on the Telemetry system, an electronic remote communication equipment system that allows patients with heart monitoring devices to move about and walk outside their rooms. Patients' cardiac rhythm is broadcast to the nurses' station computer where trained personnel keep an eye on their heart rates and other necessary information.

"We have not had a problem with electronic interference with our equipment, we simply want to avoid it, so we've posted signs and we ask people to step outside to use a cell phone," said Bernadette Cole, registered nurse and manager at Charlevoix Area Hospital. "These precautions are based on evidence of problems elsewhere that we are aware of."

Cellular telephones may interfere with certain cardiovascular patient monitors, according to a recent Mayo Clinic study. In most cases, however, the level of interference was not severe enough to be clinically important, investigators found. The research was published in the January 2001 issue of "Mayo Clinic Proceedings."

The latest study adds further support to recommendations regarding prudent use of cellular phones in hospitals.

In other hospitals throughout the United States, other patient care-related equipment has been discovered to be interrupted and even malfunctioned because of the use of cellular phones. In a rare example, a young patient was diagnosed with epinephrine poisoning after he re-

ceived an unintended 10.5 milligram of intravenous concentration of an epinephrine infusion delivered by infusion pump.

An investigation found the pump in working order and a cellular phone in the "stand-by" mode in the immediate area.

When these conditions were duplicated in a lab setting, the pump displayed a "999 milliliters per hour" rate of infusion, 10 times the desired amount. Once the phone was removed from the vicinity, the pump reverted to its original setting. Despite developing pulmonary edema and other problems, the patient recovered.

For this reason, and others, hospital staff members ask that all patients, visitors and vendors comply with the hospital's facility's restrictions on the use of cellular equipment. Cellular phones can be safely used outside the entrances of a hospital.

In studies by investigator David L. Hayes M.D., a Mayo Clinic cardiologist, and other research teams, some cellular phones might interfere with implanted devices such as cardiac pacemakers. In the more recent study, investigators found that the most severe interference occurred when a cellular telephone was held one to two inches from some devices. Hayes and colleagues determined that the interference was unlikely to cause a serious malfunction at reasonable distances, more than about five feet from devices.

The investigators tested 17 different external cardiopulmonary monitoring devices in a laboratory setting over three months. All devices underwent maintenance checks before and after the laboratory tests to verify that the devices were working properly. Five cellular phones (four digital models and one analog model from three manufacturers) were used to test the monitoring de-

vices. The external monitoring devices tested included: Intensive care unit vital sign monitors; pulse oximeters; infusion pumps; non-invasive blood pressure monitors; telemetry packs; ECG monitors; defibrillator/monitor/pacemakers; intra-aortic balloon pumps and ventilators.

Devices were set up to operate in "normal" mode connected to appropriate simulators. Each device was tested according to an 18-step procedure, which included evaluations of device vulnerability to interference and whether a telephone's

ringing or its angle and distance from the device affected potential interference.

The cellular phones caused some level of interference in 41 percent of the medical devices tested and that some interference was present in 54 percent of the total tests performed.

The majority of the interference was observed in devices that display electrocardiograms (ECGs). Digital phones tended to create noise, or static, on the ECG baseline readings.

Analog phones tended to cause movement in the ECG baseline

readings.

Hayes and colleagues concluded that cellular phones would not likely hinder proper interpretation of ECGs at distances beyond five feet from monitors — "a reasonable distance."

Other studies conclude that the potential for mobile communication devices to interfere with medical technology depends on the frequency and power of the devices.

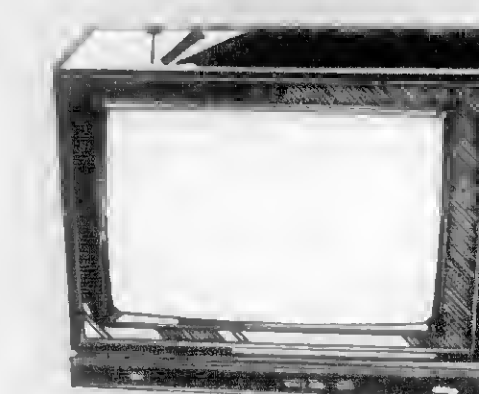
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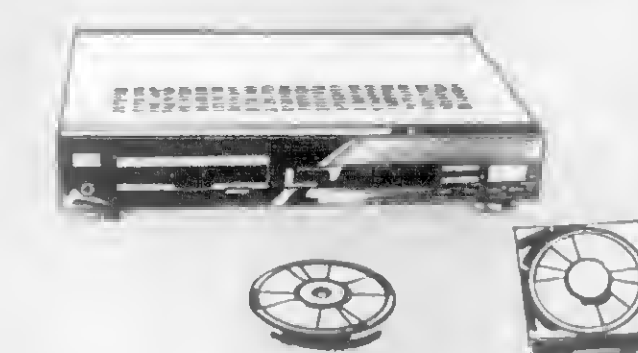
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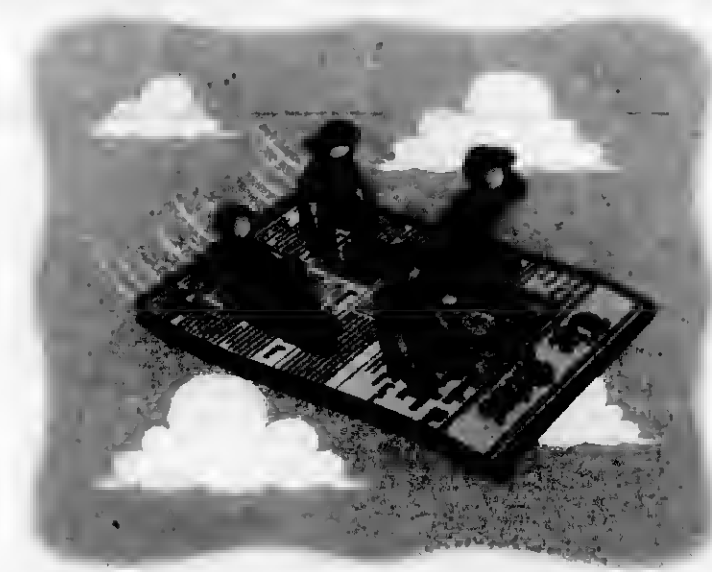
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING & BUDGET HEARING

JULY 9, 2001

The Charlevoix Township Board will hold its Annual Meeting & Budget Hearing on July 9, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. prior to the regular meeting at the Charlevoix Township Hall at 12491 Waller Road, Charlevoix, MI.

At such time the budget concerning estimated revenues and proposed expenditures will be submitted for consideration. The proposed millage rate to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

A copy of the proposed budget will be available for inspection at the office of the Clerk at 12491 Waller Road on Mon., Wed., and Thurs. mornings.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 Decedent's Estate
 FILE NO. 01-01-0278-DE

Estate of Henry P. Supemaw
 Date of birth: May 13, 1915

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Henry P. Supemaw, who lived at 101 E. Garfield, Charlevoix, Michigan died March 21, 1999.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Mary J. O'Brien, named personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301

State, Charlevoix and the named/personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: June 20, 2001

Mary J. O'Brien

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services Inc., is the Regional Substance Abuse Service Coordinating Agency serving the counties of Alcona, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Clare, Crawford, Emmet, Gladwin, Grand Traverse, Iosco, Isabella, Kalkaska, Lake, Leelanau, Manistee, Mason, Mecosta, Midland, Missaukee, Montmorency, Oceana, Ogemaw, Osceola, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, Roscommon and Wexford counties.

As part of its annual action planning process, the agency will be accepting Public Comment on services for the 2001/2001 Fiscal Year during the NMSAS Board of Directors meeting on July 9, 2001, beginning at 10:00 a.m. The Public Hearing will take place in the lower level conference room at the offices of the coordinating agency located at 1165 Elkview, Gaylord, Michigan.

Federal and State funding has been provided to support in the project costs.

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AREA ENTERTAINMENT

From the editor

We are in the process of changing our "Events" page to better serve our readers. Starting this week, and until further notice, we will print the non-profit events happening throughout Charlevoix County once a month. This will be published on the last Wednesday of the month and will contain events for the next month. A calendar of all meeting times and locations of non-profit groups in the Charlevoix area will be published on the first Wednesday of the month and when space is available. If you would like your Charlevoix County event listed in this section, and you are a non-profit group, please call 547-6558, fax 547-4992 or write to the Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720. Events are published based on space available, therefore it is not suggested that a group use this service as the only means of promoting their event.

Sidewalk sales

Boyer City will celebrate Sidewalk Sales from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on July 20 and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on July 21. The 100 and 200 blocks of Water Street will be closed to traffic on Friday only. For more information, contact the Boyer City Chamber of Commerce at (231) 582-6222.

Boychoir performance

The Boychoir of Ann Arbor will be performing at 7:30 p.m. July 1 at the St. James Episcopal Church on Beaver Island. Donations will be accepted at the door. The concert is entitled "Shoes & Ships & Sealing Wax."

Soap Box Derby

There will be a Soap Box Derby at 4 p.m., July 4 at the top of the Park Street hill in Boyer City. Registration starts at 3 p.m. All drivers are required to wear motorcycle-type helmets, all vehicles must have dependable steering and braking systems and there may only be one person per vehicle. For more information call (231) 582-9100.

Historical Society meeting

The Charlevoix Historical Society is having its annual meeting at 7 p.m., July 3 at the Depot located at Depot Beach in Charlevoix. A repeat of the standing-room only program on Charlevoix's six channel bridges by David Miles will follow the election of officers. For more information call 547-0373.

Invitational Arts Exhibition

The Jordan River Arts Council will have its annual Invitational Arts Exhibition from 2 to 4 p.m. on June 30 at the Arts Center located at 301 Main Street in East Jordan. Art will be on sale through the gallery. For more information call the gallery at (231) 536-3385 or call (231) 536-2152.

Fox family to perform

The Fox Family, from Nashville, Tenn., will be performing gospel music at 6 p.m. July 8 at the Charlevoix Church of the Nazarene, located at 12023 Waller Road in Charlevoix. A free will offering will be taken.

Book sale

The Charlevoix Friends of the Library will host a book sale from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. July 14. Books for purchase will be on the front lawn of the library and in the basement. Proceeds from the sale will pay for children's library books.

Tip of the Mitt meeting

The Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project Committee meeting will take place from 10 a.m. to noon, July 11 at the Boyer District Library. They will review both the outcome of a past public forum and the Lake Charlevoix Plan.

Friends of the Library to meet

The Charlevoix Friends of the Library will meet at 7 p.m. July 9 in the library basement. Interim library director Charles Kregel will discuss upcoming changes. The friends are also requesting book donations for their July 14 book sale.

Young State Park programs

Young State Park in Boyer City will be having several programs this week.

- There will be a Healing Weeds program at 10:30 a.m., Thursday. Participants will discover which weeds are helpful and some of their secrets. There is also a Trailside Tracking program at 3 p.m. on Thursday. Participants will search for animal tracks along the trails and learn to recognize them in their own backyards.

- At 3 p.m. on Friday, there will be a Tadpoles to Toads program. Participants will scour the pond in search of the amphibious creatures. Bring a net if you have one.

- At 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, there will be a Fossil Follies program. Participants will explore the beach for signs of life from the past. They will use a hand lens and microscope to discover the secrets in these fossils. Also, at 2:30 p.m., there will be a Senses Hike. Participants will touch, taste, hear, smell and see nature in a new way.

For more information on these



The Fox Family singers will be performing gospel music July 8 at the Charlevoix Church of the Nazarene. (Courtesy photo)



The Charlevoix Area Community Pool will be offering snorkeling classes for children. There is a \$15 fee. Sessions will be from 2 to 3 p.m. for children 9 and older on July 12, 19, 26 and Aug. 9, 16 and 23. For more information call the pool at 547-0982. (Courtesy photo)

Farmers' market

The Boyer City Farmers' market is currently open from 8 a.m. to noon on Wednesday and Saturday until mid-October. The market, located near the intersection of Park and River streets in Boyer City, is operated by the Boyer City Senior Center.

Island Museum Week

Beaver Island will be celebrating Museum Week from July 16-21. The events during this week are as follows:

- There will be Ceili Dancing for Kids at 2 p.m., July 16 in the Holy Cross Hall. The Ceili

Dancers, of Traverse City, will perform. Island residents and visitors can also share their musical talents at the Music on the Porch at 8 p.m. in the Holy Cross Hall.

- Mary Blocksma will have a book signing at 2 p.m., July 17 on the porch of the Print Shop. She wrote a book about her thoughts and paintings about life on the Lake Michigan shore. On July 17, the Protar home will also be open. There will also be a discussion by various authors on the life of James Jesse Strang at 8 p.m. in the Holy Cross Hall.

- On July 18, there will be a CMU nature walk for adults at the biological station. There will also be a barbecue and tour of the Beaver Head Lighthouse and the students and staff of the Light-

house school will celebrate the 150 birthday of the lighthouse. At 8 p.m. in the Holy Cross Hall, there will also be a Beaver Island Historical Society Oral History Project showing, where Robert Cole will present videos of past interviews with island natives.

- On July 19, there will be a nature walk for children at the CMU biological station, the Protar home will be open again and there will be an art show at the Beaver Island Community Center. Also, George Anthony and of Elders will talk about their life-long information gathering of Beaver Island Indians.

- There will be a pet show at noon on July 20 at the Print Shop. At 8 p.m., there will be a bingo game at the Holy Cross Hall.

WORK ON HOSPITAL STARTS

BUILDING OPERATIONS TO COMMENCE TODAY

New Institution Will Have All The Features of an Up-to-Date City Hospital

Work on the old Meech place on Huribut Avenue which is to be transformed into a hospital for Charlevoix started today.

The plans contemplate a thoroughly up-to-date completely equipped hospital in every respect. Besides a large general ward, there will be seven private rooms with bath and quarters for the nurses. The floors will be hardwood throughout and the interior woodwork will be enameled white. The operating room will be fitted with modern equipment sufficient to take care of any and all cases that may be brought to it, and a bacteriological laboratory is also included in the plans.

The building will be heated by a vapor system, the plumbing is to be A-1 and all electric wires carried in conduit. The grounds will be put in attractive shape and the place is expected to be open for business inside of two months' time. Fred H. Thomas is the contractor and Harry L. Oldham, treasurer of the Charlevoix Hospital Association, will have general supervision of the work.

Nothing has given us more pleasure in a long time than to be able to record the fact that a hospital for Charlevoix is assured. It is impossible to estimate the benefit that such an institution can bestow, not only in taking care of actual cases of sickness and accident, but along the lines of preventative work and general public health.

All subscribers who have not paid up and others who wish to help in the good work are urged to make remittance at once to Mr. Oldham, the treasurer.

Charlevoix Courier July 18, 1917

PALACE THEATRE OPENS JULY 10

WITH AFTERNOON AND EVENING ENTERTAINMENT

Special Features Booked for Opening Attractions—New Playhouse a Model Structure

Charlevoix's new theatre and moving picture house will open on Thursday, July 10, with both afternoon matinee and evening programs.

During the summer season the house will be open both afternoon and evening with a complete change of program each day, including the Sunday evening show, which will be the very best obtainable along religious and educational lines.

While this modern playhouse is as yet not completed, nor will be on the opening day, what work remains to be done will be finished during the hours when not open to the public. Interior decorations, features that will add to the comfort of those who attend, will be added as fast as the management can obtain them, and when completed, will stand second to none in this section of the state.

Manager Moon compliments himself on being able to obtain the services of Mrs. Rita Amick of Kansas City, professional picture player and orchestra leader, who will delight the "movie fans" with both classical and popular music.

For the opening numbers the management has secured William S. Hart's masterpiece, "Border Wireless," a thrilling, gripping play that will hold the closest attention of those fortunate enough to be present. In addition to this "Fatty Arbuckle" will appear on the screen in one of his side-splitting comedies.

The program for the balance of the week is high grade and as good as can be obtained and without a doubt the new playhouse will be filled to capacity during the entire week.

One of the features of the new theatre which will be appreciated by its



The 1947 Venetian Festival Queen and her court. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

patrons are the rest rooms for both sexes, located at the right and left of the main entrance. Another feature worthy of mention is the ventilating system installed, which completely changes the air in the building every 20 minutes, also the comfortable upholstered chairs and modern fixtures throughout. A full announcement of the opening day and program appears on page ten of this issue.

Charlevoix Courier July 2, 1919

Queen, Court Are Named To Preside at Venetian Night Events July 27

A queen and her court will be the new feature of Charlevoix's traditional Venetian Night when it is held this year July 27.

Sally Miller has been chosen as queen. Comprising her court will be Virginia Ranger, Anne Campbell, Helen Jean Hammond, Marion Craig and Audrey Byers.

At Venetian Night, the queen and her court will be on a special float, well lighted, which will be in the foreground during the parade.

Planning the event are the officers of the Marine Club: Frank Ochs, commodore; William Bellinger, secretary; and Joseph Howard, treasurer and harbor master. Helping is S. E. Coleman of the Board of Commerce.

Opening the day's events will be the Water Carnival. Starting at 3 p.m., it will be staged in front of East Park. Among the events will be diving contests and 50 and 100 yard swimming races. In each of these there will be three classes each for boys and girls: Juvenile, junior and senior.

Chief potential feature of Venetian

night is the traditional boat parade. Its success depends on owners of craft here, and Coleman is stressing the fact that the success of the entire program still hinges largely on the number of owners who will enter their boats in the evening parade.

This is scheduled to start at 9 p.m. What boat will lead still is to be decided but will be announced next week.

While the parade is in progress, the fireworks will be shot. The Marine Club has contracted for this display, costing more than \$300.

Music will be provided by the Charlevoix Marine Band. Other events are planned and will be included, Coleman says.

Charlevoix Courier July 16, 1947

These articles were compiled by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Public Library.

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Car takes a swim in lake Saturday

A parked and unoccupied vehicle must have thought it needed a bath around 6:30 p.m. Saturday on Antrim Street and it rolled away from its owner, down Antrim Street and ended up floating in Round Lake.

According to Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson, a 1988 Volvo owned by Brie Woodhouse, 18 of Charlevoix, came out of gear while it was parked on Antrim Street and rolled into Round Lake. No one was hurt in the incident and, what is being attributed to luck, there was no damage caused.

Charlevoix Harbor Master Hal Evans saw the incident take place.

"My wife was trying to hang onto it," he said. "Brie (Woodhouse) locked it and was standing next to it talking to my wife and it rolled away. They were trying to stop it."

Evans said when the vehicle rolled into Round Lake, it jumped over a small boat and landed just before two larger boats. It then floated for about 15 minutes and sank.

Halverson said a hydraulic boom, normally used to put masts on sailboats, was used to pull the car from the water. He said it took about an hour-and-a-half of work.

Evans said once the car dries out, it will probably start right up.

"I wouldn't park it on a hill for a while," he added.

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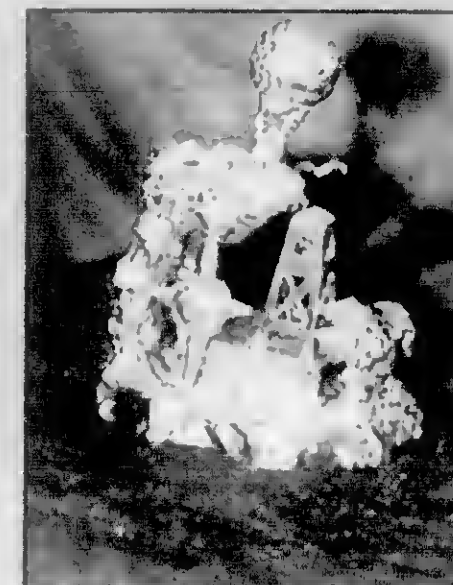
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Glenn Wachler, and his brother Link, designed and made a special gift for their father.

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Late newspaper

Due to the Fourth of July holiday, the Charlevoix Courier offices will be closed on Wednesday. However, because the post office will be closed on the same day, subscribers will be receiving their newspaper at least a day late.

Stormwater discharge debated Is it safe to let discharge run into lake?

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Some Charlevoix County residents are concerned that the city of Charlevoix may be polluting the local watershed by discharging untreated stormwater directly into Round Lake, but the city maintains this is not a problem.

"Since God created the universe it has always been that way (stormwater has been discharged into the lake)," City of Charlevoix Street superintendent John Martin

said.

But, Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner JoAnne Beemon, thinks it's time for a change.

"Sewage and stormwater are the number one pollutants in the state of Michigan. Smart counties are designing stormwater systems so the water is treated before it goes into the lake. But that happening here comes down to money," Beemon said. "What is it worth to us to have clean water?"

According to City Water and Wastewater superintendent Sam

Creswell, the city has made major improvements to the system.

Creswell said the problem was worse 20 years ago when the city did attempt to treat all the stormwater. The sanitary sewer system and the stormwater system were combined and when big storms would hit, the sanitary sewers would overflow and raw sewage would wash into the lake.

Mark Fife, stormwater coordinator for the Gaylord post of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ), said

many places combined the two systems and ended up with problems.

"You get a large rain and the sanitary sewers can't handle the volume, you overload the sanitary system and discharge raw sewage, which is worse," he said.

According to Fife, water pollution as a result of stormwater discharging into lakes, rivers and streams is being addressed at the state level.

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Sorority gearing up for this year's Home Tour

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

For more than a century, Charlevoix's enchanting beauty has pulled people in from all over the world and in that time many have established permanent residences and second homes as dramatic and enticing as the local landscape.

Over the last two decades the Kappa Sigma Sorority of Charlevoix has taken on the tough task of picking five out of the sea of spectacular Charlevoix homes to be featured on their Home Tour.

This year's show has something for everyone — from an antique filled cottage to a lakefront home with its own babbling brook.

Home Tour 2001 is scheduled to take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 11.

The morning start, coupled with the spacing of the homes provide the perfect opportunity to start the tour out of town, work your way in for lunch and hit the remaining homes after fueling up.

A great way to kick off the tour is poking around two homes in the Pine Lake Club. To get there from downtown Charlevoix, take a left at M-66 and drive to an empty parking lot across from Ferry Avenue on the right side of the highway. A shuttle will be taking visitors from the lot to the Parker home.

David and Arlene Parker's manor on the water is located at 6090 Pine Lake Club Drive. From the Parker's

brick circle drive to their indoor elevator to the granite countertops that grace every room, you will see that this couple has incorporated lavish detail every step of the way in their home's design.

After touring the Parker home walk or shuttle over just a couple of lots to 6210 Pine Lake Club Drive. This lakefront home is owned by Arnold and Polly Evans. According to Charlevoix Home Tour chairperson Kim Molter, the Evans home is reminiscent of traditional New England architecture with a nautical twist.

If you still have energy after perusing the mammoth Pine Lake Club homes, the two tour stops on Park Avenue are a nice way to keep the ball rolling.

To get to the Rhode and Kaufman homes, travel back into downtown Charlevoix and turn left on the street just before the bridge, Park Avenue. The Rhode house is located at 213 Park Avenue, on the right side of the road but parking is only permitted on the left.

The Rhode home was built before 1900 and the antique collections inside reflect its age. The family has an upstairs bedroom with a quilt display stacked along the wall, featuring the star of the show, a silky quilt dating back to the civil war. The second floor also features a glassed in sun room furnished in antique white wicker.

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White wicker antique furnishings abound in the Rhode home located at 213 Park Avenue. This rocker is in a bedroom next to a painted nightstand. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Ryan James Bergmann, 20, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Sean Earl Henry, 36, Elmira. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony; and driving while license suspended-second or more. Bound over to circuit court.

Walter Edward Kroush, 24, Boyne Falls. Disorderly conduct. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Kevin Lee Akey, 38, Birmingham. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$915 in fines and costs.

Richard Ray Breier, 28, Saginaw. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months

probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$915 in fines and costs.

Darrell William Burt, 35, East Jordan. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Michael Charles McCarthy, 48, Birmingham. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Stephen Joseph Wegher, 53, Dearborn. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Lance Victor Spaniak, 32, Charlevoix. Possession of illegal fireworks. Fines and costs totaling \$360.

Thomas Preston King, 52, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$815 in fines and costs.

Frank Lewis Hodgkin, 42, Vanderbilt. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-second offense; and driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Jail for 93 days with credit for 13 days, serve 80 days.

Edward George Lane, 46, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Twelve months probation; attend IM-PACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 47 days held in abeyance; \$1,020 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Wintergreen Farms, 10965 Burnett Road, Charlevoix, by Grace Whitelaw

Northwest Serigraphics, 12589 Indian Place, Charlevoix, by Gregory S. Seaman

L. Riita Artist, 05951 North M-66 Charlevoix, by Larissa Flynn

Evergreen, Charlevoix, by Mary Lou Smith

J.P. Gifts, 3725 Cedar Street, East Jordan, by Joseph Richards

East Jordan Yacht Club, 03283 South Wilson Road, East Jordan, by Terry L. Johnson

Kilwin's of Charlevoix, 330 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Kay S. Seelye

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Joshua Culver Wager, 23,

Boyne City and Rose Mary Gen-son, 20, Boyne City

Clifford Edward Diener III, 33, Boyne City and Sheila Marie Foster, 33, Boyne City

Divorces
The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Terry Michael Bonar vs. Sheryl Bonar

Kathleen F. Mettler vs. Louis Mettler

Karen L. Avery vs. Sean A. Avery

Beverly Morris vs. Allen Morris

Births

Tatum Leigh Weller was born to Jason and Kelly Weller of Boyne City on June 25 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Marissa Valentine Maniaci was born to Darrel and Rachel Maniaci of East Jordan on June 25 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Beaver Island is full of nature-loving activities



Julie Musilek
'Stepping out'

Before anyone heads over to Beaver Island for a summer retreat peruse these island survival tips and must see attractions.

First, you've got to get there and regardless of the strength of your doggy paddle, I suggest using the Beaver Island Boat Company located next to Bridge Park in Charlevoix. On a calm day, even the most sea weary passengers will grin and compliment the captain on the smooth ride of the company's two ferries, the Beaver Islander and the Emerald Isle.

Once you get there you may say, "Well, this is nothing like Mackinac Island." To clear up the confusion ahead of time, those looking for the quaint charm of Mackinac Island, should visit Mackinac, because Beaver Island is cut out for the nature lover and you'll be hard pressed to find taffy, horses and T-shirts here.

According to Michael Moore, "If you're not really into nature, I don't know if you would really enjoy this place. It's not like you can go to a movie."

Moore, 26, is a Beaver Island native who now entertains during the summer at the priest haven turned restaurant, The Rectory. And he recently gave me a tour of the island.

While you are on the island, rent a car or a bike — there is a ton to see. But remember, when you're cruising town, try to blend. Moore said you can pick a mainlander out from a mile away because they don't wave.

"Wave when you come here. It seems like mainlanders aren't friendly when they don't wave. That's got to change," he added. Moore defined the mainland as,

"anywhere but here (Beaver Island)."

Another way to blend is to join the island race. When traveling back, dirt roads and there is on-coming traffic, the driver races their passengers to see who can get their window rolled up before a big dust cloud consumes the interior of the car.

So you have your wheels, your wave and your windows ready to go, but where to stay? Hotels are the obvious answer and that information is available through the Beaver Island Chamber of Commerce, at (231) 448-2505, but campgrounds are a harder pick.

St. James Township Campground is conveniently located just a walk away from town but Will Wagner Memorial Campground is more secluded and has the better swimming beach.

Don't leave your fishing pole behind, anglers who come to the island are sure to wet a line and pull in a fresh catch out of one of the many island inland lakes including; Fox Lake, Font Lake, Barney's Lake and the island's largest, Geneserath Lake located off of East Side Drive.

The entrance to the island golf course is also off of East Side Drive so you can warm up your golf clubs too.

If you decide to venture out on Fox Lake, take a look at all the huge trees jutting out over the water. Moore said they are the toys of ambitious beavers.

"The beaver are taking huge trees down, it looks like a battlefield down there," he added.

On your way back from fishing, take Fox Lake Road, located on the west side of the island and make two stops. First, there will be a huge rock on your left — you'll know why natives call it Paul Bunyan's tooth when you see it. The objective is to climb the tooth-shaped rock and get a photo to frame.

A little further down Fox Lake Road is the largest birch tree on the island, its long limbs and lush foliage are awe-inspiring.

For the "sports enthusiast" in your party who is tempted by sandy beaches, take the group to climb the huge dune, Mt. Pisgah and then tromp across the street to Donegal Bay for beach volleyball and beach bummin'.

To really soak in the sun, tour the island's outer roads and make beach stops every few yards.

But even on the island there come days when the sun has decided to hide. But, have no fear, there is rich island history to explore that merits an afternoon of discovery.

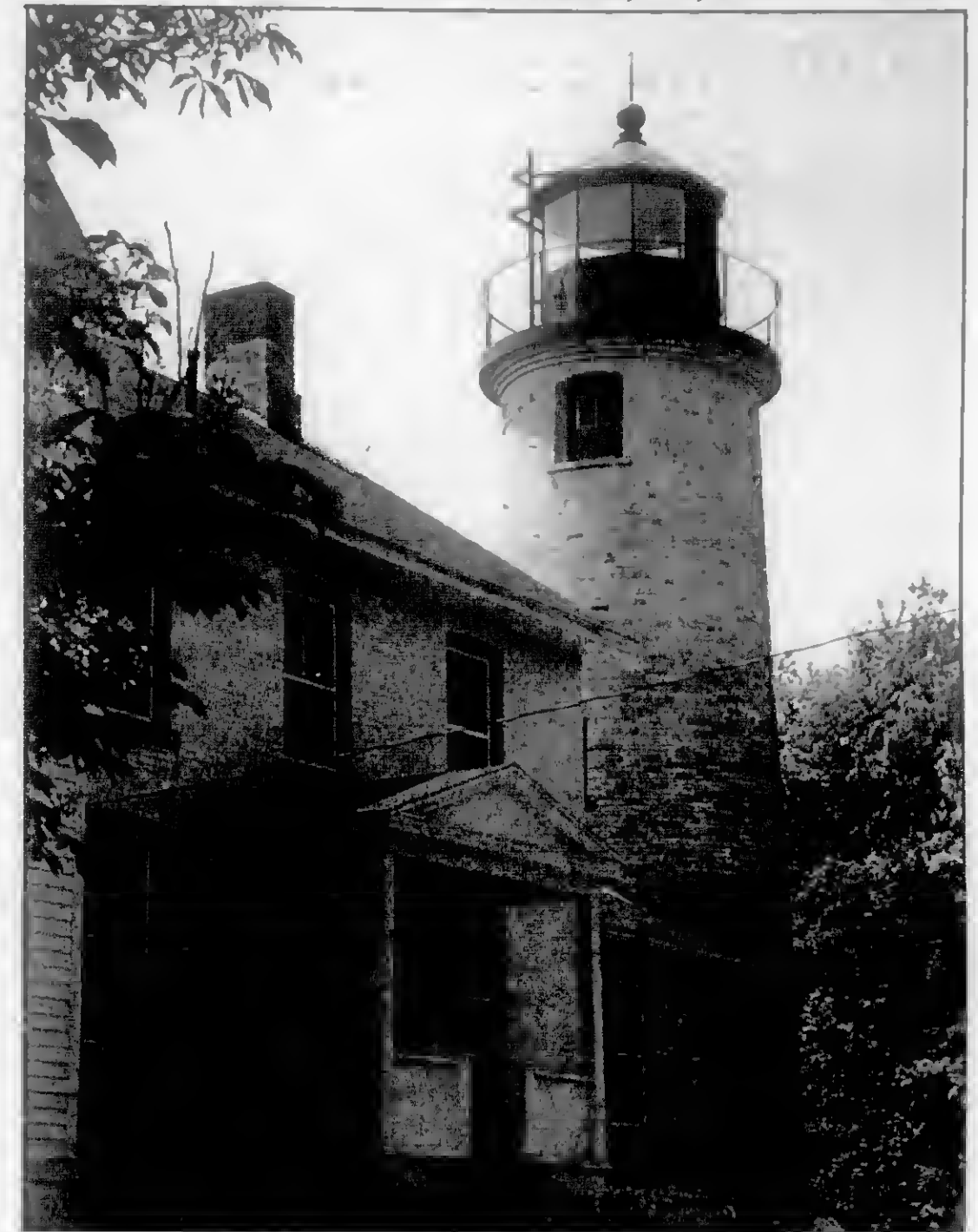
The Mormon Print Shop and the Maritime Museum, both located in St. James Township, are two museums that celebrate the island's interesting past filled with Irish immigrants and even its own king.

After touring the displays head out and see some historical spots that dot the island like, Protar's abandoned wooden home and the tomb natives built in his memory. Moore said that Feodora Protar was a Russian actor, that many years ago made his way to the island and decided he would be the local doctor.

Well, he became a local icon and when he died the islanders entombed him off of Slop Town Road.

If you are overwhelmed by the immense rock tomb equipped with flowers and an epitaph with his mug shot imposed on it, take in a breath of fresh air by hiking Keebler's trail which stretches out from the turn around where Protar's tomb is located.

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The Beaver Head Light Station is a favorite spot for visitors to the island. By climbing up the tower, visitors are greeted by a picture-perfect view. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Correction

In the story on page 1 of last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, it was wrongly reported that the last cruise ship to visit Charlevoix was 50 years ago, as was also reported by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce. However, we have discovered that a cruise ship, called the USS South American, did visit Charlevoix as recently as 1967. To prove this, we were given a photograph of the ship (at right) sailing into the Pine River Channel in 1967 by Charlevoix resident Gene Farkas.

Also, in the June 27 article on page 18, "Stormwater changes discussed at board meeting" the next Charlevoix County Stormwater Board of Appeals meeting was incorrect. The meeting will take place at 9 a.m. July 12 at the Charlevoix County building in the county commissioner's quarters.



Weather

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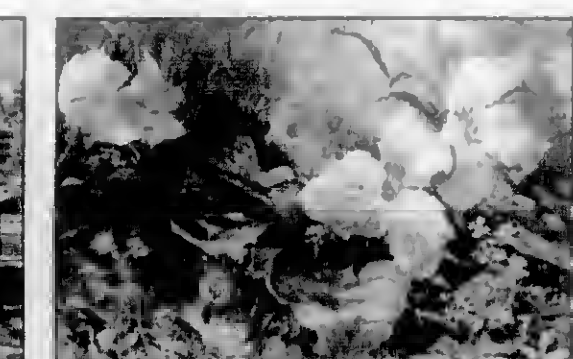


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Don't be stupid in your summer fun

Summertime. Just the thought of it creates images of lazy days, lounging around the beach, catching a few of the sun's rays for that awesome tan and sometimes enjoying a cool frozen drink or frosty beer.

Add to this image that of a summertime holiday vacation, like the Fourth of July, and you have a recipe for good times and lots of laughs on the boat or beach. Of course, it could also be the recipe for jail-time and lots of grief at your funeral if you are not careful with your alcohol intake.

Too many times we have to write reports of visitors and locals drinking too much alcohol and deciding they are okay to drive. Too many times we find people willing to risk their own lives and the lives of other people, just because they are too stupid to understand a simple concept like "don't drink and drive."

Some of these people think that these laws are nothing more than a game or an inconvenience on their fun.

The laws forbidding a person from driving a motor vehicle were not designed to ruin your fun. People need to realize that

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these laws were created to keep not only themselves, but all of us, safe on the roads in the summer, fall, winter and spring.

And these laws are not just meant for your car or truck. The same drunk driving laws also apply to the operation of a boat.

Just like with an automobile, if you drink too much alcohol and then decide to operate a boat on any of Charlevoix's surrounding lakes, you are risking jail-time or death. Modern boats are high speed machines, capable of doing a lot of damage to the driver or to other people on the lake, if used in an unsafe way.

The most unsafe of way to operate a boat is drunk.

We at the *Charlevoix Courier* want everyone to have a fun-filled summer in Charlevoix. We also want everyone to keep it safe.

Remember, the *Charlevoix Courier* has two places in its newspaper that the names of drunk drivers will be published: "On the Record" on page 2 and the Obituaries on page 8.

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The culprit behind this year's poor fishing season



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

have a wonderful recipe for carp in red wine, sheephead can be much more pleasant than their name suggests and catfish are properly served as fine food in at least one of our local eateries.

The recent local trout tournament was viewed as a disappointment by many and there seems to be general agreement that fishing has been poor so far this year. Reasons abound: Water temperature too cool, global warming, unsettling weather — a different reason at the end of each launching dock.

I don't believe the problem is in the fish, it is in the exotic species and one in particular. A few years back, the Zebra Mussel arrived from Europe and established itself in the Great Lakes and adjacent waters.

They have clearly thrived. As long as three years ago, it was not possible to touch any solid bottom of Lake Michigan locally without touching Zebra Mussels — they don't attach where sand is moved by wave action. Any lure that contacted the bottom brought up with it a clump of Zebra Mussels, even from depths below 100 feet. The bottom of the lake is clearly covered with Zebra Mussels.

Just how many mussels is that? Lake Michigan is about 15,000 square miles in area and let's suppose that only about 10,000 of those are appropriate for mussel attachment. The bottom probably has, conservatively, 100 mussels per square foot. That would be almost 3 billion mussels per square mile. I am not a serious fisherman; I laugh a lot when fishing. Compared to most, I hardly qualify as an amateur. Catch and release was not a part of my upbringing. The shadow of the food-poor depression was still hovered over most of the families I knew while growing up and throwing away the food was a sin. Throwing back an edible fish still seems almost sinful to me. When our children were growing up, I taught them that if you kept it you had to eat it. Of the local dish that are widely denigrated as food, most are delicious if properly prepared. I

They get their food by filtering out the microscopic creatures in the water. If each mussel filters only a cup of water each day, those mussels are cleaning all the microscopic life out of 200 million gallons of water each day for each square mile of lake bottom. That would make two trillion gallons of Lake Michigan that are filtered free of microscopic life each day.

I am not completely sure how much water there is in Lake Michigan, but it's a safe bet that over the years since the mussels have arrived, most of the water has passed through the Zebra Mussel population.

The amount of potential fish food that has been turned in to Zebra Mussels is almost beyond belief. If a mussel weighs just 1/10 of an ounce, there could be 19 million pounds of Zebra Mussels per square mile of lake bottom. If that dramatic change does not affect the sport fishing eventually, then none of nature's laws are operating. The problem is clearly not with the native populations, but with the exotics.

One positive note: The only local fish equipped to eat Zebra Mussels is the sheephead. We better get out some new recipes.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the *Charlevoix Courier*. His columns appear every two weeks in the *Charlevoix Courier*. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Respect Old Glory

Editor: Memorial Day and Flag Day have come and gone this year and Independence Day and Veterans Day are still to come and all these days include the American flag as an important part of these patriotic observances.

Do you still get a lump in your

throat when veterans, young and old, proudly lift "Old Glory" as they participate in local parades or when "Old Glory" is removed from the coffin of an American serviceman, properly folded and given to the loved one of his family? The American flag, whether in celebration of victory, unselfish service or devotion to duty, has always been a

beacon of light, hope and the unyielding spirit that is the greatness of this country.

Isn't it ironic that the only place in this country where it is illegal to burn an American flag is in front of the United States Supreme Court building?

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The American Civil Liberties Union and many other special interest groups consider the American flag "just a piece of cloth."

If it were just a piece of cloth, why would American flags be lowered to half-mast to honor the memory of someone who has died? If the American flag were just another piece of cloth, why would the United States Senate start its business day with the Pledge of Allegiance? Why would embassies fly just a piece of cloth in a foreign land? And certainly, a grateful nation would not present just a piece of cloth to the loved ones of a deceased veteran in memory of honorable service.

"Old Glory" is the most recognized national banner on the planet, by friend and foe. From Bunker Hill to Gettysburg, Saratoga to Kuwait, "Old Glory" was a constant companion and inspiration for those of us who fought for what is right.

The American flag has inspired us throughout our history, the values we fought for that make us the most respected nation on Earth, values that are vital for our children and the future of this great nation.

Duty-Honor-Country
Jerry Evans
Ellsworth

Outraged over gas prices

Editor: If you are not offended by the price we are paying for gasoline in

our fair city, you are not paying attention.

On Tuesday I headed downstate on business. The price of regular at the Holiday station had "lowered" to \$1.79 a gallon. Over the weekend it has been at \$1.82. Anyway, I had stops to make in Lansing and in Flint while downstate. In Lansing I found regular as low as \$1.47.9 and around \$1.52.9 in the Flint area. In fact you don't have to go that far downstate to find gasoline prices consistently lower than Charlevoix. Elk Rapids is usually 10 cents lower and the same can be said for Traverse City.

So, what is to account for our higher gasoline prices. This is real easy: greed and gouge. There is absolutely no sense of competition between the four gasoline stations in town. Why should they be competitive? Where else are we going to fill up — Petoskey, now there is another bargain waiting to happen. When you complain or mention the price differences to the clerks at the local stations they look at you like deer in headlights or claim not to be responsible since their prices are set by someone in a different state. Now there's an explanation!

The current price difference we are paying has nothing to do about transportation costs. It does have everything to do about taking advantage of a situation. Does anyone really think that the four local stations are selling their product at or below cost? Give us a break.

What to do? Complain. Every-

time you frequent your local station, complain, mention the price to the clerk, to the manager or to your neighbor. Eventually, they may catch on and start bringing their prices back into line.

Again, if you are not outraged, you are not paying attention.

Bill Meuleman
Charlevoix

Timing of hearings is wrong

Editor: It has come to my attention that the public hearings, which are required before the marina expansion can take place on Round Lake, have been set for the late fall and winter months. Was this time carefully chosen to coincide with the time when the fewest people would be in Charlevoix? Wouldn't the summer months, when there are a maximum number of Charlevoix residents, be a more appropriate time for a public hearing? I feel that the timing of the public hearings was an intentional selection so as to minimize the public opinions.

Jeanne Blumberg
Charlevoix

Taxation without representation

Editor: I couldn't believe my eyes; headlines in the June 13 issue of the Courier regarding millages denied, "The tax increase applied only to commercial properties and non-homestead properties in the

district." Most of the commercial building owners and none of the non-residents burden the school district with their children, but they are taxed to the max: taxation without representation!

Could it be time for a "tea party" in Round Lake? Commercial property owners are the economic backbone of this community and there is so much overhead that, for some, it is hard to break even. Some are seasonal operations; why not tax accordingly?

The next time the school district wants to pass an increase in millage, they should use the "free" word. The residential turnout would be much higher than it was. At least 479 voters gave this proposed increase more thought than most. There are many commercial buildings for sale and nobody is buying. Does the city of Charlevoix assessor own property on Bridge Street?

Pamela Holmes
Wyandotte

Watch out for crime

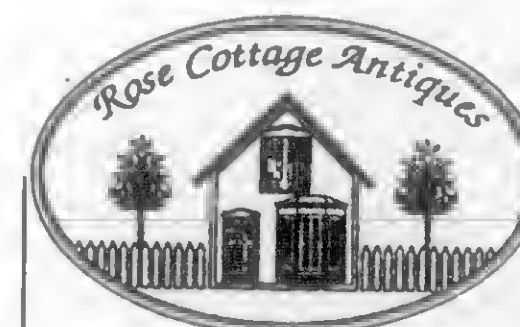
Editor: Last Friday, June 22, I was part of a shocking experience which I thought may be of interest to other Charlevoix residents. While stopping at the local Shell Station for some lottery tickets, my purse was

stolen from my car in a matter of minutes. The perpetrators were two adolescent males and another even younger (possibly 6-7). The purse contained valuables and a fair amount of cash.

While I understand I am at fault for leaving a purse in an unlocked car, I am still shocked and disgusted that this would happen in our seemingly "sleepy" resort town. Added to this is the fact that after seeing the perpetrators flee the scene on bicycles, I chased and caught them and was then subjected to verbal abuse in the form of swearing. These kids even had the audacity to deny the event even happened! Needless to say, the kids did get away with everything and have not been apprehended as yet. It should be noted that city police officer Paul Ivan was prompt and courteous with both myself and the situation.

I realize that small towns are not immune to crime and I am not naive to the fact that more and more happens each year. However, I was still dismayed with the occurrence. Charlevoix residents beware, there is a marauding band of thieves on bicycles here in our wonderful town. Lock your cars and houses.

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A wedding is being planned for Sept. 8, 2001 at the Dunmaglas Golf Course.

Melissa has a bachelor of science degree in education from Central Michigan University. She is certified to teach business and mathematics to grades 7 through 12 and she taught at Charlevoix High School last semester.

She is currently seeking employment in the Gladwin area.

Bryan has a bachelor of science in criminal justice from Lake Superior State University. He is also a graduate of the 118th Michigan State Police Trooper School.

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Dale and Marilyn Boss

Dale and Marilyn Boss celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary recently.

They were married on June 23, 1951 at the Charlevoix Methodist Church, by the Rev. George Whitten. The couple were both born in Charlevoix and were childhood sweethearts.

Their children hosted a dinner at the Argonne Supper Club and returned to their home for a program in which the children and grandchildren played a tape where they acted out a spoof of their 50 years together.

Dale graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1949 and was a milkman and insurance agent. In later years, he bought Maxbauer's Dairy and built the Village Milkhouse on Bridge Street.

He originated the Charlevoix Petunia Project in 1982 and continues it today.

Marilyn graduated in 1950. She was a homemaker all her life with the exception of the 12 years when she was a Charlevoix public school's bus driver. She was the first woman driver in northern Michigan.

She began a Christmas scene in their yard in 1987 and today has over 250 characters which she drew, cut-out and painted. Each year, new ones are added. The display, called Santa's Workshop, is lighted and has Disney Christmas music playing.

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Elisabetta Bocchese

wines of Italy and a selection of Italian desserts and cheeses.

Bocchese graduated in piano with high honors from the Venice Conservatory. She has studied piano in Vienna, Austria, at the Musical Academy and at the Korrepetitor Conservatory.

Bocchese graduated from the Musical Academy in Florence, Italy. She has won several International Piano Competitions in Italy and is a featured soloist with the Orchestras of Bologna and the Musical Academy Orchestra of San Giorgio in Venice.

Barutti is a cellist that has won the Cello International Competitions in the cities of Vittorio, Veneto and Biella for five consecutive years and received the juror's special recognition. He has attended several seminars at the school of Franco Rossi cellist of the "Quartetto Italiano."

He is presently performing with the "Solisti Veneti" and as a soloist in Italy and throughout Europe.

Bocchese and Barutti are founders and musicians with the Rony Rogoff Camera School Orchestra. This duo will present a program of classical music featuring selections of Faure, Vivaldi and Brahms.

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Bible filled with stories of our connection with water

By FR. JIM GUNN, RECTOR
Christ Episcopal Church,
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I seem to be "on a kick" lately about writing of things in our community. Last month I did a piece on the petunias and most recently one on the bridge. This time I will start with another prominent feature of our area — water!

Charlevoix is nearly surrounded by water. We have Lake Michigan all up and down one side. The community is bisected by the Pine River and Round Lake. And then we have Lake Charlevoix itself on the other side of town. We all know that these bodies of water are very important to the city of Charlevoix in terms of drawing people into our midst, either short-term or long-term.

Water is a very important element in our lives in general. I did not look up the exact figure but, if my memory serves me well, well over 75 percent of our bodies is water. Without water we would quickly die.

I wonder how often we think of the significance of water in our spiritual lives. How many people realize that the Bible starts and ends talking about water. Genesis 1:1-2 says, "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. Now the earth was formless and empty, darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was hovering over the waters."

Beacons of Blessing

The very start of God's act of creation involves water. Then we turn to the fifth from the last verse in the Bible to once again encounter water (Revelation 22:17) — "The Spirit and the bride say, 'Come!' And let him who hears say, 'Come!' Whoever is thirsty, let him come; and whoever wishes, let him take the free gift of the water of life."

When God's redemptive purpose is fulfilled then water is a sign of the completion of salvation. All in all, the word "water" appears 482 times in the New International Version of the Bible and many of those occurrences have spiritual significance. Of course there was the water of the great flood through which Noah sailed in his ark. From that water came the rainbow that is the sign of God's care and promises.

In the third chapter of his first letter, Peter says the water of the Flood symbolizes baptism. There is the Red Sea through which the Israelites escaped from bondage in Egypt when God empowered Moses to part the water of it. There is the water of the River Jordan that was also parted to give the Israelites access to the Promised Land. Water is held up by our Lord as part of our entrance into a new and living relationship with God.

In John 3:5, Jesus said, "I tell you the truth, no one can enter the Kingdom of God unless he is born of water and the Spirit."

We do not all agree about the method of baptism or the underlying theology of it, but we do agree on the use of water. It symbolizes cleansing and being made right in the sight of God.

We should always be thankful for water and remember the part it plays in our spiritual lives. There is a part in our Episcopal service of Holy Baptism when we do explicitly offer that thanks.

I would like to quote it for you: "We thank you, Almighty God, for the gift of water. Over it the Holy Spirit moved in the beginning of creation. Through it you led the children of Israel out of their bondage in Egypt into the land of promise. In it your Son Jesus received the baptism of John and was anointed by the Holy Spirit as the Messiah, the Christ, to lead us, through his death and resurrection, from the bondage of sin into everlasting life. We thank you, Father, for the water of Baptism. In it we are buried with Christ in his death. By it we share in his resurrection. Through it we are reborn by the Holy Spirit."

God has chosen to work in special ways through water. Whenever we see water, let it remind us to offer thanks to God for His many gifts, especially life-giving water.

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Obituaries

Ernestine I. Pitcher: Jan. 5, 1942 - June 18, 2001

Ernestine I. Pitcher, 59, of Charlevoix, died June 18 at her home.

A funeral service was given on June 21 at Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. Margaret "Peggy" Natterman officiated. Burial was in Otter Lake Cemetery in Otter Lake.

Ernestine was born on Jan. 5, 1942 in Case City, the daughter of Charles H. and Margaret (Patterson) Newbery. She moved to Otter Lake at the age of 7, where she graduated from Lakeville High School.

She married Edward A. Pitcher on May 29, 1971 in Otter Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Pitcher moved to Charlevoix in 1980, where Ernestine continued her education at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey.

Ernestine worked at the Kmart in Petoskey and Charlevoix before joining Charlevoix Area Hospital's housekeeping staff. She remained with the hospital until her illness forced her to retire early.

She was a member of the Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix. Ernestine was a very caring person who will be most remembered for her loving smile and abounding love to her grandchildren. All who knew her will miss her greatly.

Survivors include her husband, Ed; two sons, Edward Jr. and his wife, Kelly of Boyne City and Charles "Bud" of Charlevoix; grandchildren, Lauren and Logan Pitcher of Boyne City; step-grandchildren, Morgan and Jacob Zeerpe of Marion; two brothers, (twins) Ernest "Spike" Newbery and his wife, Elaine, and Frank "Rusty" Newbery, both of Otter Lake; five nieces and nephews, Laura Dornier, Lynette Keinath, Kathleen Newbery, Christopher Newbery and Colleen Newbery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the family.

Rex F. Supernaw: Sept. 15, 1912 - June 25, 2001

Rex F. Supernaw, 88, of Charlevoix, died June 25 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Funeral services were given June 28 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. Francis Partridge of St. Matthew's officiated.

Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Rex was born on Sept. 15, 1912 in Atwood, the son of Frank and Lillian (Bow Wood) Supernaw. At the age of 12, his family moved to Charlevoix where Rex attended St. Mary's School through the eighth grade and went on to graduate from Charlevoix High School in 1930.

Rex continued his education at

Michigan Technological University, where he graduated with a four-year degree in chemical engineering. Rex worked at National Twist Drill and Tool Company in the Detroit area for 37 years, retiring in 1971. After his retirement though, he continued to work as a steel consultant and expert witness for the automotive and steel industries. Rex also co-wrote text books for Wayne State University.

On Aug. 25, 1936, he married Irene M. Martin of Charlevoix. They enjoyed over 64 years of marriage together. In 1974, the couple returned to Charlevoix to enjoy their retirement.

Rex was a member of St. Mary's Church in Charlevoix, St. Vincent

dePauls in Rochester and the American Metallurgical Society. In his spare time, he enjoyed playing cribbage and woodworking, especially making clocks and light-houses.

Survivors include his wife, Irene; two daughters, Marie (Richard) Johnston of Washington and Martha Meyer of Macomb; four grandchildren, Michael (Wendy) Voccia, Anne Johnston, Walter James Meyer II and Kara Meyer; great-grandchildren are Carrissa, Michelle and one due to arrive in December; brother, Ruel "Charlie" Supernaw; sister, Ruby Tillison.

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Ruth H. Bulow: Aug. 7, 1908 - June 26, 2001

Ruth H. Bulow, 92, of Charlevoix, died June 26 at Boulder Park Terrace Nursing Home in Charlevoix.

Funeral services were Monday at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Harold Kruse officiated. Burial followed in Brookside Cemetery.

Ruth was born on Aug. 7, 1908 in Charlotte, the daughter of Horace A. and Bess L. (Barber) Hamilton. She was raised in the Charlotte area and graduated from Charlotte High School in 1926.

Ruth went on to attend Western State Teachers College where she

received her teaching certificate in 1928. Ruth moved to Charlevoix in 1928 where she taught school from 1928 to 1929.

On Sept. 14, 1929 she married Fenton R. Bulow in Detroit. He preceded her in death on Jan. 19, 1976.

Ruth worked as deputy county clerk in Charlevoix from 1942 to 1968, under her husband, Fenton, who served as County Clerk.

She was a member of the First Congregational Church, the Mary Murns Circle and the Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild.

Survivors include one daughter,

Janet B. (William E.) Clark of Syracuse, N.Y.; nine grandchildren, Carol, Lynette, Bruce, Joyce, Sharon, Jeffrey, David, Timothy and Marcia; 13 grandchildren; one twin brother, Edward H. Hamilton of Lauderhill, Fla.

She was preceded in death by her husband; two daughters, Marilyn Kneisch and Patricia Wolf; and one brother, Robert B. Hamilton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational Church. Arrangements were handled by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Alice Hetherington: Jan. 24, 1918 - June 21, 2001

Alice Hetherington, 83 of Beaver Island, died at her island residence on June 21 after a sudden illness.

She was born Jan. 24, 1918 in Indianapolis, the daughter of Theodore and Alice (Bixby) Layman and had been married to Dr. John Hetherington, who preceded her in death in 1996.

Alice had been a resident of Beaver Island for 47 years and was a devout Catholic and a member of Holy Cross Church on the island.

Her family will miss her deeply, but they are comforted in knowing she is feasting bountifully with the Heavenly Father and loved ones that have gone before her.

Alice was the mother of six children, 10 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Mass of Christian burial was on June 22 at Holy Cross Catholic Church. The Fr. Pat Cawley officiated and interment was in Holy Cross Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.



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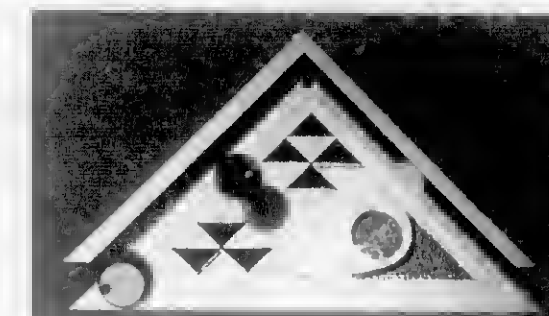


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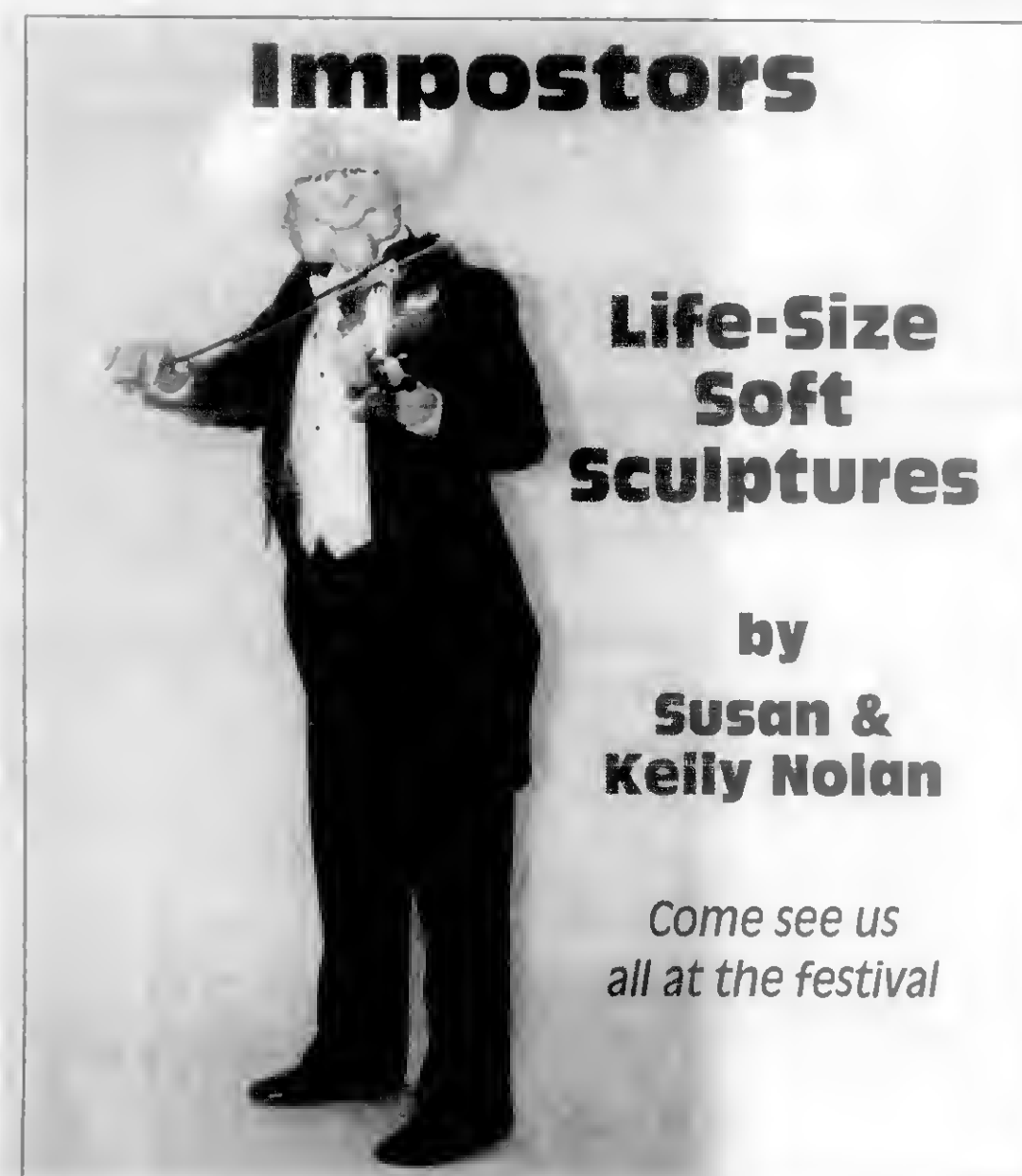
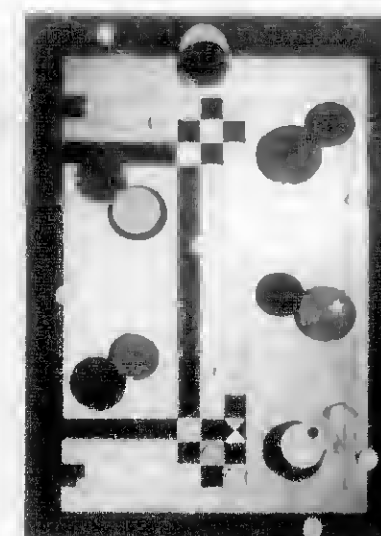
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This year, the Traverse Symphony Orchestra's program is entitled "A Toast to Broadway."

The performance will be at 8 p.m. on July 13 at the Charlevoix Country Club. General Admission lawn tickets will be \$25 per adult and \$15 per student and senior citizen ages 60 and over.

The Beginning String Program is supported by the Crooked Tree Arts Center, and teaches more than 300 young students in Charlevoix and Emmet counties to play various string instruments.

Karey Johnson, Education Director at the Art Center, offers instruction. Each child's family is responsible for the rental fees charged for the instruments. The Arts Center is developing

a scholarship fund sufficient to insure that every child in the program will have an opportunity to play the instrument they desire.

The General Admission ticket 50/50 challenge could generate as much as \$4,000 for this program.

To benefit the Beginning String Program, tickets must be general admission and must be purchased through the Crooked Tree Arts Center office at 461 E. Mitchell, Petoskey, or by calling the Arts Center at 347-4337.

For more information about Symphony on the Green, call Charlevoix Area Hospital at 547-8502.



A young student tries her hand at the violin in the Crooked Tree Art's Center's Beginning String Program. This year, portions of the ticket sales for the Charlevoix Area Hospital's Symphony on the Green will go toward helping fund this program. (Courtesy photo)

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Not just antiques at Rose Cottage

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Kelly Romano and Holly Anderson-Fuchs, new co-owners of Rose Cottage Antiques and Eats and long-time Charlevoix residents, decided the best addition to the already popular antique store was Romano's pastries.

Further adding to the antique atmosphere surrounding customers, the duo created a "tea room" to enjoy the warm spiced-water from the orient and Romano's sweet gourmet pastries.

Romano's handiwork with pastries comes from her background at the Culinary Institute of New York. Her work with desserts is complimented at the Rose Cottage by Anderson-Fuchs experience in the retail business as the regional salesperson for Nine West Shoes for 14 years.

Rose Cottage offers a variety of antiques and gifts, such as soaps, books, candles and lotions.

Both say the strength of this new business is the atmosphere created by the combination of pastries and antiques. Rose Cottage, they say, is a great place to come and relax with a cup of coffee or tea and your favorite book.

So far, the reaction from the public has been great.

"It has been incredible, actually. The word-of-mouth has been great," Anderson-Fuchs said.

Rose Cottage Antiques and Eats is a season business, open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 12 to 5 p.m. on Sunday. It is located on Mason Street, about one block west of Bridge Street.

For more information on Rose Cottage, call 547-0636.



Holly Anderson-Fuchs and Kelly Romano show some of the pastries they offer their customers. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Grief Recovery program offered in area

Beginning July 17 through August 14, Dr. Andrew Sahara, Ph.D., will present a weekly program on Grief Recovery from 6-7:30 p.m. each Tuesday at the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health building at 218 W. Garfield in Charlevoix.

This program is sponsored by Charlevoix Area Hospital,

Charlevoix County Hospice, Inc., Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency and the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health.

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Son gives father a jeweled sign of his love

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Glenn Wachler, of Orchard Lake and Charlevoix, wanted to give his father something that truly showed how much he cared about him.

So, Glenn and his brother, Link, a jeweler, worked for six months designing and creating a jewelry sculpture of Charlevoix's lighthouse. Glenn gave it to his father, Jeff Wachler, on Father's Day last month.

"We have always had a bond. I call it jewelry for the soul," Glenn says of his creation. He and his father share the same birthday, Aug. 14 and Glenn has named his son after his father. Glenn will be 37 this August, while his father will be 74.

This soulful Father's Day gift contains about 150 diamonds along with various other jewels and is worth about \$15,000-\$20,000. But, for Glenn, the monetary worth of the little lighthouse is meaningless.

"The real value is the message that it shares. It is nice to focus on the nice times," he

"He was always behind me. He always supported me and encouraged me."

Glenn Wachler,
Orchard Lake and Charlevoix resident

said. Glenn said his family has been coming to the Charlevoix area for many years, ever since his father was a young boy.

"Basically we come here to celebrate life. This is the place of the good times in our lives. A lot of the memories I have with dad are going to Michigan Beach and renting boats at Ward Brothers," he said.

For Glenn, not only was this gift a great way to remind his father of the good times, but it was also a way for him to tell his father how much he means to him.

"He was always behind me. He always supported me and encouraged me," Glenn said.

Therefore, along with the sculpture, Glenn also wrote his father a poem entitled, "And you are there" explaining the sculpture, the images contained in it and what his father means

to him.

For Glenn the sculpture even has some lessons for those outside of his family. He said it can help people remember to celebrate life.

"I believe we are sharing this amazing experience (life) together," he said.

He also stressed while this gift to his father may be expensive, it does not take money to share the love you have for another human being or to give your "ultimate expression" to them.

"The wealthier a person is, in many cases, that is a hindrance for them to establish relationships. The money is a distraction," he said.

To further get this point across, Glenn said he is writing a book about his experiences and has created a website. The website can be accessed at www.gr8nrg.com.



Glenn Wachler shows the sculpture he made for his father, Jeff Wachler. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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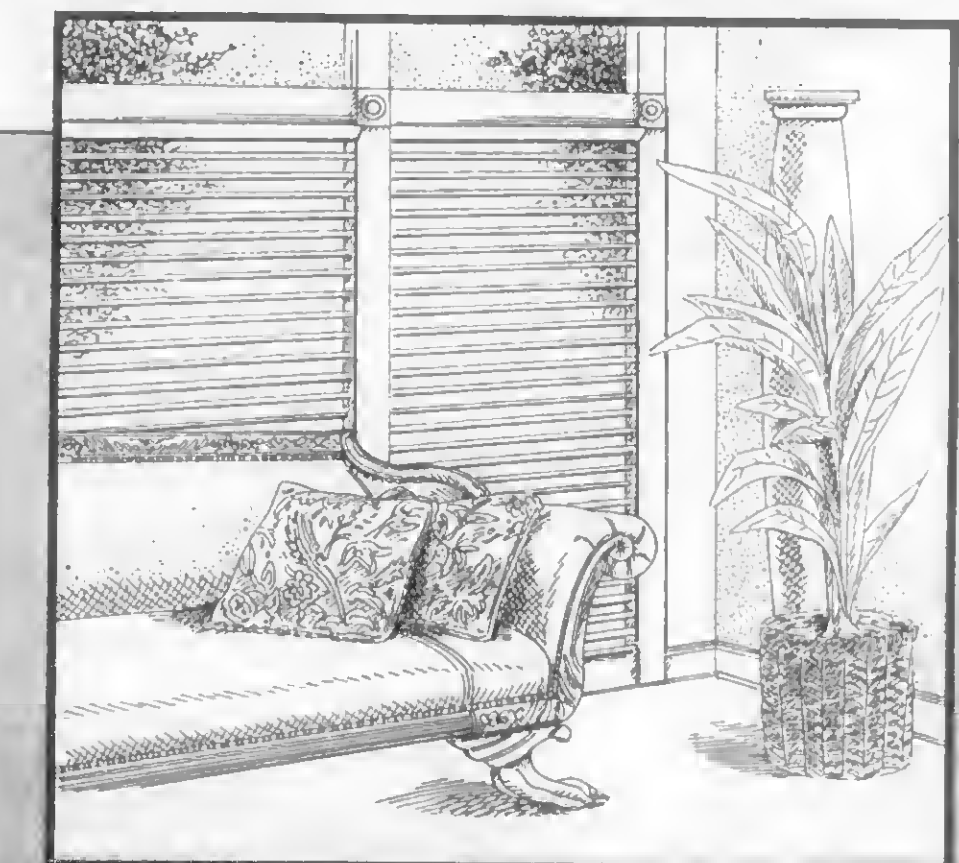
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Symphony on the Green to benefit hospital July 13

If classical music played by an orchestra wearing tuxedos is not your preferred "cup of tea," then July 13's Symphony on the Green is tailor-made for you.

For the third year in a row Symphony on the Green will be presented by the Traverse Symphony Orchestra, outside under the stars. Instead of classical music by Mozart and Bach, this year's program is "A Toast to Broadway," and will be comprised entirely of Broadway show tunes from hits such as "A Chorus Line," "Gypsy," "Fiddler on the Roof" and "Oklahoma."

The evening's performance will be directed by maestro Kevin Rhodes from Switzerland, offering songs performed by Broadway voice coach, tenor Mark Planner. Maestro Rhodes is also a concert pianist and will delight the audience by playing "Rhapsody in Blue."

Tenor Mark Planner will sing "If I Loved You," "This is the Moment," "Music of the Night," "Manhattan," and "Someone To Watch Over Me."

Other songs on the program include "Jesus Christ, Superstar," "Don't Cry For Me Argentina," "King Herod's Song" and "Memory."

A salute to New York will include selections "Lullaby," "42nd Street" and "New York, New York." Songs from "Guys and Dolls" and a tribute to George Gershwin will also be played.

Music lovers are encouraged to bring their families and a picnic dinner to enjoy on the lawn at the Charlevoix Country Club while listening to this program.

Symphony on the Green is an annual fund-raising event given rain or shine. This year proceeds will benefit Charlevoix Area Hospital's Expansion Project and the Crooked Tree Arts Council Beginning String Program.

Grounds open for seating and picnicking on the green at 6:30 p.m. The pool bar and grill will be open from 6:30-9:30 p.m. The concert begins at 8 p.m. Alcohol may be purchased on the grounds only.

Patron tickets are \$200 and include a preview party with Maestro and the Tenor from 5-6 p.m., a three-course gourmet dinner, preferential tent seating and \$120 tax deductible donation.

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Beaver Island to see many improvements

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Beaver Island is looking forward to major capital improvements, but St. James Township supervisor and 12 year islander Don Vyse says the changes won't compromise the island's rustic charm.

"People come here because they like the peace and tranquility of it, that's what we have to try and maintain, to keep the character rustic and nature driven but still convenient," Vyse said of the direction island development is taking.

"People come here because they like the peace and tranquility of it, that's what we have to try and maintain, to keep the character rustic and nature driven but still convenient."

Don Vyse,
St. James supervisor

Pothole ridden Main Street was last paved in the 1950s and Vyse said it has since been patched and patched and patched. But, six years ago the township board saw that the patching efforts had proven to be futile and they went in search of re-paving funds.

They found that "getting the funding just takes time." After a long wait, Vyse said that the Michigan Economic Development Corporation awarded the project a \$1.4 million grant making this summer the time to mend beaten streets.

Re-paving a road may not seem like much of a luxury for a mainland but Vyse said that Beaver Island has never had asphalt paving. They call isolation prob-

lems related to improving the land, "the island factor."

"With 20-30 guys working, what do you do about housing. They also have to barge their equipment over which makes it more practical to do all the projects at once," Vyse explained.

To sidestep the island factor, H & D will be bringing over a portable paving plant.

Also included in Main Street changes are both light pole and sidewalk installation. The road paving, sidewalk and pole projects will stretch from the popular public beach, Jewell F. Gillespie Park, to the lighthouse located across the street from the St. James Township Hall on Michigan Avenue.

The road re-paving effort also spurred further related improvements including updates to the airport shared by Peaine and St. James townships.

Vyse explained that the Michigan Department of Aeronautics said that if some major road work was done, they would be interested in bringing the township airport up to the standard.

So, the aeronautics department will be widening the runway 25 feet, from 50 feet to 75 feet and will lengthen it 300 feet from its current length of 4,000 feet. They will also replace the airport's runway lighting and clear some trees.

The airport project is costly, but the aeronautics department has agreed to fund 90 percent of the project or \$1.4 million and both St. James and Peaine townships are responsible for the remaining 10 percent.

Another popular island road is Back Highway, which will also be resurfaced. Part of the project funds were provided by the Grand Traverse Tribe and the remainder was generated from a 2 million town millage levied in St. James Township.

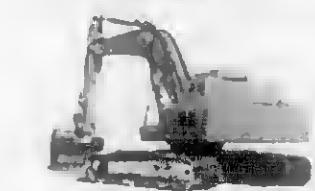
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Donald Vyse, St. James Township supervisor, stands in front of the St. James Township Hall. Vyse said Beaver Island will see many new improvements from roads to docks in the near future. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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ELECTION NOTICE

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO THE ELECTORS OF
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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD JULY 17, 2001

To the qualified electors of Norwood Township notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held on Tuesday, July 17, 2001, for the purpose of:

To vote on the following proposals:

Shall the previously voted increase in the 15-mill tax limitation imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution on general ad valorem taxes within Norwood Township be renewed at .5 mills (\$0.50 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 2001 through 2003 inclusive for Emergency Services; and shall the township levy such renewal in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$15,145.00?

Yes

No

Shall the 15-mill tax limitation on general ad valorem taxes with Norwood Township imposed under Article IX, Sec. 6 of the Michigan Constitution be increased for said Township by 1 mill (\$1.00 per \$1,000.00 of taxable value) for the period of 2001 through 2003 inclusive for Road Improvement Purposes and shall the township levy such increase in millage for said purpose, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$30,290.00?

Yes

No

The Polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock AM and will remain open until 8 o'clock PM of said day of election.

Doris A. Pearl, Norwood Township Clerk

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This is just one of the many historical Charlevoix quilts that will be on display July 12 - 15 at the Depot at Depot Beach in Charlevoix. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Island to undergo several projects over the summer PROJECTS

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Vyse also said islanders are looking to the future and are protecting the lake by putting in a sewer system that will run from Jewell F. Gillespie Park on Main Street to the post office, also on Main Street. He said there are limitations as to the size of the sewer.

"To go further we would need a whole other septic," Vyse said.

The system they are putting in is similar to a big septic field. The sewage will be stored in a septic tank located on two of the township's 40 acres in the St. James Township Campground. The total cost of the sewer is \$500,000, which will be paid for by a special assessment on property owners who it will service at a bond sale to take place July 11.

"That's a whole new adventure. There have never been bonds sold on the island before," Vyse said.

The Beaver Island Boat Company parking lot will also get a face lift and the Waterways Commission awarded a \$1.1 million grant which will allow for dock repairs.

Projects will get underway July 9. The township plans to start the sewer and airport projects simultaneously and then move on to the downtown paving projects.

Vyse said they expect all the projects, with the exception of some Main Street landscaping which will be done in June of 2002, to be completed by Oct. 31, 2001.

"We'll have a whole bunch of projects going all at once, it's significant. It will be inconvenient but tolerate it for four months and everyone will have something we've been waiting for, for a long time," Vyse said.

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The Charlevoix Public Library's Friends of the Library recently received a grant for \$2,883 from the Charlevoix County Community Foundation. The funds will be used to preserve books, pay for bookcases and for rebinding. Above, Friends of the Library and foundation members pose. They are: Marilyn Novac, Bob Tambellini, Kay Heise, Mary Ann Chew and Cynthia Postmus. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Local girl to perform at Barnard Church

Teen talent Laura Warren will treat northwest Michigan area residents to a concert near Charlevoix on July 8.

The East Jordan girl is well-known in the area for her performances in musicals and plays from Traverse City to Petoskey.

This will be her first concert of spiritual music and will also include patriotic numbers and a sampling of her new CD, "Beyond My Smile."

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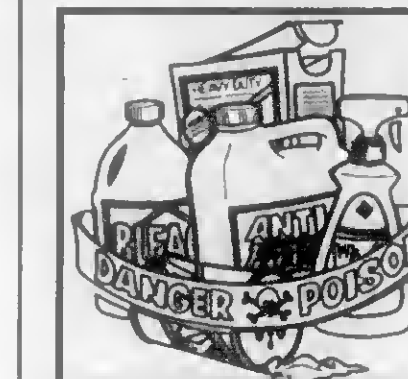
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HEALTH

The causes and cures of swimmer's ear



Daniel Mann, M.D.

'Your health'

Summer is finally here!

It has been slow arriving, as it is in the summer solstice as I write this article. Rest assured, however, we will definitely see plenty of those sweltering hot, humid days where everybody flocks to the lakes and swimming pools to chill off. Hand-and-hand with summer and water comes Otitis Externa, or "swimmer's ear" as it is commonly called.

This is a very common problem throughout the summer. Children far outnumber adults in infections, but it causes problems for both, interfering with sleep, jobs, family vacations and most importantly, from going swimming. All-in-all, both literally and figuratively, it can be a great pain!

We'll talk about how and why this infection arises (which entails a little chemistry for those kids on summer vacation), as well as the common symptoms, proper management and prevention.

In its most common form, Otitis Externa is inflammation of the skin or epithelium of the external ear canal. Inflammation of the eardrum (tympanic membrane) can also occur. If left untreated or in severe cases of Otitis Externa, the underlying bone can become infected.

Otitis Externa usually involves only one ear and causes a considerable amount of pain. Sometimes, however, people only have mild ear discomfort, itching or a pressure sensation. Redness, swelling and a yellowish or crusty discharge are often present in the ear canal. Generally, people have a little or no fever.

Onto a little chemistry for those people who miss being in school. The pH, or acid level, of the ear canal and ear wax (cerumen) is usually acidic. This acidic environment usually limits the growth of bacteria and other microorganisms. When on swims, the pH in a pool, lake or

ocean is usually alkaline (a high pH). The resulting change in pH of the ear canal, as well as being a wet, warm and dark area, is a great climate for growing things in one's ears.

Bacteria are the usual suspects of Otitis Media, especially during the summer months and from swimming. However, not all cases of Otitis Externa are due to swimming. Infections can arise from viruses, fungi, chemicals and foreign bodies in the ear canal. Basically, anything that changes the pH or injures the ear canal can put one at risk.

For example, people with diabetes can have an alkaline pH and fungal infections are seen more commonly in these people, as well as people with compromised immune systems, such as transplant patients or those with AIDS. Otitis Externa can also be seen in those with skin disorders, such as psoriasis, seborrhea or eczema.

Trauma to the ear canal can increase one's risk of infection. Chemical irritants, such as hair sprays and dyes can alter the pH. Foreign bodies, such as corn and peas that kids are so good at getting stuck in their ears, as well

as hearing aides, can cause irritation that results in infection. Finally, just bathing or showering and getting water in the canal can put one at risk.

Fortunately, treatment of Otitis Externa is usually straightforward and includes antibiotics, cleansing of the ear and pain medications. These infections can often be very painful and irritating. Usually over the counter medications, such as Tylenol and/or Ibuprofen are sufficient. Sometimes ear drops that contain pain medications are prescribed.

Cleansing the ear canal is important and sometimes the ear will be irrigated and gently suctioned to remove some of the debris in the canal. This can also be performed at home with a small amount of hydrogen peroxide.

Antibiotic drops are prescribed, which may contain a steroid and/or an acidifying agent to restore the ear's normal pH. Sometimes antibiotic eye preparations or oral antibiotics are prescribed. Finally, an earwick may be inserted into the ear canal to ensure the medication reaches all the affected areas.

Most people are feeling much better with one or two drops. However, the worst thing about these infections is that swimming is not allowed for generally seven to 10 days. Sometimes cotton balls with Vaseline are recommended for bathing.

There are several ways to hopefully prevent these infections. Good drying of ears is essential. Using a hair dryer for a short amount of time also helps. A variety of over the counter preparations are available to use after swimming. These help to dry the ear and restore the normal pH of the ear canal. A simple mixture is a half dropper full of half rubbing alcohol and half white vinegar applied after swimming.

I hope this helps you to better understand Otitis Externa. If infection occurs despite these preventative measures, please see your physician as prompt treatment often ensures a quick recovery.

Dr. Daniel Mann can be contacted at Pine Rive Medical, located near Charlevoix Area Hospital, by calling 547-6554.

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Funding for water quality improvement projects is available through two separate grant programs from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.

The application deadline is 4 p.m., Aug. 7 for both Nonpoint Source Pollution Control grants and the Clean Water Act Section 319 grants. The Nonpoint Source Pollution grants are funded under the Clean Michigan Initiative, a \$675 million environmental bond proposed by Gov. John Engler and approved by the voters in 1998.

Applications are being accepted for:

• The Nonpoint Source Pollution Control grant program. About \$7 million is available for implementing processes in this third round of funding. Grants require a minimum 25 percent local match, which may include in-kind services. Funds are available to local units of government and nonprofit entities. Two categories of activities are eligible for funding: implementing physical improvements in approved watershed management plans and establishing permanent riparian conservation easements and livestock exclusion practices. Some eligible activities may require permits from the MDEQ. A grant application package is available by calling Veronica Willard at (517) 373-2867 or by downloading from the internet at www.deq.state.mi.us/swg and selecting "Grant Application Packages." For more information on the program, contact Amy Peterson at (517) 373-2037.

• Clean Water Act Section 319 grants. Projects that develop watershed management plans or implement nonphysical improvements in approved watershed plans are eligible for funding. About \$3 million is available for grants to local units of government, nonprofit entities and federally recognized tribal entities. The DEQ's priority for using Section 319 grant funds this year is the development of approvable watershed management plans. Watershed planning projects require a minimum 10 percent local match, which may include in-kind services. A second category of eligible activities includes implementing nonphysical improvements in DEQ-approved watershed management practices. This category requires a minimum 25 percent local match, which may include in-kind services. An application package is also available by calling Willard or downloading it from the internet. For more information call Robert Sweet at (517) 335-6967.



Charlevoix history

Exhibit chairperson Karen Lewis poses with a new fishing exhibit on display at the Charlevoix Historical Society's Harsha House Museum located at 101 State Street in Charlevoix. The Harsha House also has a new David Miles display of the channel bridges. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Stormwater focal point for environmental discussion

DISCHARGE

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The MDEQ is currently in the process of reviewing the stormwater systems of municipalities across the state and are implementing a permit process to monitor the discharge. He estimated that by 2003 there will be over 300 municipal stormwater permits issued in the state of Michigan.

Martin said that if the city runs another line into the lake they would need a permit and that currently, there "aren't very many lines." He explained that water from the curbed streets runs into the storm system and into Round Lake and the rest drains into the ground.

He added that Charlevoix deals with the state and federal stormwater guidelines and that as of now, the size of the city doesn't

require discharge permits be acquired.

Fife said that current regulations ask that local governments across the state do their best to minimize the impact of their system on the watershed. Three ways the MDEQ encourages impact minimization is through water testing, catch basin cleaning and street sweeping.

Both Martin and Creswell said that all three practices encouraged by the MDEQ are currently practiced regularly in Charlevoix.

In the spring, after the snow melts, sand and salt that accumulated over the winter is cleaned out and hauled out, so "it never reaches the lake." And, throughout the winter, snow is hauled out of town.

Fife also said education was a big factor. He offered the example of those who put oil into the system thinking it will be treated, without knowing it will go directly into the water.

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NOTICE

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for a Special Meeting on June 20, 2001 and their Regular Board Meeting on June 27, 2001, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

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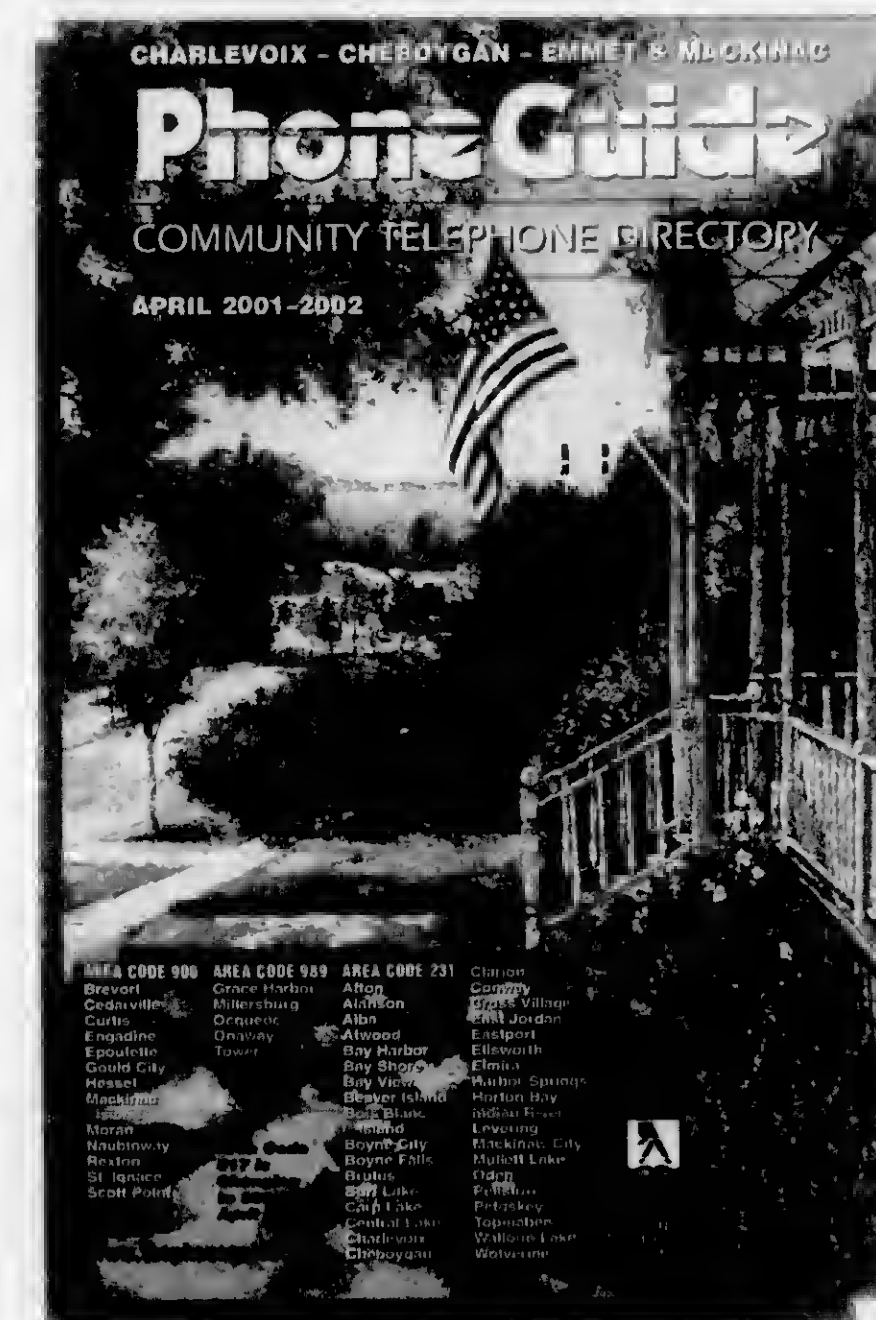
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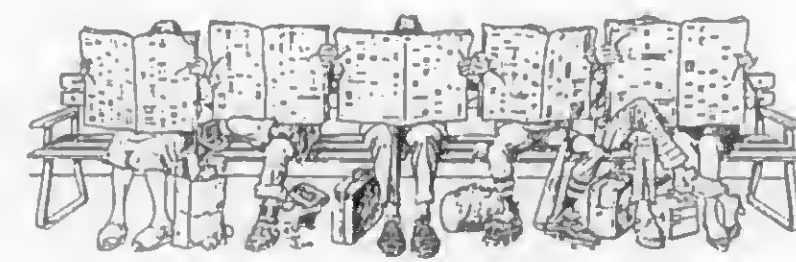
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Continuing down Park Avenue the tour guide directs participants to the Kaufman home, located at 221 Park Avenue, on the right side of the road. According to Molter, the home was built in 1885, it overlooks the channel and is decorated with whimsical works by local artists.

With one more home left on the tour, you can break for lunch or plow through to the last stop, "Eagle's Nest."

To get to the nest take US-31 north to Boyne City Road. Turn right on Boyne City Road and drive to the Argonne Restaurant which

will be on your left. Park in the Argonne lot and a shuttle will take you to the site located at 08085 Indian Trails Drive.

Nest owners Don and Ruth Van Sulichem built a Maple Island log home full of great spots to curl up with a book or bird watch. The Van Sulichems even constructed a real eagle's nest in hopes to provide a comfortable abode for one of the great birds.

Molter said that last year's tour raised almost \$10,000. This year, two-thirds of the funds raised will be donated to the hospital and the remaining third will go to the Judy Edger/Sue DeYoung Breast Cancer Walk.

Tickets for the event are \$15. Tickets are available at any of the five homes included in the tour, and Bridge Street stores: the Appletree, the Clothing Company and Shop of the Gulls. Tickets will also be on sale at the July 7 and 8 Charlevoix Summer Art Festival.

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Above: The dining table is the focal point of the Rhode home located at 213 Park Avenue in Charlevoix. The dining set is one of many antiques the home features. Left: A view of David and Arlene Parker's Pine Point home from the beach. The Parker home features an elevator, numerous stone fireplaces, an indoor jacuzzi room and enchanting outdoor landscaping. (Photos by Julie Musilek)

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A. Nony Mouse
'Yachting notes'

Final Results — Spring Series; but, first, a special offer to sailing members who would like to try racing.

The Race Committee, at the suggestion of Ken Heininger, invites you to sail in the Jib and Main Fleet (no spinnaker allowed) and waives the race fee and full membership requirement for races one and two of the Summer Series. (If you like it and want to continue to be scored for the series, you will then need to properly register.)

Meanwhile, they simply need your name and all details about your boat, so that they may assign you a rating. If interested, call Tom Barnes, 547-5137 or Mike Miller 547-6167 or simply show up at the Club at 7 p.m. Friday to both sign up and learn the basics of the rules and starting procedures.

The JAM Fleet is a fun fleet and welcomes novices and experts alike. A couple former JAM fleet skippers are moving up to the Spinnaker Fleet leaving a great opportunity for you in this small fleet!

The Wednesday Summer Series starts July 11, as we have no races scheduled for the Fourth of July. Excepting only as provided in the above paragraph, no boats shall be scored for any races unless they have paid their race fees and are full members prior to the start of the race.

Spring Series Final Results: (position. BOAT NAME points (last race):

Spinnaker (Big Boats): 1. GOTCHA 7 (1); 2. SLAPSHOT 11 (2); 3. HOOTIE 13 (3); 4. MINT JULEP 20 (7); 5. WINDRUNNER 23 (5); 6. HOI POLLOI 26 (4).

P-26: 1. CYGNUS 8 (2); 2. ORIGINAL SIN 10 (1); 3. LOST VERMONT 10 (3); 4. ARTEMIS 21 (4). (The tie is resolved by best finish in the last race per A8.3.)

JAM: 1. FLASH 7 (1); 2. BALD EAGLE 11 (2); 3. CHEEMAUN 14 (3); 4. APOTHECARY 16 (4).

J-22: 1. HUSSY 9 (1); 2. 11 RECKLESS 10 (2); 3. SUPER-FLUOUS 12 (4); 4. FIRST DATE 17 (3); 5. PALEFACE LITE 25 (drop - 9); 6. SWINE FLEW 28 (6); 7. ROCK STEADY 36 (8); 8. THUNDERSTRUCK 39 (13); 9. HS MOISTURE MISSILE 43 (7); 10. CRAZY HORSE 47 (11); 11. HIGH MAINTENANCE 50 (10); 12. EAU DE VIE 54 (5); 13. BAN-ZAI 60 (14); 14. HOG-TIDE 61 (15).

Powerboats are being reminded of the Beaver Island Overnight July 14 and 15, with several heading over Friday (the thirteenth!) in the evening — call Diana Hickey at 547-7777 for more information.

The Sail Fleet's LaBlance Cup Race is the same weekend and they desperately need a powerboat to start and record finish times. If interested, call Karl Juries 347-6460 — he's willing to bribe you!

Sorry, we don't have the results of the third Sunday Sunfish Spring Races, but should be able to give you those and the July 8 final Spring race results next week. There is no race July 15 as the Sunday Sunfish Summer Series starts the race.



It was a tight race in this week's final for the spring series. For the final results, see the story at left. (Photo by A. Nony Mouse.)

July 22 at 1:00 p.m. off Pine Point. Call 536-7975 for more information.

Look for Nautical Trivia next week. We'll try to come up with something easier as responses to date are running over 90 percent wrong!

Joe and Wynne Curry will host at Charlevoix Yacht Club this Friday evening. Also, the Membership Committee invites prospective

members to be their guests, so come join us for an hour or two of fun and relaxation at 209 Ferry Avenue.

Yachting Notes is submitted each

week during the summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

Rec. League slo-pitch results

The current Charlevoix Recreation Department scores for men's and women's "slo-pitch."

Women's slo-pitch

June 28

• Charlevoix Fence Company beat Fleet Construction, 16-10.

• Boyne Hydroseed beat Omas, 17-3.

• Bajos Building beat Subway, 14-5.

June 26

• Omas beat Bajos Building, 8-2.

• Fieldcrest Inn beat Kwikie, 20-12.

• Kinetics beat Daman Electric, 14-10.

Men's slo-pitch

June 27

• Crown Motors beat Lakeshore, 21-8.

• La Senorita beat the Coast Guard, 23-11.

• Grey Gables beat Site Planning, 22-2.
June 25
• Lakeshore beat Site Planning, 12-4.

• Grey Gables beat Boss Engineering, 13-0.
• Ace Hardware beat La Senorita, 7-0.

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ISLAND

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According to Moore, island lore says that Karl Keebler was a one armed islander who carved the eight mile path using just his one good arm.

Shipwreck discovery is just one more great way to spend the day. Scuba and snorkeling are the road to underwater exploration. Iron Ore Bay is home to one such wreck, an old wooden schooner that went down a while back.

The bay is referred to as Iron Ore Bay because a freighter also went down there, spilled its load and turned the bay red.

Another island tradition is climbing the Beaver Head lighthouse. Moore said that each trip

around the island has to equal a trip up the old lighthouse. The lighthouse's metal, intricately designed stairs wind up to a beautiful lookout point, a staple during any island visit.

There is one more lighthouse, located off of Michigan Avenue at the end of Main Street where you can take an exterior gander of the old brick ship-saver. Then head over to the Gull Harbor Natural Area located off of Michigan Avenue and Gull Harbor Drive for a bird watching adventure. The natural area is a great spot to bird watch and hike during the day and to stargaze at night.

If none of these outings spark your interest, use your imagination and wander the island in search of your own adventure but while your exploring don't forget to wave.



Above, Carol King, of Kalamazoo, braves the heights while climbing to the top of the Beaver Head Lighthouse. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



Above, Michael Moore squats on top of Paul Bunyan's Tooth, a popular rock to climb on Beaver Island. Left, Beaver Island has many natural areas for your hiking pleasure, such as the Gull Harbor Natural Area. (Photos by Julie Musilek)

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Watch out for dehydration

The dog days of summer are here. With them come hot, humid weather and the perfect time for outdoor activities, summer sports and for fall sports conditioning.

But athletes beware! Hope for fun summer sports and conditioning activities can quickly evaporate in the hot summer sun if athletes do not properly hydrate themselves before, during and after a workout. Without proper hydration the body can lose water and essential elements and run the risk of kidney problems or even death.

To help athletes avoid the risks of dehydration, physicians at the University of Michigan Health System's MedSport are advising summer athletes to drink large amounts of water during their workouts, know and recognize the signs of dehydration and begin to prepare their body for its heavy summer fluids by drinking extra water during cooler times of the year.

"Athletes can get seriously dehydrated especially during the warmer summer months and also in August when the intensity of the workouts seem to increase prior to playing fall sports," Edward Wojtyls, M.D., professor, Department of Surgery, and director, Sports Medicine said. "If you do enough work in any type of weather you can get dehydrated, but when temperatures are in excess of 75 or 80 degrees and humidity is in the same range, it's easier to become seriously dehydrated."

The key Wojtyls says, is to prevent dehydration before it even begins by drinking plenty of fluids before, during and after any workout. But in any case, athletes also should be aware of what are and are not signs of dehydration.

Although thirst may seem like it would be a sign of dehydration, Wojtyls says it may not always be the case. That lack of a thirsty feel-

ing, in fact, poses a greater problem because it is a time when the body needs fluid the most.

But when the body does need fluids, there are other signs as well. The true signs of dehydration include an uneasy feeling and a noticeable decrease in energy and performance levels. Some athletes also may develop a headache and feel achy if their body is running low on fluids.

If these fluids are not replenished at the first signs of dehydration, the body temperature can rise causing its cooling mechanism, perspiration, to slow down or stop and the athlete to pass out. Wojtyls advises that if this occurs, the athlete should be taken off the field and evaluated by a trainer or a physician immediately.

"Once dehydration starts, the deterioration can be quick making it difficult to treat," he said.

The best way to prevent that from happening is to continuously drink fluids throughout any workout, especially when heat and humidity are on the rise, causing the athlete to sweat more and deplete the body of necessary fluids and salts.

That advice is particularly important for those young athletes who are working to lose weight before their sports season starts through physical conditioning and running. It's important for those athletes to monitor their body weight before and after their workouts to avoid dehydration. Wojtyls warned that much of that weight loss is fluid and if it's not properly replenished and the athlete continues to work out, it can be fatal.

"It's not unusual for an athlete who's 160 or 180 pounds to lose five or more pounds during a work out," Wojtyls said. "We would hope that by the next morning, after having an opportunity to drink fluids

and eat a healthy dinner, that most of that weight would be regained. It's the athlete who goes back out the next day and hasn't regained that fluid who's really placing himself at risk."

Coaches and parents of summer athletes also need to be aware of the dangers of dehydration and supply their athletes with plenty of fluids during games and workouts. Wojtyls suggests that coaches provide several breaks every hour and remove any athlete from the field who is exhibiting signs of dehydration and who have nausea or have vomited.

"You can't drink too much water when you are young — your kidneys are designed to be able to handle that amount of fluid," Wojtyls said. "So, if anything, we should force fluids on young athletes and have them drink as much as possible."

But drinking all of that extra fluid in the summer can sometimes make an athlete feel sluggish or bloated. So, Wojtyls recommends building up that extra hydration during the cooler months, before they actually need them, to get used to the healthier fluid load.

And to stay hydrated before, during and after a workout, athletes should drink water or a balanced salt solution like Gatorade. A balanced salt solution will work to not only meet the body's water requirements but it will also provide it with the essential elements that are lost during perspiration.

But if a Gatorade-like substance is not available, Wojtyls suggests drinking water instead and avoiding any type of soft drink or juice drink.

Although balanced salt solutions will replenish fluids and elements lost while working out, young athletes should not use salt tablets to achieve the same outcome.

Venetian team sporting events registration times

The 2001 Venetian Games will feature team sporting events that will be fun for players and spectators.

Team captains will need to register their official rosters and secure team rules, schedules and appropriate material from the City Recreation Department in City Hall (547-3253.)

Team events will begin with a 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament scheduled for July 22. The tournament, hosted by St. Mary's Church, will take place at Lake Michigan Beach. The newly paved parking lots will accommodate all the courts needed and offers the lake for cooling off and the beach for family fun.

July 23 will kick off the two day, 3-on-3 Soccer Tournament at Shannah Field. Boys, girls and adult teams will start at 6 p.m.

A co-ed beach volleyball tournament will take place July 25 on the sand courts at Ferry Beach. Teams of three males and three females are required.

Co-ed softball was changed this year to be a one-day tournament.

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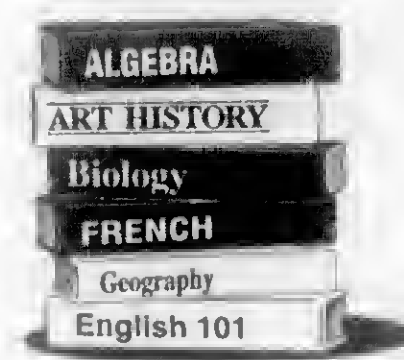
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Garden Club to meet and discuss this year's 'Walk'

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will meet July 10 at the Thistle-down Stone Gardens.

Brian Fennsemer, owner of "Stone Works," and designer of the Blossoms' gardens, will join the group to talk about the use of stones.

The club will also make the final preparations for the Third Annual Garden Walk, "Just Add Water." The Garden Walk is scheduled to take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 19.

This year's event will feature six area gardens and five area exhibitors offering water garden technology information and accouterments. A Depot Craft Show will also offer frogs, unusual pots, garden ornaments, tools and gloves.

Tickets are available from club members and from the following businesses; Don's IGA in both Harbor Springs and Charlevoix, Central Drugs and the Appletree in Charlevoix, E.J. Shoppe in East Jordan and Mary's of Boyne in Boyne City.

Hostesses for the meeting are Sharon Blossom, Susan Flanders, Diane Jerome and Julie Waterman.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club is a member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan. For more information about the club contact Mona Bergeon at 547-3526.

4-H art to be on display at Chinese painting show

Nine Michigan counties, including Charlevoix, will be represented at the 2001 Sichuan, People's Republic of China International Children's Painting Exhibition.

Children from all over the world were invited to participate. Ten pieces of Michigan children's art were sent to China in May.

Children chose any theme for their artwork, as long as it represented something important in their lives.

Local young artist Alexis Nalbock from Concord Academy in Boyne was selected to send her art to China.

Also, recognized for their out-

standing work were Zach Thorpe from Concord Academy in Boyne, Bridget Peters, Jacob Wimmer and Megan Zawisza from St. Mary's in Charlevoix.

The children's artwork will be on display at Kettunen Center near Tustin from the late fall 2001 through Aug. 31, 2002.

The China Art exchange is coordinated by Michigan State University Extension 4-H Youth Development. For more information on the 4-H Children's Art Exchange and other 4-H programs, contact the Charlevoix County MSU Extension office at (231) 582-6232.

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If any of these occur, stop and rest. If the symptoms do not go away or return with activity, call 911 and go to the closest emergency room.

Permanent heart damage can be avoided only if a person seeks immediate medical attention within a few hours of the onset of these symptoms.

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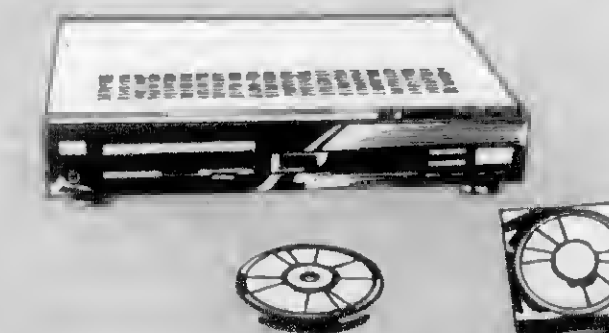
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The Charlevoix Township Board will hold its Annual Meeting & Budget Hearing on July 9, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. prior to the regular meeting at the Charlevoix Township Hall at 12491 Waller Road, Charlevoix, MI.

At such time the budget concerning estimated revenues and proposed expenditures will be submitted for consideration. The proposed millage rate to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.

A copy of the proposed budget will be available for inspection at the office of the Clerk at 12491 Waller Road on Mon., Wed., and Thurs. mornings.

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FOR

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301 State Street

Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

DANIEL R. VAN ACKER and

JANET L. VAN ACKER,

Plaintiffs,

v

RODNEY A. GIFFELS,

Defendant.

File No. 01-904-19-CH

Honorable Richard J. Pajtas

Larry L. Burgess (P25246)

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TO: RODNEY A. GIFFELS

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1. You are being sued by Plaintiffs

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sale of real property located in St.

James Township, Charlevoix Coun-

ty, State of Michigan and described as Lot 722, Plat of Port St. James No. 8, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 179-181 of Charlevoix County Records, pursuant to a Quit Claim Deed for the Real Estate which was issued to the Plaintiffs by the Department of Natural Resources, State of Michigan, on August 30, 2000 and recorded on October 25, 2000, in Liber 409, page 046 of Charlevoix County Records. You must file your written answer or take other action permitted by law in this Court at the Court address above on or before August 3, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this Order shall be published once each week in the Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this Court.

3. A copy of this order shall be sent to Rodney A. Giffels, 416 Barnatt Road B, Columbus, Ohio 43213 by certified mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication of July 18, 2001 and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with the Court.

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Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Nanny's Restaurant. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 4 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays

and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month.

For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall

on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, and until 7 p.m. on Thursdays at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Luncheon at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

AREA EVENTS

Bottle drive

The Charlevoix High School Flag Corps will be conducting a bottle drive on from 6 to 8:30 p.m., July 9 (Northside) and on July 10 (Southside). Contact Valerie Pedersen at 547-2968 for pickups.

Republican picnic

The Charlevoix County 2001 Republican Picnic will start at 1 p.m., July 8, at Whiting Park. Please bring a dish to pass, bring your kids, friends and anyone who would like to join us and have a good time! Beer and pop will be furnished. The price is \$7; children under 12 are free.

Drenth Memorial race

The 23rd Annual Venetian Festival Race/Drenth Memorial at 8 a.m., Saturday, July 28 at Charlevoix Elementary School, Di-

vision Street. Registration is 6 to 8 p.m. Friday or 7 to 8 a.m. July 28. Entry Fee: \$15 per race before July 28 or \$20 per race on day of race. Special Family Rate: Pre-registered \$15 family rate for 1 mile race only. Awards: Plaques for male and female winners in each race. Masters plaques for 10k & 5k. Local merchants provide free T-shirts for all entrants. Aid stations for 5k and 10k races. Refreshments and food at the end of all races. Pick up entry forms at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

Ice cream social

From 2 to 5 p.m., on July 7, is the Norwood Ice Cream Social with lots of ice cream. Organizers are searching for Norwood school pictures and memorabilia to display. Call 547-0721 if you can help.



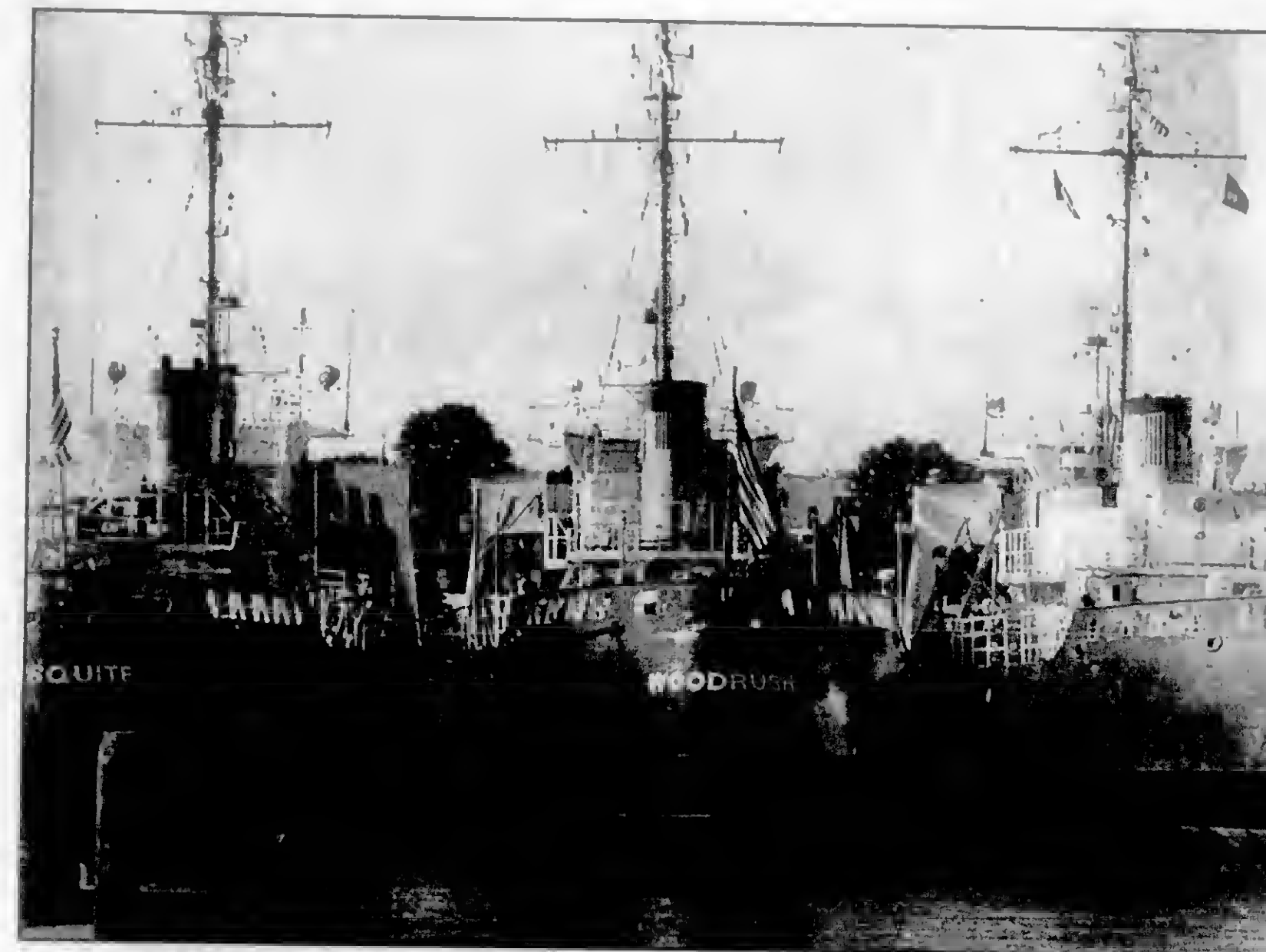
New members of Rotary

Earlier this spring, several new members were inducted into the Charlevoix Rotary Club. They are, standing with president Jim Berlage (second from left): Chris Hinkel, Chris Turkleson and Gary Stutzman. (Courtesy photo)

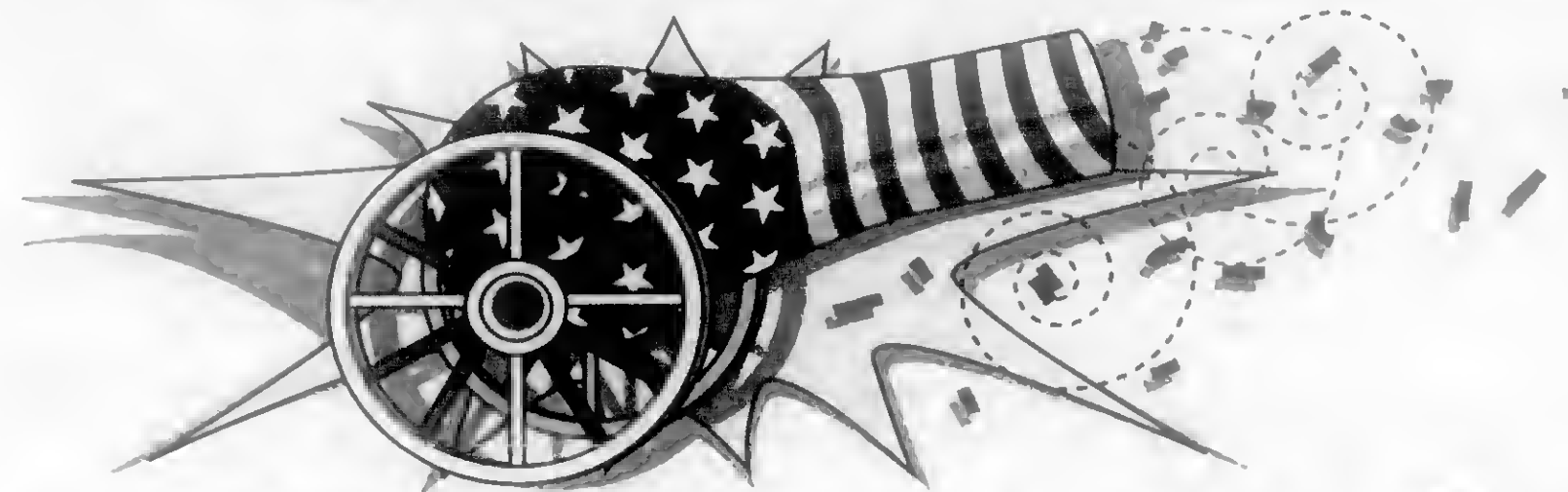
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Artists converged on Charlevoix last weekend for the annual Downtown Charlevoix Art Fair.

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Garden Walk



Enjoy the sights of area gardens at this year's annual Charlevoix Garden Club Garden Walk.

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Cruise company sinks

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The cruise ship Arcadia, and its charter company Great Lakes Cruises, Inc., will no longer be coming to Charlevoix, according to reports.

The charter company which set up cruises on the ship throughout the Great Lakes — including Charlevoix — has reportedly folded, according to an article in the

Detroit Free Press on Tuesday.

This comes following the ship's forced docking at Windsor, Ontario, Canada by the United States Coast Guard and the Center for Disease Control after it failed health inspections on June 20 and June 30. That order was lifted Saturday, following another inspection.

The Arcadia visited Charlevoix June 21 and was scheduled for another trip on Oct. 11.

Kris Rasmussen, Charlevoix

downtown coordinator, said the Oct. 11 trip is canceled. She added there are other cruise ships on the Great Lakes that she will be looking at for next year.

Rasmussen was worked on bringing a cruise ship to Charlevoix for a while.

According to United States Coast Guard Lt. Commander Brian Hall, the ship was boarded by the Coast Guard and Center for Disease Control on July 4 to issue a "No-Sail"

order and for further inspection. At that time, many of the problems found on June 20 — the day before the ship arrived in Charlevoix — were not fixed.

The ship has been barred from entering United States water until the violations found by the Center for Disease Control are taken care of, Hall said. In order to leave Windsor, the ship would have had to enter U.S. water.

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Official: Marion best bet for city

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Before the July 3 Marion Township Planning Commission meeting rumors that the commission planned to rezone township agricultural land to industrial were flying.

But commission chairman Tim Matchett explained that wasn't the purpose of their meeting, "those rumors are false."

According to Marion Township Zoning Administrator Bob Drebenstedt, areas currently zoned industrial in Marion Township are concentrated along M-66. The zones include the boat storage near Loeb Road, the Hoskins Manufacturing area and a couple other small pieces.

"That's all we have zoned industrial at this point," he said.

So, it would seem difficult for the city of Charlevoix to find over 40 acres of land for an industrial park. However, Drebenstedt said there is a lot of farmland out there and zoning can be changed.

And Drebenstedt said he foresees the city's industrial site located off Marion Center Road.

"If I was a betting man, I would

See INDUSTRY, page 23

Fourth festivities



Parades galore

Charlevoix County was host to several parades on the Fourth of July. Above, following the Charlevoix parade, members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and a Vietnam Veteran group out of Saginaw fire off a traditional rifle salute. Left, this parade watcher in Horton Bay is in the perfect mood to celebrate the nation's independence as she sits surrounded by American flags. (Top photo by Jeremy McBain. Left photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Charles Lewis Taylor, 18, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense; and resisting and obstructing a police officer. One year probation; 360 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 30 days, 60 days on electronic monitor, 270 days held in abeyance; \$1,425 in fines and costs.

Dana Eugene Crandell, 40, Boyne Falls. Malicious destruction of fire and police property. Bound over to circuit court.

Shawn David Willis, 26, Boyne City. Sex offender failed to register. Bound over to circuit court.

Nicolas David Slattebo, 19, Boyne City. Poison — food/drink/medicine/wells; and home invasion-second degree. Bound over to circuit court.

Donald James King Jr., 37, East Jordan. Disturbing the peace. Four months probation; \$400 in fines and costs.

Daniel Curtis Parker, 39, Charlevoix. Disturbing the peace. Three months probation; 90 days in jail, serve four days, 86 days held in abeyance.

Dennis Lawson Cadarette, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Ramona Ann Wabanimeke, 35, Traverse City. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Jail for seven days with credit for four days, serve three days; \$300 in fines and costs.

Ivan Wayne Wasageshik, 38, East Jordan. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Jail for seven days with credit for four days; \$300 in fines and costs.

Jason Daniel Wasageshik, 22, Petoskey. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Jail for 10 days with credit for four days.

Steven Allen Cronk, 41, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months pro-

bation; 51 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance.

Kraig Lee Sinda, 42, Indian River. Unlicensed contractor; and false pretenses, \$200 or more, less than \$1,000. One year probation; 365 days in jail with credit for 21 days, 344 days held in abeyance; \$3,171 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Up North Construction Co., 201 North Lake Street, East Jordan, by Phillip Lee White

Boyne Country Provisions, 127 Water Street, Boyne City, by P.B. & J Constructing, Inc.

Charlevoix Taxi, 1530 US-31 South Charlevoix, by Patricia A. Christ

Cab Co., 1530 US-31 South Charlevoix, by Patricia A. Christ

Sunset Appliance Repair, 10867 Maple Grove Road, Charlevoix, by Herb Stanhope

Dish Connection, 201 North Lake Street, East Jordan, by Phillip Lee White

Jacob Porath Builder, 13045 Waller Road, Charlevoix, by Jacob Porath

Yellow Dog Jewelry, 08068 McSaub, Charlevoix, by Lee Ann Struthers

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Craig David Stewart, 41, Charlevoix and Maryse Monique Verville, 32, Charlevoix

William A. Markey, 48, Beaver Island and Kathy Ann Dill, 37, Beaver Island

Brian Francis Dixon, 25, Charlevoix and Wallanda Wladzia Wujcik, 23, Charlevoix

Todd Alexander Davis, 28, Charlevoix and Nancy MacAlastair Dammann, 25, Charlevoix

Mark Thomas Valente, 45, Beaver Island and Susan Jane Left, 39, Charlevoix

Buddy Allen Lewis Sr., 26, East

Jordan and Patricia Marie Steinhoff, 22, East Jordan

Births

Erika Rose was born to Donald and Kathleen Crandell of Charlevoix on July 2. Erika weighed 8 pounds, 9 ounces at birth.

Kaden Louis Gutierrez Boyd was born to Mitchell and Heidi Boyd of Oden on July 3 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Kaden weighed 8 pounds, 7 ounces at birth.

Gabriel Quentin Sam was born June 19 to Colleen Theresa Sam and Jonnie Jay Sam III, of Manistee. Gabriel weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces at birth. His grandparents are John and Karen Slattery of Charlevoix and Jonnie Jay Sam II and Maggie Conklin of Manistee.

Jaidyn Marie Brooks was born July 1 to Melissa Swem and Ryan Brooks, of Charlevoix. Jaidyn weighed 6 pounds, 7 ounces at birth. His grandparents are Don and Laura Swem of Charlevoix and Mel and Kay Sweet of Boyne City.

Sheriff to step up patrols based on citizen concerns

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office is offering a traffic safety concept of concentrated patrol to reduce accidents in Charlevoix County.

Any citizen of Charlevoix County who has a concern over traffic safety for any road in the county can contact Charlevoix County Sheriff George T.

Lasater for concentrated patrol consideration. The traffic safety concern may be speeders, careless or reckless drivers and drunk drivers, among others.

One or more deputies in marked and unmarked patrol units will be assigned to the concentrated patrol for designated periods of time. Once the

concentrated patrol has been accomplished, the citizen or group of citizens requesting the service will be supplied with a written report concerning the number of citations issued, traffic stops made, arrests and number of patrol hours spent on the problem area.

When a person is requesting

this service from the sheriff's office, please be prepared to supply: The name of the road, the nearest cross road, types of violations observed, specific facts concerning the violations — suspect names, types of vehicles — and the time of day and week the violations take place.

Lasater added this program is

in addition to the regular sheriff's office patrol activities.

Requests for this service may be made to the sheriff at 547-4461. Lasater will share the request with the Michigan State Police Post in Petoskey and their units will assist the sheriff's units with these patrol requests.

Corrections

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, two corrections need to be made for meeting time and location errors on page 30. The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday in the cafeteria of Charlevoix High School. The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m., Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.

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Debate rages over sidewalks

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

City of Charlevoix plans to work on infrastructure projects along Belvedere and Michigan avenues are being fought by the streets' residents.

The city plans to reconstruct the Michigan Avenue roadway from Petoskey Avenue to the intersection of Division and McSaub roads.

The plans also include installation of a new curb and gutter system, an increase in the size of the storm and sanitary sewers, installation of a new water main and new street lighting.

The aforementioned changes were met with little opposition at the 5 p.m., July 2 informational meeting between city officials and residents in council's chambers at city hall.

But, residents erupted when it came to the final discussion item on the list: new sidewalk construction from 431 Michigan Avenue along the west side of the street to Division Street.

They voiced concerns ranging from the possibility of the work compromising the health of street trees to whether or not the cinder block retaining wall would fit with the neighborhood's character.

Project engineer Don Swem representing Performance Engineers Inc. of Charlevoix responded to cinder block concerns saying he may be less "fashion conscious" than the residents in attendance but he thought the block would be appropriate.

Swem added that most of the trees, with the exception of a red maple on the corner of Michigan Avenue and Crouter Street, are set far enough back from the roadway that they are in little danger.

However, Swem's assurance of tree safety and compatible cinder block work wasn't enough for many

of the residents.

One such resident, Virginia Olson, told city manager Mike Wiesner if sidewalk construction begins she will fight every step of the way. She went on to call the project an unnecessary waste of tax dollars.

The total cost of the Michigan Avenue project is \$573,900.

Wiesner responded to allegations of misappropriated tax dollars by saying that the object of the project isn't to save money.

"The cheapest alternative is not always the best. Our goal is to provide a good product for the public," he explained.

He said Charlevoix is a walking city and the proposed sidewalk would cater to area walkers including students. He said the addition of the sidewalk will allow Charlevoix Elementary School students to walk from downtown, all the way to school, without crossing the road horizontally.

The proposed project timetable shows bids for the Michigan Avenue project were received by the city July 10 and the city could award the bid at the July 16 city council meeting. Construction is scheduled to begin at the earliest on Aug. 13, 2001 and is scheduled to be completed by Memorial Day of 2002.

Just one hour after the Michigan Avenue meeting commenced the city's Belvedere project caught similar flack from Belvedere property owners.

Like the Michigan Avenue residents, Belvedere residents who attended were happy with most of the planned capital improvements, but when they took a vote of who was in favor of the north side sidewalk construction they tallied 20 against and only one in favor of it.

The proposed sidewalk would run along the north side of Belvedere Avenue from Bridge Street to the Belvedere Club gates.



Many Belvedere Avenue residents expressed their opposition to a sidewalk along this side of the road recently. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Harbor Club resident John Pittman was the one vote in favor of the sidewalk. He said that his business partner's wife who is half owner of the condominium is confined to a wheelchair. When Pittman and his partner's family decide to go downtown they have to cross Belvedere twice to get to Bridge, both times facing high volumes of summer traffic.

However, residents said handicapped accessibility is less of a safety hazard than what would result if the sidewalk is constructed. Before attending the meeting residents counted 36 driveways on the north side where the sidewalk is proposed and seven on the south side where the sidewalk currently exists. They cited the high traffic volumes on the north side as a safety concern.

But Wiesner said that when city council decided to install the sidewalk they were addressing another safety concern — people walking in the street.

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Alma College dean's list

Laura Schairbaum and Marilee Brooks, both graduates of Charlevoix High School, were named to the Alma College dean's list recently. To be named to the list, a student must have a 3.5 grade point average during a term, while carrying a minimum of 13 credits.

WMU graduate

Kaylee A. Manker, a nursing major from Charlevoix, graduated from Western Michigan University recently with a bachelor of science degree.

CMU honors list

Several students from Charlevoix were named to the Central Michigan University honors list recently. They were: Timothy L. Carey, Travis J. Garrett, Angela C. Helm, Elizabeth M. Hess and Amanda J. Webb.

NMC dean's list

Shawn Trudeau, of Charlevoix, has been named to the Northwestern Michigan College dean's list recently. To be named to the list, a full-time student must have a grade point average of 3.5 or above.

Donation

The Northwest Pageant 2001 recently received a \$300 donation from the Wynkoop Auto Body Shop of Charlevoix. The money will help pay for the talent award and will be used for a recording session.

NMU dean's list

Liza M. Gorkiewicz, of Charlevoix, was named to the Northern Michigan University dean's list with a 4.0 grade point average. Several other students from Charlevoix were also named to the list. They were: Jeremy M. Antaya, Jodi L. Bingham, Adam F. Morris, Sonja L. Omland and Jessica L. Schneider.

MSU graduate

Brittney E. Dipert, daughter of Kirby Dipert and Jacqueline Mabee of Charlevoix and Natalie Sova of Grand Rapids, graduated from Michigan State University May 5 with a bachelor's degree in human ecology, with an emphasis in early childhood development.

LSSU dean's list

Several students from Charlevoix were named to the Lake Superior State University dean's list recently. They, and their majors, are: Zachary Dennis Bakker, a senior with a major in computer science; Allan Ramirez Case, a senior with a major in English language and literature; Sara Ann Fiman, a junior with a major in criminal justice; Lisa Lynn Parrish, a senior with a major in social studies and Christopher Todd Romig, a sophomore with a major in mechanical engineering.

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Enrollment for Crooked Tree Arts Center Community School of the Arts late summer session is being accepted at the arts center. Catherine Carcy is offering a Watercolor Workshop from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. for beginners Aug. 6 and 7 (\$100) and intermediate Aug. 8-10 (\$150). You may sign up for both sessions, if interested.

Acrylic and oil painting on canvas with instructor Manna McGrew is available for ages 16 and up with a class fee of \$80. The dates for the oil painting class are from 12:45-3:15 p.m. Aug. 1-Sept. 5. Harry E. Colestock offers a Watercolor Workshop Friday from 1-4 p.m. July 13 and 20 for ages 10-100. The class fee is \$40. For all painting classes, a list of required materials is available at the arts center.

Young dancers can enroll in Arlene D. Larson's dance camp held Aug. 6-10. Arlene Larson, a Royal Academy of Dancing Teaching Certificated Instructor, will offer classes from ages 3 and up. The class schedule is as follows: Preballet One, ages 3-5, 10-10:30 a.m.; Preballet Two, ages 6-8, 10:45-11:30 a.m.; Beginning Ballet One, ages 9-12, 12:30-1:30 p.m. and Beginning Ballet and Greek Modern, ages 13 and up, 1:45-3

p.m. Class fee is \$75 for each class.

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from a professional magician who has performed magic for 65 years.

Classes for the fall session of Community School of the Arts will be available at the end of August. Please call the arts center with any questions.

The Crooked Tree Arts Center is located in downtown Petoskey at 461 E. Mitchell Street. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday. The phone number is (231) 347-4337.

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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE Charlevoix City Council August 6, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council will hold a public hearing on Monday, August 6, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room of City Hall, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 to receive public input to discuss a proposed ordinance which amends portions of Chapter 51, Zoning and Planning. The following items are being considered:

1. Section 5.5 (15a) - renumbering and replacement - definition of "building line"
2. The current Section 5.5 (15a) would be renumbered (15b)
3. Section 5.8 (11)(d) - repeal existing and replace definition of "width"
4. Section 5.33(1) - repeal and replace - Minimum lot area and width
5. Section 5.43(1) - repeal and replace - Minimum lot area and width
6. Section 5.48(1) - repeal and replace - Minimum lot area and width
7. Section 5.226 - repeal and replace - Nonconforming lots of record
8. Section 5.256(6) - repeal and replace - Conditions of approval

The amendment will establish minimum lot width requirements. The proposed ordinance also adds the definition of "building line" and redefines the definition of "width" and changes the requirements for a non-conforming lot of record. The amendment will also permit the Zoning Board of Appeals to grant a six month extension for the start of the project construction.

A complete copy of the proposed language is available at the City Planner/Zoning Administrator's Office and the City Clerk's Office.

Interested citizens can make comments at the public hearing or written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, Michigan.

Elizabeth A. Gooch, City Clerk

The City of Charlevoix will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting upon 1 week's notice to the City of Charlevoix. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the City of Charlevoix Clerk's Office in writing or calling the following: City Clerk, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 (231) 347-3250

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Keep your pets healthy

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

While many humans experience discomforts such as bug-bites and sunburns, what many don't know is summer also brings its share of discomforts to their pets, some of which can be fatal.

Canine Parvovirus Infection is an example of a virus particularly rampant in the summer and potentially fatal to dogs. "Parvo," as it is called for short, is a virus that attacks the lining of a dog's digestive system and prevents it from being able to absorb nutrients or liquids.

When infected dogs are not treated properly, they can die from dehydration. Parvo affects dogs of all ages and breeds, but is especially harmful to puppies.

Parvo is a highly contagious virus that was first identified in the 1970s. In 1981, Charlevoix was hit particularly hard with the virus and over 20 cases were reported in a single year.

Now, 20 years later, the virus is back in the Charlevoix area and there have already been dozens of cases identified this year.

Dr. Matthew Greimel, of the Bayshore Animal Hospital, said that he has seen five dogs infected with the virus in this season alone.

Parvo is a virus that is transmitted through the stool of an infected dog as well as through simple dog-to-dog contact. The symptoms of Parvo include depression and lethargy, vomiting, high

fevers and bloody diarrhea.

If a dog exhibits any of these symptoms, its owner should seek immediate veterinary care.

"A animal brought in during the early stages of the virus has a much better chance of survival than a dog brought in later. When a dog is brought in later, the prognosis is not as good," said Greimel.

Because Parvo is a virus, there are no drugs available that can kill it. This makes treatment more difficult than that of other infections or sicknesses.

Infected dogs are given IV's to replenish their liquid nutrients, as well as antibiotics to help build up their immune systems, which are then able to fight off the virus. When an infected dog is brought in early enough, this form of treatment can be successful.

However, if a dog is brought in after a few days of displaying the symptoms, the virus can prove fatal.

"Parvo is one hundred percent preventable," said Greimel. A vaccination against Parvo is included in the Distemper vaccination, which also includes protection against four other canine infections.

Because puppies are particularly susceptible to sickness as a result of their weak immune systems, it is especially important that they receive their Distemper shots at as early as six weeks old. Older dogs should receive the shot annually.

Florence joins Courier for summer internship

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix Courier has brought a fresh, young face on board for the summer.



Jocey Florence

Seasonal Belvedere Club resident Jocey Florence, 17, of Larchmont, N.Y., has joined the Courier staff for a five-week editorial internship.

"I hope to get a better understanding of the process involved in journalism. I'm considering it as a major or a career," Florence explained. "Ever since I was little I've loved to write. And, I really like talking to people. In other job settings you don't get the chance to talk to and learn from so many sources."

Florence brings with her a unique, worldly perspective. She was born in New York City, moved to Chicago, then to London, England and now she's back in New York.

She said that through the years, when her family moved within the

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Celebrate your own 'Independence Day'

By FR. JIM GUNN
Rector, Christ Episcopal Church,
Charlevoix

Last week was the celebration of our national holiday, the Fourth of July.

This was the 225th anniversary of the founding of our country. Sometimes I think the significance of this holiday gets lost behind the hoopla, much like what happens with Christmas. Basically we are celebrating a proclamation of freedom - a time when we said, "This is enough; we will not go further along this path."

We are saying that we must be free from an influence and rule that was becoming increasingly onerous. We had to fight for years to bring about that freedom and there was more than one point where the outcome of the struggle was in doubt. In the end, however, those who waged the battle for

Beacons of Blessing

freedom prevailed and a new nation "conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal" came into being.

Each of us should celebrate our own individual "Independence Day" — our own personal "Fourth of July" (whenever it occurs) when we commemorate our freedom from the rule of the prince of this world. This would be the day when we come into a reconciled relationship with God.

This is when we receive the freedom to live with God more in the way that He designed for us in the first place. We were meant to walk with God, as Adam and Eve

did in the Garden of Eden. But we put ourselves out of the Garden by our disobedience.

We thought we knew better than God as to what was good for us. We saw the fruit of earthly knowledge and found it attractive. Even though God had told us not to sample from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil, our human pride said that it was okay. We may have been "egged on" by the serpent, but the final choice was ours and it forever ruptured our relationship with God.

However, God set the way for us to come back into freedom. He sent His Son to bring into being our Independence Day.

Have you celebrated your freedom? Have you published your Declaration of Independence?

If you want to find the directions for forming your own freedom, just look in the third chapter of the Gospel of John.

Obituaries

William G. Marme: April 5, 1925 - July 4, 2001

William G. Marme Sr., 76, of Charlevoix passed away July 4 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

He was born April 15, 1925 in Flint, the eldest of eight children to William J. Marme Sr. and Gladys (Rosebush) Marme. Bill attended the Beecher School.

He joined the U.S. Navy in 1943 at the age of 17 and was stationed on Guam in the Pacific Theater.

On July 26, 1944 Bill married Maxine Supernaw in Flint. They moved to Charlevoix in 1948, where Bill was employed as a meat

cutter with Kroger's. He later established Charlevoix Garbage Service, which he successfully operated for 25 years. Bill then obtained his builders license and sold homes for General Housing Corp., earning him salesman of the year.

Bill was a member of St. Mary's parish of Charlevoix, VFW Post 1153 of Charlevoix and had served as a volunteer fireman.

He enjoyed hunting, flea markets, being outdoors, traveling and most of all, his family and holidays.

Bill is survived by his wife, Maxine Marme; son, William G. Marme

Jr.; daughter, Debi (Thomas) Tuck; grandchildren, Billy L. Marme, Brian, Andrea and Andy Tuck; sisters, Beatrice Thomas and Donna Robinson; brothers, Ronald (Margaret) Marme and Larry (Darlene) Marme; aunt, Mary Furlong; many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents; in-laws, Lawrence and Mabel Supernaw; brother, Herbert Marme; sisters, Shirley Wager and Virginia Roberts.

Memorial contributions may be made to Charlevoix Area Hospitals' Ended Beginnings Fund.

friends; and many loving community members.

Burial was at Resurrection Cemetery.

Memorial in Sister Nancy's name may be made to the Grand Rapids Dominicans' Ministry Fund.

Sister Nancy Ribble: Died July 4, 2001

Sister Nancy Ribble of Grand Rapids, born in Saginaw, died July 4.

She was 67 years old and had been a Grand Rapids Dominican Sister for 48 years.

She was also a teacher at the St. Mary's School in Charlevoix for the

last few years.

Sister Nancy is survived by her mother, Sally Ribble of Saginaw; her sister Louise (James) Yeska of Freeland; her brother Lee (Barbara) of Merrill; and sister-in-law Patricia Ribble of Hemlock; nieces; nephews;

Ida Flora Welsheimer: June 10, 1902 - July 2, 2001

Ida Flora (Flanders) Welsheimer, 99, of Charlevoix died July 2 at Emmet County Care Facility in Harbor Springs.

Burial will be in Lakeview Cemetery in Harbor Springs.

Ida was born June 10, 1902 in Iron-ton, the daughter of Joseph W. and Laura Emma (Fenn) Flanders. She was raised in the Charlevoix area and graduated from Charlevoix County Normal School in 1924.

She taught school in Ironton until her marriage to Leslie Donald Welsheimer on March 27, 1927. They lived in Charlevoix for a few years and then moved north to

Welsheimer Road in Harbor Springs until Leslie preceded her in death on July 12, 1942.

Ida returned to Charlevoix where she spent the rest of her life. She worked as a bookkeeper for Charlevoix Oil, Hamlin Insurance, Carey's Insurance and the Charlevoix County Treasurer's office.

She was a member of the Charlevoix Christian Science Church.

Ida is survived by her two sons, Fenn Welsheimer of Lancaster, Pa. and Dean Welsheimer and his wife Janet of Petoskey; five grandchildren, Trina (Larry) Hurd of Lexington, Va., Paul (Jill) Welsheimer of Quarryville,

Pa., Leslie Herriman of Charlevoix, Alfred (Jayne) Welsheimer of Petoskey, Rufus Welsheimer of Petoskey; four great-grandsons, Luke Herriman, Randy Herriman, Loren Welsheimer and Derek Chapel; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by a daughter-in-law, Mathilde (Tillie) Welsheimer, a grandson Karl Wayne Welsheimer, twin sister Lillian Mather and Winnie Shipley.

Memorial contributions may be made to Emmet County Medical Care Facility or to the Charlevoix Christian Science Church.

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Sunday School	9:30 a.m.	Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.
Traditional Worship	8:00 a.m.	Sunday School	11:00 a.m.
Contemporary Worship	10:30 a.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.		or -9765
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor Mike Mitchell	547-6430		
BARNARD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Barnard at Klooster Road		FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAY SHORE US 31 North	
Church School	9:00 a.m.	Worship & Children's Worship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:15 a.m.	Minister: Morris Cole	547-5728
Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	536-2161		
BETHANY LUTHERAN CHURCH 1407 Bridge Street		FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST State St. at Park Ave.	
Sunday School	9:15 a.m.	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:00 a.m.
Pastor Michael Teuscher	547-9446	(winter)	11:00 a.m.
		Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
		Pastor: Phillip G. Schairbaum	547-9122
			or -5803
BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH M-66		GOLDEN RULE SPIRITUALIST CHURCH 07444 Old U.S. 31 North	
Sunday School	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Service	10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Pastor: Rev. Cosie Allen	347-9601
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.		or -7916
Thursday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor: James Green	547-4300		
CHARLEVOIX UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 104 State Street		GREENSKY HILL INDIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Old U.S. 31 North	
Worship Service	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Worship	9:00 a.m.
Pastor: Todd Thompson	547-2654 or -5168	Fellowship	10:30 a.m.
		Pastor: Geri Litchfield	582-9262
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Sunday Worship Service	8:00 & 10:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
& Holy Communion	Wednesday 12:15 p.m.		
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Sunday School	11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Meeting	7:00 p.m.	June, July & August	10:00 a.m.
Reading Room - Wednesday	2:30-6:30 p.m.	Pastor: Michael C. Smith	547-3008
		Pastor: Harold E. Kruse	599-2321
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Morning Worship	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School	10:15 a.m.
Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Eugene Baughan	536-2161
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COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD 202 W. Huribul		SAFE HARBOR SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH US-31 & Old US-31	
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Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Worship	11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
Rev. Neil Turner	547-2875	Interim Pastor: Joe Norris	547-6283
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Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Sunday Masses	8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Pastor: Larry Grooters	547-9482 or -2599	Father Tom Neis	547-6652
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Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	President: Hal Willens	347-8033
Sunday Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.	Greeting	7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service	7:00 p.m.	Friday Service	8:00 p.m.
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Charlevoix man accused of murder to have October trial

A Charlevoix man accused of murdering an Elk Rapids man at the Charlevoix Municipal Marina in April is scheduled for trial at 8:30 a.m., Oct. 17 in the 33rd Circuit Court of Charlevoix.

Thomas Aryon Shulick, 21 of Charlevoix, is accused of first-degree murder in regards to the death of Scott Christopher Cook, 24 of Elk Rapids, on April 29 in the marina.

According to police reports, Shulick allegedly stabbed Cook in the abdomen with a knife. Reports state Cook had boated to the area with a group of friends and they were being bothered throughout the evening of April 28 by Shulick, which at one point involved a physical altercation between Shulick and a member of the group.

Early in the morning of April 29, Shulick allegedly returned to the marina, where the group was staying on their boats. Cook confronted Shulick on a dock in the marina and was stabbed, according to police.

Cook died around 4:30 p.m. that day, from the knife wound. However, police say Cook identified a man named "Tom" as his attacker before he died.

The two men did not know each other before that night.

A hearing on various motions in the case has also been set for 9 a.m., Sept. 20 in the circuit court.

Charlevoix deputy honored for his service to citizens

Charlevoix County Sheriff

Deputy George Robert Lasater was recently recognized by the Michigan Sheriff's Association for outstanding service to the citizens.

Specifically, Lasater was recognized for his actions on Jan. 3, 2000 while assisting the East Jordan Police Department at a trailer where a subject was threatening to take his life with a large knife or stab any police officer that confronted him.

East Jordan Police Officer Dan Reece and Lasater confronted the individual, secured the scene and talked with the man, attempting to reason with him. Both officers requested assistance. The man even-

tually surrendered the knife.

Before he could reach additional knives, which were on the banister of the deck, he was subdued. The man was arrested and lodged in the Charlevoix County Jail.

Lasater and Reece were recommended for the award after confronting the knife wielding man and for using good judgment, organizing and coordinating the negotiations and their restraint and controlling of the situation. Sheriff George T. Lasater said.

Sheriff Lasater presented the award to his son, Deputy Lasater, at the annual Michigan Sheriff's Association conference recently.



Beaver Island visit

Fourth graders from St. Mary's School enjoyed an excursion to Beaver Island in May. They are (from left): Bridget Peters, Marnie Kippe, Hannah Bradley, Ellie McFalls, Emily Wisniewski, Zeke Daman, Brooke Baker, Tyler Curtis, Brennan Stebe, Alex Buday, Aysen Glowney and teachers Elizabeth Browe and Kathleen Dvoracek. (Courtesy photo)

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Artistic fun

The second annual Downtown Charlevoix Art Festival, that took place July 7 and 8, featured a handful of musicians, including (left) Stephan Mikés, a sitar world jazz musician. Mikés had a front row booth facing Bridge Street from where he played and sold CDs. (Below) This artist removes a metal sun sculpture from his booth for a customer anxious to purchase his work. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



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Council ponders sidewalks on Belvedere, Michigan

SIDEWALKS

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Other than safety issues, the Belvedere group voiced a concern related to business that is unique to the Belvedere project.

As of now the proposed timetable shows the earliest construction start date to be Sept. 4, 2001. But Gary Anderson, owner of the Gray Gables Inn and restaurant said September is too early and if they are to go through with it his sales will fall by 25-30 percent across the board.

"I don't think it's necessary to have this disruption until late October. Give me, the taxpayer, the choice not him (the contractor). That contractor will only be here

for that job. I'll be here a long time," Anderson said to Wiesner.

But Swem explained that a later start would limit the scope of the project.

"Waiting until October really restricts the contractor's ability. Frozen dirt is a major problem. It's hard to do a good job in really bad weather conditions," Swem said.

The total cost of the Belvedere project is \$471,500.

After the Belvedere meeting residents attended the 7 p.m. council meeting and voiced their concerns to council, the body that made the project decision. Council made no official decision on the matter at the July 2 meeting.

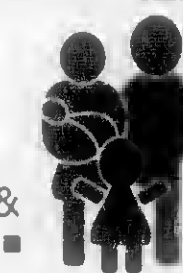
Another meeting between the contractor, city officials and residents is tentatively scheduled to take place in early August.

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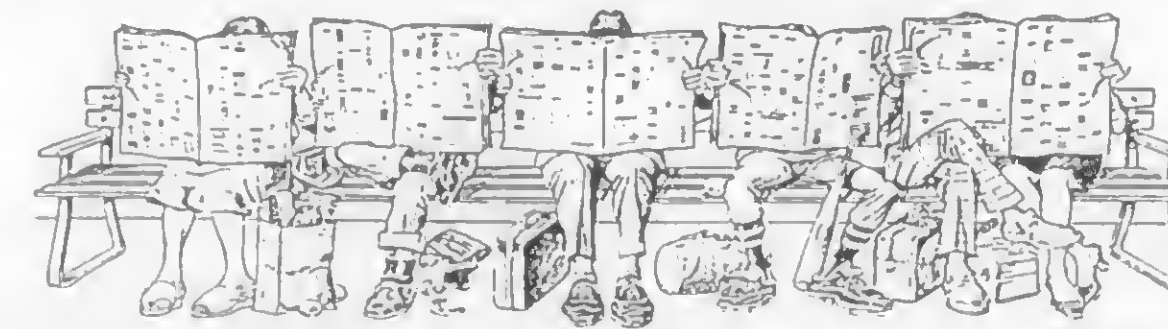
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Venetian raises about \$200,000 for this year

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

How much do you think it would cost to put on a week-long festival featuring two nights of fireworks, 28 bands, a carnival, a craft show, a kids day, a parade, team sporting events and more?

Your answer was most likely much higher than the \$200,000 it costs local non-profit group, Charlevoix Venetian Festival Inc., to pull it off. The local festival's \$200,000 budget is just a fraction of Traverse City's Cherry Festival expenses which are over \$2 million.

"We do extensive fundraising to provide this caliber of activities and events. We host the largest fireworks display in northern Michigan," president of Charlevoix Venetian Festival Inc., Dan Barron

proudly said.

Barron explained that the majority of the festival's funding is generated through donations made by local clubs, organizations and businesses; and through events, like the carnival, the boat raffle and the craft courtyard.

This year also marks the first time residents and visitors can dine and donate. Area restaurants will have stickers on receipts given to their customers that offer the option of donating to this year's festivities.

He added that when the Chamber of Commerce was in charge of coordinating the festival, the carnival was their main source of revenue. He said that even now carnival funding is a top money maker with the current Venetian group receiving a percentage of the carnival's gross sales.

"We receive more bang from a buck than any other business or organization in northern Michigan...."

Dan Barron,
Venetian Festival president

In looking to the future, Barron said the group hopes to get national corporate sponsorship like what Century Tel is for this year's Cherry Festival. To get a corporate sponsor, the group has to be able to show the results of their product.

Barron described these results as, "demonstrating what we can deliver, that is the quality of what the festival generates and the number of people it brings in."

The budget may seem small but it only accounts for money spent, not the money the group saves. The Venetian coordinating team has an

amicable relationship with the city who donated \$15,000 to this year's event and doesn't charge a fee for the use of East Park for concerts, the craft show or fireworks seating nor do they charge for use of Mason Street for the carnival.

The festival committee also uses the fireworks barge free of charge and aren't required to pay a fee for its winter storage.

Barron is also saving big bucks by heading up an army of volunteers, so the group has no salary overhead. Barron himself averages 10 to 20 hours every week to make

the festival a reality and right now, as Charlevoix approaches the 71st festival celebration, he is logging 30 hours every week.

The savings are passed along to the consumer in the way of free participation in almost all of the Venetian events including the live concerts and fireworks — the two factors that cost the organization 50 percent of their budget.

"We receive more bang from a buck than any other business or organization in northern Michigan which reflects the fact that the festival is a community institution that most people in town hold near and dear. We've got a great community with civic-minded people," Barron said.

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The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present except Councilman A.J. Witthoef.

Approved Venetian Festival Funding Contract.

Approved Venetian Festival Fireworks Permit Application.

Authorized signing of MSHD Performance and Indemnification Commitment.

Approved John Adams & Associates, Inc. Proposed Engineering Contract Revision for Harbor Industries Project.

Approved Engineering Contract modification with Performance Engineers, Inc. to include the reconstruction of Belvedere Avenue from Alice Street to the Belvedere Club.

Approved August 6, 2001 for a Public Hearing date to consider proposed amendments to Zoning Ordinance.

Council adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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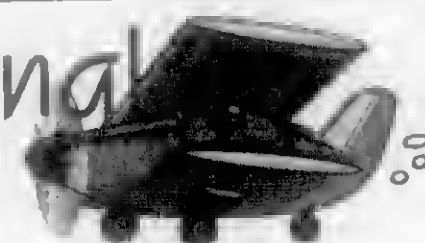
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Deputies were contacted initially by several Charlevoix teens who advised that they were attending a bonfire with other friends when an uninvited subject arrived. This subject soon became unruly and threatened all in attendance with his knife and repeatedly struck them with his fists and kicked/hit their vehicles. He bragged about being out on parole and that he would kill them all.

Deputies determined the identity of the 24-year-old suspect and located him less than two hours after the first victims reported being assaulted.

The suspect was located on Webster Bridge Road by Charlevoix and Antrim County deputies. He was arrested without incident.

He has initially been charged by the Charlevoix County Prosecutor with a felony offense of Carrying a Weapon with Unlawful Intent. He has also had a hold placed by the Michigan Department of Corrections and was also cited for transporting open alcohol in Antrim County.

The subject is expected to be charged as a habitual offender due to a prior home invasion conviction as well as additional assault and damage to vehicles offenses.

His name is being withheld pending his arraignment in 90th District Court. The Sheriff's Office was assisted by the East Jordan Police Department.

Health care forum to be at Senior Center on July 12

A public forum on long-term Health Care will be from 7 to 9 p.m. on July 12 at the Charlevoix Senior Center (Norwood Road and Carpenter Street).

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Star School reopens six months after break-in

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

July 8, just six months after a group of vandals broke into the Eveline Township Star School community building and reeked havoc, the doors were reopened.

On Dec. 23, 2000 a group of East Jordan teens broke into the community facility and destroyed everything from chalkboards to the antique toilet in the building's bathroom.

Even though the boys confessed to the crime and were duly punished, the school was left in shambles. According to Star School board secretary Gail Farley the damage from the December evening escapade exceeded \$10,000.

Farley said that being a non-profit, she feared it wouldn't be easy to get the building back in working order, but soon found that many northern Michigan communities were ready to step in.

"We received a lot of private donations from people who have never even been to the schoolhouse. One lady walked up and handed me \$1,000. I was really surprised," Farley said.

On Feb. 3, the group hosted a spaghetti dinner at the East Jordan Middle School that raised \$2,313 in sales and donations. They followed up their successful dinner with an auction on March 25 in

Boyer City that featured numerous donated items from area businesses and private citizens.

Even former Star School students joined in. East Jordan Middle School students raised over \$400 to revamp the building.

In a letter written by Gail's husband Gene, he states, "The act of caring (by the East Jordan students) shows you can't judge all kids by the thoughtless acts of a few."

Beyond the cash donations the group also came upon some amazing deals. Farley said her favorite story is the group's new toilet.

The vandals had smashed the antique latrine that once graced the Star School bathroom with a sledge hammer and Farley cringed when she found its modern replacement would cost \$1,100.

Aside from the cost, Farley said she wanted something more original that would fit the school's bucolic setting. The next thing she knew, in walked a plumbing saleswoman who said, "I know where you can find one of those old toilets."

She pointed Gene and Gail to Atlanta, Mich. and they found a toilet that matched the one the school had before. The Atlanta plumbers said they had been trying to give "the thing" away for years but no one would take it.

So the bathroom was soon back in working order but something

was still missing. The music that once filled the air at the Star School was also destroyed by the vandals who took a tire iron to the antique wood carved piano with ivory keys that sat in the corner of the one room schoolhouse.

A Traverse City family stepped up and donated an antique organ that they had bought at an auction. The organ was made in Ontario in 1880.

The vandals also broke antique benches leaving the facility without seating space. The Eveline Township Hall stepped in after a

"It has been remarkable what people have done."

Gail Farley,
Secretary of the Star School board

clean-up and donated old-fashioned chairs.

"It has been remarkable what people have done. People saw this and were upset. It's amazing what we have come up with. I'm overwhelmed," Farley said.

Farley added that tears shed after the December incident have been

dried and the school is looking forward to getting back into the swing of things. Upcoming events that will be held there include: a carnival July 14, cake walks, simulated school days and Christmas and Halloween celebrations.

"We are running late, but we'll have it all this year," Farley said.

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BASES was considering relocation to old church

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Scott Kelly, director of Bay Area Substance Education Services (BASES), was recently looking into a new Bridge Street location for the teen center, but his plans did not work out.

Kelly wanted to relocate the center from its current location at 208 West Lincoln to Bethany Lutheran Church at 1407 Bridge Street which is being rebuilt in Charlevoix Township.

"In the future we would be only one block from grades five through eight. And, we would be on the main drag, there would be more public visibility," Kelly said.

He had the finances all worked out and was ready to make a move when the church found another buyer.

"I guess now we'll stay put and fix up our current location," Kelly said.

He added that because the price of Bridge Street property is so much higher than more remote locations, the center was able to save some money. With the extra money he plans to rewire, drywall, heat and insulate the West Lincoln building and still "worry less about money."

Pastor Mike Teuscher of Bethany Lutheran Church refrained from divulging the name of the new buyer, but did say that if everything checks out, the closing on the Bridge Street property will be in August.

Teuscher expects to be in the new Bethany Lutheran Church located off US-31 North across from the Charlevoix Community Pool some time in October of 2001.

"We are getting there, but we are still a little way off," Teuscher said.

The new facility is about 11,000 square feet, as opposed to the 2,500 square foot Bridge Street location that Kelly was interested in.



St. Mary's raised over \$1,300

St. Mary's School students raised over \$1,300 for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital with their 2001 Math-A-Thon recently. Emily Wisniewski was awarded a personal CD player for raising the most over \$125. Students who raised over \$35 received a t-shirt and students who raised over \$75 received a sports bag. Pictured are: (front, from left) Tyler Troppman, Molly Jeakle, Jenna Troppman, Lacey Greene, Samantha Rajewski, Katherine Rajewski, (second row) Kathryn Sell, Christian Morrison, Logan Carson, Will Jeakle, (back row) Garrett Troppman, Madeline Jeakle, Marnie Greene, Bridget Peters, Wisniewski and Arielle Kowal. (Courtesy photo)

Rhodes to be conductor for 'Symphony'

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Kevin Rhodes, Music Director of the Traverse Symphony Orchestra, will be conducting the orchestra at the third annual Symphony on the Green, Friday at the Charlevoix Country Club.

Recognized as a "highly accomplished conductor" by Opernwelt, an industry authority publication, Rhodes achieved a remarkable level of international success.

He completed five seasons as staff conductor for the Basel Stadttheater of Switzerland, where he led between

60 and 70 performances a year with the Theater's two resident ensembles The Basel Symphony Orchestra and the Basel Radio Symphony.

During his tenure with the theater, Rhodes conducted 20 different productions including five premieres and six important revivals. Based on successful guest engagements, he was appointed Principal Ballet Conductor for the Vienna State Opera, and Resident Conductor for the Deutsche Opera am Rhein in Dusseldorf beginning in

1971.

Rhodes began his professional conducting career at the age of 16 in his hometown of Evansville, Indiana. He received his bachelor's of music in piano performance from Michigan State University where he studied conducting with Maestro Leon Gregorian and earned his masters of music in orchestral conducting at the University of Illinois under the tutelage of Paul Vermel.

As a pianist, Rhodes was the 1980 winner of the Evansville Philharmonic Concerto Com-

petition, and Principal Pianist of the New Mexico Symphony.

This past season, in addition to his work in Vienna and Germany, he conducted "Sleeping Beauty" and "Swan Lake" with the Berlin State Opera and returned to the Basler Festival Orchestra for which he has been named Principal Guest Conductor. As of June 2001, he will be the new music director and conductor of the Traverse Symphony Orchestra.

Rhodes' conducting perfor-

mance at the Charlevoix Country Club will be part of an evening fund-raiser for Charlevoix Area Hospital. The event will allow patrons to picnic on the lawn and listen to music. Grounds open at 6:30 p.m., concert begins at 8 p.m., rain or shine.

The concert will also support a string program for the Charlevoix and Northern Antrim counties' high school music students, to be in the early fall of 2001.

For ticket information please call 547-8502.

Ragamuffin to host Fine Arts Day Camp July 9, 10, 12, 13

Eleventh Hour Outreach Ministries and Ragamuffin Theater Troupe are presenting a Fine Arts Day Camp, open to all ages beginning July 9 at Northwest Academy in Charlevoix.

The camp will run from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. July 9, 10, 12 and 13. Training will be available in acting, singing and dance, providing each participant the opportunity to perform in the production of the "Prince of Egypt." The production will be presented at 7 p.m. July 14-16 at Northwest Academy.

There is a \$60 registration fee for participants under the age of 14 and a \$20 fee for those 14 and older.

Scholarships are available for those in need and all who are interested are encouraged to take part regardless of past experience.

Ragamuffin Theatre Troupe is a non-profit organization dedicated to the enlightenment of our community through artistic expression.

For more information or to register contact the organization at 237-9686 or 409-4254.

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The Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Board will hold its scheduled monthly meeting on Thursday, July 19 at 4:00 p.m. in the Board Conference Room, Second Floor, One MacDonald Drive, Petoskey, MI 49770. Anyone who has special needs or information to be brought before the NCMCH Board should contact Joan Booth at (231) 347-7890.

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Fourth of July parade

People lined the streets on July 4 in Charlevoix to watch the annual July 4 parade down Bridge Street. Above, leading the parade were these two folks in a tank. Right, the Charlevoix City Band provided the music as they were pulled in a trailer. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



School board picks officers for 2001-2002

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

At the July 2 organizational meeting of the Charlevoix School Board all board officers were re-elected to serve a one year term.

Officer election takes place every year at the first meeting in July. This year's election followed the June re-election of board members Scott Boss and Barney Way. Boss and Way will each serve a four year term with the school board.

Way was also re-elected board treasurer, this will be his fifth year in the position.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, John Sturock conducted the nomination and the election for the office of president and Allen Telgenhof was re-elected president. This year marks Telgenhof's sixth year as board president.

Larry Levensgood was re-elected to be board secretary and will serve his thirteenth year in the position second only to board vice president Ardeth Wieland who will serve her twenty-seventh year.

There were no other board nominees for the aforementioned offices.

Laugh, Lunch and Learn announces summer series

The new luncheon venture in town, the "Laugh, Lunch and Learn" series, has announced the menu for four summer events.

According to organizers, the spring series was so successful that public interest prompted a second series for the summer.

On July 18, the luncheon is "Laughter is the Best Medicine." The central theme is to enjoy people and life by using humor and laughter for a healthful lifestyle. The featured speaker is humorist Jack McNamara, a professor from Ferris State University.

On July 25, the focus will be "Successful Parenting and/or Grandparenting." Celia and Scott Kelly from Hazelton of Minnesota and BASES of Charlevoix will share their expertise regarding the issues of drugs, school violence and pregnancies facing teenagers.

On Aug. 1, a panel of experts will discuss "Projecting a New Image, Perhaps Even Cosmetic Surgery." Questions will be answered regarding eye surgery, face lifts, hair transplants and liposuction.

On Aug. 15, the public is invited to bring their children to a "Formal Tea Party." It will be organized and directed by tea party expert, Mary Ann Beaumont and friends.

There is no cost to attend any of the sessions. The cost of a buffet lunch is \$8.95 and the public is invited.

Each session is from noon to 1 p.m. at the Charlevoix Country Club.

Reservations are not required. But, if you would like to make reservations or get more information, call Kathy Boyer at 547-9796 or Dean Davenport at 547-6433.

Industrial site best bet in Marion, Drebenstedt says

INDUSTRY

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say they will locate the site off of Marion Center Road. That's nothing official, but it's just the general talk — it will be where they can plug into the sewer line," Drebenstedt said.

He added that the city is not confined to keeping their search on the north side of the school.

"They don't have to stop on the north side of the school, they can extend farther south from the school and extend the sewer. There are lots of big acreages south of that school, towards Ellsworth. If they can run it to the school, they can run it a half mile further," Drebenstedt said.

He explained that those interested in a zoning change get the ball rolling by bringing their request before the planning board. At that meeting the interested party must be able to show the board that the majority of the adjoining property owners are not in opposition to the proposed use.

Changes to the township zoning ordinance were discussed at the meeting. The proposed changes may allow for more pole barn storage buildings to be erected and may change the lot/width ratio.

The first proposal initiated by the planning commission is a change to the lot depth, width ratio. Matchett said if the proposal is adopted lots could be longer and narrower.

He added that the new ratio size will not affect lot size requirements because the ratio applies to

the agricultural district where density rules the pattern of land use, not lot size. In Marion Township homes are required to be clustered to control for density.

The second proposal addresses special use permits and pole barns. If the proposal goes through, pole building storage will be allowed in the agricultural district with a special use permit.

Matchett said that the special use permit process allows the planning commission to look at each proposed site on a case by case basis.

If the proposal is adopted the pole buildings will also need to follow these four conditions — the building itself has to be a neutral color, items to be stored must be contained within the building and the main activities going on must be related to incidental storage of the items. The group is still working out the wording of the fourth condition which looks to eliminate the presence of mini storage. Their aim is to make sure the buildings are owned by individual people.

Before either of the changes become the letter of the law the proposals have to be reviewed by the Charlevoix County Planning Commission and the Marion Township Board.

Matchett said at 7 p.m., July 10, the planning commission will have a public hearing to discuss language involved in issuing special use permits. The meeting is taking place as a result of settlement issues the township faced after issuing the Charlevoix School District a special use permit for the new high school located off of Marion Center Road.



Bikini patrol

These Horton Bay beauties showed off their bikinis in the annual Horton Bay Fourth of July parade. The parade's theme was news. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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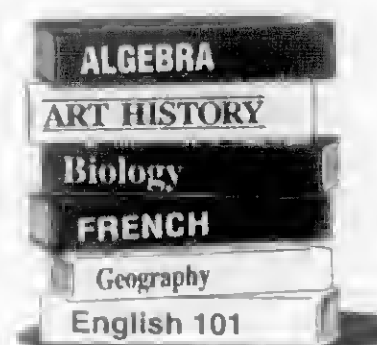
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Arcadia issued 'No-Sail' order

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According to a press release issued by the Center for Disease Control, problems were first found on the ship back in May, before it arrived in the United States. During an inspection of the ship by CDC staff, "numerous deficiencies were identified with the vessel's portable water system, galley and food provision areas."

An unannounced inspection was conducted by the CDC on June 20 when the ship was in Wisconsin. Again, multiple deficiencies were found.

According to the CDC, the Arcadia scored 59 out of 100 points — 86 is passing. Among the prob-

lems officials found, they documented refrigerated food stored at 56 - 58 degrees — 41 degrees is acceptable — and pots, pans and other dishware heavily soiled with grease and food residue.

Officials gave the ship seven days to correct these problems.

The ship was inspected again on June 30 in Detroit and the problems still existed. A "No-Sail recommendation" was issued at that time. The ship's captain and the president of the charter company Great Lakes Cruises, Inc., Ralph Diehl, told CDC officials they would "immediately comply with the 'No Sail Recommendation.'"

However, on July 2, the ship sailed from Detroit to Windsor where it picked up passengers and proceeded to sail in Canadian wa-

ters. When the ship sailed to Detroit, it was met by CDC officials and the United States Coast Guard.

Hall added the ship's crew and captain were very cooperative and "extremely professional."

Great Lakes Cruises' Diehl was unavailable for comment.

Jacqueline Merta, president of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, would not comment on the matter at this time. She said she would like to talk to the Center for Disease Control and the United States Coast Guard before she does.



The Arcadia when it was anchored off of Charlevoix's Michigan Beach. (File photo)



Horton hysterics

Ed Rogalla, Jerry McDiarmid, Rick Bartz and Mike Eickhoff showed mermaids the virtues of being mermen and fairies at this year's July 4 Horton Bay parade. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

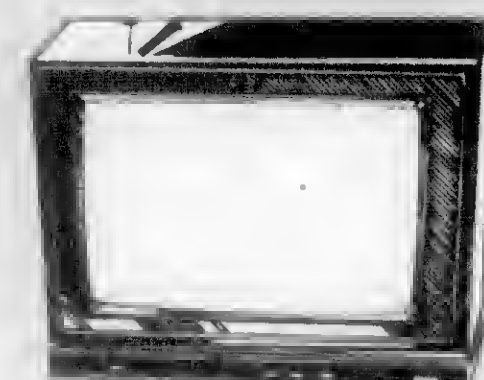
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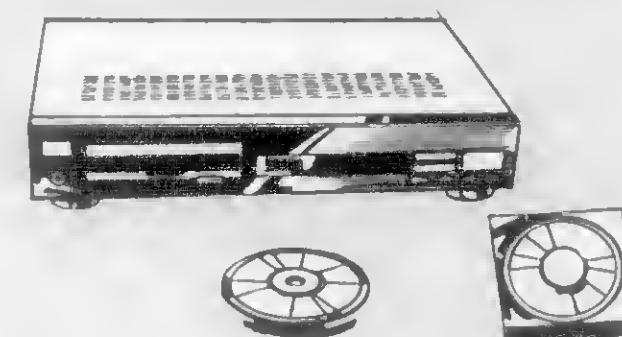
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Several Rayders named to All-Conference soccer team

Several members of the Charlevoix High School girls' soccer team were named Northern Michigan Soccer League All-Conference for 2001.

They, and their team, were: Kelly Dreyer, first team forward; Danielle Vogelheim, first team midfielder; Jayme Murray, first team defenseman; Abby Schaperkotter, second team forward; Karlee Barnard, second team midfielder; Kelly Zimmerman, second team, defenseman; Kate Madison, honorable mention midfielder.

Charlevoix Recreation department 'Slo-pitch'

Results for the Charlevoix Recreation Department men's and women's "slo-pitch" games.

Women's Slo-pitch

July 6
• Kinetics beat Subway, 17-9.
• Kwikie beat Bajos Building, 18-6.

July 5
• Daman Electric beat Subway, 14-11.

July 5
• Charlevoix Fence Company beat Bajos Building, 16-0.

• Boyne Valley Hydroseed beat Subway by forfeit.

• Fieldcrest Inn beat Fleet Construction, 22-13.

• Fleet Construction beat Daman Electric, 15-3.

July 2
• Fieldcrest Inn beat Kinetics, 12-2.

• Fleet Construction beat Kwikie, 15-14.

Women's fast-pitch tournament to be in town

Petoskey and Charlevoix will be hosting three Women's State Finals in fast-pitch softball Friday through Sunday.

All Class A and Class B games will be played in Petoskey at the Waterfront Park. The Class C tournament will utilize two fields in Charlevoix on Friday with games beginning at 7 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.

Class C action will resume at noon on Saturday in Charlevoix with five games being played into the evening hours.

Charlevoix's women's fast-pitch team, sponsored by BASES, was the Class C state champion last year and will be competing in the Class B tournament this year. They are scheduled to play in Petoskey at 8 p.m. on Friday.

Championship games will be played in Petoskey with the Class B finals scheduled for 6 p.m. Saturday, Class A finals at 8 p.m. on Saturday and the Class C finals will be at noon on Sunday.

• Oma's beat Daman Electric, 18-15.

Men's Slo-pitch

July 2
• Ace Hardware beat Site Planning, 16-0.

• Coast Guard beat Boss Engineering by forfeit.

• Grey Gables beat Lakeshore, 14-7.

• Grey Gables beat Crown Motors, 15-6.



Tennis anyone?

Tennis is going strong in Charlevoix. From 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m., Monday through Friday, you will see a group of women or men enjoying the games on the Charlevoix Township court. This group, some of which are pictured above, invites anyone who would like to play to come on over to the court and join them. For more information call Jim Grant at 547-5578. (Courtesy photo)

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Host families needed for Belgium orchestra

The Symfonisch Jeugdorkest Edegem of Heverlee, Belgium will visit Charlevoix from July 24 through July 27 as part of the Burt Lake International Exchange Program and in conjunction with the Charlevoix Venetian Festival.

Members of the 70 piece orchestra will stay in private homes while visiting Charlevoix, according to Raphael Rittenhouse, chairman of a committee making arrangements for the group's visit.

While in Charlevoix, the orchestra will perform one concert. The concert will be at 7:30 p.m., July 25 in the Odmark Pavilion in East Park. There will be no charge to attend the performance.

The Belgian orchestra is one of 13 European musical groups that will visit Michigan during 2001 as part of Blue Lake's International Exchange program.

Groups or individuals willing to host can contact Rosemarie or Jessica at 547-9950.

Florence joins Courier to get journalism experience

FLORENCE

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United States and abroad, she always returned to Charlevoix in the summer.

"I haven't missed a summer. I love it up here. The minute you step off the plane you can get a friendly feeling. It's the only constant place I've had moving around so much," Florence said.

Florence has been coming to Charlevoix since she was born. In 1921 her great-great-grandfather built the home in the Belvedere Club where she spends her summers. Joining her at the home this summer are her two younger brothers, Bennett and Nicky.

She looks forward to working at

the paper this summer to extend her writing skills. She will write one to two stories for the paper each week.

This fall Florence will begin her senior year at Mamaroneck High School in New York where she is the editor of the entertainment section of the school newspaper and is the editor of the yearbook.

She boards her plane en route for New York Aug. 3 to condition for the fall field hockey season.

In the fall of 2002 she plans to attend one of 10 liberal arts schools she's currently scouting.

Charlevoix Courier Editor Jeremy McBain said Florence is a nice addition to the Courier staff.

"Jocey (Florence) has great potential as a journalist. This internship gives her a chance to try her hand at the field and gain valuable experience," McBain said.

Craft show to be in park this weekend

Combine one of the most picturesque settings in the state with a gathering of over 150 craftsmen and women from throughout the United States, an open-air atmosphere and the result is Charlevoix's Thirty-third Annual Craft Show.

The Craft Show will be offered over two days, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

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WATCH FOUND near beach entrance near McSaubas sledding hill. Please call to identify. 547-6464. (7-11-1-072)

LOST 073

LOST FLYFISHING box. Noland Lake at public boat launch. 231-582-9053. (7-11-1-073)

SPECIAL NOTICES 076

FOSTER FAMILIES NEEDED immediately in your area! To find out more about becoming a foster parent or respite provider, please call Cindy at The Child Guidance Center's Professional Parenting Program at (231) 929-1783 or 1-800-872-5861. Training classes are now forming. (7-11-2-076)

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is looking for treasurers for their rummage sale. Do you have items you would like to donate? To have your items picked up contact Ed at 547-2474 or Bill at 547-3592. Proceeds from the rummage sale will fund the Young Children Priority One Project. (7-11-2-076)

SERVICES AVAILABLE 084

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HOME HEALTH AIDES: Tired of working with the summer crowds? We have an alternative. Home health aides are caregivers who work one-on-one with clients in the clients' homes, preparing meals, doing light housework, etc. The work is rewarding, and we will train the right candidates. Starting wage is \$7.46 per hour. Advancement is possible. We have assignments available on all shifts in the Charlevoix area. Call 231-547-9085 for an application or stop by VitalCare at 801 Bridge Street in Charlevoix, M-F, between 9 and 5, for an application and interview. Visit us at www.vitalcare.org. Equal Opportunity Employer. (7-11-2-086)

PART-TIME HELP 087

PEER SUPPORT SPECIALIST to provide support services through the housing unit of the Petoskey Club, a psychosocial rehabilitation program for adults recovering from mental illness. Position is for up to 20 hours per week providing assistance with community living skills to help individuals maintain independent housing. Must be or have been a primary consumer of mental health services with equivalent of a high school education and good driving record. Prefer experience with clubhouse model of rehabilitation or similar experience. Starting wage of \$8.55 per hour. Please send resume and letter of application to Human Resources, Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770 or FAX to: 231-347-1241. Position open until filled. E.O.E. (7-11-1-087)

PART-TIME HELP 087

DIETARY AIDES and dishwashers wanted at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Part-time, benefits available, please apply in person in Administration at Charlevoix Area Hospital, 14700 Lakeshore Drive, Charlevoix, www.cah.org (7-11-1-087)

COMMUNITY PROGRAM office aide to provide clerical support for the Walloon Development Workshop. Job responsibilities to include but not limited to telephone coverage, maintaining mail lists, route and direct fax communications. Assist in maintenance of business files and records. High school diploma, G.E.D. or equivalent certification required. This is a temporary part-time 20 hours per week entry level position. Please send resume and letter of application to Human Resources, Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770 or FAX to: 231-347-1241. E.O.E. (7-11-1-087)

MISC. FOR SALE 134

BOOK FOR SALE. Bob Miles' Charlevoix. A Century in Pictures, 1976. Near to excellent condition. Valued at \$600. Will discount. Call 547-1059 or leave message. (7-11-2-134)

STEEL BUILDINGS, new must sell. 30x40x12 - was \$10,200, now \$6,990; 40x60x12 - was \$16,400, now \$10,971; 50x100x16 - was \$27,590, now \$19,990; 60x200x16 - was \$58,760, now \$42,990. 1-800-406-5126. (7-11-1-134)

LAKE HOMES/FRONTAGE 161

BURT LAKE - 120' frontage, 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 4,200 square feet. 2 1/2 car attached garage and 4 car unattached. Much more. Price reduced \$799,900. 231-238-4267. (4-11-11-161)

BUSINESS PLACES/RENT 168

RETAIL SALON OFFICE 1,100 square feet, air conditioned. Port Air Plaza, 1516 S. Bridge St. 231-347-7225 (7-4-11-168)

625 SQ. FT. RETAIL OFFICE - Air conditioned. Port Air Plaza, 1516 S. Bridge St., 231-347-7225. (7-4-11-168)

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CHARLEVOIX: Wanted to lease or purchase office space/building. 1,000 to 1,500 minimum. Must be ground level within the city of Charlevoix. Respond to File Box 510, c/o Charlevoix Courier. (7-5-11-168)

APARTMENTS FOR RENT 169

BOYNE CITY: Parkview Apartments in Boyne City. 1 & 2 bedroom apartments available for immediate occupancy. Rent starts at \$325. Barrier-free units available. No pets. For application or information call Tresa, 231-582-7071, or stop in the Parkview office, 326 E. Division, Apt. 27, TDD 800-649-3777. Equal Housing Opportunity. (1-3-11-169)

PINE COVE Apartments now accepting applications for 1, 2, 3, and 4 bedroom apartments. First month free rent for 1 bedroom apartments only. Rent based on income. Office hours 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. 547-5202. (7-4-4-169)

HOUSES FOR RENT 170

CHARLEVOIX HOUSE - weekly rental. Fully furnished, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, garage, dishwasher, washer, dryer, air conditioner, microwave, TV, VCR. Within city limits. Semi-secluded. \$800 per week. \$300 deposit. Call (231) 547-2474. (7-11-11-170)

RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT 171

CHARLEVOIX LAKEFRONT condos sleep 2 to 8, pool, cable, air, Jacuzzi, walk to town. Weeks available July 15, July 22, July 29 and August 5th, August 19 and August 26. 248-363-3885 or 248-855-3300. (6-28-11-171)

RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT 171

CHARLEVOIX CONDO for rent, weekend or weekly. Downtown near the bridge. (231) 547-6311. (6-27-11-171)

LAKE CHARLEVOIX RENTAL - 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, sleeps 10. Newer home, fireplace, dock and boat lift. \$3,400 per week. Call Carol Amick, Amick Lakeside Realtors, 547-2222. Can be seen on web site at charlevoixrealestate.com. (5-30-11-171)

LOG HOME on Lake Susan, Charlevoix, for rent. Weekend rate \$1,000, weekly rates available. Phone 517-463-3937. Ask for Linda. (11-1-11-171)

STORAGE SPACE FOR RENT 174

SELF STORAGE UNITS 50 to 5,000 square feet, drive-in units, heated areas, Charlevoix north-side. Call Bob Kern, Real Estate One, 547-5100. (9-1-11-174)

STORAGE UNITS available. Charlevoix Mini Storage. 547-5838. Closed Thursdays. (12-28-11-174)

WANTED TO RENT 175

PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE educated husband and wife looking for house to rent in Charlevoix area, have a neutered and declawed male cat. Can provide references for cat and husband. Both well trained. Please reply to Box 1075, c/o The Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720. (7-11-11-175)

PETS OR PET SUPPLIES 183

GOLDEN RETRIEVER puppies - AKC, ready July 16. Call for details and a time to view the puppies. \$375. Call 231-347-0526. (7-11-11-183)

AUTOS FOR SALE 191

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BOATS & MARINE 203

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

WILLIAM AZKOUZ P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage made by John H. Moore and

Josephine M. Moore, husband and wife, of 4839 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795 and Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, whose address is 2007 Eastern, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507, dated November 25, 1996, and recorded on March 6, 1997 in Liber 312, Page 0996 of the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds, and upon which there is now claimed to be due for principal and interest the sum of Twenty Four Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$24,701.70) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt or any part thereof;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on August 16, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. the undersigned will sell in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix at public venue to the highest bidder for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said Mortgage, together with the legal fees and charges of the sale, including attorney's fees allowed by law, the premises in said mortgage located in the Township of Hudson, Charlevoix County, Michigan and which are described as follows:

Commencing at a point 208 feet North of the Southeast corner of the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 32 North, Range 4 West; thence West 208 feet; thence North 208 feet; thence East 208 feet; thence South 208 feet to the place of beginning.

Which has an address of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of such sale.

Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation
2007 Eastern, S.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49507

DATED: June 27, 2001
Drafted By:
William M. Azkoul (P40071)
Attorney for Mortgagee
161 Ottawa, N.W., Ste 111-A
Grand Rapids, MI 49503
(616) 458-1315
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX NOTICE TO CREDITORS Decedent's Estate FILE NO. 01-010279 DE

Estate of Myrta Dell Brown SSN: 366-16-1531

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Myrta Dell Brown, who lived at 424 Griffin, East Jordan, Michigan, died 5/9/01.



July Special Classified Deal COUNTRY MARKET

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Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Marilyn J. Eley, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: July 6, 2001

John T. Klees (P-42185)
Attorney At Law
P.O. Box 1767
Grand Rapids, MI 49501
616-459-1971

Marilyn J. Eley
2331 Glory
Frankfort, MI 49635

TO: RODNEY A. GIFFELS
IT IS ORDERED:

1. You are being sued by Plaintiffs in this Court to quiet title after tax sale of real property located in St. James Township, Charlevoix County, State of Michigan and described as Lot 722, Plat of Port St. James No. 8, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 179-181 of Charlevoix County Records, pursuant to a Quit Claim Deed for the Real Estate which was issued to the Plaintiffs by the Department of Natural Resources, State of Michigan, on August 30, 2000 and recorded on October 25, 2000, in Liber 409, page 046 of Charlevoix County Records. You must file your written answer or take other action permitted by law in this Court at the Court address above on or before August 3, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this Order shall be published once each week in the Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this Court.

3. A copy of this order shall be sent to Rodney A. Giffels, 416 Barnett Road B, Columbus, Ohio 43213 by certified mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication of July 18, 2001 and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with the Court.

Dated: June 26, 2001

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF ACTION STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT FOR

THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
County Building
301 State Street
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

DANIEL R. VAN ACKER and JANET L. VAN ACKER, Plaintiffs,

v
RODNEY A. GIFFELS, Defendant.
File No. 01-904-19-CH
Honorable Richard J. Pajtas
Larry L. Burgess (P25246)
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AREA ENTERTAINMENT



Garden Walk

These are just two of the gardens that will be featured in this year's Charlevoix Garden Club Garden Walk. The walk will involve six area water gardens, water garden exhibits and a craft sale at the Depot near Depot Beach. The walk is from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., July 19. Call 547-3526 for more information. (Courtesy photo)

EVENTS IN BRIEF

Episcopal Church to host video series

A summer series called "Food for Thought" will be held at Christ Episcopal Church - Charlevoix every Wednesday from July 11 through Aug. 29. Each evening consists of a potluck dinner at 6 p.m. and a video at 6:45 p.m. There will be time for discussion following the video. Everyone is invited to the meal, the video or both. A complete list of the video titles can be obtained by calling the church at 547-6322.

Tonight's video is entitled "Hollywood vs. Religion" (why most filmmakers are antagonistic toward organized religion).

On July 18, the video will be "Forgiveness: Getting Beyond Your Past and Pain."

On July 25, the video is entitled "Walking in the Light" (avoiding spiritual counterfeits).

On Aug. 1, the video is entitled "Coping With Depression" (hope for those dealing with the ups and downs of life).

On Aug. 8, the video is entitled "Amazing Grace" (stories behind five hymns).

On Aug. 15, the video is entitled "Finding Truth" (biblical truths to free us).

On Aug. 22, the video is entitled "Contemplating Icons" (revealing the symbolism and significance of a number of icons).

On Aug. 29, the video is entitled "Winning the Race" (helping us set priorities for Christian living).

Auxiliary meeting

The United States Coast Guard Auxiliary, Flotilla 16-02 has its regular monthly meeting at 7 p.m. tonight at the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station. Individuals interested in furthering the mission of the United States Coast Guard are welcome to attend.

Pool open house

During Venetian week, the Charlevoix Area Community Pool will have an open house from July 23-July 27 during the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served. In addition, on July 24 open swims from 3-5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. will be free to the public. Adults are invited to try Aqua Exercise class from 5-6 p.m. at no charge. July 25's special event will be the Third Annual Venetian Festival swim meet from 4-6:30 p.m. for swimmers of all ages (deadline to register is July 23). For more information, call the pool at 547-0982.

Bingo in the park

Venetian Games-Bingo In The Park. This event is primarily designed for adults and takes place from 1 to 4:30 p.m., July 25, in East Park. There is a small charge for the cards.

Cash prizes and merchant certificates will be awarded. The committee is looking for a short list of "celebrity callers." Interested parties should contact Earl Muma or Liz Meadows of the Charlevoix Senior Center.

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SCRAPBOOK

Writer shares memories of a simpler Charlevoix



Marilyn Boss

'Days gone by'

As I was relaxing on the porch yesterday, I listened to remarks about the amount of traffic downtown, the difficulty in getting across town and how full the sidewalks were. It brought back memories of quieter times, slower times, in our little town.

In 1952, summer was busy, but not near so rushing as today. When Labor Day came, everyone went back to their homes in the cities and you could literally shoot a gun down Bridge Street and not hit a vehicle. It happened over night.

We all had seven digit phone numbers instead of the two and three digits we had previously. Charlevoix had the prefix of "Liberty seven" and Boyne City was "Junction two," East Jordan was "Lenox six" and

Petoskey was only four digits at the time. I assume that may have been because Michigan Bell Telephone was located there. Later, they became a seven digit number area, with the prefix of "Diamond seven."

Fifty years ago, people took more time to enjoy each other's company. Quite a few Charlevoixians would take the family in their car and park downtown on Bridge Street in the evening to talk with others walking by.

Courtesy in driving habits used to be the norm. Today, it's everyone for himself. Defensive driving is a must today if you want to survive. Progress brings an end to the slower pace we used to enjoy. Of course, in looking back, we must also think of the automated things we have today, which we have grown so used to.

Back then, if a man was going to an auction sale, he would say to his banker, "I'm going to a sale tomorrow, so please cover my check for me if I find a large purchase. I'll be in to see you in a day or two to make arrangements to cover the check." The banker would agree.

I believe that deep down, people still want personalized service, as evidenced by the number of small banks that are starting up in smaller communities. They want more than being a number in a big institution's computer.

In 1952, as listed in the Charlevoix telephone directory, there were two attorneys in town. They were C.M. Bice and Floyd A. Supp. Today there are dozens. In the old days, of course, it was very seldom that anyone needed an attorney, as it was almost unheard of for anyone to sue because everyone in town was your friend and neighbor. If a man had too much to drink in the local tavern, the policeman would drive him home and make sure he got in the house. If someone mailed a letter addressed to the treasurer of the Masonic Lodge, it would get delivered instead of being shucked out by a computer. If you were a little short on cash, your friendly neighborhood grocer would charge what you needed until you could pay for it.

Many times a carpenter might end up building or re-

pairing something for the person they owed money to. If you wanted to build a house or garage or a business of any kind, you didn't have to get permission from anyone, as there was no zoning. All you had to do was line-up where you were going to get your financing and in many cases money was borrowed privately from individuals who would rather lend it out to others than put it in the bank.

In 1952, there were seven new car dealers in town, plus the independent used car dealers. Skip Krahnke owned the Cadillac and Oldsmobile sales, Chuck Cooper, the Pontiac Sales, Fochtman and Cook from Charlevoix Oil Company had the Chevrolet dealership, Louie Wallace, the Packard sales, Northern Auto Company had the Ford and Mercury, Ben Brown had the Dodge and Plymouth, and Bud Klooster and Howard Ouderkerk owned the Hudson sales.

There were two banks at the time, the Charlevoix County State Bank at 225 Bridge and Charlevoix State Savings Bank at 217 Bridge. Charlevoix had three summer camps listed in

the phone book; Camp Charlevoix, Camp Q-Gull and Camp Ta-Wa-Ma-Na.

The county government had 11 places you could call for help and today there are 47. City government had 11 telephones and today they have 31. In the real estate section of the phone book, only two are listed, which were the Belding Real Estate at 109 Bridge and Earl A. Young at 224 Bridge.

Another nice feature of the closeness of the small town, was that when any businessman died, every other business in town would put a card in the window, saying they were closing for the funeral. Quite often, when salesmen would travel through the town, they would find it locked up, as this was the custom. They even close the city hall and the courthouse.

It is great to reminisce about old times and customs, but things do change, some for the better and some for the worse. One thing we know for sure, Charlevoix is the greatest place to live and it is important to ensure that it remains that way. It takes involvement and constant vigilance to keep it unique.

Official Notice

- NOTICE -

The Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at 7pm in the Charlevoix High School study hall or in another designated location for the 2001-2002 fiscal year on the following dates:

Date	Location	Meeting
July 2, 2001	High School	Organizational meeting/followed by regular monthly meeting
August 13, 2001	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
September 10, 2001	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
October 8, 2001	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
November 12, 2001	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
December 10, 2001	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
January 14, 2002	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
February 11, 2002	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
March 11, 2002	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
April 8, 2002	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
May 13, 2002	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month
June 10, 2002	High School	Regular meeting second Monday of the month

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33rd Annual Craft Show

Charlevoix's 33rd Annual Craft Show, Saturday, July 14, from 10:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. and Sunday, July 15 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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CHARLEVOIX CHAMBER'S 6TH ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

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Registration forms were mailed to all Chamber members, however, anyone who needs an extra can request it from the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce, 547-2101.

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Business Briefs

Derek Chowen, of Edward Jones Investments, recently moved into his new office at 702 Bridge Street (the former location of Reel Estate One). Derek would welcome a visit to his Open House on Wednesday, July 18th, from 2-9 p.m. Congratulations!

New Taxi Service. Patti Christ, owner and manager of the Silver Birch Motel, has begun a new taxi service in Charlevoix. **Horiborside Taxi** is available for service within Charlevoix, to the airports in Traverse City and Pellston, as well as other destinations, (such as casinos) on a 24 hour basis. Patti says their motto is, "We Go Anywhere!" Horiborside Taxi can be reached by calling (231) 547-3800. Congratulations!

Don't Miss Your Chance!

Have you seen the truck parked in front of the Chamber of Commerce offices? The Ford F-150 4x4 pickup truck, valued at over \$30,000, will be given to the lucky winner after the winning number is drawn on Tuesday, September 4th on board the Emerald Isle. In addition to the truck, there is a second place cash prize of \$500.00, and two additional cash prizes of \$250.00 each. Since we sell only 400 total tickets, the odds certainly beat the state lottery! You need not be present to win, but you will need a ticket! We have tickets available at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce office just waiting for you!

FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

Sidewalk Sales - If you are a Chamber member and a retail business within Charlevoix and would like to rent a 10 by 20 booth space in East Park during Sidewalk Sales, you must fill out a space request form by August 3rd and submit it with payment in full to the chamber of commerce office. Cost to rent a space is \$200.00 for all three days. For more details, call 547-2101.

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

July 11 - 23rd Annual Home Tour 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Kim Moller 487-0478)
July 12-15 - Quilt Show 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)
July 13 - "Symphony on the Green" Outdoor Concert 6:30 p.m. - Sponsored by the Charlevoix Area Hospital Development Council (547-8502)
July 14-15 - 33rd Annual Craft Show
July 18 - Amazing Animals 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
July 19 - Garden Walk - Charlevoix Area Garden Club 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Mary Adams 547-0348)
July 22-28 - 71st Annual Venetian Festival
July 25 - Amazing Animals 3:00 "Free" - Young State Park (547-7523)
July 31 - Charlevoix Historical Society Sunset Cruise 8:15 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. (Annamarie Barnes 547-1825)
Aug. 1 - Water Wonders - Young State Park (582-7523) Petoskey State Park (347-2311)
Aug. 4-5 - Captain's Corner Sidewalk Sales
Aug. 4 - Train Show (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)
Aug. 5 - Community Pool Auction & Dinner - Charlevoix Country Club - 6 p.m. (Al Gooch 547-0982)
Aug. 8 - Water Wonders - Young State Park
Aug. 11 - 43rd Annual Waterfront Art Fair (547-4592)
Aug. 12 - Kelly Hale Bay View Organist - First Congregation Church (547-9122)
Aug. 16-18 - Sidewalk Sales
Aug. 18-19 - Street Legends Classic Car Show (July 547-4592)
Aug. 25 - Water Wonders - Young State Park

The next Retail Committee Meeting is July 19th, 9:00 a.m. at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant.

We will finish plans for Sidewalk Sales. Please come and join us!

Concerts in the Park

Charlevoix Convention & Visitors Bureau presents free Thursday Night concerts at 8:00 p.m., Downtown in East Park
July 12 - Jay Stilo Band
July 19 - Lou Thunder & The Rain Makers /
July 26 - Rhythms of Venetian
August 2 - Luther Gravy and the Soul Biscuits
August 9 - Electric Violet
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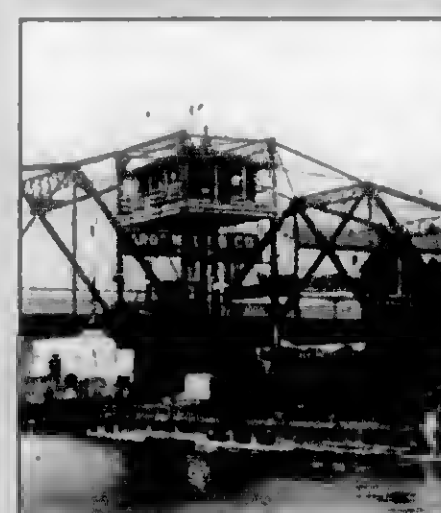
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Sidewalks?

The Charlevoix City Council has decided to table the issue of building sidewalks on Belvedere and Michigan avenues until its August meeting.

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Fourth bridge



Learn about Charlevoix's fourth bridge in this month's latest installment of the Charlevoix channel bridges series.

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Venetian Fest ready to go

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

City officials and Dan Barron, president of Charlevoix Venetian Festival Inc., said all systems are go for the 71st Annual Venetian Festival, a week-long celebration packed with activities, fireworks, music and more.

"Everything is running smoothly so far, plans are pretty well in place. Our entire organization is quite excited, our adrenaline is pumping," President of Charlevoix Venetian Festival Inc., Dan Barron said.

He explained that one of the benefits to the organization in the planning process is their involvement over the past three years.

"A lot of the nuts and bolts are in place long before the festival comes to fruition," he said.

He said that the city has also been closely involved which has helped ease the burden of the planning process. City Manager Mike Wiesner said that the city and the Venetian organization are closely involved. The Venetian games and entertainment

take place on city property.

Wiesner said meetings have included planning for everything from trash and porta potties to permits for fireworks.

City land means that city police are brought in to serve and protect. When city police chief, Dennis Halverson was asked if the force is prepared he admitted it's tough to say.

"We never know if we are ready until we are done with it," he said.

Halverson added that he steps up enforcement by putting more city officers on duty and by enlisting the help of county police officers and state police officers.

The most common violations during the festival are related to traffic congestion and alcohol issues.

Barron said that some details and time frames still need working out but those always wait until the festival is here.

The festival kicks off at 7 p.m. July 22. The festival ends with two days of fireworks on July 27 and 28.

"The fireworks are a must see once again," Barron said.



Rick Evans, a disc golfer, practices for the disc golf event at this year's Venetian Festival by throwing into this basket. For more on the event, see page 9. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Plans to be presented for DME site cleanup

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The first major steps toward cleaning up groundwater contamination at the site of Charlevoix's DME Company located at 06342 Ferry Road are being taken.

Engineers representing DME Company will meet with engineers and environmental analysts representing the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) July 21 to discuss the direction cleanup efforts will take.

"(At the meeting) They need to demonstrate that they are ready to go. By fall they need to be ready to work. We'll step in if we have to. There can't be another year with the plume discharging into the lake (Lake Charlevoix.) What we want to stop is the impact on the lake," Elaine Pelc, environmental analyst with the Gaylord post of the MDEQ

said.

The company disposed of the degreasing solvent containing tetrachloroethylene (PCE) improperly and contaminated the site and the lake. Some people want to know why they are still using it.

Pelc admitted that even though there is no state or federal law banning its use, she is surprised DME is still using a solvent containing PCE.

"Many individuals have done away with the solvent PCE. It's so troublesome to handle. I do credit them for using the best technology to handle and use it in the manufacturing process," she said.

Pelc added that the new technology uses less of the solvent and that DME is no longer disposing of the spent substance in the ground, but is containing it and shipping it off to be recycled or incinerated.

See MDEQ, page 26

Craft show

Chris Detering and his daughters, Kelsey and Jessica, all of Ann Arbor, purchased some goods from a crafter at this year's annual craft show last weekend. The show drew in visitors from around the state. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Joseph David Rajala, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Michael Jeffery Collins, 46, Beaver Island. Fail to stop after collision. Fines and costs totaling \$120.

Keith Daniel Rau, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Crystal Dawn Wilson, 31, Cheboygan. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Toby Daniel Owen Young, 32, Charlevoix. Disturbing the peace. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Patrick Joseph Mailloux, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Ashley Amber Hadix, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Andrew Ryan Douglas, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Dylan Talmage Hall, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Timothy Jason Bouters, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Jennifer Anne Hetherington, 30, Traverse City. Fail to stop after col-

lision. Fines and costs totaling \$150.

Patrick Irv Overmyer, 22, Boyne Falls. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

John Donald Moran, 52, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Jerome Andrew Desantis, 32, Sterling Heights. Driving while impaired-second offense; and driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Eighteen months probation; 365 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 20 days, 90 days on electronic monitor, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 234 days held in abeyance.

Michael Edward Left, 43, Charlevoix. Assault and battery. Jail for 93 days with credit for 53 days, serve 40 days.

Mathieu Jerome Paquette, 20, East Jordan. Driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Daniel Scott Keyes, 62, Waterford. Driving while impaired. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve five days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 47 days held in abeyance; \$1,115 in fines and costs.

Michael Scott Dionne, 27, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 36 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$920 in fines and costs.

Cody Lee Belford, 19, Boyne

City. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Halbert Knapp Evans III, 19, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Four months probation; 60 hours of community service work; \$220 in fines and costs.

Andrea Lynn Goss, 28, East Jordan. Non-sufficient funds, greater than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$548.58.

Donzell Sarah Kane, 39, Saint James. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Keever Elias McPherson, 20, East Jordan. Attempted criminal sexual conduct-second degree (person under 13). Two years probation; one year in jail with credit for one day, serve eight months; \$710 in fines and costs.

Jessie James Wisdom, 18, Petoskey. Children-account for immoral purpose. Eighteen months probation; one year in jail with credit for eight days, serve eight months; \$410 in fines and costs.

Stephen A. Haglund, 17, Stanton. Breaking and entering-illegal entry without owner permission; and alcohol-purchase/consumption/possession by a minor. One year probation; 40 hours of community service work; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, serve one day; \$995.14 in fines and costs.

Keith Lyle Pattenau, 54, Ellsworth. Three counts of criminal sexual conduct-second degree (relationship). Jail for a minimum of eight years and a maximum of 15 years, with credit for two days.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have

filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Complete Services, 09227 Burgess Road, Charlevoix, by Renee L. Swadling

Boyne Falls Yacht Club, 2670 US 131 P.O. Box 431, Boyne Falls, by K.A. Rotermuno

Joan's Soothing Soles Therapies, 07965 Springvale Road, Boyne Falls, by Joan M. Colbert

Kneaded Therapy, 103 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Elizabeth Edwards

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Corey David Lang, 19, Lexington, Ky. and Amanda B. Johnson, 20, Lexington, Ky.

Michael Fred Corr, 34, Albuquerque, N.M. and Lynne Elizabeth Herbert, 32, Albuquerque, N.M.

Daniel Lee Matelski, 24, Boyne City and Joslyn Marie Cleary, 23, Boyne City

Chad Everett Leist, 29, Boyne City and Carol Sue Edson, 44, Boyne City

Divorces
The following people have been

granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Charles Butcher vs. Patricia Butcher

John H. Currier vs. Nancy Lee Currier

Patricia Marfuta vs. Robert Marfuta

Elisabeth Barber vs. Dennis Montoya

Births

Adam Robert James, weighing 8 pounds, 15 ounces, was born to Scott and Molly Hybl of Central Lake on July 7 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Morrison Scott, weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces, was born to Scott and Susanne of Boyne City on July 7 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Jony Cheyenne Sumner was born to Jonathon and Shannon Sumner of East Jordan on July 5 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Hannah Grace, weighing 6 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Anthony and Julie Lafferty of East Jordan on July 15 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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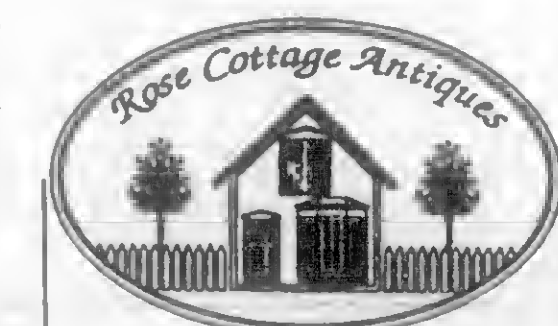
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Local man partners on hovercraft project

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

By next summer, the ride from Charlevoix to Chicago might become significantly shorter if hovercrafts start patrolling the shores of Lake Michigan.

David Smith, Charlevoix resident and retired U.S. Coast Guard commander and David Daly, a retired banker of Indian River and a former resident of England, are currently creating L.M. HoverLink, which would provide hovercraft service from Chicago to different towns in northwest Michigan.

"The hovercrafts would enable people from Chicago to visit their second homes in the winter or to come up north to ski. People from around Charlevoix could go down to Chicago for weekend getaways or shopping excursions," Smith said. He, and his partner, want to bring two of the crafts to the area for this service.

Hovercrafts ride 13 feet above the water, which allow them to travel over ice in the winter. Because of this unique capability, Smith and Daly plan on providing service to Michigan year-round, instead of just in the summer. They hope this will encourage tourism for the area in the winter, the season that has traditionally been slow for businesses.

Smith and Daly hope to be in operation as soon as next summer. They also hope to collaborate with other transportation companies in the area, such as the Beaver Islander, and have the hovercrafts serve as feeders into other ferry services.

Smith has already considered a dozen possible locations at which the crafts could land.

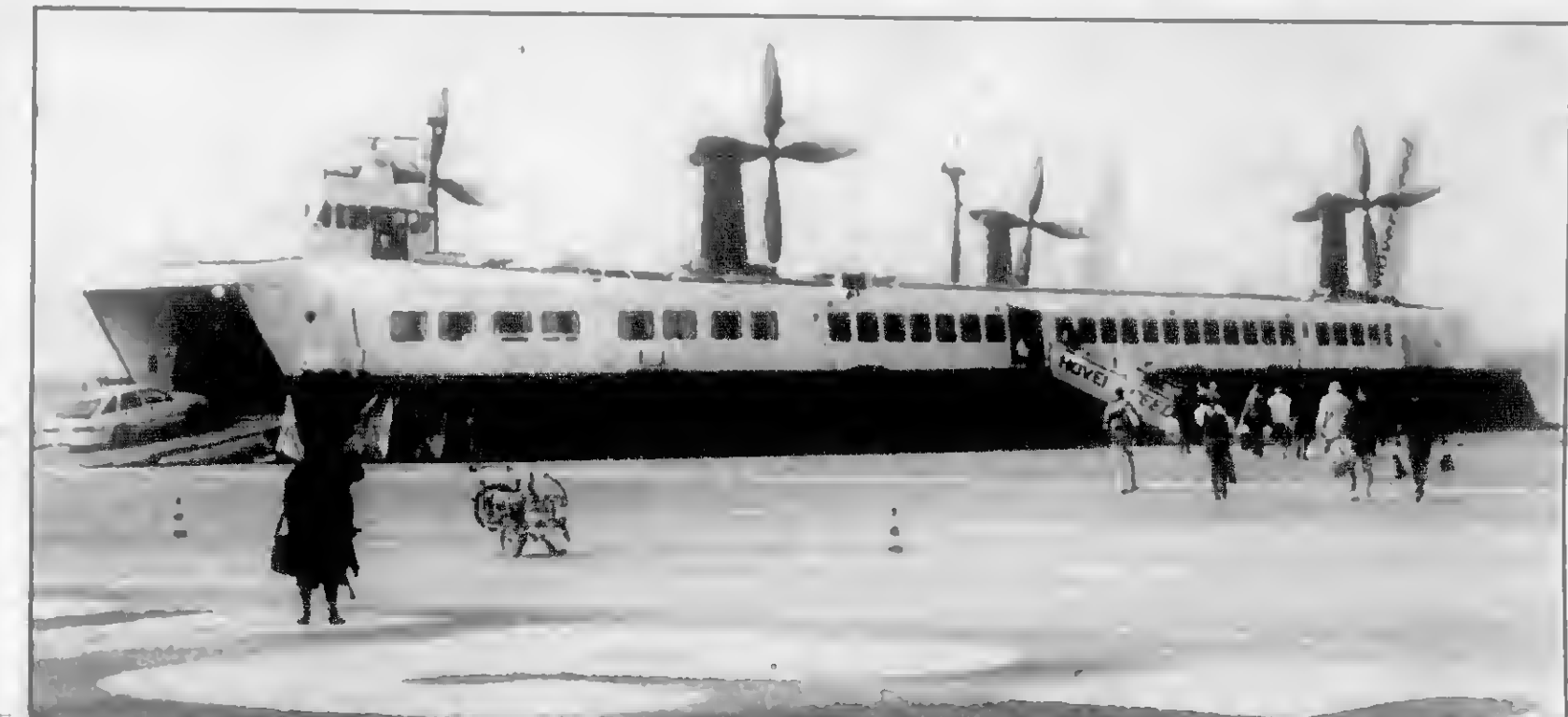
The crafts don't need to dock in a harbor. In fact, the only requirements for a landing spot are that it be large — about half the size of a football field — and that it be flat. Large, vacant parking lots are ideal locations.

Smith foresees the crafts landing in Traverse Bay, as well as in Petoskey. However, Smith said that it is "fairly difficult to envision a place to land in Charlevoix."

Ideally, the crafts would be permitted to land at Big Rock Point, both men said.

"Big Rock would be perfect for us. There are parking facilities and there are no surrounding homes that would be disturbed. That spot would allow us to serve both Petoskey and Charlevoix with one stop," he said.

However, Tim Petroskey, of Consumer's Energy at Big Rock, said he has not been contacted about this project. He added it is premature to even discuss future uses for the site.



A hovercraft like this could be seen cruising off of Charlevoix's coast in the future if a Charlevoix man and his partner succeed. (Courtesy photo)

"At this point no decisions have been made on this property," Petroskey said.

Although the crafts might not stop in Charlevoix, Smith and Daly predict that the operation will benefit Charlevoix economically. They hope that the company will create as many as 200 local jobs, as well as enhance the town's economy by bringing in more tourists from the Chicago area.

The crafts, which travel at an average speed of 70 miles per hour, would make the trip up the eastern shore of Lake Michigan in as few as

three and a half hours, a feat that other boats and ferries are incapable of achieving.

"It's the perfect marriage between technology, the environment and demand. It doesn't make waves and disrupt the environment and the trip will cut down driving time," Daly said.

Hovercrafts are powerful vehicles, as well as efficient ones that are capable of transporting large amounts of cargo and passengers.

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July 13	69	59	—
July 14	72	55	—
July 15	81	61	—
July 16	77	64	.08"

Norwood millage passes

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Results of a special election in Norwood Township July 17 will mean a three-year, one-mill (\$1 per \$1,000 of taxable value) tax increase for Norwood Township residents and their continued financial support of township emergency services.

Sixty-four and a half percent of Norwood Township voters voted in favor of a tax increase for road repairs and 83.9 percent said yes to an emergency services millage renewal that will raise \$5,145 in the first year.

While both proposals passed not many township voters left their opinion heard. Only 93 of Norwood

569 eligible voters turned out.

"I think that is horrible. Norwood Township has never had under a 60 percent voter turnout. I don't know what else we could have done to inform voters," Norwood Township clerk Doris Pearl said.

Pearl said that despite the low turnout the township is happy to see the result. She said that instead of taking funds for emergency services from the general fund, the township can pay for fire and ambulance with the millage money.

"We can use the money in the general fund for the many projects that need to be done that otherwise we would have no money to do," Pearl explained.

One such project that is in need of funding is renovating the town-

ship hall located at 19759 Lake Street in Norwood Township.

She added that the road millage will help finish up work being done on Richardson Road this summer and the board will be getting to work on formulating the road priority list.

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Recently we reported that the stormwater sewers in Charlevoix flow directly into Round Lake.

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The reason we say this last item is the most important one is because it is something everyone in Charlevoix should remember when they are out washing their car, changing the oil or cleaning off their sidewalks and driveways.

When doing chores around the house, we seldom think about pollution or the effects our activities have on the environment. And some people have the mentality of "out of sight, out of mind" and do not think twice about pouring oil, cleaners or other toxic substances into the storm drain on the street.

But, these items are not out of our lives after they are poured down the drain, as our recent story highlighted. When you pour oil or toxic pollutants into the storm

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drain you are basically pouring them into the lakes.

It is basically like going to the beach and dumping in chemicals into the water that we bath in, play in and drink.

Water is vital to all of us in Charlevoix. Not just because it surrounds us and brings in many tourists who like to shop at our local stores. Water is essential for our survival because our bodies need healthy water to function.

While it may seem like this is not an important issue, realize that many places in the United States are not as lucky as Charlevoix and the rest of the state of Michigan. In many areas of the west, for example, water is almost like gold and people will fight for it if they have to.

Lawsuits and even physical assaults have been known to be caused by issues surrounding water.

So, let's take care of the water we are fortunate enough to have. We can start by helping to keep it clean.

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Some ways to alleviate rage on that left turn to Bridge



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

Summer is seriously upon us.

I was reminded by a neighbor just yesterday, that we have two seasons in Charlevoix. No, not nine months of snow and three months of hard sledding as I used to hear from northern Minnesota. The two seasons in Charlevoix, I was told, are "Winter" and "Visitors." Visitors being all the people who want to live in Charlevoix and haven't figured out how to manage it yet.

The surest sign of both summer and visitors is of course the lines of stopped traffic into and out of the valley as the bridge fulfills its obligation to allow boat traffic access to Round Lake and Lake Michigan.

Over the six years or so that I have been a year-round resident of this lovely place and while rage at delay or inconvenience of many sorts has been growing in publicity if not in amount, I note with considerable pleasure the lack of bridge rage. People seem more likely to get out of their stopped vehicle and carry on a conversation with some-

one in the next lane than to fume silently or loudly about how long it is taking.

Maybe it's because we get to watch sunsets over the lake and even sunrises sometimes. I've always thought that the reason for the dramatic difference in social atmosphere on the east and west coast of the Florida peninsula was the product of the west coast residents and visitors getting to watch a tranquil sunset each day, while those on the opposite coast don't.

As a scientist, it is difficult for me to believe that the effects of watching a sunset could last for 24 hours, but they might. It may not even be necessary to watch a sunset to benefit. The certainty that there is a lovely sunset over the lake can be almost as calming as watching it.

It is well that bridge delays don't cause many problems because there is really nothing practical to be done about them.

However, there is a delay that might be alleviated. I have seen examples of what might be called Left Turn Off Clinton Onto Bridge Street Rage (LTOCOBSR). The combination of foot traffic crossing Bridge Street and all the vehicles previously delayed by the bridge opening who diverted to State and then Clinton to take advantage of the light produces almost as much obstruction as does the bridge.

There may be a solution. Communities in other parts of the

country (southwest Florida comes to mind) where there is the confluence of much pedestrian traffic and the urge to make left turns, have solved the problem by reprogramming the stoplights. The new pattern provides for about 20 seconds of all way stoplights when pedestrians cross in any and all directions. Then the usual pattern of red and green and yellow serves the vehicle traffic and no walking at all.

With this stoplight program in place a dozen cars could make a left turn north onto Bridge Street with three or four more common now. With no walk signal for the pedestrians except during the all-way stops, both pedestrian and vehicle traffic should move more smoothly.

I suppose it is possible that such a pattern for the stoplights was tried in the past and it didn't work, but I don't remember it.

Why not give it a try? It could only make us more tranquil. Might even be better than the sunsets at curing any symptoms of Left Turn Off Clinton Onto Bridge Street Rage.

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Letters to the editor

What the Stormwater Board does
Editor:

The Charlevoix County Stormwater Board of Appeals has met to review and amend the Charlevoix County Stormwater ordinance. Activities on construction sites have been identified as a leading cause of degradation and loss of fisheries and the source of stream, river and lake pollution.

The stormwater board is comprised of Jim Vanck, a representa-

tive from the Charlevoix County Road Commission, county commissioner Shirley Roloff, drain commissioner Jo Anne Beemon and four persons appointed by the county commissioners.

The commissioners appointed Performance Engineering employee Jim Malewicz, Emmet County resident and H & D employee Tom Irwin and retired builder and current county commissioner Jim Behling to sit on the board.

The county commissioners are seeking one more board member to

fill a vacated seat.

The natural resources of Charlevoix County are the foundation of our quality of life, recreation and our economy. Growth must be managed wisely or we will kill the goose that lays the golden eggs.

The majority of resource protection must be done at the local level. In order to create a workable and responsible ordinance, we need a balanced board. It is important that the Charlevoix County Commissioners appoint a conservation ex-

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pert to advise the board on scientific protection of our lakes, streams and fisheries.

If you have questions or comments feel free to call me from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays at the Drain Commissioner's office at 237-0107.

Jo Anne Beemon
Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner

Let your voice be heard on marina

Editor:

The letter to the editor from Jeanne Blumberg prompted me to find out more information about scheduled public hearings on marina expansion in Round Lake. I feel it's important summer Charlevoix residents understand that most of the public hearings concerning marina expansion will be carried out later in the fall and, therefore, we will have little or no opportunity to participate in the process.

United Design was retained by the city in June 2000 to present designs to the Waterways Commission for the dock expansion. The person in charge of the project is City Manager Mike Wiesner. He has printed a project timeline that can be picked up in his office. At present a planning consultant firm — Pollick Design Associates — will work with city staff personnel

on site planning. The first project is a study of the bridge openings and road traffic which is not completed at this time.

The timeline lists the first public input meeting for some time in July or August 2001 for the park area only. The plan will be refined and a second public meeting is scheduled for October 2001. This meeting will include plans for the marina expansion.

Mr. Wiesner responded, "No" when asked if any portion of the study would be reported in the Courier by his office as details of the project unfold. He indicated the information would be available from his office and "the Courier can come to us." However, the Manager's office will notify all individuals of the exact public hearing dates if you leave your name and address with his office. Your feelings can be expressed via the Courier or request your letter be read during the public hearing by a personal representative or a member of the manager's office. The manager can also be contacted by e-mail at chxmgr@unnet.com.

As a summer resident I regret that I and others will not be included in the planning process.

Virginia Finney-Lahde
Charlevoix

WATCH activities

Often the most important work in environmental stewardship is done

behind the scenes, with little fanfare and no headlines.

It is true that WATCH has waged some high profile battles over the years, most notably over cement dust and other pollutants from the Cemex plant in Charlevoix and the expansion of the Cedar Ridge landfill near Ironton.

But we also work quietly on other fronts that are no less important to Charlevoix County's environmental quality, but which may not generate as much attention.

For instance, most county residents are probably not even aware of a body called the Sanitary Board Code of Appeals. This board, made up of county supervisors, has the power to overrule assessment by Health Department sanitarians on the suitability of wetland lots for building septic systems and homes and has done so often. In fact, the Health Department has lost six of the last seven appeals before the board, meaning that several wetland areas deemed unsuitable for development by professional sanitarians are being built upon anyway.

A 1996 report prepared by the state Natural Features Inventory and recently noted by the Michigan Environmental Council estimated that development and drainage had cost 2,391,199 acres of an original total of approximately 8,530,000 acres in the state, a loss of 28 percent. However, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service in 1990 put the total at approximately 5.5 million acres of an original 11 million, a 50 percent

loss.

The WATCH board of directors has sent a letter to the chairman of the Sanitary Code Board of Appeals expressing our concern over the frequency with which Health Department rulings are overturned. We also plan to have a representative at all future meetings of the board.

This type of stewardship creates very little public awareness, yet is so critical to Charlevoix County's environmental integrity. And, the simple fact is, as we have said before, if WATCH does not hold the decision makers of Charlevoix County accountable in such matters, no one else will.

We are, of course, still engaged in issues involved with Cemex, Cedar Ridge and have also taken a strong stance against expansion of the Charlevoix public marina in Round Lake for both the potential environmental threat it poses and its negative aesthetic impact.

It is through the support of you and other members that WATCH is able to fulfill its mission of fighting for clean air, clean water and wise resource management in Charlevoix County.

If you are interested in joining us, please call our hotline number for more information.
Jerry Puhl
WATCH President
Charlevoix

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What I think about the Charlevoix Venetian Festival:

Please mail this to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720 or drop it off at our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix. Answers can be e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or fax to (231) 547-4992. Please keep your answers under 250 words and turn them in by 5 p.m., June 21. Remember to sign your opinion.

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75 years of marriage

Thomas

Harold and Elena Nasson Thomas of East Jordan are celebrating their seventy-fifth wedding anniversary from 2 to 5 p.m., July 22 at the East Jordan Senior Center.

Harold and Elena were both raised on farms in Eveline Township, two miles apart, and attended Walker Country School together.

Harold worked at the Fisher Body auto plant in Flint until World War II, at which time he served in the army tank division and became a prisoner of war to the Germans in Camp IIB Stalag. Elena worked at an Ypsilanti bomber plant during this time.

After the war, they bought a farm on North Ranney Road near East Jordan, in the same neighborhood they were raised.

Elena became a nurse and worked at the Little Traverse Hospital until her retirement in 1972.

They still reside in their home on Ranney Road, where Harold enjoys all types of sports media, while Elena reads and cooks her specialty dishes.



They also attend the Charlevoix Methodist Church.

The couple raised three children in Flint, they are: Marjorie (Howard) Best, Marie (Ellis)

Vanderveenter and Bob (Ros-alind) Thomas. They also have 11 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Scholarship winner

John Kilkenny, of Charlevoix, was recently awarded a scholarship by the Boyne Country Region Antique Automobile Club of America.

Accreditation

Dr. John Merrill, a dentist from Charlevoix, was recently awarded accredited member status by the American Academy of Cosmetic Dentistry for excellence in the art and science of cosmetic dentistry. This certificate was earned by a demonstration of exceptional skill and judgment before a panel of accredited dentists from across the United States.

GVSU dean's list

Several students from Charlevoix were recently named to the Grand Valley State University dean's list. They are: Ryan R. Bier, Amanda R. Eaton, Julie A. Gregory, Nicholas A. Grosberg, Ethan D. McCann and Sarah C. Shepard.

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Engagement



Regan Lynn Crawford and Brandon Heuer Brown, both of Kalamazoo, are engaged to be married.

Regan is the daughter of Larry and Deborah Crawford of Charlevoix. Brandon is the son of Brian and Pam Brown of Owosso.

Crawford - Brown

A wedding is being planned for Aug. 4, 2001 at the Charlevoix Country Club.

The bride-to-be graduated from Northwood University with a bachelors degree in marketing and business management. She is presently employed as a pharma-

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The groom-to-be graduated from Central Michigan University with a bachelors degree in psychology and biology. He is presently working as a regional manager for ARM Retro-fitting.

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Remember to follow the ways of Jesus

By CARA B. HOCHHALTER
Christian Education Director
First Congregational Church

In a song written by Bryan Sirchio, a UCC pastor and musician, he says that it is stated 87 times in the Bible that Jesus said, "Follow me."

More than just saying we have Christ in our hearts, to follow his way of life is indeed challenging (and open to people of all religious backgrounds).

What does it mean to follow someone? Remember the childhood game, "Follow the leader?" When the one in front put his or her hands up, you put your hands up and when the one in front skipped, you skipped. To follow Christ means to imitate his way, to the best of our ability.

Beacons of Blessing

What kind of life was that which we seek to emulate?

He intentionally reached out to those who were marginalized because of their ethnic or religious backgrounds, sickness or sinful ways, to tell them that they were loved by God and that he also cared for them.

He healed many people, but often said to those he healed not to tell anyone. Through his extremely clever and challenging stories he taught about forgiveness, peace and faith. He urged people who had disagreements to speak directly to

each other first, seeking to reconcile their differences.

His life was not one of wealth in the material sense. His riches were found in love, in his relationship with God and with all living beings.

Jesus was religious. He worshipped in the Temple, he prayed the traditional prayers three times a day. He discussed the meaning of faith within the religious community and without.

As "nice" as Jesus sounds, he was not a timid person. He did not hesitate to stand up to authority when he felt an injustice was being done and challenged some of the religious and societal practices of his day.

If we seek to "follow" this amazing figure of Christ, how are we doing?

Obituaries

Stephan J. McCann: Died Jan. 14, 2001

Stephen J. McCann, 56, of Jackson and Beaver Island died Jan. 14, 2001 at the Grand Rapids Home for Veterans.

Mass of the Resurrection will be 11:30 a.m., July 24, at Holy Cross Catholic Church on Beaver Island. The Rev. Pat Cawley will officiate.

Burial will follow in Holy Cross Cemetery. Local arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home.

Dr. Mark Westebrook: Aug. 23, 1953 - Feb. 17, 2001

A memorial service is planned for 1 p.m. July 21 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix for Dr. Mark Westebrook who passed away at his home in Issaquah, Wash., Feb. 17, 2001.

He was born to Roger and Elaine Westebrook on Aug. 23, 1953 in Holland and moved with his family to Charlevoix in 1965. He graduated as salutatorian of the Charlevoix High School class of 1971. He graduated with high honors from

the Michigan State School of Veterinary Medicine in 1976.

He moved to the Bellevue, Wash. area in 1980 where he worked until his death as a veterinarian.

In 1984 he married Ruth Rice of Augusta.

He was a member of national and state veterinary associations and an active member of the Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Bellevue. He was an avid photographer,

outdoorsman and music lover.

In addition to his wife and parents, he is survived by sons Tyler, 7, and Andrew, 3; brother, Michael and wife, Denise, Westebrook of Charlevoix; sisters, Sherry and husband, Dan, Hawthorne of Vancouver, Wash., Susan and husband, Joseph, Kaufman of Appleton, Wis. and Sally and her husband, Serge, Weiss of Pittsford, N.Y.

Funeral services took place in Bellevue Feb. 25.

Bazaar

The First Congregational Church UCC of Charlevoix is having its annual Bazaar, Luncheon and Bake Sale from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on July 25. A luncheon will be from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. The church is located at the corner of State and Park streets. At right, Judy Willey, Nancy Fowler and Barbara Claggett show some of the items at the Bazaar. (Courtesy photo)



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Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor Mike Mitchell	547-6430		
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Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	536-2161		
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Disc golf to be one of many Venetian sports

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The 71st Annual Venetian Festival will feature games galore — croquet, sporting clays, even the latest trend in golf, disc golf.

Rick Evans of Ellsworth picked up his first disc in 1996, tossed it across a Kalamazoo course and got hooked. Recently, Evans' interest landed him in Charlevoix.

Evans has built three Traverse City disc golf courses and is currently finishing up a course at Charlevoix's Mt. McSaub.

"It's going crazy up here. They (disc golf courses) are popping up all over the place," he said.

The local course is stretched across 70 acres on the Mt. McSaub property. Players will find the 18 holes on the front and back of the ski hill and along the cross-country ski trails. You even make it up to the top of the highest peak twice.

"When you are at the top, the views are phenomenal," he said.

Evans thinks that one of the best features of the sport is that it builds right into the topography he works with and thus has very little impact on the environment. He also sees the course as a way to better utilize the facility in the summer.

Before you grab your putter and head over to Mt. McSaub

"It's great exercise. It gets people out and trekking around."

Rick Evans,
Disc golf player

you should know if your club isn't shaped like a Frisbee, you have got the wrong equipment.

To check out what a disc looks like, go to ACE Hardware in Charlevoix, located at 403 Bridge Street, where you can hook up a new set of "clubs."

Once you get there don't make the mistake of asking where your cart is. In the world of disc golf, there are definitely no carts.

However, this doesn't exclude anyone, in fact it includes most everybody — walkers, outdoor enthusiasts, sports buffs and anyone with a sense of humor can play.

"It's great exercise. It gets people out and trekking around,"

Evans said.

The inaugural day of disc golf in Charlevoix will be during the Venetian games.

Evans encourages people who have never played before to come to try the course out at 10 a.m., July 22 when he will demonstrate how to throw basic shots and will explain the rules.

Then you'll be paired up with someone experienced if you're inexperienced and vice versa. At 3:30 p.m. there will be partner doubles.

Those interested in participating can register at the city recreation department located at 210 State Street in Charlevoix's City Hall.



Rick Evans, a disc golfer, shows the proper throwing technique to use in the game during a recent outing at Mount McSaub. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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BASES, Probate Court team up for program

**Scott Kelly,
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The Recovery High program that BASES is involved in with Charlevoix Probate Court is a very unique program that is gaining attention for its effectiveness in dealing with adolescent substance abuse.

In the past year, we have had teenagers from 19 different counties participate in the program to receive help for substance abuse problems.

BASES provides the substance abuse services for Recovery High. These services include five evening groups, three after-school groups, individual counseling and a parent education group each week. Drug testing is also another important part of the program that is handled by BASES.

Charlevoix Probate Court has licensed several foster homes that

provide a safe and drug free environment for youth that are unable to stay drug free in their home environment. Through weekly parent education groups at BASES and additional family counseling at outside agencies, family issues are addressed so that the teenager can return home to a supportive and understanding environment with proper supervision.

Probate Court also works cooperatively with an alternative school in Boyne City so that the educational needs of these young people can be addressed in a very structured, highly supervised, drug free environment. Classes are conducted during the summer months three days per week for Recovery High's most intensive participants. In this alternative school environment, young people have the opportunity to earn high school credits and get back on track prior to returning to their regular school.

Two years ago, transportation issues within Charlevoix County were a concern because teens were unable to get to the groups that

they needed. Through a special grant, Probate Court was able to purchase a 15 passenger van to get teens to the services that they need to remain drug free.

For our local teenagers, there is a great deal of flexibility within the Recovery High program to help meet their specific needs. For some teens, substance abuse education and support are their primary needs. These youth can attend one to three evening groups per week depending on their schedules and level of need. Their parents are also encouraged to participate in the weekly education and support group to learn more about adolescent substance abuse.

For most teens, this is all they need to discontinue their use of alcohol and drugs and regain control of their lives. If they are unable to succeed at this least intensive level, they can participate in the evening groups five nights per week. If they are still unsuccessful, they may become involved in all of the groups at BASES — five nights per week and three after-

school groups. If their school environment is a problem, they can become involved in the court supervised alternative school program. If their home life is a problem, they can become involved in the foster care program supervised by the courts.

As a young person improves in their ability to remain drug free and function appropriately in the school and home environment, they can move through the varying level of services in a "step-down" approach. If they have struggles several months later, they can easily return to the most appropriate level of care and get themselves back on track.

What does it cost the young person's family for these services?

For a local teen that can live at home, they can access all of the substance abuse groups at no cost. There is a \$10 fee for each drug test and young people are tested two to four times per month.

For a teen that needs to be in foster care and access all of the substance abuse services, school

services, drug testing and transportation services, the cost is \$70 per day. When the 30 day cost of \$2,100 is compared to the \$8,000 - \$12,000 cost for 30 days of inpatient substance abuse treatment found in the traditional hospital-based treatment program, it is easy to see why the Recovery High program has gained popularity by referral sources.

Recovery High is a program based on cooperation, shared resources and most of all - common sense based on years of professional experience in working with young people. The key influences in a young person's life include other teens, family, school, community and sometimes the court.

This program brings all of these key components together to help each young person become a success story.

Scott Kelly is the director of Bay Area Substance Education Services (BASES) located in Charlevoix. For more information, please call BASES at 547-1144.

Sidewalk issue tabled by council until Aug. 20

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix City Council listened to the concerns of local, seasonal and year-round residents and decided to table the proposed sidewalks included in upcoming plans for Michigan and Belvedere avenue infrastructure projects, Monday night.

This came after council realized it was divided on the sidewalk issue.

Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell, third ward councilman Sherm Chamberlain, second ward councilman Gabe Campbell and first ward councilman Bill Haggard agreed to continue the sidewalk project with modifications after they reported hearing project support from around the community.

However, first ward councilman Norman "Boogie" Carlson, third ward councilman A.J. Withoef and second ward councilman Bill Bellows all supported abandoning the project based on complaints they said were heard from their constituents.

Bellows was more middle ground than his fellow councilman, he said he heard more opposition for the Belvedere project than the Michigan Avenue project.

At the meeting, Charlevoix City Police Chief Dennis Halverson explained a Belvedere Avenue pedestrian usage analysis he conducted from 8 a.m. to 2:20 p.m. July 14. He reported observing 726 pedestrians, 134 of whom walked in the street instead of using the sidewalk.

Safety was the major reason the city claims the north side sidewalk was included in the plans — getting people out of the streets and onto a sidewalk. But, Belvedere residents said pedestrians' safety would be compromised if the sidewalk were to go in.

John Winn said the 24 steep driveways along the north side make for a dangerous situation.

First ward councilman Norman "Boogie" Carlson said that after taking a weekend stroll down Belvedere with his family he agreed with the residents.

"There is no way you would see me pushing a baby stroller on that side of the street. I think the south side sidewalk provides a safe walkway. Even if there were sidewalks on both sides people would still walk in the street," Carlson said.

The residents were also upset that seven mature street trees would be removed to accommodate the sidewalk.

Belvedere resident R. J. Button came forward with a petition signed by 51 residents living on Belvedere Avenue and elsewhere in Charlevoix who were opposed to a south side sidewalk.

Dick Joseph, of the law firm Joseph, Corcoran, Telgenhof and Snyder, representing the petitioners came forward and said, "If Charlevoix is going to be a Tree City USA don't cut down 200-year-old trees. As elected officials you owe it to the community to look at these is-

ues and further discuss them before charging ahead on something you can't fix."

Joseph said on Monday morning residents were out tying ribbons around trees that will be lost if the sidewalk goes in.

Belvedere residents suggested alternatives including: widening the existing sidewalk to make it more inviting, putting an ordinance into effect and enforcing it and installing signs to encourage people to use the sidewalk.

Council also decided to table the Michigan Avenue sidewalk expansion project that would extend the sidewalk from 431 Michigan Avenue to Charlevoix Elementary School.

Michigan Avenue resident Edith Gilbert questioned why the city planned to take out trees and build a sidewalk when most elementary students don't walk to school anyway. She believes a stop sign at the intersection of Division and Michigan Avenue would prove to be a more useful safety feature than a sidewalk.

Council's final decision was to award the infrastructure contract to CCMS in the amount of \$1,185,489, with the exception of the sidewalks until more information has been brought to the table.

When asked the cost of the sidewalks specifically, city manager Mike Wiesner said he didn't have the project broken down like that.

Council plans to reconvene and discuss alternative plans at the Aug. 20 meeting.



Home tour attraction

A crowd gathers outside Don and Ruth Van-Sullichem's "Eagle Nest" off Boyne City/Charlevoix Road that was part of the Charlevoix Home Tour recently. The home's wooden decor gave it a rustic feel. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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BUSINESS

Gallery 704 gives artist a chance to come back north

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

After spending about 18 years working downstate and away from her beloved northern Michigan, Audrey Shapiro has found a way to come home.

"I didn't like where I lived and wanted to do something that was less pressurized. Plus, I missed being up north," she said.

Shapiro was a teacher in Farmington Hills, after moving to the area from Bellaire 18 years ago. Since that time, she has wanted to come back to northern Michigan. Using her knowledge of pottery and crafts, she decided to move to Charlevoix and has

opened up Gallery 704.

She said she picked Charlevoix because of its busy summers, plus she wanted to be near her friends in the Charlevoix-Antrim county areas.

"I really like Charlevoix. I am looking forward to the whole year," Shapiro added.

Gallery 704 features pottery created by Shapiro, as well as items from 20 other artisans. These include jewelry, antiques, blown glass, pastels, watercolors and handmade soap.

"Business has been good. I had a really nice reception from the townspeople," she said. Gallery 704 opened on May 25.

As for Shapiro's pottery, she said each piece is very functional.

"Some of it is more abstract. I like to explore with new colors and paintings," she said.

Gallery 704 is located at 704 Bridge Street. It is open throughout the year from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily.

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Audrey Shapiro shows some of her work at Gallery 704 in Charlevoix. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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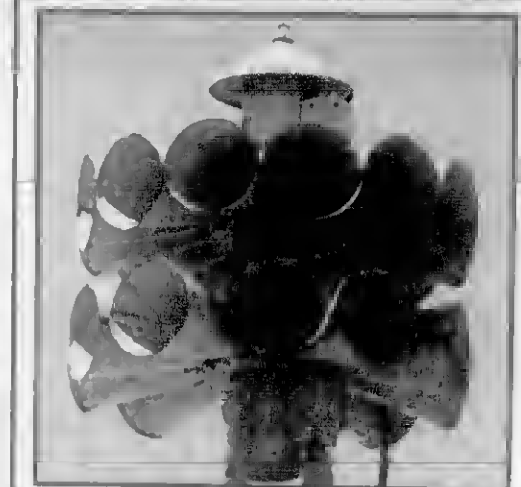


(Above) The tent at the symphony was filled to capacity as more than 500 tickets were sold. (Right) The Gaskins of Charlevoix spent the evening enjoying the music and the picnic meal they brought with them, as did many others. (Courtesy photos)



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Hovercraft could be a new way to get to Chicago area

HOVERCRAFT
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Smith and Daly predict that trips will cost between \$250-\$280 for a passenger and a car, and \$125 for an individual without a car, one way.

"Any way you look at it, it's cheaper than flying out of Traverse City," Daly said.

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The two specific crafts that Smith and Daly plan on using formerly ferried passengers across the English Channel and possess advanced radar systems that can detect floating objects, as small as sailboards.

Both men possess the experience that is necessary to undertake such a large project.

Daly, who is the chief executive operator of the project, has a history of involvement in mass transit activities, such as the hovercrafts that ferried across the English Channel.

Smith moved to Charlevoix in 1964. He joined the U.S.

Coast Guard and soon became second in command of the Coast Guard vessel the Sun Dew. Two years later, Smith became the group commander and was responsible for 15 light, search and rescue stations across the Great Lakes. It was with this job that Smith became familiar with marine operations on Lake Michigan.

Two years ago, Daly approached Smith with his idea to start a company that would provide the public with hovercraft service across Lake Michigan. Smith soon became the chief of operations of L.M.Hoverlink. His position requires him to determine the best routes for the crafts, as well as locate prospective ports.

Smith and Daly hope to be in operation as soon as next summer. They also hope to collaborate with other transportation companies in the area, such as the Beaver Islander, and have the hovercrafts serve as feeders into other ferry services.

Daly is also considering establishing a hovercraft manufacturing company that would sell newer, longer and narrower vessels, as well as hovercrafts that could be sold for individual use.

For right now, Smith and Daly are concentrating all of their efforts on their proposed Chicago-Northern Michigan operation.

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Top Rank site found to have wetlands, project still planned

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

On June 7, members of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Land and Water Management Division walked the new Top Rank transfer station site located off Bell's Bay Road and found the site is a regulated wetland.

The group's wetland finding came after they gave Top Rank owner Tom Rankl permission to establish a transfer station at the site.

"The wetland is considered 'contiguous' to the unnamed stream. This new information warrants revision of our previous letter to you dated December 18, 1998, wherein you were advised that the wetland was not regulated under Part 303," a letter from wetlands specialist John Arevalo to Rankl dated July 2 states.

Water and Air Team Charlevoix (WATCH) president Jerry Puhl, whose property abuts the Rankl parcel, said he told MDEQ officials the site should be regulated.

"That's what I tried to tell them several years ago. He (the MDEQ wetlands specialist at the time) said the land was too far away from the lake and he was going to allow the property to be developed," he said.

Puhl added that he is frustrated by the oversight because the land has already been irreparably altered.

Chuck Stein of Performance Engineers, Inc. of Charlevoix, told the MDEQ that work already done at the transfer station site has impacted 9.69

acres of wetland.

Furthermore, a utility corridor, that hasn't been completed will impact additional on-site wetland. Arevalo said Stein informed the MDEQ that the septic discharge line, electrical service and natural gas are proposed to be installed in this corridor.

When the MDEQ staff toured the corridor on June 27 they found some parts of it did not meet the definition of wetland and some did.

Rankl said that the 11.22 acres where the proposed transfer station site is located is an old cedar swamp. He said workers have already filled 10 acres of the land and described the land as having been converted from wetland to upland.

Rankl added that he hopes to break ground by the end of July.

"I hope to have a construction permit in the next two weeks. I have been waiting six years for this," Rankl said.

According to Arevalo's letter to Rankl, the MDEQ will allow the project to continue. The transfer station can be constructed on the 11.22 acre site without being required to obtain a permit that is usually necessary when building on regulated wetlands.

Arevalo states the department decided to allow the station to be established without a permit because of prior authorization from the Land and Water Management Division.

Rankl plans to build a large pole barn with liquid retention capabilities so that any liquid on the floor of the building won't seep into the ground but will be contained in a separate

septic tank and hauled off the site.

"The state looks at transfer stations as a very low impact land use," he said.

However, any further building will require a permit.

Arevalo states that any of the fol-

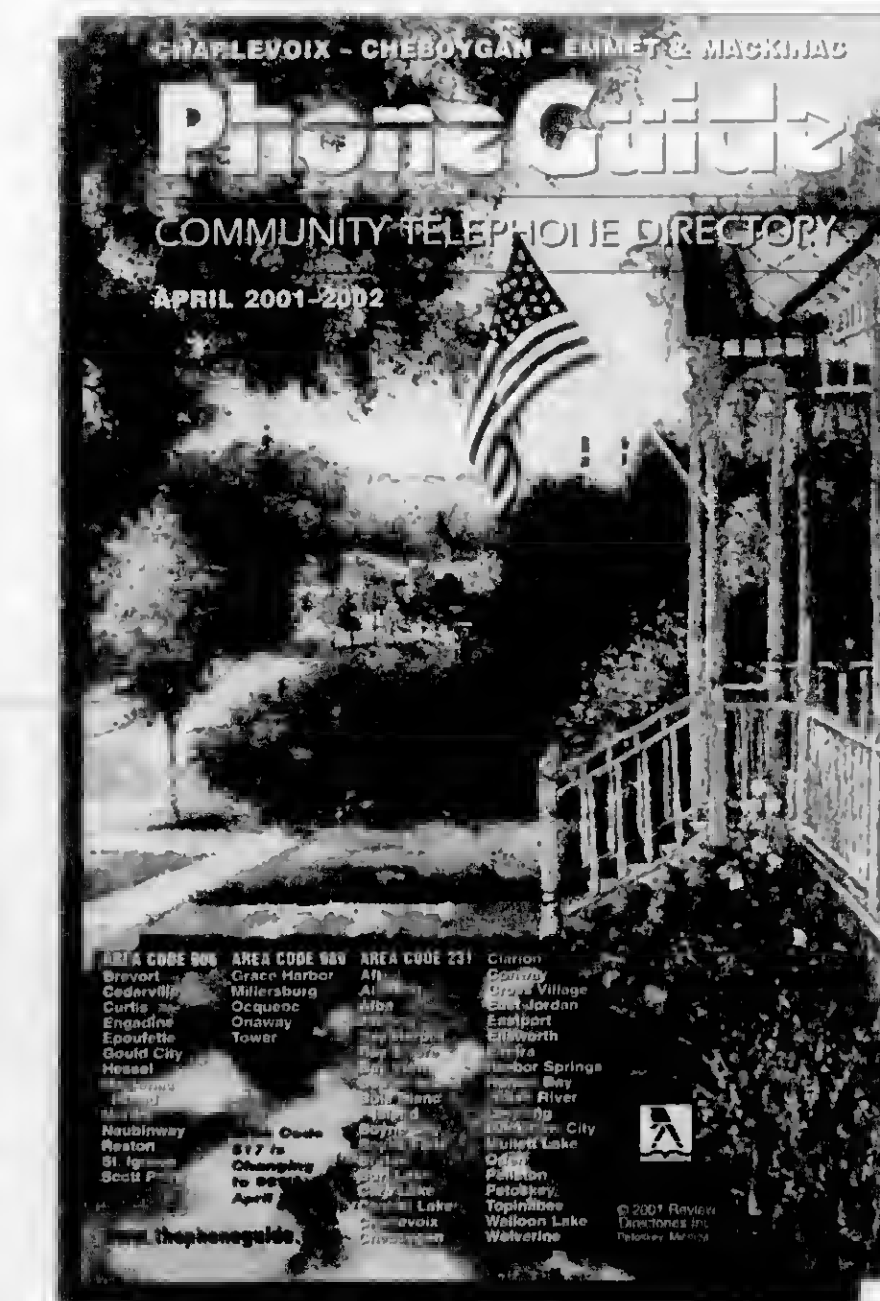
lowing activities proposed within the regulated wetland, exclusive of the areas already disturbed by excavation, filling, installation of septic effluent lines/utilities and construction of the transfer station per the approved engineering plans will require a Part 303

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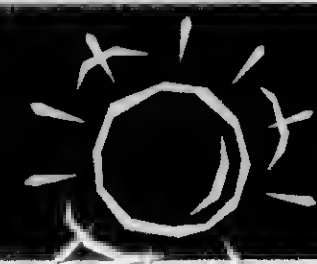
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Police log

Editor's note: Starting this week, we will be publishing a brief description of calls received by the Charlevoix Police Department. The information contained in this has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log books, which are open to public inspection according to the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available for inspection at this time, not all of the reports for this period are listed. We will try to include those missing reports in the future.

The following reports are from the Charlevoix Police Department's dispatch logs from July 10 to July 12.

- There was an automobile accident around 5 p.m. on July 12 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. No one was injured.
- There was an automobile accident around 4:30 p.m. on July 12 near the intersection of Bridge and State streets. No one was injured.
- There was an automobile accident around 12:15 p.m. on July 12 near the intersection of Bridge and Carpenter streets. No one was injured.
- An unidentified vehicle struck a parked vehicle sometime on July 12 on Park Avenue.
- There was a reported assault around 3 a.m. on July 12 on Lincoln Street.
- There was an automobile accident around 2 p.m. on July 11 near the intersection of Bridge and State streets. An injury was reported.
- Private property was damaged around 10:30 a.m. on July 11 near the Charlevoix Cinema on Antrim Street.
- There was a curfew violation around 1:30 a.m. on July 11 on the 300 block of West Hurlbut Street.
- There was an automobile accident on July 10 near the intersection of Park Avenue and Bridge Street.
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Youth Advisory Committee gives local grants

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From string instruments and basketball hoops to peer mentoring programs and substance abuse prevention efforts, area projects that serve kids are receiving some financial help from the Charlevoix County Community Foundation Youth Advisory Committee (YAC).

Members of the youth group recently announced grants totaling \$33,755 to assist a variety of non-profit organizations that focus on children and families. This most recent round of grants brings the YAC's grant-making total to over \$330,000 since the group began distributing money in 1994.

Money for the grants comes from the Community Foundation Youth Fund, a \$1.4 million endowment designated exclusively for the benefit of area young people.

Twice each year, the YAC — made up of teen representatives from Charlevoix County — invites area organizations to submit grant requests. Using information gleaned from a local youth survey and other criteria they develop,

the group evaluates each proposal before deciding how to distribute grants.

This summer's selected programs and their grant amounts are:

- Bay Area Substance Education Services — \$3,000 to assist with building renovations; \$2,200 for an in-depth analysis of a Charlevoix County student view survey.

- Beaver Island Youth Consortium — \$1,000 to start an activities program for Beaver Island youth.

- Boyne Area Gymnastics — \$3,100 for a tumbling pit in the new gymnastics facility.

- City of Boyne City — \$4,000 for a waterfront community playground.

- Camp Daggett — \$3,000 toward the barrier-free, indoor adventure and activity center.

- Char-Em Housing Coalition — \$2,000 for activities for youth in the transitional housing pro-

gram; \$500 for the annual Paint Blitz.

- CHIP Counseling Center — \$1,450 for substance abuse prevention education programs for area youth.

- Crooked Tree Arts Center — \$1,800 for string instruments for Beaver Island youth; \$3,000 for school and community performances by the Visions of Peace Drum and Dance Company.

- City of East Jordan — \$1,000 to provide basketball hoops at the Civic Center.

- East Jordan Family Health Center — \$1,000 for a comprehensive wellness program for overweight adolescents and their families.

- MSU Extension — \$2,000 for equipment for the youth tennis program; \$1,255 for 4-H Learning Lab kits; \$500 for safety equipment for the youth wrestling program.

- Northwest Michigan Human Service Agency — \$250 to pur-

chase books for the Head Start Reading is Fundamental program.

- Planned Parenthood Northern Michigan — \$2,000 to provide start-up funding for Project Straight Talk — a peer counseling program — in the East Jordan High School.

- Probate Court — \$700 for a Creative Opportunity Workshop for youth on probation.

Members of the Community Foundation Youth Advisory Committee are: Abbie Adams, Kellie Gillespie and Kristen Russell from Beaver Island; Dylan Hall, Asuka Barden and Riley O'Brien from Boyne City; Rene Fiel, Adam Uley and Megan Pernicano from Boyne Falls; Patrick Gowell, Travis Smith and AnnaKate Trubilowicz from Charlevoix; and Jeremy Booze, Heather Jones and Tarn Leach from East Jordan.

Since it was founded by a group of local citizens in 1992, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation's assets have grown to

over \$7.3 million and it's grant-making to over \$2.5 million.

A charitable organization dedicated to improving and enriching life in the area, the Foundation accepts gifts from individuals, families, businesses, and civic groups and manages them in a permanent endowment.

Every year, a portion of the endowment's investment income is used to support programs in education, the environment, the arts, human services, health and wellness, youth activities, community development and various civic projects while the principle of the endowment continues to grow, serving as charitable capital to benefit the area well into the future.

The Foundation and its Youth Advisory Committee will again accept grant requests this fall. For more information about the Community Foundation or grant-making guidelines, contact the office, 536-2440.

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Local woman completes Norwood history book

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

The complete history of Norwood is now available in a short paperback book, thanks to Nancy Ritsema and the Norwood Historical Society.

Ritsema, a Norwood resident for 35 years, decided to write a book that would showcase the unique and scarcely known history of the small town. In 1994, Ritsema, along with other community members, started the Norwood Historical Society. Soon after, the society began its work on the book, "Norwood, a Legacy of North Woods Living," which is a compilation of interviews, old pictures and stories written by Ritsema.

"My parents lived in Norwood, and my grandmother worked there, but I really didn't know very much about the history of the town. Besides the old-timers, most of us didn't know very much about the community," she said.

Ritsema said that the book was a "community effort," and was funded by donations, as well as through various charity events, such as quilt auctions held by the "Norwood Needles," a local quilting group.

The book was Ritsema's idea. Her parents moved to Norwood when she was in high school. It was then that Ritsema's appreciation for the small town was fostered.

"Norwood is just a small, charming, inviting community. It's close-

knit, safe, and beautiful. It's an excellent place to raise a family," Ritsema said.

Because it is such a small town, Norwood — which is the oldest organized community in Charlevoix County — often gets overlooked by historians.

"After the lumbering industry in Norwood died, the town was lost in Charlevoix's shadow. Today, it still retains its small town feeling, and, because there are no stores in town, it lacks commercialism and tourism," Ritsema said.

It was her desire to document and share these unique qualities that encouraged her to create a book of the town's history.

The Norwood Historical Society received guidance from Glenn Ruggles, a well-known oral historian.

He encouraged the society to create the book in "the most professional way possible," Ritsema said. He also stressed the importance of including oral histories in the book, as well as interviewed some of the oldest Norwood residents.

"Oral history is the most effective medium for presenting history," Ritsema said. "It gives you a sense of immediacy, like you were there."

The biggest source of information for the book was Cathy Lord, an 82 year resident of Norwood. "She was a storehouse of wonderful stories," Ritsema said. Lord was also Ritsema's first contact for the book, as well as one of the founding members of the Historical



Nancy Ritsema and her husband, Ron, stand outside the Norwood Township Hall. (Courtesy photo)

Society.

The interviewing and researching process took the society four years.

"We kept finding new sources and special bits of information that we hadn't known before. Writing this book turned into a fascinating adventure," Ritsema said.

It took Tom Vranich, a book designer from Davison's Book Ability Incorporated, a year to com-

plete the layout of the book.

The most challenging part of the process was gathering all of the information.

"Because no one had ever written a history of Norwood, we had a hard time finding information," Ritsema said. The society gleaned information from various northern Michigan history books, as well as from libraries, old records and documents and maps.

"Norwood personifies country living today," Ritsema said. "Today's society longs for a greater neighborliness and a slower pace. This longing is what makes stories of Norwood so appealing. They take us back to a time when life was simpler."

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City water treatment plant given health, safety award

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix Wastewater Treatment Plant won a Michigan Water Environment Association (MWEA) Health and Safety Award. "This award recognizes the Charlevoix Wastewater Treatment Plant for their commitment to health and safety in the workplace evidenced by an effective, well-established and documented health and safety program and the management and staff team who support, promote and cooperate in achieving the goal of a safe work environment in the water environment industry," Nancy Carpenter of the MWEA stated in a letter she wrote about the award.

City of Charlevoix water and wastewater superintendent Sam Creswell said that the award recognizes the plant's ability to maintain a safe working environment in a high-risk field.

"It's a dangerous, high-risk business, so they (the MWEA) recognizes people that don't have accidents," he said.

He said some of the risks include: chemical accidents, issues associated with working in an explosive and hazardous atmosphere and risks involved when employees work on high platforms.

The MWEA was established in 1925 and according to Carpenter is now recognized as an authority on Michigan's total water environment. The association is an organization with more than 1,900 professionals and 40,000 members worldwide.

The MWEA website (www.mwea.org) lists the group's objectives which include: advancing knowledge of the water environment, the encouragement of sound regional water quality control policy and increasing public awareness of the relationship between water resources and general public welfare.



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The U.S. Coast Guard's Acacia drew a crowd as it sailed down the Pine River Canal and headed out to Lake Michigan last week. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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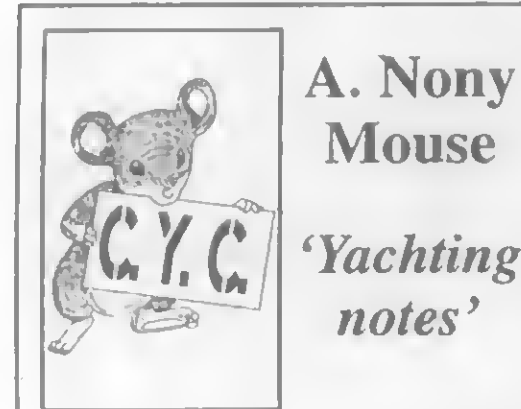
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'Yachting notes'

With the Venetian Festival now upon us, it's time to plan for the next big event - the new Charlevoix Yacht Club "No Boundaries" Regatta on Aug. 4 with the first warning signal set for 11 a.m.

The Notice of Race is now available; contact Judy at 347-7225 or Linda at (231) 537-4484.

Spinnaker and Jam Divisions will compete on Lake Charlevoix for Perpetual Trophies. The top three finishers in each class will receive a matted Jim deWitt print. Those sailors not too interested in serious racing should ask about the "Fun Class" activities. There will be a big party back at the Charlevoix Yacht Club starting at 4

p.m. - including awards and a pig roast. "No Boundaries" is hosted by the Charlevoix Yacht Club and sponsored by Pat McKeown Ford of Charlevoix.

Meanwhile, as we go to press, still no stories on the Powerboat Rendezvous or the LaBlance Memorial Race, both last weekend. Since we can still see the silhouette of Beaver Island, we assume our well-mannered envoys behaved with great restraint and avoided having fun.

The Wednesday Summer Series got off to a great start on July 11, with 31 contestants completing the seven leg course. Only two mid-course swimmers seen - the women now lead the men in the persons overboard competition, two to zip. Neat move by CYGNUS who trailed LOST VERMONT for most of the race, but broke cover, lifted in clear air, tacked and re-entered the fray to ice-bow and slam-dunk VERMONT only a few boat lengths from the finish. Nosed her out by 22 seconds, for P-26 second place, just behind TIRELESS.

GOTCHA was first to finish and saved her time (1:35:21) in the Big

Fleet but overall fastest time honors (1:29:21) went to HUSSY in the J-22 Fleet.

Another eight 22s crossed the line within the next couple minutes!

Results, first race, Summer Series: The "Big Boat" Fleet: 1. GOTCHA, 2. SLAPSHOT, 3. HOOTIE, 4. HOI POLLOI, 5. MINT

JULEP, 6. BALD EAGLE, 7. WIN-DRUNNER, 8. BABE, 9. SAFFRON, P-26: 1. TIRELESS, 2. CYGNUS, 3. LOST VERMONT, 4. ORIGINAL SIN, 5. ARTEMIS.

JAM: 1. FLASH, 2. POLO LOCO, J-22: 1. HUSSY, 2. SWINE FLEW, 3. II RECKLESS, 4. FIRST DATE, 5. SUPERFLUOUS, 6. EAU DE VIE.

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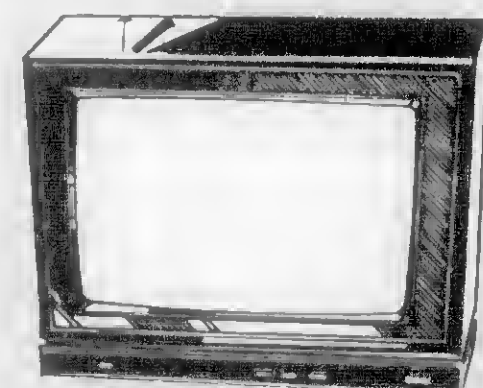
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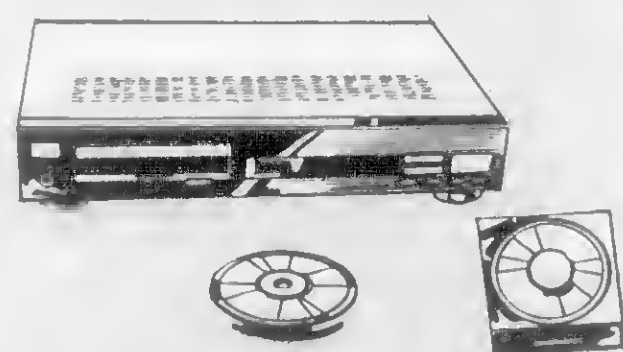
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SPORTS

Recreation department slo-pitch results

The latest results are in for the Charlevoix Recreation Department's men's and women's slo-pitch leagues.

Women's slo-pitch

July 12

• Kinetics beat Oma's, 19-7.
• Boyne Valley Hydroseed beat Kwikie, 14-8.

• Charlevoix Fence Company beat Damian Electric, 18-3.

July 10

• Boyne Valley Hydroseed beat Charlevoix Fence Company, 14-10.

• Fieldcrest Inn beat Oma's, 16-10.

• Fleet Construction beat Bajos Building, 20-5.

Men's slo-pitch

July 11

• Grey Gables beat Top Rank-Flight Deck, 23-1.

• Ace Hardware beat Crown Motors, 12-11.

• LaSenorita beat Lakeshore,

20-19.

Current standings

Women

- 1) Fieldcrest Inn, 7-2
- 2) Oma's Breakfast Club, 4-5.
- 3) Fleet Construction, 5-4.
- 4) Kinetics, 4-5.
- 5) Kwikie, 5-4.
- 6) Damian Electric, 1-8.
- 7) Charlevoix Fence Company, 8-1.
- 8) Boyne Valley Hydroseed, 9-0.
- 9) Subway, 0-9.
- 10) Bajos Building, 2-7.

Men

- 1) Grey Gables, 7-1.
- 2) LaSenorita, 2-5.
- 3) Lakeshore, 4-4.
- 4) Top Rank-Flight Deck, 3-3.
- 5) Crown Motors, 6-1.
- 6) U.S. Coast Guard, 2-5.
- 7) Site Planning, 0-7.
- 8) Ace Hardware, 5-2.
- 9) Boss Engineering, 3-4.

Sailing races kicked off last week YACHTING

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No results are in of the third and fourth Sunfish Spring Races as both were cancelled. Be out by the "B" Buoy for the first of the Sunday Sunfish Summer Series that starts at 1 p.m. on July 22. Call Don Bowerman

for more information, 536-7975.

Nautical Trivia: Roald Amundsen used an unnecessary word in his 1911 log entry: "Crossed Lat. 75 deg. South at noon today, winds WNW Force 3, temperature minus 40 deg. Celsius." What is that word? (Hint: It is not "winds.")

Tom and Sue Erber will host at Charlevoix Yacht Club this Friday evening. Come join us for an hour or

two of fun and relaxation.

We'll be closed the following Friday, July 27, plan on enjoying the Fantastic Venetian Fireworks on Lake Charlevoix.

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MDEQ to review cleanup

MDEQ

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She said that at the meeting, the MDEQ will also request that the company perform additional soil sampling including three locations over by the truck well area and in the lagoon area behind the plant itself.

Additional borings will also be performed near the road to make sure a clay layer is present. As of now there is a light marrow layer above the aquifer that looks like goosy, white, clay. Below the marrow is the contaminated aquifer being addressed. Below the aquifer the MDEQ hopes they'll find a clay layer.

"We need to make sure the clay layer is there to make sure the contamination is not impacting another aquifer," Pelc said.

She added that within the last week DME has indicated to the MDEQ that they have a plan to install a treatment system that will treat the groundwater contamination between the plant and Lake

Charlevoix.

One year ago DME and MDEQ heads got together and DME revealed 50 percent of the design. Now the MDEQ is ready to see the rest.

Aside from the "hardware" system, DME's plan includes oxygen injections. The injections are supposed to release a compound that facilitates the system.

Pelc said the contaminated aquifer plume runs under the plant site's old landfill and then migrates under the cedar swamp area, under Matthews Lane and then discharges into Lake Charlevoix. While it may seem a round about route to the water, Pelc referred to it as direct contamination to the lake.

She said the system DME plans to propose will run along Matthews Lane on the cedar swamp/wooded side to present the least possible disturbance to the surrounding neighbors.

Homes concerned about the quality of their drinking water need not worry. Pelc said there are no wells in the vicinity.

However, with the levels of vinyl chloride, the carcinogen PCE de-

grades too, well above the MDEQ's criteria of what is appropriate to protect the lake; fish may be impacted. The discharging may impact the plankton and other plant life fish feed on, limiting the abundance of food.

At this point the company is paying the tab for the cleanup which the MDEQ estimates will cost over \$300,000. However, DME's initiative in the matter has not stopped the MDEQ, who are still engineering a plan if DME backs out.

The system is elaborate and the topography of where the contamination is located makes the project more challenging. The aquifer itself is slow moving so the contamination has to be treated in three separate areas first, by the plant itself, then moving to the middle of the plume and finally on to Lake Charlevoix.

There is a second meeting being planned for early August when DME and MDEQ representatives will meet with property owners to discuss project specifics and the timeline.

A representative for DME Company said they do not publicly comment on this issue.

Sheriff investigating two vehicle crash on July 14

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office is currently investigating a two vehicle personal injury crash that occurred at approximately 3:30 p.m. on July 14 at the intersection of Maple Grove and Quarterline roads in Hayes Township.

A vehicle driven by Kathryn Lieberman, 16, of Charlevoix, pulled into the intersection from a stop at Quarterline Road. Another vehicle driven by Glinda Thayer, 41, also of Charlevoix, was traveling south on Maple Grove Road at the time Lieberman pulled into the intersection.

The vehicles then crashed in the intersection. Lieberman and her passenger were transported to the Charlevoix Area Hospital where they were treated and released for minor injuries. Thayer and her passenger refused ambulance service.

The Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by Charlevoix City Ambulance Service.

Woman injured on Lake Charlevoix in accident

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office investigated a watercraft accident with injuries at approximately 6 p.m., July 8, on Lake Charlevoix near Whiting Park in Evangeline Township.

Djuana Garbo, 34, of Higgins Lake was cruising on a 1995 Yamaha PWC when she hit a large wave near the Whiting Park area of Lake Charlevoix causing her to be thrown from the vessel.

Garbo suffered a broken ankle from the impact with the watercraft and was treated at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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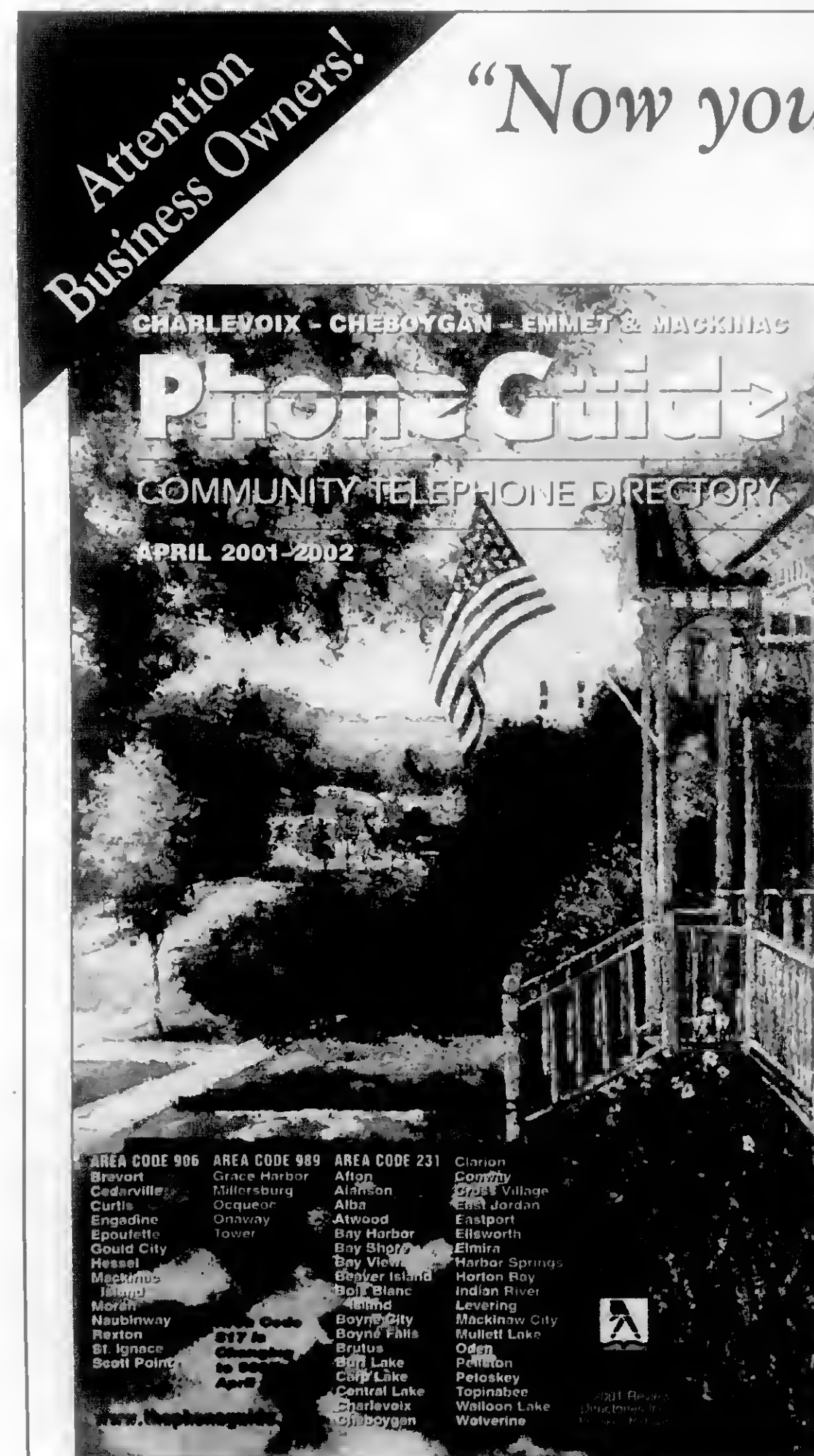
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Extended family members from Texas, Minnesota and Florida are here to join in the festivities for this very special couple.



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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

WILLIAM AZKOUL P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage made by John H. Moore and Josephine M. Morre, husband and wife, of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795 and Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, whose address is 2007 Eastern, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507, dated November 25, 1996, and recorded on March 6, 1997 in Liber 312, Page 0996 of the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds, and upon which there is now claimed to be due for principal and interest the sum of Twenty Four Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$24,701.70) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt or any part thereof;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and the

statute in such case made and provided, on August 16, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. the undersigned will sell in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix at public venue to the highest bidder for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said Mortgage, together with the legal fees and charges of the sale, including attorney's fees allowed by law, the premises in said mortgage located in the Township of Hudson, Charlevoix County, Michigan and which are described as follows:

Commencing at a point 208 feet North of the Southeast corner of the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 32 North, Range 4 West; thence West 208 feet; thence North 208 feet; thence East 208 feet; thence South 208 feet to the place of beginning.

which has an address of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of such sale.

Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation
2007 Eastern, S.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49507

DATED: June 27, 2001

Drafted By:
William M. Azkoul (P40071)
Attorney for Mortgagee
161 Ottawa, N.W., Ste 111-A
Grand Rapids, MI 49503
(616) 458-1315 L(7/11,7/18,7/25,8/1)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF ACTION STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX

County Building
301 State Street
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

**DANIEL R. VAN ACKER and
JANET L. VAN ACKER,**
Plaintiffs,
v

RODNEY A. GIFFELS,
Defendant.

File No. 01-904-19-CH

Honorable Richard J. Pajtas

Larry L. Burgess (P25246)

BARRON & GOLSKI, P.L.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
309 Petoskey Avenue
P.O. Box 309
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

**TO: RODNEY A. GIFFELS
IT IS ORDERED:**

1. You are being sued by Plaintiffs in this Court to quiet title after tax sale of real property located in St. James Township, Charlevoix County, State of Michigan and described as Lot 722, Plat of Port St. James No. 8, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 179-181 of Charlevoix County Records, pursuant to a Quit Claim Deed for the Real Estate which was issued to the Plaintiffs by the Department of Natural Resources, State of Michigan, on August 30, 2000 and recorded on October 25, 2000, in Liber 409, page 046 of Charlevoix County Records. You must file your written answer or take other action permitted by law in this Court at the Court

address above on or before August 3, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this Order shall be published once each week in the Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this Court.

3. A copy of this order shall be sent to Rodney A. Giffels, 416 Barnett Road B, Columbus, Ohio 43213 by certified mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication of July 18, 2001 and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with the Court.

Dated: June 26, 2001
(L(7/4,7/11,7/18))

LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS

Decedent's Estate
State of Michigan
Probate Court
Charlevoix County

File No.: 01-010289-DE

Estate of Louise Irene Gill

Date of Birth: 2/19/23

TO ALL CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS:

On July 6, 2001 the undersigned was appointed Personal Representative of the above captioned estate and is serving without bond.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS: The decedent, Louise Irene Gill, who lived at 304 Park, Charlevoix, MI 49720, died 1/10/00.

Creditors and Interested Persons of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate, or interest

In the matter, will be forever barred unless presented to Robert L. Gill, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720 and the named personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Roy C. Hayes, III (P50042)
03488 M-66 N
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231)547-1111

Robert L. Gill, Personal Representative
304 Park Avenue
Charlevoix, MI 49720

(L(7/18))

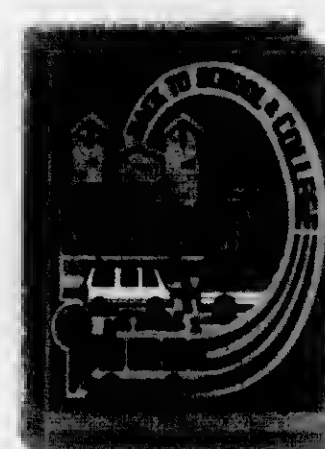
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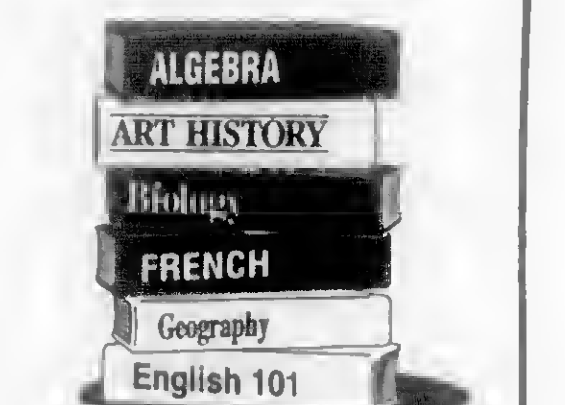
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ENTERTAINMENT

AREA EVENTS

Football camp

The Fourth Annual Plas Presnell Football Camp for boys entering grades 9-12, is July 23-24 at the Charlevoix High School Kipke Field has been announced. Plas Presnell is a former Charlevoix resident and an Assistant Football Coach at CMU. This summer he will be offering a two-day camp at Charlevoix High School. Coach Presnell will be joined by fellow CMU assistant coaches: Butch Jones, Off. Coach/DB Coach, John Milligan, Def. Coach/Safeties Coach, Harold Goodwin, Off. Line Coach, Max Glowacki, Asst. Line Coach, Scott Loeffler, QB Coach.

This camp is designed to improve your child's football abilities from the offensive and defensive perspective. The camp will emphasize the teaching of all the basic fundamentals at each position.

Each player needs a helmet and work-out shorts, cleated football shoes, a lunch and a good attitude. The camp will provide a T-shirt, all instructional equipment and coaching.

If you have any questions please contact Todd Klinger, Charlevoix Head Football Coach, at 547-1366 (home) or 547-3222 (work).

Book signing

Katherine Amy Hull, a local artist, is planning a book signing at 10 a.m. until noon on July 25, at the Women's Fellowship Bazaar, First Congregational Church, 101 State Street, Charlevoix. The book signing of "A Mother Speaks," is a series of vignettes, some of which are set in Charlevoix.

Drenth Memorial race

The Twenty-third Annual Venetian Festival Race/Drenth Memorial will be at 8 a.m., July 28 at Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street. Registration is 6 to 8 p.m., Friday or 7 to 8 a.m., July 28. Entry Fee: \$15 per race before July 28 or \$20 per race on day of race. Special Family Rate: Pre-registered \$15 family rate for 1 mile race only. Awards: Plaques for male and female winners in each race. Masters plaques for 10k and 5k. Local merchants provide free T-shirts for all entrants. Aid stations for 5 k and 10 k races. Refreshments and food at the end of all races. Pick up entry forms at the

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Pool activities

During Venetian week, in celebration of four successful years of aquatic activities for the Charlevoix area, the Charlevoix Area Community Pool will have an open house from July 23-July 27 during the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served. In addition, on Tuesday July 24 open swims from 3-5 and 6-8 p.m. will be free to the public. Adults are invited to try Aqua Exercise class from 5-6 p.m. at no charge. July 25's special event will be the Third Annual Venetian Festival swim meet from 4-6:30 p.m. for swimmers of all ages (deadline to register is July 23). For more information, call the pool at 547-0982.

Bingo in the park

Venetian Games-Bingo In The Park. This event is primarily designed for adults and takes place from 1 to 4:30 p.m., July 25, in East Park. There is a small charge for the cards.

Cash prizes and merchant certificates will be awarded. The committee is looking for a short list of "celebrity callers." Interested parties should contact Earl Muma or Liz Meadows of the Charlevoix Senior Center.



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Venetian art

John Haggard, middle, and his brother, Bill, were the lucky bidders last year on the official Venetian Festival 2000 poster designed by Carrie Wakulat, left. This year the artwork was designed and donated by Russ and Sue Bolt of Charlevoix. The Haggards have placed the first silent bid on it. If you would like to make a bid on this year's art, contact Anne Golski at (231) 547-6765. (Courtesy photo)

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SCRAPBOOK

The story behind the 1901 channel bridge

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society

In contrast to the delicate feminine tracery of its predecessor, the bridge that was installed over the channel in 1901 could not have been more different in character; a bold, masculine, emphatic statement that proclaimed, "This is a bridge."

Its compact network of steel open-work girders strode and leaped and flew from bank to bank, its roadbed wooden planks laid end to end. With the necessary widening of the draw — demanded by the government — from just under 50 to over 70 feet, its point of balance now shifted to the north onto a solid concrete, not individual metal piling, base, giving it an asymmetrical profile. This fourth bridge, too, rode on a turntable for the next 46 years.

It had not been in place very long when it was discovered that a slight oversight or miscalculation caused a serious problem. Metal expands in hot weather and in a scorching the bridge expanded at both ends to freeze itself shut. The solution was to call the fire department, who dipped their pumps into the channel to spray each end with cold water in a slow process of shrinking the steel back enough for the bridge to open. Once the great liner Missouri was kept waiting for over an hour in the channel, its furious captain laying on his horn every few minutes, as if the blast would shake the bridge loose enough so he could keep his schedule.

But this was only one of the everyday happenings in the long career of bridgetender Elmer Johnson, who presided over that bit of water for 34 years, beginning in 1899 on old number three. He was totally devoted to his profession and reportedly never missed a day of work, never was docked a penny for any reason and probably never took a vacation.

He lived in the old "Hemlock mansion" hut on the south bank before the 12-by-14 foot bridgehouse was erected, then moved in there for nine or more months. It was a common sight to see members of his family hustling along Bridge Street with his lunch or dinner bucket in every season. Even after the lake ice closed the shipping season, which sometimes meant late January, he would be at the bridge, sweeping snow from the walkways and roadway, checking the mechanisms, making sure all was secure and shipshape. Once, for a few months, did his family enjoy his company at the dinner table. By April 1, he was back at his aerie, eager for the first boat to make its appearance in the channel. The bridge was his passion and joy, yet there were times in his career he probably wished he was anywhere else but on it when calamity struck three times, about nine years apart.

For its first few months, the bridge

was turned by the same key-into-lock mechanism that turned number three, a cycle again taking about 8 minutes. But that soon came to an end. On one summer Sunday alone, Johnson reported that he had opened and closed the structure 92 times, a feat more readily accomplished then due to the dearth of automobile traffic. (Today, that schedule would have the local/tourist population storming the barricades.) It figures out to about a 21-hour day. He was quickly instrumental in having steam power installed.

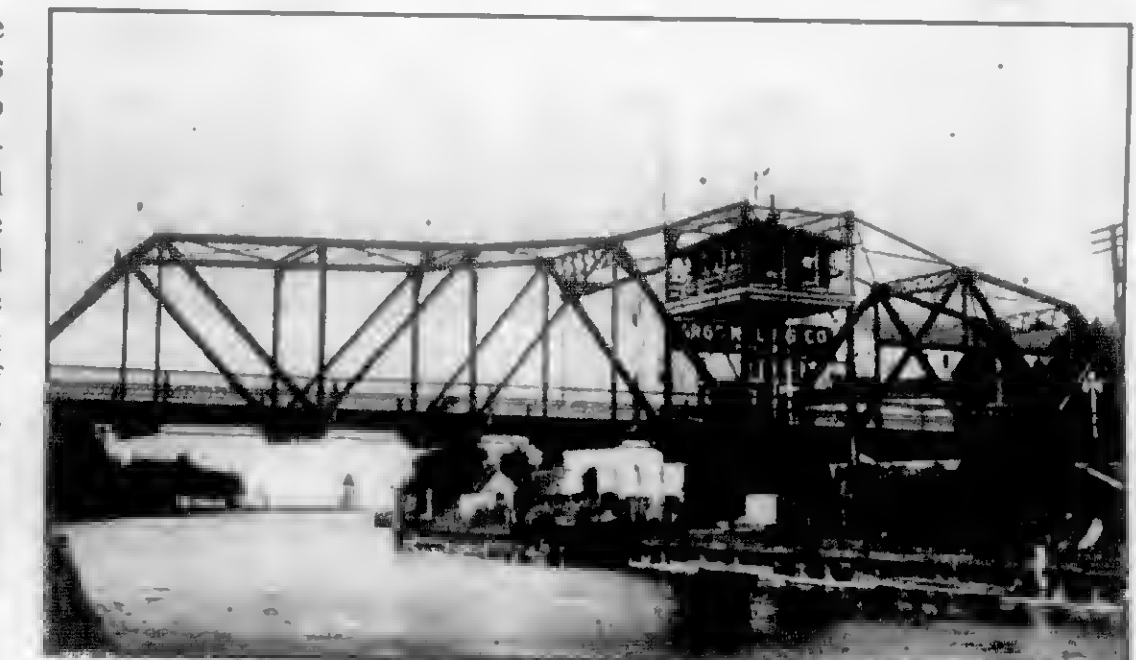
Apparently the government had been willing to construct a replacement bridge that duplicated the powering mechanism of the previous one, but would not spring for a power source other than to incorporate into the design the girders and placement of a future bridgehouse, leaving the installation expense up to the village, should it so desire. So the Charlevoix Lumber Company was paid \$200 to erect a bridgehouse 18 feet over the roadbed above the support pier and turntable. A coal-powered steam boiler and engine were installed for \$1,050, connected to a shaft that reached down to the gears. Horses delivered the coal in carts, it was transferred to a large canvas bag and hoisted up. With steam power in place, the great key was relegated to emergency status in 1902. A turning cycle now took about 5 minutes.

The worst thing that ever happened to the bridge itself occurred around 1910 just after the resort season had ended. Two of the medium-sized passenger steamers, with few passengers aboard, decided to leave Round Lake at the same time. Each

left its berth and headed for the bridge and Lake Michigan. Captains have notoriously prickly egos, so neither one would cede right of passage to the other. Into the channel neck they both sailed at the same moment, side-by-side. Neither would give an inch. When they reached the slightly narrower draw, it caught them and they crunched to a halt as if in a vise. The revetment beneath the south approach collapsed. All those hundreds of tons of pressure straining to break free had to give way somewhere, and it was the bridge that royally took it on the chin.

The forces heaving against it actually knocked the bridge off its foundations to the degree that the pipes and hoses of the steam engine broke loose to spew steam and scaling water throughout the bridgehouse. As the bridge started to tip and the hellish waters attacked him, the sheer gut-wrenching terror Johnson experienced must have been unimaginable as his whole little world came close to total disaster. But fortunately the bridgehouse was big enough so he could leap out of harm's way and the bridge came up short of tipping over.

Finally the heaving stopped, the boats were extricated with surprisingly little damage to themselves and the captains reprimanded by their companies which assumed full responsibility and picked up the tab for repairs. So, once again we reverted to the cable guided scows to ferry everything and everyone over the waters for the six weeks needed to hoist and shift and jimmy the bridge back onto its foundation, a major engineering feat in itself. Had the bridge actually toppled over, or the boiler



The fourth bridge, and second swing bridge, to span the channel, 1901-1947. (Courtesy photo)

been positioned closer to him, the fall and/or the steam and hot water could have proved fatal for Elmer Johnson. He was very lucky.

But such was not the case for Mrs. George (Carrie) Ross on the night of May 4, 1919. The unfortunate mother of four lost her life in the most tragic accident ever to occur at the channel,

when death came to the bridge. To be continued next month...

(A pictorial history of the six channel bridges is at the Harsha House Museum this summer. Hours are 1 to 4 p.m., Monday through Saturday, at 103 State Street next to the Congregational Church. Call 547-0373 for more information.)



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City election

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Author returns



Cookbook author Deanna House is returning to Charlevoix Hospital for another discussion on healthy foods.

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In the archives



Read past Charlevoix Courier articles about summer happenings in the area during the early 1900s.

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'Work of love' Couple to restore the castle

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Since Jan. 4, when Richard and Linda Mueller of Long Beach, Miss., purchased the historic Charlevoix site Castle Farms, the stone buildings on the site have continued to deteriorate.

But Richard said they are in the first stages of renovating the building, which was originally built in 1918.

In fact, things are right on schedule. In a letter submitted by Linda after she bought the property, she states she plans to work through property rehabilitation in phases. The first of which the couple is in the thick of right now — evaluation, planning and basic structural repairs.

"We have to develop a plan that will make the buildings safe for the next 100 years," Richard said.

After stopping the erosion, they will come up with a plan to preserve the site's heritage and then will hire contractors to do the job.

See CASTLE, page 10

Graceful gospel

Venetian begins

A member of the Chicago based SHOP Choir sings with all her heart during Sunday's performance in the bandshell at East Park. The group entertained the audience with their gospel sounds as one of the first musical acts of the Venetian Festival. Also appearing on stage Sunday was the group Replay, an oldies and classic rock group. In addition to the musical entertainment, festival-goers were treated to a rescue demonstration by the U.S. Coast Guard in Round Lake. Events such as these will continue throughout the rest of the week as we celebrate another Venetian Festival.

(Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Apportionment plan's appeal dismissed

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The appeal of the Charlevoix County apportionment plan was dismissed last week by the State of Michigan Court of Appeals.

A group of Charlevoix residents and public officials made the appeal about four weeks ago, after the passage of an apportionment plan recently that redrew the county commission districts. This plan resulted in the city of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township being split

"It is the legal equivalent of a slam-dunk."

Mary Beth Kur,
Charlevoix prosecuting attorney

into two districts at the Pine River Channel.

The group stated that the approved plan was too confusing for the voters living in those areas with the splits and did not follow the law by splitting the city of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township.

However, the appeals court ruled

this was not the case.

In a written order, the court said, "Given the geography of Charlevoix County, the districts are reasonably compact and nearly as square as practical. The division of the city of Charlevoix and certain townships, as well as the combining of cities and townships into single

districts, represents a reasonable choice, given the population distribution in the county and the attempt to satisfy the guidelines for contiguous and compact districts."

The ruling further stated, "The divisions in the adopted plan are along significant geographical features or township boundaries."

Mary Beth Kur, Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney and member of the Charlevoix County Apportionment Committee, said it

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the county of Charlevoix:

Miranda Rose White, 17, Boyne City. Controlled substance, possession of marijuana. Found not guilty by a jury.

Benjamin John Edwards, 28, Boyne City. Drunk and disorderly person. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Michael Brandon Harcrow, 19, Petoskey. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Shawn Robert McDonough, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Patrick Roger Gowell, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Scott Ryan Shafto, 20, Gaylord. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Daniel Scott Russell, 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Rachel Ann Thanasiu, 17, Charlevoix. Sixty hours of community service work; \$180 in fines and costs.

Stacy Lynn Skippergosh, 18, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Six months probation; sixty hours of community service work; \$180 in fines and costs.

Joella Elaine Hosmer, 37, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation;

34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Randy James Miller, 36, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Woodrow Lee Berry, 23, Boyne City. Malicious destruction of property, more than \$200, less than \$1,000. Nine months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 89 days held in abeyance; \$1,975 in fines and costs.

James William Bowerman, 20, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or subsequent. One year probation; 10 days of community service work; attend IMPACT weekend; \$410 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the county of Charlevoix:

Thomas Allen Doss, 26, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Two years probation; conviction reportable; to the Secretary of State; treatment as recommended by the probation department; license revoked; 480 hours of community service work; nine months in jail with credit for two days, to serve eight months; \$1,060 in fines and costs.

Raenel Booth, 47, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Two years probation;

conviction reportable; to the Secretary of State; treatment as recommended by the probation department; license revoked; 480 hours of community service work; 11 months in jail with credit for two days, to serve eight months; \$1,110 in fines and costs.

David E. Howard, 33, Walloon Lake. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Two years probation; conviction reportable; to the Secretary of State; treatment as recommended by the probation department; license revoked; 480 hours of community service work; 11 months in jail with credit for three days, to serve nine months; \$1,260 in fines and costs.

Michael Edward Left, 43, Charlevoix. Attempted obstruction of justice. Jail for a minimum of 15 months and a maximum of 30 months to be served consecutive to the sentence the defendant was on parole for when this offense was committed.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Charlevoix Woodworking, P.O. Box 8, Charlevoix, by Stephen Meissler

Whitley's Creative Masonry, 12989 Ferry Road, Charlevoix, by Tamar Whitley and Carl Whitley

Diex Design, 110 Hillcrest Drive, East Jordan, by William R. Moore

Outer Limits Hair Salon, 5199 Springvale Road, Boyne Falls, by Sandra Marie Coats

Wagenschutz Construction &

Cottage Maintenance, 01766 Bear River Road, Walloon Lake, by Daniel H. Wagenschutz

Deco Mecca, 120 E. Water Street, Boyne City, by Christine Gwidit

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Michael Andrew Stuehler, 38, Baltimore, Md. and Cheryl Marie Sparks, 31, Baltimore, Md.

Mykel Walter Jozwiak, 20, Vanderbilt and Holly Marie Winchell, 18, Vanderbilt

Kenneth John McConnell, 33, San Francisco, Calif. and Kara Elizabeth Tambellini, 32, San Francisco, Calif.

Charles Edward Willette, 45, Grayling and Linda Ann Ingraham, 52, East Jordan

Donald Lydell Richards, 22, Boyne City and Mandi Jean Jones, 22, Charlevoix

Barrett Jerome Hayes, 27, Charlevoix and Daisyanne Marie Gehringer, 20, Charlevoix

Raymond Joseph Lavoie, 49, Boyne City and Sheila Marie Eggers, 34, Boyne City

Michael Ryan Bingham, 17, Boyne City and Sarah Marie Rykse, 18, Boyne City

Divorce

The following people have been granted a Judgment of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Tracy Wilmot vs. Brian Wilmot

Births

Xander Elijah Napont was born June 27 at Charlevoix Area Hospital to Craig and Crissy Napont of Boyne City. At birth Xander weighed, 9 pounds, 2 ounces. He joins his brother Zacharie at home.

His grandparents are Diana Hartwick of Boyne City, Faro Gervasi of Lansing, Arlene Napont of Boyne City and Richard Napont of Pellston.

Audrey Lynn Poley was born to Jamie Trowbridge and Joshua Poley of Bellaire on July 18 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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School gets high marks on Standard and Poor's test

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix received top ratings from Standard and Poor's, a New York-based company that recently completed a "School Evaluation Services" (SES) study, a new web-based school evaluation tool.

"I think it's (the study) a tool that can be useful if you were shopping for schools. But, it's not new information, it has been there all along," Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, John Sturock said.

Sturock is disappointed that it cost the state \$13 million to conduct the test in order to draw attention to information that was already available. He doesn't think that a lot of people will use it.

He said the study is a way for Michigan Governor John Engler to hold schools accountable.

"He (Engler) wants to hold schools accountable in an easy way; this (the study) is a business way. Not that it's not good stuff, but how does the common person digest and make sense of all of it," Sturock questioned.

The study's analysis is based on publicly available data from Michigan school's during the years 1996-1997, 1997-1998 and 1998-1999.

Their findings for the Charlevoix Public School Districts include a laundry list of academic strengths.

They documented the district as having well above average Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) scores, a well above average graduation rate, a well below average drop-out rate and well above average advanced placement (AP) scores.

The district's graduation rate for the period studied is recorded as 94.8 percent, "well above the state average," 85.6 percent.

The study also found that the district had a wider achievement gap between economically advan-

tagged and disadvantaged students than does the rest of the state.

"The proportion of MEAP tests passed by economically disadvantaged students is 48 percent, compared with 67 percent for non-disadvantaged students," the test results analysis states.

The Charlevoix gap was six percentage points higher than the state average.

Sturock said the reason for the larger gap could be that Charlevoix schools test all their students and many school districts do not. In support of Sturock's claim is the company's finding — "Charlevoix schools had moderately above average MEAP participation."

The Charlevoix District also proved to be wealthy. The district's per student operating expenditures of \$7,097 were found to be moderately above the state average of \$6,565.

And, the district's taxable property value of \$292,874 per student is exceptionally higher than the state average of \$133,829 and is among the highest in the state.

When considering what school will best suit a student, parents are urged to look beyond this study because it has holes. There are numerous variables Sturock says aren't accounted for.

The company even admits that the results are not entirely conclusive.

Under the "Important Data Issues" section of the study the company states, "There are many important aspects of schooling that are difficult to measure and are not well documented."

"SES is not an all-encompassing 'final word' on schools, but rather one means of school evaluation to be considered together with other measures, including those of a more qualitative nature," the study added.

For more information on the results log on at www.ses.standard-andpoors.com.



Heated battle

While Sunday's weather was hot and humid, that did not stop the three-on-three Venetian basketball tournament at Michigan Beach. Both men's and women's teams battled it out for the top spots in the competition. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Frustrations, fun accompany the search for 'why?'



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

This is a job full of frustrations that lead to humor.

In this job, I must make sure we tell our readers the truth and we can't hold back. Sometimes the truth is positive and sometimes it is negative....journalists can't control that.

But, the messenger is sometimes not liked very much. People tend to take their anger out on him or her.

In this job, my reporter and I are the messengers. We work as hard as we can to give our readers the truth about what is happening in their community, regardless of the light it shines on the city.

Many people understand this, but still hate the messenger. I understand that and accept it.

But, what is frustrating are those in-

dividuals in the community — especially those in government positions — who think news should only be positive, even if it means the truth is withheld.

They seem to think of us as their personal "public relations" company. And if we do not promote their event, plan or way of thinking, they tend to get angry with us.

"Why didn't you print that picture of such-and-such event I gave to you?" one angry person may ask. Perhaps their picture was just one of over 50 pictures of the same event we had and perhaps their picture was really not very good; they really don't care. In their mind, we should print exactly what they want and say exactly what they want.

As I said earlier though, this thinking usually comes from government officials.

"How dare you ask the community to comment on that issue," was one comment I heard recently by a city official who was mad about a "What do you think?" topic on the marina.

This official thought we should not ask the public what they thought on the idea of building a marina, because it was too early to get opinions.

However, the city had two "unofficial" plans of a new marina that were being shown at various community functions around town and were displayed in the lobby of city hall.

I guess this official just didn't want the community to discuss those plans. This same official also has expressed his anger with the stories in the Courier, saying we are negative and try to be controversial to sell papers. Like I stated before, I can't help it if a story is negative for the city government. I don't make the news.

This official has also gotten angry with us for some of the questions we ask. For example, a while back we wrote a couple of stories about those flower baskets hanging from light poles downtown. In researching the story I asked, "If a basket were to fall on a pedestrian, who would be responsible?" Apparently, it is inappropriate for me to ask this question to city officials about something hanging over the heads of pedestrians by thin chains.

On the same issue, our reporter Julie Musilek asked — after finding out the baskets were quite an expense to the city at over \$20,000 — "Should we spend \$20,000 on hanging bas-

kets?" Angry officials felt it was wrong to question government spending habits in Charlevoix.

And this happens time and again. We ask a serious question, one that gets to the truth of the issue and anger the officials just by asking it.

Sometimes I find actions funny. It makes me laugh when government officials get angry at us for reporting the truth. I find it funny that officials accuse us of negative reporting when we just are reporting the silly things they do. While it is concerning it is still humorous that they sometimes seem to think they can tell us what to report.

Especially in Charlevoix, I have only been here for almost 2 years, but I have noticed some city officials really hate it when you question them about spending. They especially hate it when asked, "Why?"

"Why do we need to spend this money on this sidewalk project?"

"Why do we need a large marina plan?"

"Why" is a very powerful question for a reporter. It gets right down to the nitty-gritty of the issue. "Why" is generally not an easy answer for government officials to answer and still

keep the spin. That is why I love it so much. I don't expect everyone to agree with me or what we think is news. What I hope our readers understand is the Charlevoix Courier does not purposefully go out and try to find negative stories just as we do not purposefully try to find positive stories. We take them as we find them and write them as we see them.

I also encourage our readers to ask "why" of their government more often. You may find out what it is like to be in my shoes and get a couple of chuckles out of the answers you receive.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com

Side note: We are holding this month's "What do you think?" question for one more week. Since the question is "What do you think about the Venetian Festival?" and this week is Venetian Festival, we felt we should give our readers more time to respond.

What I think about the Charlevoix Venetian Festival:

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Letters to the editor

LETTERS

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ing cars at such a pier will be an utter mess. Who will this pier benefit? Where is common sense?

Now I read that our city fathers want to put sidewalks along Michigan and Belvedere avenues.

Who wants more people trekking down these streets?

Who will these sidewalks benefit? Apparently not the protesting street residents who have the most immediate stake in how their streets are utilized. Where is common sense?

In the first instance, thousands of people will be further inconvenienced for the benefit of about 65 more boaters in an already crowded lake. In the latter two instances, very specific groups of Charlevoix residents will be directly inconvenienced for the questionable benefit of undefined members of the public.

These projects demonstrate a trend in the way our city is being managed — if we can find the money for a project, just do it! Perhaps a more thoughtful approach, respecting the interests of those most affected, even if their numbers are not great, would evidence a more sophisticated level of planning and leadership — something which our wonderful city deserves.

Richard Platt
Charlevoix

Remember traffic laws

Editor:
Regarding traffic laws: pedestrians versus two ton autos.

Before we hit one of our amply proportioned downstaters seeking to cross from one side of Bridge Street to the other, cone and fudge clasped to hand, isn't it time we reminded them that we are so civilized now that we have cross

walks clearly marked for their use?

Further, for both the he-men and he-women pushing their barge-size SUV's up and down Bridge Street as well as our rotund guests, might we not publicize the fact that state law requires that motorists yield the right of way to any pedestrian occupying a crosswalk with so much as one tootsie and his double-dip cone?

Let's start obeying the law, drivers and walkers, before someone gets hurt or killed!

John R. Alberts
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

On behalf of the East Jordan Rotary Club, I would like to take this opportunity to publicly thank the more than 100 businesses of Charlevoix County that responded to our campaign to purchase complimentary children's tickets for our upcoming Kelly-Miller Circus on Aug. 18 at the Snowmobile Club of East Jordan.

Currently over 650 tickets will be distributed to needy children throughout Charlevoix County to attend either the afternoon or early evening performance.

Your support to these kinds of programs does make a difference. Role models are so important in shaping the values of young people. How gratifying to know that the ticket you sponsored could change the direction of a child's life.

If you or your company was missed in our original campaign and you would like to sponsor tickets, please contact event chairperson Barb Worgess at 536-2092 or any East Jordan Rotarian. Tickets cost \$5 each and may be purchased in any quantity.

The East Jordan Rotary Club is committed to making the world a better place for everyone.

Again, thanks for your support of this community project.

Barb Worgess
Event chairperson
East Jordan

Stormwater runoff

Editor:

Storm water run off and its effects on our land and water have come to the public's attention in the Charlevoix Courier (page 1, July 4), and a letter to the editor, (June 20), by Ellis Boal and Virginia Heick. Charlevoix residents are becoming concerned about the pollutants that stormwater carries to our lakes and streams, because we now live in an area with a large number of impervious surfaces from which contaminants drain. Each year with increasing development we have less of nature's filtration system, greenbelt areas, to protect our watersheds.

A meeting of the Stormwater Appeals Board was on June 22. Citizens concerned about prevention of loss of greenbelt areas attended in response to a proposal to delete parts of our Storm Water Ordinances, which encourage that buffer zones be left around wetlands and streams. This deletion was suggested by Mary Beth Kur, prosecuting attorney, and Wendy Armstrong, the county soil erosion officer, as part of an effort to eliminate material from the ordinances which cannot be enforced.

The response to a plea for the public to go to this meeting, as stated in the June 20 article, was impressive. About 20 people came, and they were allowed a unique opportunity to express themselves.

Norm Probert, on behalf of the Lake Charlevoix Association, read a letter which he would have sent

to the committee. He asked the group to reconsider deletion of the buffer zone sections and said that the Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council could be asked for their expertise in revising the ordinance language, if the committee desired their help. He emphasized that the main concern of the Lake Charlevoix Association was the water quality of the lake. Tim Boyko, Hayes township supervisor, said that we need to harmonize the storm water ordinances and best management practices for protecting greenbelts. Few townships up north have protective zoning. Tim stressed to the county commissioners that we should set the "gold standard." Set an example and make ours the best ordinances for Charlevoix County.

Others said that in addition to needing stronger natural resource protection, Wendy Armstrong, our county's Soil Erosion Officer, who issues stormwater permits cannot do a proper job of overseeing activity on construction sites. It is clear that she does not have an adequate staff for the number of permits that cross her desk. I

was surprised to hear in a June 12 meeting of the Stormwater Appeals Board that she does not visit residential sites unless she receives a complaint. Surely all sites, residential and commercial, should be inspected on a regular basis.

The majority of natural resource protection takes local impetus. Virginia Heick submitted a proposed revision of the ordinance sections which deal with buffer zones. She used published Tip of the Mitt guidelines. Let's hope this revision will have some "teeth" in it. An ordinance that sets best management practices as the standard would accommodate both people and our land and water. There is an appeal process for those who would need a variance. We'll need legal protection for our environment as the demands placed on it escalate with population growth. Let's also hope that our Soil Erosion Officer will be able to do her job more effectively with the aid of enforceable regulations.

Jeanne Blumberg
Charlevoix



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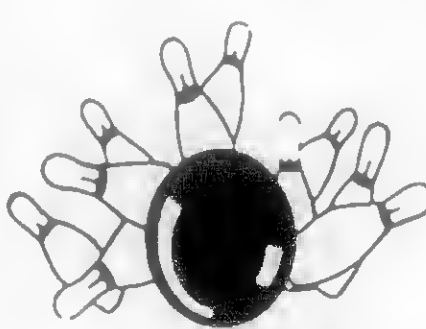
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Wedding

Rylander — Corcoran

Karin Jane Rylander, of Charlevoix, and Shawn Alcide Corcoran, of Quebec City, Quebec, were married on May 12 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix.

Karin's parents are Don and Jane Rylander of Charlevoix. Shawn's parents are Irving and Lise Corcoran of Quebec City, Quebec.

The Rev. Philip Shairbaum performed the double ring rites in front of 50 guests. The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father.

The bride wore a candle-light ivory gown, with a neckline trimmed with iridescent crystal beads and small pearls, a beaded V waistline and a box pleated skirt trimmed with beading and flows and a chapel length train. She carried a rose bouquet.

The maid of honor was LeAndra Langdon, of Midland. The best man was Ken Rylander, of Royal Oak, a brother of the bride.

A reception was given after the wedding at the house of Don and Jane Rylander, the parents of the bride.

The couple went to Mission Point on Mackinac Island and then onto the Chateau Frontenac in Quebec City, Quebec for a wedding trip.

They are planning on making Charlevoix their home. Shawn is a cartographer and Karin is a front desk manager at a local condominium hotel.



Engagement



Ricks — Zarotney

Claudia Ricks, of Berkley, and Todd Zarotney, of Royal Oak, were recently engaged to be married.

Claudia is the daughter of Dr. Jeffrey and Patricia Ricks of Charlevoix. Todd is the son of John and Carole Zarotney of Canton.

A wedding is being planned Oct. 20, 2001 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a Charlevoix High School graduate and a 1999

graduate of Central Michigan University. She is currently employed at Burton Elementary School in Huntington Woods where she is a fifth grade teacher.

The groom-to-be is also a graduate of Central Michigan University. He has a psychology degree and a masters of science degree in human resource administration. He is currently employed as a human resources manager for Covisint, LLC.



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Christ Child Society to have annual summer benefit July 29

The Christ Child Society of northern Michigan will have its annual summer benefit party from 6 to 8 p.m., July 29 at the waterfront home of Dr. and Mrs. James McGauley.

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The Christ Child Society is an ecumenical charitable organization whose sole purpose is to improve the lives of needy children

throughout northern Michigan.

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The summer benefit party is the major fundraising event.

Obituaries

Richard Bruce Carl: Oct. 13, 1937 - July 19, 2001

Richard Bruce Carl, 63, of Charlevoix died July 19 at his home.

A memorial mass will be at 2 p.m. Aug. 7 at Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. James Gunn will officiate.

Richard was born Oct. 13, 1937 in Saginaw, the son of Alfred and June (Clapper) Carl. He graduated from high school in Detroit. After graduation Richard worked as a yard master with the Grand Trunk Railroad in Flint until his retirement in 1977. He lived in the Flint area until 1969 when he moved to Fen-

ton where he remained until 1981.

On July 5, 1973 he married Ilene E. Moore in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. In 1981 the couple moved to Swartz Creek and then to Charlevoix in 1990.

Richard was a member of St. Bartholomew's Episcopal Church in Swartz Creek and Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix.

Survivors include his wife Ilene; stepson, James E. (Nancy M.) Moore III of Grayslake, Ill.; four step grandchildren, James E. (Kristy) Moore IV, Scott L. (Trisha DeBleck) Moore, Jerry W. (Jen-

nifer) Moore and Jay A. Moore; four step great-grandchildren, Haley M. Moore, Timothy J. Moore, Joe DeBleck, Kayla DeBleck; one brother, Jackie (Carol) Carl of Anchorage, Alaska.

He was preceded in death by a sister, June Carl.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Little Traverse Bay, 416 Connable Ave., Petoskey, MI 49770.

Arrangements were handled by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

William Carroll Connett IV: May 28, 1912 - July 19, 2001

William Carroll Connett IV was born May 28, 1912 in St. Louis, the only son of Mary Jessie Schlafly and William C. Connett III.

He died at 7:30 p.m. July 19 in Charlevoix from complications associated with a stroke.

He graduated from St. Louis University High School in 1929. He attended Washington University in Saint Louis and in 1933 graduated with a degree in economics and English. He was a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity, and played tackle on the football team, coached by Jimmy Conzelman, that beat the University of Missouri in 1932 (score 14 to 6).

Since jobs were very scarce in 1933 for fresh liberal arts majors, he decided to see the world and took a job as deck hand on a tramp steamer and spent a year and a half working his way around the world. The overwhelming poverty of Africa and India made an indelible impression on him and he

returned to St. Louis determined to make something of himself and to have some effect on the world.

He became involved in Democratic politics and attended the Benton School of Law (1934-37) and its successor The City College of Law and Finance (1937-38) at night. He was admitted to the Missouri Bar in 1938 and started a private practice with Frank Morris.

He was appointed Assistant Attorney General for Eastern Missouri, and served under Roy McKittick from 1939 until 1943.

When the Second World War began, he volunteered for the Navy, attended O.C.S. and served as an Air Combat Intelligence Officer in the American and the Asiatic-Pacific Theaters of Operation, took part in the liberation of the Philippines and participated in Naval Air operations in the Marianas, the Western Carolines, Palau, the Philippines, Formosa, the South China Coast and supported the invasion of Borneo.

He was decommissioned in 1946 with the rank of Lieutenant, returned to St. Louis and joined the law firm of Bryan, Cave, McPheeters and McRoberts as a junior partner. He was made senior partner in 1951 and retired in 1977.

His area of special interest was estate and tax law. For a number of years he maintained homes in Palm Beach, Fla., Elsberry, Mo., and Charlevoix.

William Connett married Josephine Desloge Fusz July 5, 1938 and the couple had two sons, William Carroll Connett V of Clayton and Squire S. Connett of Ellisville, and one daughter, Charing Fusz Scoular of Houston, Texas. He is survived by his wife and children and by his five grandchildren; Lillian Connett, Josephine and Charing Connett, and Max and William Scoular.

In lieu of flowers a contribution can be made to the charity of your choice.

Barbara Jane Rowe: June 2, 1941 - July 21, 2001

Barbara Jane Rowe, 60, of Charlevoix and formerly of Harbor Springs and the Good Hart area died July 21 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

The memorial service will take place at 3 p.m. July 26 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. Chaplain Edward G. Preston of Washington, D.C. will officiate and interment will take place in Friendship Township Cemetery in Emmet County.

Barbara was born June 2, 1941 in Petoskey, the daughter of Lawrence M. and Marian B. (Fowler) Wines.

She spent most of her life in the Harbor Springs and Good Hart area and has lived the past three years in Charlevoix. She was President of the Pine River Place Tenants Association and received the Charlevoix Rotary Club's Service Above Self Award in 2000 for her work at Pine River Place.

Barbara will be missed by many loving family members and friends.

She is survived by a son, Richard L. Rowe and his wife Lisa P. of Canton; a daughter, Kimberly A. Taylor and her husband John P. of Charlevoix/Atwood; grandchildren,

Cora and Keon Taylor, and expected grand-daughter Katrina Rowe; a brother, Richard Fowler Wines and his wife Christine of North Lauderdale, Fla.; and aunt, Jane Fowler Smith of Richmond, Va.; a cousin, Kaye Fowler Preston of Watsonville, Calif.; and long-time friend and companion, Ralph Beterly of Harbor Springs; and nieces and nephews, Jim, Mike, Alison, Brad and Chelsea Wines.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Narcotology Association, P.O. Box 1187, San Carlos, CA 94070.

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Evening Service	6:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.		or -9785
Pastor: Mike Mitchell	547-6430		

BARNARD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Barnard at Klooster Road		FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF BAY SHORE US 31 North	
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Sunday Worship	10:15 a.m.	Minister: Morris Cole	547-5728
Pastor: Rev. Eugene Baughan	536-2161		

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Sunday Worship	10:30 a.m.	Morning Worship (summer)	10:00 a.m.
Pastor: Michael Teuscher	547-9446	(winter)	11:00 a.m.
		Wednesday Dinner & Program	6:00 p.m.
		Pastor: Philip G. Schirbaum	547-9122
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Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.	Pastor: Rev. Cosie Allen	347-9601
Evening Worship	6:00 p.m.		or -7916
Thursday Evening	7:00 p.m.		
Pastor: James Green	547-4300		

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Several running for city council positions in fall

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Battle lines have been drawn as five Charlevoix residents representing the city's three wards gear up to duke it out at the November 6 election when three seats on city council will be decided by voters.

Voters will be asked to decide whether or not first ward councilman Norman "Boogie" Carlson will retain his position or if a write-in candidate will prevail; if Bill Bellows will continue to represent the second ward or if Douglas "D.J." Way Jr. is the better man for the job; and whether the third ward would be better served by Shirley Gibson or Tom Rankl.

Carlson, 34, lives at 207 West Hurlbut in Charlevoix. He has represented the first ward for two years and at this time is running unopposed, but could be faced by a write-in candidate. The November election will mark the first time he will run for re-election.

Carlson said he should be re-elected because he has been attentive to the needs and concerns of his constituents.

"I think I have taken a real interest in the people in the ward (first ward). I try to listen to them and vote for the good of

the community," Carlson said.

He added that if re-elected he hopes to play a role in "continuing to improve local infrastructure" and to closely monitor the East Park project.

Carlson shares the first ward with fellow councilman Bill Haggard whose seat is not up for election this November.

The second ward is currently represented by Gabe Campbell and Bellows. Campbell's seat will not be on the ballot, but Bellows will face off with Way.

Bill Bellows, 67, and his wife Bonnie, live at 507 State Street. Bill has been a councilman for a total of eight years. He feels that he should be re-elected because he has the experience.

"I think I have done a good job. I also understand the inner workings of the city and have taken seminars and courses in various aspects of city government," Bellows said.

Not only has he been on council and gained political know-how, but he says he also knows the community. Bellows has been a Charlevoix resident for 35 years.

But, even though he knows the community like the back of his hand, he isn't going into the election with a set of priorities.

"I have no specific agen-

da. I hope to continue with infrastructure improvements as planned," he said.

Outside of city hall you can find Bellows busy with the Knights of Columbus and American Legion Post #226.

Way, 38, lives at 1110 Beacon Street with his wife, Kristina, and their four kids: Kelly, 17; Stephanie, 11; Jon, 9 and Ben, 7.

Both he and his wife are Charlevoix natives and he thinks it is time for him to start giving back to the community.

"We have our home and businesses in town, this area has been good to the Way family," he said. "I don't have a gripe or a beef, I just want to give back. I'm pushing 40, it's time to do something for the town."

Way is a member of the Charlevoix County Snowmobile Council, a board member at the Charlevoix Assembly of God Church and is board treasurer for the Ezra House facility for the homeless.

The second ward battle is just as intense as the fight for the third ward seat.

The third ward race is between two Charlevoix residents who have never sat on council before.

Current councilman and deputy mayor A.J.

Withoef has not filed a nominating petition and isn't planning to return next year. Withoef said he is moving outside of the ward, so he will no longer meet eligibility requirements to serve.

However, his vacancy sparked the interest of both Gibson and Rankl.

Gibson, 54, is a Charlevoix native who has been politically active during her stay. Her involvement in local politics and civic organizations ranges from a 10-year stint as a county reserve police officer to five years of service with the city planning commission. This is the first time she will run for council.

Gibson is an employee for Northern Michigan Review in Petoskey, the company that owns the Charlevoix Courier.

She said when she first got involved in local politics she did so because she "didn't like things that were happening."

"I like politics. I think they (council) need someone like me. I'm not trying to cause trouble, but they need someone with new ideas on board; this is a democracy," Gibson said.

Gibson lives at 209 East Upright. She said she is especially interested in local environmental issues including: water quality

and wildlife protection.

She also said she is concerned about Charlevoix's year-round residents. She said trends have shown Charlevoix is becoming more of a second home community and residents are having a tough time making it financially.

"I think I bring a needed new perspective that will represent others in the city of Charlevoix on council, that is, working people and women," she said.

Gibson is going toe to toe with Rankl, owner of local solid waste handling business Top Rank.

Rankl, 41 has lived in Charlevoix for 12 years with his wife Jeanne and his two boys, Zak, 12 and Jake, 10, after serving on the Charlevoix County Solid Waste Planning Committee he found he was ready to get more involved in local politics.

"I've seen Charlevoix grow through the past 12 years and I want to be part of that growth. I think I will bring with me a common sense, down to earth approach to what goes on," he said.

There will be no August primary to narrow the candidate field before the November 6 city council election when the three council seats will be filled.

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Couple begins planning for Castle Farms project

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Linda's planning tools have included attending seminars focused on barn restoration hosted by the Michigan Barn Restoration Society, meeting with state historical preservation representatives in Lansing and meeting with a group of engineers from Harbor Springs.

Richard said that Linda has taken a special interest in castles. She has visited over 75 castles and has taken extensive notes while touring. She also studied castles and cathedrals during an independent study while she attended college.

Richard's brother Glen said, "She is trying to refurbish the castle as close as possible to its original design. Linda wants to help the community and allow the castle to be used for different community events."

Richard said that the community events will most likely be centered around the courtyard area that, when facing the property from M-66, is located toward the rear of the site on the left. He foresees uses including a town meeting center and a wedding site.

Expert evaluation proved the Mueller family has a long way to go before wedding bells ring and meetings are called to order.

Glen said there are major structural problems in the first building on the left when you are facing the grounds. He said you

"We knew this project would be a work of love. We are going to make this thing a real jewel of the community."

Richard Mueller,
Co-owner, with his wife, of the Castle

can't see the issues at first glance but experts have found it needs some work. He referred to this building as unstable and dangerous.

Richard added the building has similar structural struggles as the Leaning Tower of Pisa.

Other problems at the site include: roof rot, leaks, broken glass, crumbling brick and water in the basement of one of the buildings that the family is currently working on removing.

Richard referred to the project as "The Road to Restoration." The couple plans to take about five years to travel the length of the road. The intensive work will begin next year.

"We knew this project would be a work of love. We are going to try to make this thing a real jewel of the community," Richard said. Changes the couple will make

include removing two site features that were not part of the original design — the grassy berm and the metal stage. Richard asks that those interested in purchasing the stage to call 547-5130 for more information.

The Mueller name first became associated with the 38 acres that make up the Castle Farms on Oct. 5 when the couple bought the property at a foreclosure sale held at the Charlevoix County Courthouse for \$300,000.

The Reibel family who owned the property for 32 years were given six months to redeem it. The six month redemption period would have expired April 5, but Mueller made Kim Reibel, executor of the estate, an offer and Reibel accepted.

The Jan. 4 closing eliminated the six month redemption and finalized Mueller's acquisition.



Rescue demonstration

The U.S. Coast Guard gave a rescue demonstration Sunday in Round Lake at the opening of Venetian Festival. Above, a swimmer jumps out of the Coast Guard helicopter to "save" a man in the water. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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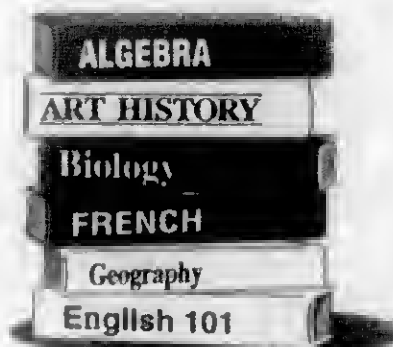
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Bay Township votes down wind generators

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Bay Township Planning Commission and township board recently decided for now, wind turbine generators won't be located in the township — but they may pop up across the water in Eveline Township.

On July 9 the Bay Township Planning Commission met to discuss whether or not to amend township zoning ordinance language to provide for the wind generators in the agricultural zoning district as a special use.

By a vote of 6-1 the commission decided that the proposed change

didn't fit with the township's land use plan and they would recommend to the township board not to provide language in the zoning ordinance that would allow and regulate wind generators as a special use.

Planning commission chairman Bill Newman said that the language in the land use plan was about preserving open space, views and rural character.

"The most compelling thing was that they (wind generators) are definitely detrimental to open views," Newman said.

However, the flip side of the coin which was argued by township planner Audrey Etienne, who voted

in favor of wind generators. She said without these "windmills" some farmers can't afford to continue to work the land, thus fragmenting farmland.

Working to minimize the fragmentation of farmland was also included in the Bay Township land use plan.

"It made it a tough issue and it was a tough decision. I guess we thought the detriment to the views outweighed the argument that one landowner could keep their land by doing that (locating wind generators on private property)," Newman said.

However, Newman said the private arrangements local landowners

could have made with a wind generator business weren't a priority for the commission. He claims their focus was on whether or not the proposed change fit with the land use plan.

On July 12, the township board agreed with the commission and voted the proposal down by a vote of 3-2.

However, Charlevoix County Planner Larry Sullivan said there are three ways this issue could come up again in Bay Township. He said it could be brought up again by an application, by the volition of the township or through litigation.

"I think the township has to be careful. If it comes to litigation, I

think the township will end up on the short end of the stick," Sullivan said.

He said township zoning has to adhere to the question, what are "reasonable uses." He then offered the example of cellular towers.

"It's like cellular towers, nobody wants them, but when it gets into litigation you're going to lose. You may as well have reasonable regulations. It's kind of a balancing act," Sullivan said.

Sullivan also said that similar proposals are being made in the county. He said Eveline Township is currently looking at their zoning ordinance language to see if wind generators are a possibility.

Venetian Fireworks lawsuit parties to face mediation

Charlevoix City Council met in closed session at 5 p.m. July 10 to discuss pending litigation that followed the July 1997 Venetian Festival fireworks explosion that claimed the life of Charlevoix resident Mark Yager and injured at least 15 others.

The 10 lawsuits that came about following the tragedy will be mediated at Charlevoix High School, 108 East Garfield Street at 9 a.m. July 31.

Former Detroit Circuit Judge Barry Howard will act as mediator at the meeting. The purpose of the mediation is to attempt to settle the cases prior to Charlevoix County 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas hearing additional motions.



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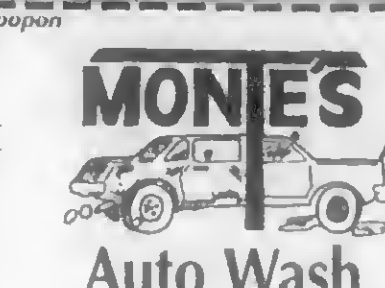
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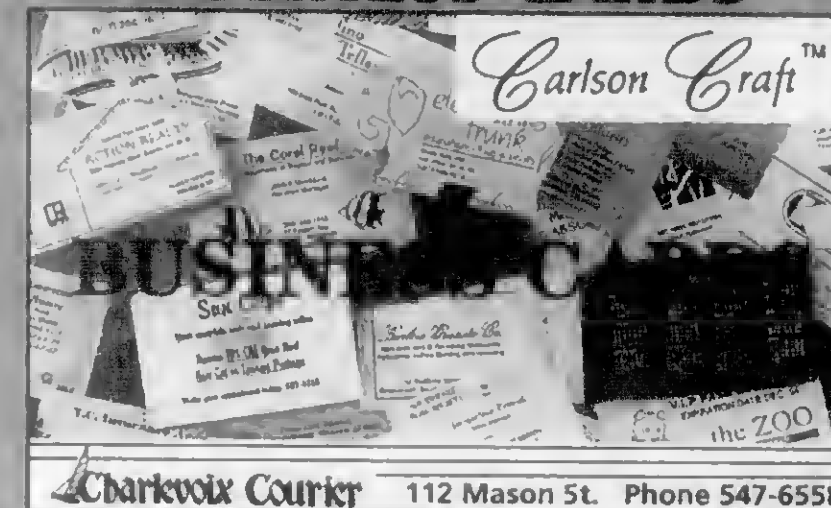
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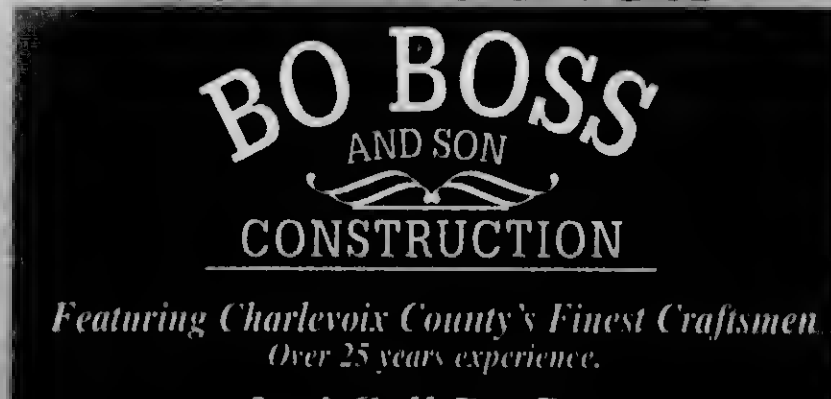
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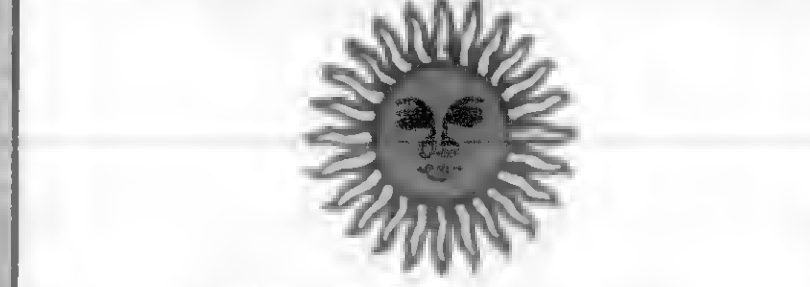


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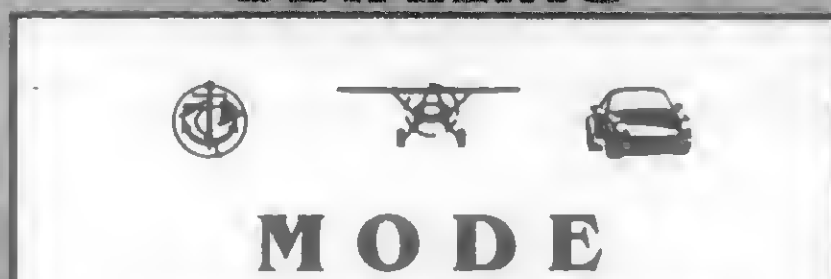
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BASES to raise funds for activities and building

Scott Kelly, Executive Director of BASES Teen Center, has announced a decision by the BASES Board of Directors to initiate a fund-raising campaign.

The goal is to raise \$115,000 to support teen activities and to renovate the building. The campaign was kicked off with a donation of \$2,500 and a pledge of an additional \$2,500. Over the past two months \$53,000 has been raised toward this goal.

BASES (Bay Area Substance Education Services) was started in 1994 by Kelly and his wife, Celia Partida. In 1997, BASES assumed operation of the community teen center and consolidated all activities into the building at 208 Lincoln Street. BASES is a nonprofit organization.

The Teen Center provides, at no charge, a safe environment for young people after school. Activities include recreation tutoring programs and a Junior Great Books class.

BASES is also a licensed provider of substance abuse education, prevention strategies and treatment services to teenagers of Charlevoix and Emmet counties; primarily Boyne City, Charlevoix, East Jordan and Petoskey.

Usage of BASES facilities and services has shown a steady increase in the two years from 1998 to 2000.

Sign-ins for the Teen Center are up 41 percent from 3,000 to 4,200. Participation in teen substance abuse groups and parent support groups are up 74 percent and 91 percent respectively.

The fund-raising program will continue throughout 2001.

For information or to learn about BASES teen activities and services call Kelly at 547-1144.



SHOP Choir

The Chicago-based gospel group SHOP Choir gave audience members an energetic show of religious music on the first day of the Venetian Festival Sunday in the band shell at East Park. Earlier in the day, the group performed at a local church where it was said they, "brought down the walls." (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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Every six months, all of the readers who guessed correctly will have their guesses placed in a large box. The editor of the Charlevoix Courier, Jeremy McBain, will then pick a name from this box at random and that person will receive a check for \$100.

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Monday, July 16, 2001 • 7:00 P.M.**

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

Approved preliminary plans for Lake Michigan Beach (including the Tower Park) and Depot Beach Projects. Staff will work with residents to plan screening and landscape for Tower Park and Depot Beach.

Awarded bid for Belvedere Avenue and Michigan Avenue Infrastructure Projects to CCMS. The sidewalk plans for both projects were not approved, but were tabled until August, 2001.

Chose to drop support for the appeal process of the County Reapportionment Plan.

Approved changes to POLC Contract.

Council adjourned at 9:20 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Elizabeth Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

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Court dismisses appeal of apportionment

APPEAL

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was always the committee's intention of following the letter of the law when they redrew the districts.

"(This ruling) is the legal equivalent of a slam dunk," she added.

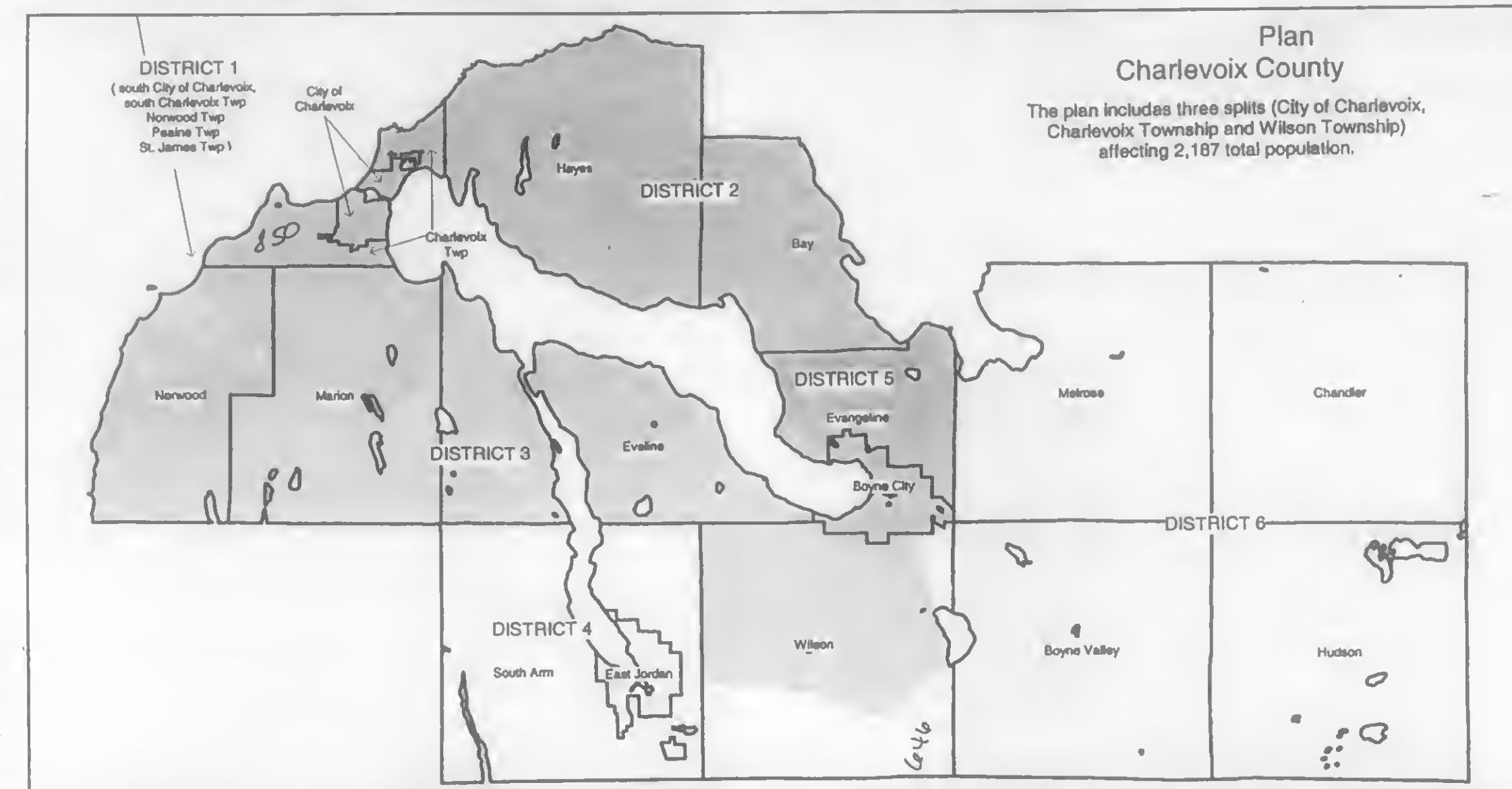
Every 10 years, an Apportionment Committee — composed of the Charlevoix County Prosecutor, County Clerk, the Charlevoix County Treasurer and representatives from the county Republican and Democratic parties — meets to redraw county commission districts based on the latest census figures.

Among the rules they had to follow was keeping each commissioner's district about even in population numbers and keeping the districts contiguous.

After much debate, the committee determined the best plan was one that changed the city of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township from being in one district to two. The committee split the districts along the Pine River Channel, with one being north of the channel and the other being south of the channel.

Committee members John Haggard, Charlevoix County Republican Party Chair, and Joan Balch, county treasurer, did not vote in favor of this plan. Both Haggard and Balch were members of the group that appealed the plan.

After learning of the dis-



Charlevoix County's new commissioner districts will be as they are outlined above. The city of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township will be split into two districts — District 1 and District 2. Voters living on the north side of the Pine River Channel will be in District 2, voters living on the south side of the channel will be in District 1. (Courtesy graphic)

missal, Haggard said he was disappointed.

"Knowing the situation, it is very difficult to overturn the committee's decision. But you always hold out high hopes for that," he said.

Others whose names appeared on the official appeal included: Charlevoix Township supervisor Oscar Stroud and Charlevoix County commissioners Shirley Roloff and Donald R. Smith. Also com-

ing out against the plan were the Charlevoix City Council, Wilson Township, Charlevoix Township, Marion Township and Norwood Township.

In addition to the appeal, the group supported a different apportionment plan which would have created seven commissioner districts and eliminated the district splits in the city of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township, but would split South Arm Town-

ship into two districts.

However, the appeals court stated, "The court's review is not to determine whether the 'best plan' was adopted."

In a written response, Smith said of the dismissal, "The adopted plan certainly warranted a review. It is not in the best interest of the townships or the city of Charlevoix. The governing bodies of five townships and the Charlevoix City Council

all voted unanimously to support an alternate seven district plan."

The court stated that their review was not to determine whether the "best plan" was adopted. It's apparent that Charlevoix County voters will have to deal with the adopted plan for the next 10 years."

Haggard said the group has no plans of taking the matter to the state supreme court.

Charlevoix Township has over \$1 million in surplus

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix Township budget which was accepted at a recent public hearing shows the township ended June with a general fund surplus of over \$1 million.

"Our millage rate is relatively low. But, we have always been fiscally responsible. We would always rather have a surplus than come up short," township treasurer Theda Williams said.

She explained the township is hanging onto the "cash on hand" so that as the area continues to grow, the general fund will be deep enough to pay for expenses associated with water and sewer infrastructure projects.

"There are areas in the township that look like they will need sewer soon and that is a costly proposition," Williams said.

She explained that half of the surplus is designated for a sewer sinking fund that will pay for future projects.

The township plans to run lines to Pine Pointe first. Williams said the board expects Pine Pointe will have the service within the next five years.

For the year 2000 the township brought in \$603,213.32 and spent \$345,757.34 adding \$257,445.98 to the surplus. The additional

"Our millage rate is relatively low. But, we have always been fiscally responsible."

Theda Williams,
Charlevoix Township treasurer

funds from 2000 brought the "cash on hand" total to \$1,051,536.27.

The budget projects the general fund will bring in \$584,548 in 2001-2002.

The highest anticipated expense for the township in 2001-2002 is associated with township highways and streets. The budget shows highway and street improvements may cost \$120,000.

However, the township anticipated spending \$75,000 in 2000-2001 on roads and highways and the actual budget from the period showed they spent no money in that area.

Where the most money was spent was on township board salaries which cost the township

\$89,112. The budget anticipates this expense will rise to \$98,600 this year.

The budget also shows anticipated expenditures for the upcoming year to include \$60,523.61 for capital improvements. Williams said the improvements the township plans to make have not yet been designated.

Aside from the \$500,000 allocated to the sewer sinking fund there is an additional \$500,000 in miscellaneous expenses.

Williams said the miscellaneous money is cash the township has saved that now earns interest. She said money could be used to maintain the township water system but the township has no plans to spend it all this year.



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Charlevoix resident Nathan Cleary, 19, shows his skills with a hacky-sack in East Park Sunday. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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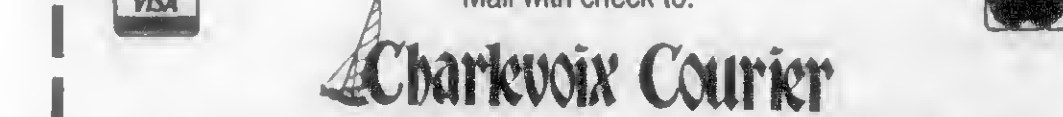
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Charlevoix resident headed to Japan to teach

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Gita Butcher is starting to live her life of adventure.

The 23-year-old student from Charlevoix — fresh from a one year stay in England — is packing her bags for a 1 to 2 year trip to Japan as a teaching assistant. Butcher leaves for the Asian country July 27.

Butcher will be staying in Kamimura, Japan and working as a teaching assistant for a school's English department. According to Butcher, Kamimura is a small town in the Nagano area of Japan.

"My duties range from quite a few things," she said. In Japan, the

government wants students to start thinking about other languages early in their education. One of Butcher's duties will be to work with young students by just talking to them and working with high school students on improving their mastery of the English language.

She will also work with the English department by creating and implementing various seminars.

Butcher's chance to stay in Japan came after a meeting with the Japanese consulate in the United States.

While she was at college — Marymount College in New York — she was taking lessons in international studies. One of her teachers was a Japanese survivor of

World War II and a well-known history professor and she encouraged Butcher to apply to a program through the Japanese consulate.

The program not only gives the Japanese a chance to learn English, but also gives Butcher a chance to experience the country over an extended period of time and at minimal cost to her. While in Japan, Butcher will be given a fully-furnished apartment to stay in, receive a tax free salary of \$30,000 and will get a free airline ticket to and from Japan.

Butcher said she is excited to learn about the country first-hand and make some "personal connections with the people."

However, she said she is nervous about some of the customs in Japan. For example, when she arrives in the country, it is customary for her to give her hosts various gifts.

"Right now, I am thinking about bringing American things, I went to Kilwins and was looking at salt-water taffy. Plus, anything with English on it is very popular," she said. Butcher said even matchbooks with English wording on them would be great gifts.

Of course, this isn't the first time Butcher has found herself having

to get acclimated to a new culture. While she was staying in England, as part of her schooling, she lived in a "flat" with several other students who were from England.

"I met some cool people....I didn't want to leave," she said. Once Butcher's stay in Japan is complete she said she is not sure what her plans will be. However, she knows that they will involve some sort of new adventure.

"In a perfect world, I would bike the Appalachian Trail," she said. Butcher added she is also considering some graduate studies.

"I don't know right now if I want to make a commitment to the real world yet," she joked.

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Gita Butcher holds up a picture of the area in Japan that she will be living. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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The CutTime Players, a group of musicians from the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, will be presenting a demonstration and instruction for area music students. The morning will begin with a lecture/demonstration on the finer aspects of ensemble playing.

Students will be divided into eight groups for master classes on individual instruments. These sessions will feature three student performers who will be coached by CutTime Musicians for approximately 20 minutes as other students observe.

This is a great opportunity for area students to learn from professional, world-class musicians who have returned to northern Michigan after a week-long visit in November of 2001.

The CutTime Players will be performing on July 30 at the Petoskey Waterfront, Midway Commons and July 31 in Boyne City, in the bandshell.

Both of these concerts begin at 7:30 p.m. and are free of charge.

These free concerts are sponsored in part by Crooked Tree Arts Center, North Central Michigan College, Petoskey Area Jaycees, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation and the Petoskey Downtown Management Board.

To register for the workshop, please stop by the Crooked Tree Arts Center to complete a registration form. Space in the workshop is limited and is open to all area high school students.

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Increase in permits seen following gun law's start

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

Charlevoix officials say they have seen an increase in concealed weapons permit requests since the passage of a new law passed by Michigan legislature at the beginning of the month.

The law makes it easier to obtain a concealed weapons license and allow a greater number of individuals to carry a weapon.

Representatives at both the county clerk's office and the sheriff's office have noted that there has been a sharp increase in the number of residents requesting permits since the law has been passed.

A representative from the county clerk's office estimated that they have received about 35 applications this month.

Although the law has been met with wide opposition across the state, Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater said that he had no opinion of it.

"I'm just abiding by the law," he said.

The purpose of the law is to standardize the procedure by which a Michigan resident can obtain a concealed weapon.

Previously, the law had given local gun board unlimited discretion to deny permits to prospective gun owners. The law passed on July 1 has reduced the power of the local gun boards by forbidding the boards to deny a permit without a specific reason.

The law also raised the minimum age of a permit holder to 21 and has made criminal and mental health checks, as well as gun training courses, mandatory requirements in the permit process.

One of the conditions of the law gives prosecuting attorneys the right to resign from their local gun boards if they are in opposition to the law.

Mary Beth Kur, the Charlevoix Prosecuting Attorney, resigned from her position on the local gun board late last month. She stated she felt it would be a conflict of interest for her to stay on the board.

She is being replaced by Aaron Westerick, a police firearms instructor.

Youth from St. Mary's visit inner-city as missionaries

A team of young people and adults from St. Mary's parish in Charlevoix spent a week of their summer vacation reaching out to persons in need in the inner city of Detroit.

The team participated in a project called Young Neighbors in Action (YNIA). YNIA involves over 2000 participants in providing service to poor young children and families all across the United States.

This is the fourth missionary trip to the inner city of Detroit for the youth from St. Mary's. In the previous three years they have worked in a soup kitchen, spent time remodeling an old convent that is now being used to keep the youth off the streets, graffiti removal, landscaping, fixing up a home that will be used for the homeless, working with Alzheimer patients and distributing literature door to door about illegal toxic dumping and other environmental issues.

This year the youth spent the majority of their time working on what is called "Dismiss House." This is an abandoned home in the inner city of Detroit that was given to St. Rita's parish. The parish priest decided to fix up the house and use it as a place for people to live and rehab once they have been released from prison, they are given \$75, a bus ticket and the clothes on

their back and are expected to make it in society.

This house is a place for the people to live, learn life skills, get a job and be productive in society. The youth spent time painting, tearing down a garage, paneling and fixing up an attic, staining decks and other duties. They also worked at a convent that is being used as a youth house, tearing down brick walls and helping fix up the structure for the young people of the neighborhood. When the team finished with their work sites in the evening, they spent time learning and trying to get a better understanding of the needs of the poor and homeless.

Young Neighbors is an eye-opening experience for all who participate. The youth return to their communities with a better understanding of the needs and concerns of the poor. They also better understand their call to "feed the hungry, clothe the naked and shelter the homeless."

As many of the youth stated, they did not realize how fortunate they were and how they took things for granted.

The team this year consisted of: Melissa McDonough, Jennifer Scharenbroch, Dani Flowers, Tony Shearer, Shawna Flowers, Erin Buckner, Lee Barrett, Michael Flowers, Josh Christ, Sam Kupka, Alyssia McDonough, Tim Cross, Beth Egler and Patty Furtaw.

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Michigan State University marching band to perform

By JULIE MUSLEK
Staff Writer

Each fall at Michigan State University, students return to campus and football season begins — the excitement of the crowd at the big stadium games is heightened by the intensity of the team's number one supporters, the band.

Every game, 350 students armed with instruments hit the field for half-time and pre-game shows. They rile up the crowd and celebrate touchdowns by simultaneously breaking out with the school's fight song.

Charlevoix's Venetian Festival is sort of like the local Rose Bowl and most would think two nights of fireworks, a carnival and 28 free band performances is enough to get people brimming with northern Michigan pride.

But this year, Charlevoix Venetian Festival, Inc. decided to team up with Lansing legend Tim

"This just fell into place. It's a great tribute to Charlevoix and the reputation the community and the festival has."

Tim Staudt,
Lansing resident who helped bring band to Charlevoix

Staudt to do something that hasn't been done before — they brought the MSU marching band to Charlevoix.

Staudt who has been a figure in sports radio for 30 years, said the band has never performed anywhere but for the team and has never been in northern Michigan.

"This just fell into place. It's a great tribute to Charlevoix and the reputation the community and the festival has," he said.

Ninety-three of the band members, along with band director of 13 years, John Madden, will perform in Charlevoix's street parade that begins at 11 a.m., July 28 and then they'll head over to East

Park for a 45 minute concert featuring more "traditional" music.

After the show, northern Michigan MSU alumni are invited to a picnic at Ferry Beach hosted by MSU alumnus Jeff Wellman.

The band will arrive July 27 via luxury buses donated by Dean Transportation. They will stay at "The Alpine" in rooms donated by Art Tebo who runs Boyne Resorts.

"In my mind this is extremely good for the Charlevoix area, a classy area to begin with, the MSU band is a very classy group and the Venetian Festival is very well organized. I'm looking forward to it," Staudt said.



Glorious gardens

Ann Marie Barnes, of Charlevoix, soaked in the sunny afternoon of the Charlevoix Garden Club garden walk, July 19, helping sell garden decorations. Several area gardens were featured in this year's walk. (Photo by Julie Muslek)

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Some safety tips to remember when on the water

Northern Michigan is starting another summer season, hopefully filled with many beautiful days and water-related activities.

These activities can be accident free and pleasurable if we focus on water safety, according to officials with the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency and District Health Department Number Four.

Most water accidents are preventable, said Joshua R. Meyerson, MD, MPH, Medical Director of the health departments which serve residents throughout northwestern and northeastern lower Michigan.

Meyerson is medical director for Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, which serves Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet and Otsego counties. He is also Medical Director for District Health Department Number Four, which serves residents in Alpena, Cheboygan, Montmorency and

Presque Isle counties.

In addition to his medical director duties, Meyerson provides specialized pediatric care to the Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians.

There are three key elements in reducing preventable accidents on the water, Dr. Meyerson said: 1) Supervision 2) Education 3) Use of appropriate safety equipment.

According to the American Water Ski Association (AWSA), water skiing attracts nearly 17 million Americans annually. The number of recreational swimmers, people enjoying power and sailboats, and those individuals who enjoy fishing, pushes the total number of people using the water millions higher.

Recent revisions in Michigan boating laws require mandatory wearing of a personal flotation device (PFD) by children under 12 years of age. Federal law has been

changed to require a type I, II or III PFD on vessels fewer than 16 feet in length, in place of type IV or a throwable device.

Type I and II PFDs - or life jackets - are designed to turn an unconscious person face up in the water and are required to be worn by children under age six. The type III, sometimes called a ski vest, provides flotation but won't turn a disabled person onto his or her back.

Most boating fatalities are the result of capsizing or falling overboard. Some 80 percent of drowning victims are not wearing PFDs.

"Most boating accidents are sudden and unexpected," Meyerson said. "There is little, if any, time to reach for a personal flotation device, which is why you and other boat passengers should wear one all the time while on or around the water."

According to the U.S. Consumer

Product Safety Commission, in a comprehensive study of drowning and submersion incidents involving children under age 5 at the time of the submersion incident, one or both parents were supervising most victims. It is best to have one person with their full attention directed to safety in charge of supervising children on or near the water. When more than one person has the responsibility, it is too easy to be distracted if even for a short time, feeling that someone else will be watching the child.

Personal flotation devices should also be used by anyone who is around or using docks, Dr. Meyerson stressed.

"Children or adults can fall in between boats or docks and not be noticed," he said. "The use of the proper PFD can help to keep anyone alive if an accident occurs."

Additionally, the misuse of alcohol while boating is just as danger-

ous as it is when driving a motor vehicle, Meyerson said.

"It is also just as illegal. The same basic laws that cover motor vehicles apply to boating. It is illegal to operate a boat under the influence or while impaired by alcohol," he said.

Many local law enforcement agencies and the U.S. Coast Guard offer courses on water safety. In Michigan, the operator is responsible for the legal requirements and safe operation of a boat even if he/she does not own the boat.

"By being safety conscious, this can be a safe and fun summer for everyone," Meyerson said, noting the following precautions:

- Take time to learn the proper safe rules for your water-related activity;
- Be prepared with the right training and equipment; and
- Know the location of anyone that is enjoying the water with you.



Moving time

Workers moved a house from Dixon Avenue last week to land on Richardson Road owned by the home's new occupant Mike Dobulis, of Charlevoix. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Concert to be given to dedicate new organ

Organist Laurence Smith will be in concert July 29 at the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix, dedicating the newly refurbished and revoiced organ to which has been added five ranks of pipes.

The program, beginning at 3 p.m., will include numbers by J.S. Bach and W.A. Mozart and compositions of contemporary composers.

Laurence (Larry) Smith, regarded as one of the finest organists in Michigan, is a graduate of the Interlochen Fine Arts Academy and was a student of Robert Murphy. He received Bachelor of Music and Master of Music degrees in organ performance at the University of Michigan where he studied with internationally known organist Marilyn Mason.

Smith was director of Music and Worship at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Traverse City from 1980-1999 when he resigned to accept the position as choral director at the Interlochen Arts Academy. He has been on the faculty from 1980 to the present time.

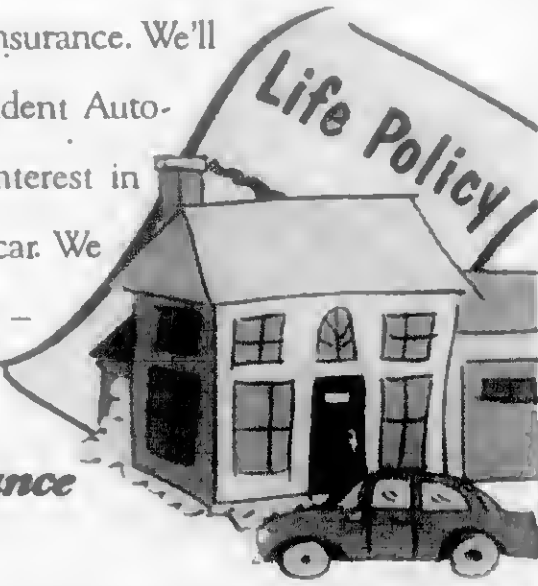
He became organist at St. Philip's Church in June, 2000.

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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available for inspection by press time, not all of the reports for this period are listed.

The following reports are from the Charlevoix Police Department's dispatch log book from July 10 to July 19:

• A vehicle was damaged around 4:15 p.m. on July 19 in a driveway on the 100 block of East Lincoln Street.

• A 45-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for violation of a personal protection order on July 18 on the 100 block of East Lincoln Street.

• An unoccupied vehicle was damaged around 11:30 a.m. on July 18 in the parking lot of Glen's grocery store near the intersection of Bridge Street and M-66.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 3 p.m. on July 18 near the intersection of Bridge and Antrim streets. No injuries were reported.

• Around 10:30 a.m. on July 16, a vehicle rolled into the side of the Next Door Food Store, located at 1505 Bridge Street. Slight damage to the building was reported.

• A suspect failed to pay for his gasoline purchase around 8 p.m. on July 14 at the Next Door Food Store, located at 1505 Bridge Street. The suspect returned to the business later to pay for the purchase.

• A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle around 3 p.m. on July 14 in the parking lot of the Hillcrest Club, located at 305 West Hurlbut Street. No injuries were reported.

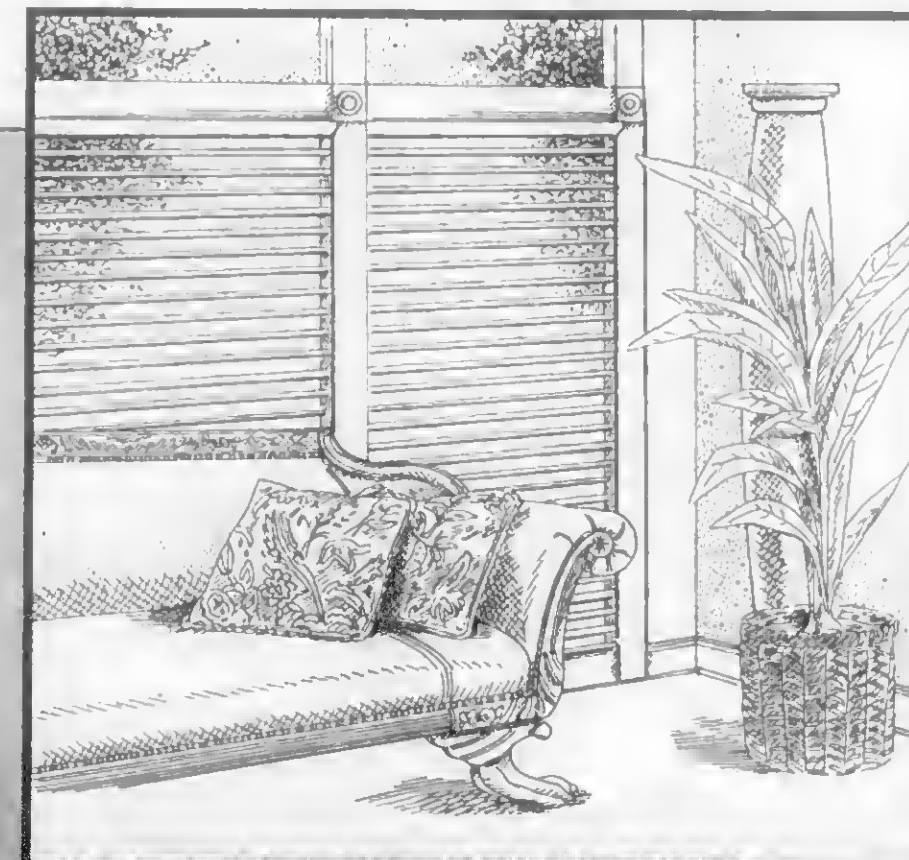
• A yellow twin-speed BMX bike was found on July 13 on Mercer Street.

• There was a domestic assault around 7 p.m. on July 13 on the 100 block of East Lincoln Street.

• A set of golf clubs were taken from a parked vehicle sometime between July 1 and July 4 in the parking lot of Giuseppe's, located at 757 Petoskey Avenue.

• There was a shoplifting report around 1 p.m. on July 13 at the Clothing Company, located at 339 Bridge Street.

• There was a domestic assault around 12:30 a.m. on July 12 on the 700 block of Bridge Street.



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Stormwater board debates stormwater ordinance changes

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Stormwater Board of Appeals met July 12 to discuss the Charlevoix County Stormwater Control Ordinance and stepped one pace closer to a finished product.

The group is working their way through the almost 60 page ordinance, page by page. Board member and county commissioner Shirley Roloff said changes are be-

ing made to areas of the ordinance that county soil erosion officer Wendy Armstrong has had trouble enforcing.

One of the major areas where the group is looking to make changes is buffer zone language. Roloff said they are taking a close look at the definition.

On June 22 the group met with interested citizens and both listened to and recorded their concerns. The group also plans to look

at how those concerns relate to the changes being made to the ordinance.

"They (county residents) should be involved, this is what it's all about. We are setting up procedure for the county," Roloff said.

The group has scheduled another work session for 9 a.m., July 27.

Roloff said they hope to complete the ordinance at this next meeting - the session may be the last before the public hearing.

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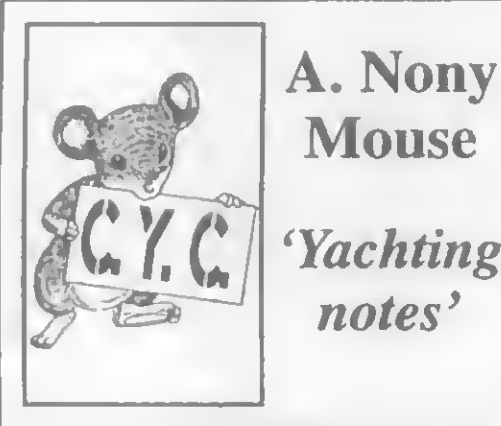
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SPORTS

Results are in for the latest yachting races



A. Nony Mouse
'Yachting notes'

A (Brief) Moment in the Sun: The vast multitudes gathered in Charlevoix-the-Beautiful awaiting the results of the Douglas Lake Sunfish Regatta broke into thunderous applause as it was first announced that Charlevoix Yacht Club skippers Tom Barnes and Linda Orlow were first in the Racing Division and Recreational Division, respectively.

The crowd quieted a bit when it was learned that there had been a scoring error, but then recovered as the correct final results were announced.

In the Racing Division: First, John Coble; Second, Tom Barnes and Third, Julian Magnus. Trailing were (4) Jay Butler, (5) Linda Norton, (6) Dan Reagan, (7) Dan Norton and (8) Tammy Orlow.

In the Recreational Division: First, Linda Orlow; Second, Otto Busard and Third, David Tuthill. Twenty-three Sunfish participated in the three race series with the third race being sailed in a virtual calm.

Congratulations to Barnes and Orlow and the rest of the Douglas Lake sailors on putting on a very successful event.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series: Meanwhile, back at home, those relying on wind power last Wednesday nursed their own way home or had help from their right-

wing neighbors who fired up their dastardly infernal combustion engines.

Yes, the second race of the Summer Series was cancelled — which probably means that the scheduled open date (Sept. 5) will now feature a make-up and be the last race of the Summer Series. Tonight's race is actually two races sailed as one as it is also scored as the Charlevoix Venetian Regatta and may include some non-yacht club entries.

LaBlance Cup Race: A good breeze on or abate the beam granted the 15 participants a swift voyage to St. James on July 14. On July 15, the return trip was a very different story as the breeze faded and then died, an hour or so later, to come back with gusto.

In Division 1: The Jib & Main Fleet found ECLIPSE to be the winner with 3 points (1, 2), then APOTHECARY 4 (3, 1), BIG RED also 4 (2, 3) and FLASH 8 (4, 4). Overall JAM honors go to APOTHECARY as it had the best total corrected time for the round trip. OUR THYME II dominated the Spinnaker Division 2 with 2 points (1, 1), LOST VERMONT 4 (2, 2), ORIGINAL SIN 6 (3, 3), ARTEMIS 8 (4, 4), WINDSWEEP 11 (5, 6) and POCO LOCO 11 (6, 5). Spinnaker Division 3 had a real battle with HOI POLLOI 4 (3, 1) the winner. Then it was HOOTIE 5 (1, 4), MINT JULEP 7 (5, 2), WINDRUNNER 7 (2, 5) and SLAPSHOT 7 (4, 3).

OUR THYME II takes the Overall Spinnaker honors for fastest round trip. No word back from the Powerboats regarding their Beaver Island Rendezvous that same weekend.

Nautical Trivia: It was too easy! All but one responded correctly.



Sailfish sailors enjoy the sun and water during a recent Sailfish race hosted by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. (Photo by A. Nony Mouse)

Amundsen's unnecessary word was Celsius as degrees F or C are the same at -40. More next week.

The Charlevoix Yacht Club "New Boundaries" Regatta is Aug. 4 with the first warning signal set for 11 a.m. JAM and Spinnaker Racing Fleets as well as a Fun Fleet for recreational sailors follows, at 4 p.m., with a big party and pig roast at the club. Call Judy at 347-7225 or Linda at 231-537-4484 for information.

Summer Sunday Sailfish Series: No results yet but it was a good opening day except, from here, it looked like Tom Barnes won all four races. 1 p.m. next Sunday!

The Charlevoix Yacht Club is closed Friday. Enjoy the fantastic Venetian Fireworks display on Lake Charlevoix: expect the greatest show ever seen this side of Latitude 45 degrees north. Many thanks to the Venetian Festival Committee and its many contributors.

We hereby give a special salute to the club's own Dan Barron, the committee chairman!

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

Charlevoix Junior Golf competition results

The Charlevoix County junior golf program had its traditional week of skill testing and competition with the following results.

In the putting tournament Allen Brooks and Adam Wager tied for first place for the 14 and over age division. In the 12-13 years bracket, there was a tie between Jacob Kirby, Tyler Luchtefeld and Kyle

Smith. Madison Pache topped the 10-11 year old division. It was Nikki Spiegel and Kyle Shomin sharing the 8-9 year old championship.

In the chipping skill testing, Greg Wager won the over 14-year-old flight. Ivan Parker easily bested the competition for 12-13 year olds. For the 10-11 year olds, Nick Gersch emerged the winner and for the

nine-year-olds Doug Reynolds and Tyler Manning tied.

In the pitching event, Bill Foster easily won the 14 and up division. In the 12-13 years group it was tied between Brian Livingston, Kevin Kusina, Jarod Kirby and Chris

Waha. The 10-11 years division went to Jay Cahill and Justin Berman who tied.

The popular program again has over 200 youngsters registered and will finish the season in the next two weeks with tournaments.



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Recreation Department
'Slo-pitch' results

The following are the latest reported results for the Charlevoix Recreation Department's men's and women's "slo-pitch" leagues.

Women's July 19
• Daman Electric beat Subway, 11-5.

• Oma's beat Kinetics, 8-5.
• Fieldcrest Inn beat Boyne Valley Hydroseed, 15-3.
• Charlevoix Fence Company beat Fleet Construction, 15-3.

July 17
• Charlevoix Fence Company beat Kwikee, 13-10.
• Boyne Valley Hydroseed beat Fleet Construction, 20-12.

• Oma's beat Bajos Building, 23-15.
• Kinetics beat Subway, 20-3.

Men's July 17
• Crown Motors beat Grey Gables, 19-7.
• Top Rank/Flight Deck beat Ace Hardware, 10-6.

• Site Planning beat Lakeshore, 8-6.
July 16
• La Senorita beat Site Planning, 23-3.

• Crown Motors beat Top Rank/Flight Deck, 10-9.
• Ace Hardware beat Grey Gables, 15-3.

The top 10 women's slo-pitch batting averages:
1) Katie Goodwin, of Fleet Construction, with an average of .783.

2) Trina Vanderark, of Bajos Building, with an average of .696.

3) Tie: Denyce Dean, of Fleet Construction, with an average of .680 and Janelle Kavanaugh, of Fieldcrest Inn, with an average of .680.

4) Tie: Casey Krause, of Boyne Valley Hydroseed, and Stephanie

Stever, also of Boyne Valley Hydroseed, both with an average of .667.

5) Trista Simon, of Fieldcrest Inn, with an average of .655.

6) Shelly Carson, of Charlevoix Fence Company, with an average of .652.

7) Kendra Ridall, of Fleet Construction, with an average of .650.

8) Beth Dore, of Charlevoix Fence Company, with an average of .633.

9) Kristina Nelson, of Bajos Building, with an average of .632.
10) Linda Ciuk, of Boyne Valley Hydroseed, with an average of .625.

The top 10 men's slo-pitch batting averages:

1) Scott Dixon, of Top Rank/Flight Deck, with an average of .727.

2) Chad Closson, of Ace Hardware, with an average of .667.

3) Brian Aenis, of Crown Motors, with an average of .643.

4) Roger Vanniman, of Top Rank/Flight Deck, with an average of .615.

5) Tie: Scott Kehrler, of Top Rank/Flight Deck, and Ron Harris of Grey Gables, both with an average of .600.

6) Heath Meir, of Ace Hardware, with an average of .588.

7) Tie: Josh Harris, of the Coast Guard, Matt Sura, of La Senorita and Bret Erskine, of Grey Gables, all with an average of .633.

8) Bob Sandahl, of Crown Motors, with an average of .579.

9) Tie: Jim Friant, of Crown Motors, and Jeff Smith, of Top Rank/Flight Deck, both with an average of .571.

10) Tie: Mike Dean, of Ace Hardware, and Lance Sapp, of the Coast Guard, both with an average of .563.

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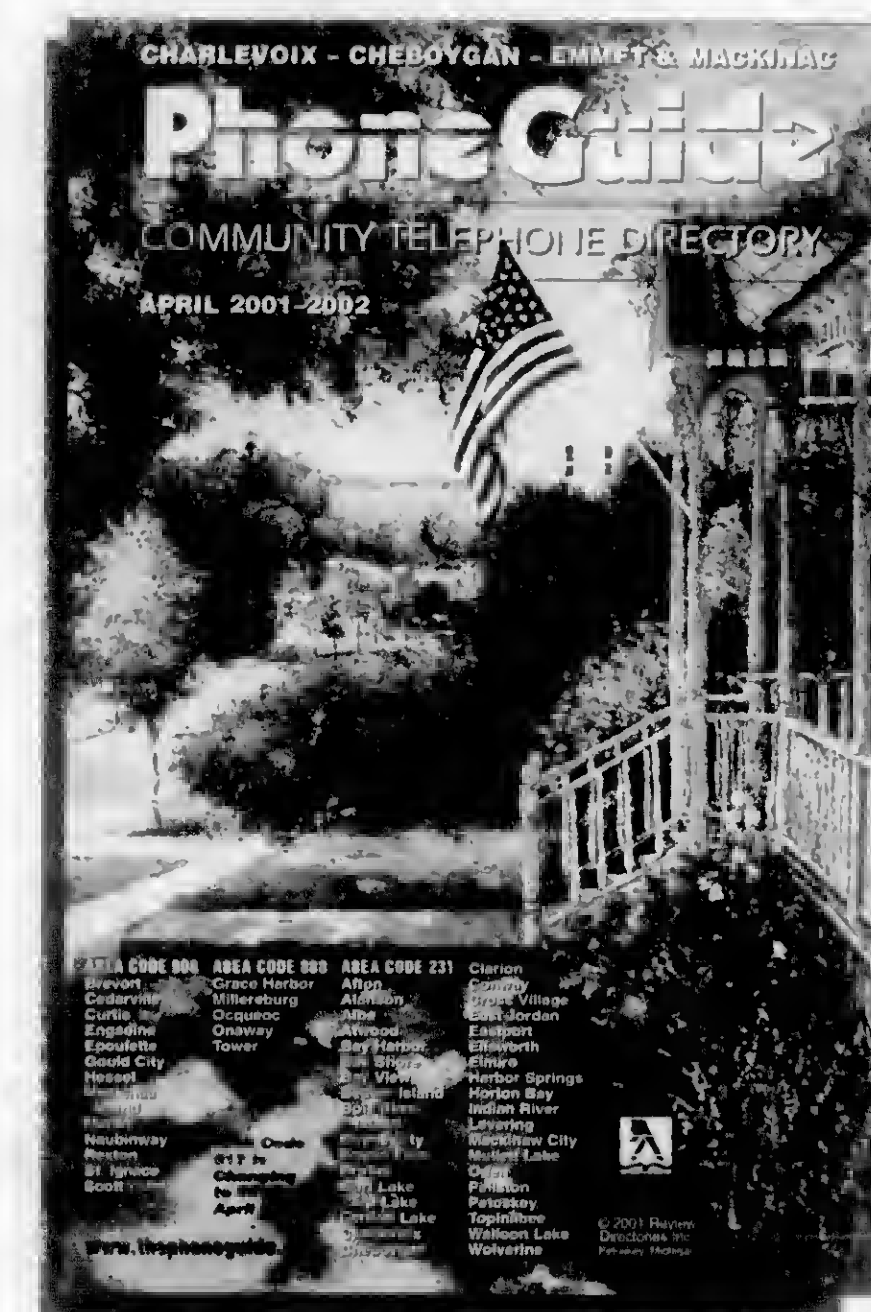
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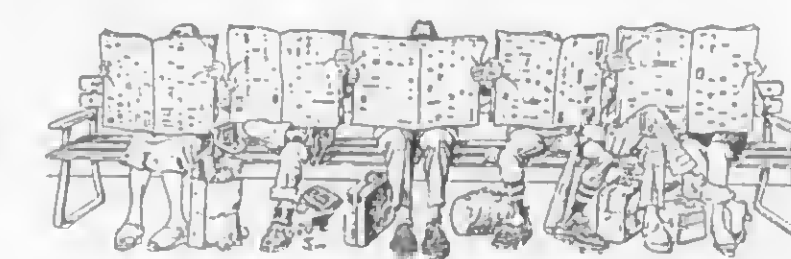
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First ever Venetian Disc Golf results

The first ever Venetian Games Mt. McSaubia Disc Golf event was given on a new course at the city owned recreation area July 22.

Players enjoyed hot, humid conditions. The event raised \$200 for the Charlevoix County Land Conservancy.

Thirty players showed up for the round robin, best shot doubles game at 10:30 a.m. Ryan Willis and partner Joe Short shot a two under (52) to win the Novice Division from the short tees. After a play-off hole, the team of Mark Grzesiak and Marc Dohm won the advanced game over Ben Babb and Ric Evans with a three under (51) from the long tees.

At 3 p.m. 22 players participated in a "bring your own partner" doubles match.

Two Novice Division teams competed from the short tees with Jeremy Welzein and Chuck Metzger shooting a 64 to win a nice prize package. From the long tees, nine teams competed. Harry Kitchen and Jim Brady finished third shooting a 55. John Wilson and Ric Evans took second place with a 54 and father/son team, T.R. and Tom Pluister shot a three under (51) to win cash and prizes.

Event organizers wish to thank the city of Charlevoix for their help in building the Mt. McSaubia Disc Golf Course. The course will stay in the ground until further notice. The course is free to play.

For more information about Disc Golf in Northern Michigan contact Ric Evans at (231) 588-7114 or Tom Pluister at (231) 348 0847 or visit www.nmdso.org.

The first ever Venetian Games Disc Golf event was supported by: Ohio Hempery, Panworld Traders, Traverse Brewing Company, Northern Michigan Disc Golf Sports Organization and was a Greener Planet Production.

Complete Results

Total Participants: 37

First Round: Novice Division

Nick Martincheck and Todd Olson 53

Ryan Willis and Joe Short 52

First Round: Advanced Division

Jake Potter and Bear Boss 65

Shain Cischke and Brad Nortley 62

T.J. Christiansen and Chuck Borg 60

Josh Wilson and Erich Hannah 60

Drew Belding and T.R. Pluister 59

Chuck Metzger and Sam Sherwood 59

Jeremiah Burdett and Preston Parish 57

Tom Pluister and Bo Boss 56

John Kilkenny and Rob Roach 56

Ric Evans and Ben Babb 51

Mark Grzesiak and Marc Dohm 51

(WINNER — playoff hole)

Second Round: Novice Division

Lea Hough and David Skeel 69

Jeremy Welzein and Chuck Metzger 64

Second Round: Advanced Division

Preston Parish 68

Drew Belding and Jake Potter 62

Shain Cischke and Jeremiah Burdett 61

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Venetian Festival golf tournament results

In the Venetian Games golf tournament, the Carey Cup — in memory of the popular long-time manager of the Charlevoix Municipal Course, Keith Carey — the Junior Division winners have emerged in most age brackets while the adult division leaders are moving towards the finish line.

In the 8-9 age bracket medal play tournament: Kyle Parker and Ryan Halloran shared first place among the boys while Ellie McFalls won the girls division. Nate Triplehorn captured the boys 10-11 age bracket while Kara Parker and Becca Madison tied for the girls' title. Ivan Parker won the boys' 12-13 years division while Zita Anderson and Kendra Spencer tied for the girls. Allen Brooks and Megan Cahill won their respective divisions in the 14-17 age bracket.

In the adult division, in the Championship Flight the quarterfinal matches being played find David Shearer versus Allen Brooks, Aaron Gaffney playing Steve Seeley, Scott Blechel meeting Jordan Nystrom and Joe Battle playing Bud Klooster.

In the first flight, Don Hardy has advanced and will meet Jim Harvey. Dennis Dominic plays Jack Parker, Dan Gillespie meets Jeff Kirby and Tom Dekorte awaits a winner and is in the semi-finals.

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Boaters reminded of firework's safety zones

The Charlevoix Venetian Festival Incorporated will sponsor fireworks displays on July 27 in Lake Charlevoix and July 28 in Round Lake in Charlevoix.

These displays will require safety zones to be established. These zones will be marked with orange buoys and will be in effect just prior to the arrival of the fireworks barge.

The barge is scheduled to arrive at both events at 1 p.m. Fireworks will begin at 10:15 p.m., July 27 and will last until 11 p.m. Fireworks are scheduled to begin at 10 p.m., July 28 and signal the start of the boat parade with a pause in fireworks while the parade makes its way through Round Lake. The boat parade and fireworks are scheduled to end at 11 p.m.

On July 28 anchoring in Round Lake will be limited to the extended anchorage area on the north side of Round Lake. A Venetian Festival ambassador boat along with the Coast Guard Auxiliary boats will be in Round Lake throughout the day to assist boaters and to provide information. The ambassador boat will be

monitoring Channel 9.

The United States Coast Guard, the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, Emmet County Sheriff's Department and the Department of Natural Resources will be patrolling Lake Charlevoix and Round Lake to ensure both federal and state compliance of the law.

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ing under the influence of alcohol. All vessels are cautioned to remain outside the safety zone unless they are granted permission to enter from the Coast Guard Patrol Commander. The safety zones will be disestablished at the conclusion of the fireworks.

There is only one goal, to ensure that boaters have a safe, enjoyable Venetian Festival.

Go! Fest to be at Charlevoix High School this August

This year's Go!Fest will take place Aug. 3 and 4 in the Charlevoix High School gym.

The festival will be conducted as three events. At 9 p.m. Aug. 3 there will be a multimedia presentation featuring DJs, musicians and visual artists collaborating to create a total immersion environment. From noon to 5 p.m. Aug. 4 there will be an open house with entertainment by local groups, films and tours of the high school studio.

At 7 p.m. that night there will be a concert featuring a variety of bands and performers. Headlining this year's show will be Soul Food from Chicago. Also appearing are Kalamazoo based Clockwork and Charlevoix's own, The Mural Project.

Tickets for the evening events are \$10. Advance two-day tickets are available for \$15 at Charlevoix Camera and Sweet Sam's. Festival proceeds will benefit the high school recording studio which was donated by Go! in 1998.

Go!Fest is a volunteer event and the group is looking for bands and DJs who would like to appear. For more information log on to

www.gofest.org or www.go-multimedia.net or call (231) 409-2030.

It is hosted by Go Multimedia, a not for profit company based in Charlevoix.

Go Multimedia is a production company run by local young people with the support of a board of directors. It has produced several CDs of local musicians and are active supporters of musicians and performance artists.

Go Multimedia has also elected four new members to the board of directors. Mike Corcoran, Gary Grundman, Gary Stutzman and Roger Waters were added to the board and the board accepted the resignation of Mark Muniak and Karl Gilewicz. Gary Stutzman was elected secretary and Roger Waters was elected treasurer.

Go Multimedia was started in 1998 with the donation of a recording studio to Charlevoix High School. There are now partnerships with Concord Academy and Crooked Tree Arts Center in Petoskey as well. Go Multimedia also sponsors a benefit called Go!Fest each year on the first weekend in August.

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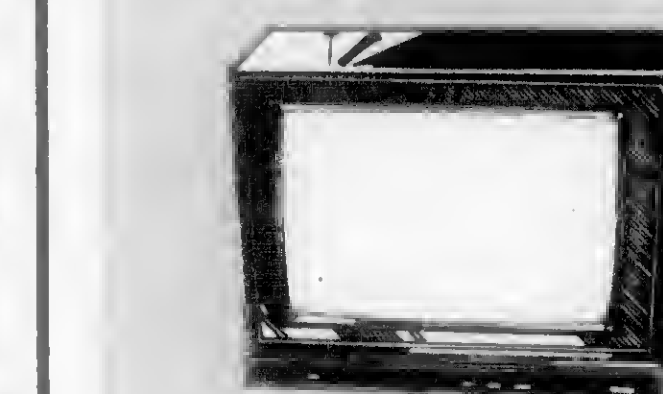
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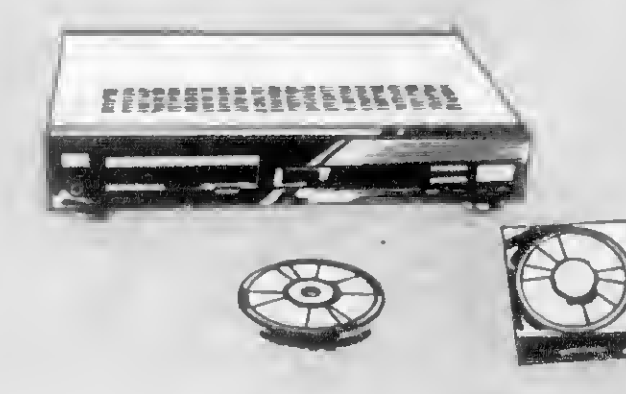
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PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE educated husband and wife looking for house to rent in Charlevoix area, have a neutered and declawed male cat. Can provide references for cat and husband. Both well trained. Please reply to Box 1075, c/o The Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

(7-11-11-175)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that by virtue of the power of sale contained in the mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on August 16, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. the undersigned will sell in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix at public

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(7-25-1-203)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE

WILLIAM AZKOU P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage made by John H. Moore and Josephine M. Morre, husband and wife, of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795 and Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, whose address is 2007 Eastern, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507, dated November 25, 1996, and recorded on March 6, 1997 in Liber 312, Page 0996 of the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds, and upon which there is now claimed to be due for principal and interest the sum of Twenty Four Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars (\$24,701.70) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt or any part thereof;

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COMMENCING AT A POINT 208 FEET

North of the Southeast corner of the East half of the Southeast quarter of Section 25, Township 32 North, Range 4 West; thence West 208 feet; thence North 208 feet; thence East 208 feet; thence South 208 feet to the place of beginning which has an address of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795.

The redemption period shall be six (6) months from the date of such sale, unless determined abandoned in accordance with MCL 600.3241 in which case the redemption period shall be thirty (30) days from the date of such sale.

Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation
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DATED: June 27, 2001
Drafted By:
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
DECEDENT'S ESTATE
FILE NO. 01-0101292-DE**

Estate of Ida Flora Welsheimer
Date of Birth: June 10, 1902

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Ida Flora Welsheimer, who lived at 301 Mason Street, Charlevoix, Michigan died July 3, 2001.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Fenn P. Welsheimer named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

July 19, 2001
Scott T. Beatty (P24202)

111 State Street, Suite 1
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-4059

Fenn P. Welsheimer
24 Willowdale Drive, North
Lancaster, PA 17602-1440
(717)394-6617

LEGAL NOTICE 210

NORTHERN MICHIGAN SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, INC. is seeking proposals for the provision of designated youth tobacco use prevention representative services in the service area of Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Lake, Leelanau, Manistee, Mason, Missaukee, Oceana and Wexford.

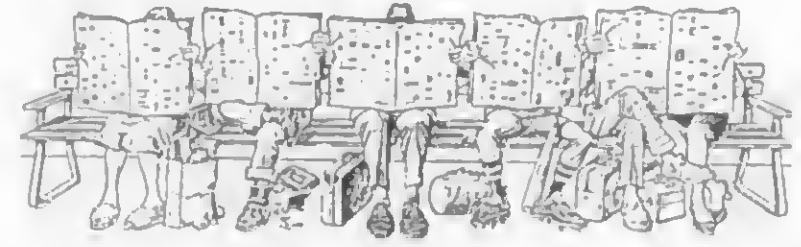
For Request for Proposal packets please contact: Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, Inc., 1165 Elkview, Suite #1, P.O. Box 1278, Gaylord, MI 49735, (989)732-1791.

Packets must be requested not later than 4 p.m. on August 1, 2001. Federal and State funding has been provided to support in the project costs.

Sincerely,
Dennis M. Priess
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AREA ENTERTAINMENT

Headline

Cookbook author Deanna House is returning to Charlevoix Area Hospital for another cooking demonstration and speaking presentation Aug. 9.

House was at the hospital in April when she spoke about heart healthy cooking. At that presentation she introduced her audience to several soy recipes. Surveys after her presentation showed that the audience wanted House to come back and provide more soy recipes.

She will be speaking on "Enjoy Soy" at 7 p.m. Aug. 9 in the dining room at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Tickets are \$5 per person, \$4 for people 65-years and older. Space is limited. Tickets may be purchased in advance by calling 547-8502.

Sunset cruise

The Fourth Annual Sunset Cruise sponsored by the Charlevoix Historical Society will take place on July 31. Boarding is approximately 8:15 p.m. with the boat departing promptly at 8:30 p.m. from the Beaver Island Boat Dock. A cash bar and hors d'oeuvres will be available on board as well as live music by the Bud Bechtold Quartet. The tickets are \$15. For further information please call 547-0373.



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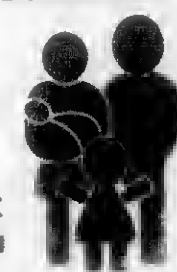
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Drenth Memorial Race

The Twenty-third Annual Venetian Festival Race/Drenth Memorial will be at 8 a.m., July 28 at Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street. Registration is 6 to 8 p.m., Friday or 7 to 8 a.m. July 28 at Mount McSaub. Entry Fee: \$15 per race before July 28 or \$20 per race on day of race. Special Family Rate: Pre-registered \$15 family rate for 1 mile race only. Awards: Plaques for male and female winners in each race. Masters plaques for 10k and 5k. Local merchants provide free T-shirts for all entrants. Aid stations for 5 k and 10 k races. Refreshments and food at the end of all races. Pickup entry forms at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

Open house at the pool

During Venetian week, in celebration of four successful years of aquatic activities for the Charlevoix area the Charlevoix Area Community Pool will have an open house from July 23-July 27 during the hours of 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Refreshments will be served. A special event will be the Third Annual Venetian Festival swim meet from 4-6:30 p.m. for swimmers of all ages (deadline to register is July 23). For more information, call the pool at 547-0982.

Stratford trip

The Jordan River Arts Council announced its venue for the annual Stratford, Ontario, Canada Theatre trip scheduled for the weekend of Sept. 28-30. Transportation is by motor coach and the trip leaves East Jordan on Friday at 4:30 and returns about midnight Sunday.

This year's participants can choose up to three performances from the following choices:

- Saturday afternoon**
 - Private Lives-A comedy/drama by Noel Coward
 - Twelfth Night-A comedy by William Shakespeare
- Saturday evening**
 - The Merchant of Venice-A comedy by William Shakespeare
 - Falstaff-Henry IV, Part 2 - A drama by William Shakespeare
- Sunday afternoon**
 - The Sound of Music - A musical by Rodgers and Hammerstein
 - Henry V - a drama by William Shakespeare

Shakespeare

Stratford also offers a shopping district and wide variety of eating choices.

The price is \$52 for transportation, \$41 per Theatre ticket and \$55 per night lodging. All funds are U.S. dollars and the lodging is based on double occupancy.

Interested parties can contact Barb Worgess at 536-2092 for more information or to sign up.

Ragamuffin Theatre

Eleventh Hour Outreach Ministries and Ragamuffin Theatre Troupe presents August 4, 5, and 6 - 7 p.m. - "The Anastasis" - climb on board for an unforgettable experience in theater. All events are at the Charlevoix Northwest Academy building, 115 W. Hurlbut St. For more information please call 237-9686.

Circus coming to town

East Jordan Rotary Club is presenting the Kelly Miller Circus from 2 to 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 18. Bring the kids out to the East Jordan Snowmobile Club and see an old fashioned circus. Come out early in the morning (9 a.m.) and watch the elephant raise the big top. Come back later for the show and see all of the dazzling people and animals that make up the circus.

Purchase your tickets in advance and save \$2 from circus day prices. Tickets can be purchased at the chamber offices, Jordan Valley Accounting at 111 Main St. or from any Rotarian. Watch for the ticket booth in downtown East Jordan at sidewalk sales on Aug. 17. For additional information please call Barb Worgess at 536-2092.

Children's Art Fair

The Children's Art Fair is asking all young artists to bring their art work to the library before Aug. 9 to have their work displayed at the Charlevoix Public Library Aug. 11.

Organist to perform

Kelly Hale, organist and performer, will present a virtuoso concert at the newly restored First Congregational Church of Charlevoix at 4 p.m. on Aug. 12. This will be the first time the public is invited to hear the completely refurbished organ recently re-installed at the church.

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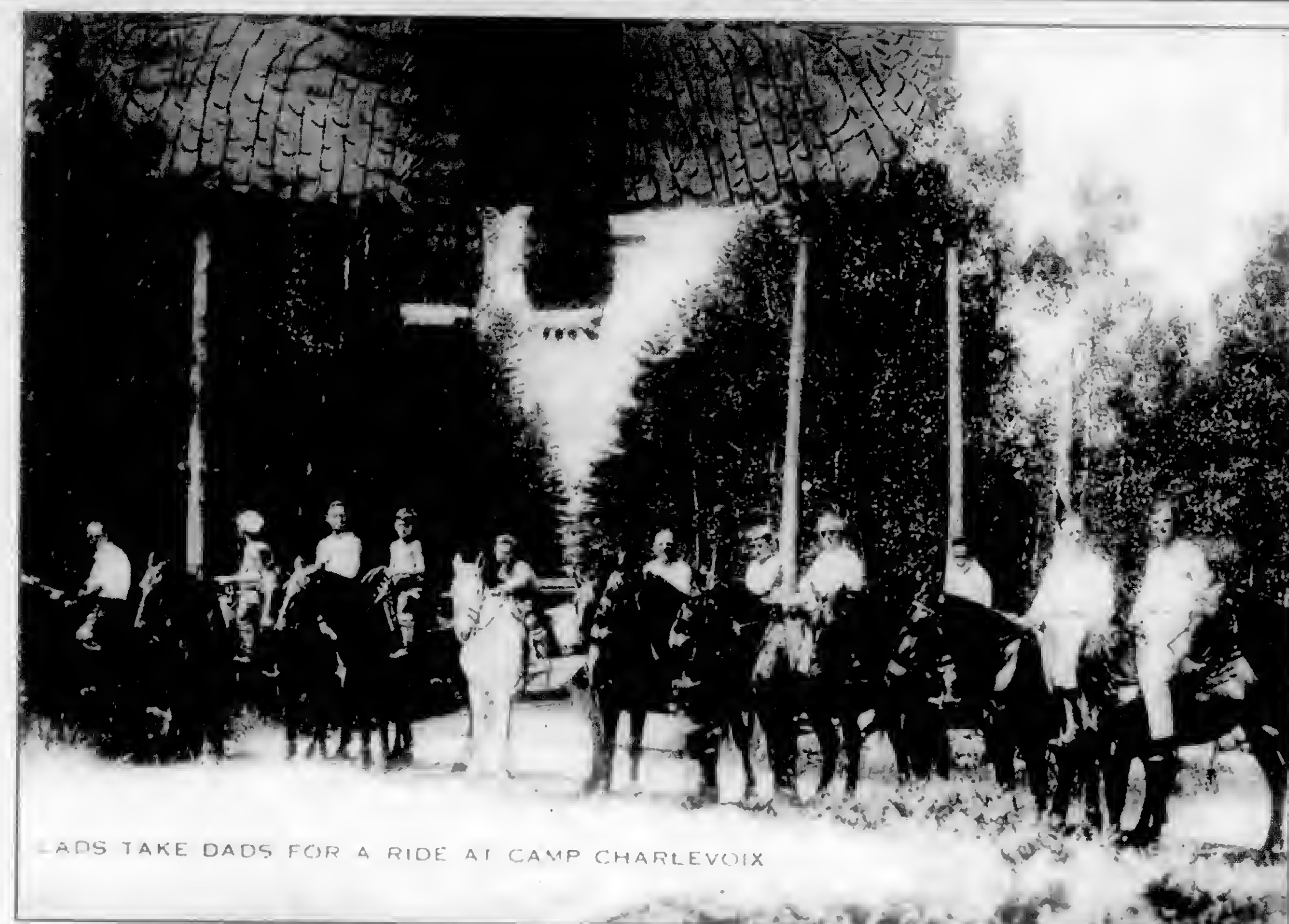
Camp Charlevoix welcomed 104 boys to a summer of fun and learning June 30. Already there and prepared to give them expert instruction a wide variety of skills and activities was a staff of 29 plus several persons to provide necessary services for the campers.

The staff includes many interested persons from all sections of the United States. From the Badlands of South Dakota came Byron Bradfield to teach campers to ride horses and rope calves as the real cowboys do it out west. From the Michigan woods came "The Hermit" Howard Schwartz, to instruct campers in the art of camping in the wild, tracking and trapping wild animals, blazing trails and many other phases of camping — skills which he learned by actually living in the woods for several years. He is widely known as a competent trapper, camper and guide. From other sections of the country have come competent instructors in all athletics, handicraft, sailing, canoeing, ceramics, riflery and many other skills and activities.

The campers are from Florida to New York, from Louisiana to Wisconsin. They arrived by bus, train, car, and even by airplane. Saturday night they were entertained by the traditional pillow fights, the contestants fighting while sitting astride waxed poles. Chapel and vesper services were held Sunday in the lodge around the fireplace. Later services will be conducted in the boys' own chapel in the woods.

The head staff of the camp is composed of veteran campers Jack "Mickey" Maguire, who returns for his third season and who will direct the athletic program and be head of the seniors; Jim Smith, returning for his second season who heads the intermediate section; and "Chris" Christopher the oldest of the staff, who returns for his fourth season of camping and who heads the junior section; Fred Kreuger, director of activities, serving in this capacity for the second time; and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. Reimann, directors and owners of the camp. Dr. Kenneth Campbell of the University of Michigan hospital staff and Mrs. Mildred Vandenberg are in charge of the health needs of the camp.

Monday was a busy day for the campers — they met those who instruct in the various skills and activities, and were told what to look forward to in those fields. Then they chose their activities for the first week, no easy matter, with such interesting activities to choose from as horseback riding, riflery, canoeing, handicraft, ce-



This print is from a postcard with a postage stamp from 1938. The writer of the postcard spoke of the fun the boys at Camp Charlevoix were having, especially riding the horses. The postcard was addressed to Miss Jeanne M. Norris of Ann Arbor and was signed "Pearle R." In the picture, boys from the camp are seen taking their fathers for a horse ride. (Courtesy of Cynthia Postmus)

ramics, tennis, sailing, dramatics and many others.

The Green and Grey Leagues took shape Monday night and promise good competition in softball, basketball and volleyball. The names of captains of the Green and Grey teams will be announced later. The Fourth of July will be the occasion for a track meet between the Green and Grey teams.

July 4, 1945, The Charlevoix Courier

OFFICIAL OPENING OF BATH HOUSE SUNDAY

PROGRAM AT LAKE MICHIGAN BATHING BEACH

Celebration Sponsored by City Officials for Inspection New Entertainment Facility

Charlevoix will celebrate the official opening of the new municipal bath house on Lake Michigan bathing beach with an informal program next Sunday, July 8.

One of the numerous benefits the national administration provided through its welfare relief efforts, the bath house, originally

started under the CWA and completed as a federal emergency relief project, gives Charlevoix one of the most up-to-date and complete bathing beaches in northern Michigan.

Built of native limestone and of attractive design, the bath house accommodations include everything modern — shower baths, toilets, dressing rooms, etc. A concession operated under lease by Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Crouse of Sandusky, Ohio is complete and up to the minute in every respect.

The grounds surrounding the bath house have been landscaped and beautified. Shrubs and trees have been set out, the lawns seeded and a roadway with sufficient parking space for automobiles, built encircling the building. Immediately to the north of the bath house is the playground equipment which provides the finishing touch to a complete bathing beach.

Sunday's program, designed more than anything else to draw citizens to the bathing beach to inspect the new layout, will open at 1:30 o'clock with a parade in which the city band, Legion bugle and drum corps and automobiles

will participate. A program of swimming races and water sports is being arranged and the city band will give two concerts, one in the afternoon and another in the evening at 8 o'clock. With the program still in the making, all details cannot be announced at this time.

City officials desire that citizens attend the program Sunday afternoon and thus avail themselves of the opportunity to inspect Charlevoix's newest entertainment facility.

July 4, 1934 Charlevoix Courier

MANITOU CREW ON A STRIKE

Threaten to Desert Ship Sunday at Local Dock

Because of the alleged unwholesome food and lodging, the stewards, oilers, engineers, firemen and lookout-men of the steamship, Manitou, threatened to desert the boat at the local docks here early Sunday afternoon.

The crew numbered about 20, the majority of them being high school students, who evidently

could not endure the deficient appropriations. Their complaint was precisely one that created a typical hunger strike. For two days, they declared their meals were composed of shredded wheat biscuits, oatmeal and condensed milk as a constituent. Some complained of infested bunks, and that the bedding was not changed for weeks.

It does not appear quite possible that such conditions could exist on passenger boats of modern navigation. We learn, however, that the captain was not aware of these conditions and immediately proposed a conference at the dock. After an hour of deliberation the conclusions were such as to affect a reconciliation and the crew, headed by the chief engineer, returned to their respective duties.

July 18, 1923 Charlevoix Courier

Editor's note: These articles were compiled by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Area Library.

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Inside...

House fire



A house fire last week left a Charlevoix couple without a home.

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Cedar Ridge

A decision keeping Waste Management from expanding its Cedar Ridge landfill in Charlevoix was upheld recently by court opinion. The landfill is expected to be capped this fall.

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Lucia's story



The Charlevoix Historical Society will be hosting a discussion of the ship Lucia Simpson on Aug. 7 at the Depot museum.

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Festival of fun

Venetian Festival ends soggy but successful

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

City and Venetian Festival officials said the 71st annual week-long festival filled with two nights of fireworks, 28 bands, a carnival and games around every corner went off without a hitch.

President of Charlevoix Venetian Festival Inc., Dan Barron explained that aside from minor complications associated with pulling off an event of this magnitude, this year was smooth sailing.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner also said he had no Venetian related mishaps to report.

Charlevoix Venetian Festival Inc. has been in charge of planning for the event for the last three years. During that time many additions have been made that have extended the festival from three days to one full week, two nights of fireworks, a craft courtyard, games and more.

"When we received the festival from the (Chamber of Commerce) there were a couple dozen volunteers; now there are more than 300. We've quickly evolved into a true community organization," Barron said.

Barron said his personal Venetian favorite is the boat parade and harbor fireworks which, despite rainy conditions, still saw a substantial turnout. This year, Barron said he observed the parade and fireworks from the barge where they started.

"It was absolutely awesome; the intensity of the light turned the water an amazing shade of blue," he said.

Speaking of fireworks, some may be wondering why Friday's fireworks display was so spectacular. Well, Barron offered two reasons: First, you literally get more bang for more bucks.

See VENETIAN, page 15



Among the many events taking place at this year's Venetian Festival was the annual crowning of the Venetian Queen. (Left) This year's queen is Katie Romig, 18, daughter of Marjorie Romig and Paul Romig of Charlevoix. (Below) Fireworks lit up the night sky over Lake Charlevoix and Round Lake on July 27. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



Even the audience members at this year's Venetian Festival helped fill the air with music. (Above) Hassan El-Amin, of Ann Arbor, shows Kenzi Cunningham, 1, of Charlevoix, how to keep beat. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Louis John Speigl, 70, Boyne City. Boyne City ordinance violation — keeping animal/fowl in city. Fines and costs totaling \$100.

Thomas Arthur Hanggi, 66, East Jordan. Disorderly person drunk; and trespassing. Jail for five days with credit for two days, serve three days; \$100 in fines and costs.

Albert James Grams Jr., 24, Charlevoix. Carrying a dangerous weapon with unlawful intent; and malicious destruction of property, \$1,000 or more, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

Dana Eugene Crandell, 40, Boyne Falls. Malicious destruction of property, less than \$200. Fines and costs totaling \$220.

Cheryl Elaine Stephens, 42, East Jordan. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

John Andrew Labrecque, 36, East Jordan. Disorderly person drunk. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

John Andrew Labrecque, 36, East Jordan. Disorderly person drunk. Six months probation; 90 days in jail, 90 days held in abeyance; \$190 in fines and costs.

Frederick Victor Wabanimeek, 52, Charlevoix. Allowing an unlicensed minor to drive; and motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. One year probation; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 74 days held in abeyance.

Dillon Christopher Antaya, 21, East Jordan. Disorderly person drunk. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Matthew Edward Keating, 30, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend;

56 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Joseph Michael Murphy, 36, East Jordan. No operator's license on person. Jail for five days, serve five days; \$435 in fines and costs.

Joshua Charles Blaauw, 20, Mount Pleasant. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Amanda Jo Yoclacki, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Aaron Steven Hankins, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Amber Grace Crumback, 17, Grand Rapids. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Michael Christopher Podgorski, 22, Beaver Island. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$350.

Joseph Allan Nelson, 18, Boyne City. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Kenneth David Bowen, 24, Mount Pleasant. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Brenton Allen Rake, 18, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or more. One year probation; 10 days of community service work; \$340 in fines and costs.

Charles Antwine Taylor, 18, Boyne Falls. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Aaron Spencer Clayton, 17, Colorado Springs, Colo. Minor in possession of alcohol. Forty hours of community service work; \$100 in fines and costs.

Stephen Anthony Truitt, 17, Colorado Springs, Colo. Minor in possession of alcohol. Forty hours of community service work; \$100 in fines and costs.

Theodore Stettler Felter II, 24, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 45 days held in abeyance; \$965 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Idea's Computer Services, 216 Kipke Lane, Charlevoix, by Carlos Lopez

Cherry Nails, 181 North M-66 Highway, Charlevoix, by Lieu Nguyen

Northern Utility Contractors, 06474 Bay Shore West, Charlevoix, by Doug Nitchman

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Albert James Grams, 45, Charlevoix and Lynette Deann Nalett, 39, Charlevoix

Jonathan James Cupp, 30, Charlevoix and Jenée Lynn Boone, 22, East Jordan

James Ivan Nichols, 36, East Jordan and Lisa Renee Cesaro, 33, East Jordan

David Bruce Woodward, 50, Charlevoix and Debra Sue Waldron, 39, Charlevoix

Michael Gordon Dhaseleer, 24, Boyne City and Janelle Marie Kassien, 22, Boyne City

Grant Patrick Willems, 31, Green Bay, Wis. and Tracey Lee Miller, 30, Green Bay, Wis.

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Veterans reunited after 49 years apart

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

A Charlevoix veteran of the Korean War was recently reunited with two of his comrades after 49 years.

Pete McKenzie, a long-time Charlevoix resident, fought in the Korean War in 1952. It was in Korea that he met Richard Pixler and Bob Keller, his lieutenant. The three men quickly became close friends.

However, when McKenzie returned home in 1953, he and his two friends completely lost touch. It seemed as though the men would never speak again, until the intervention of another soldier in their battalion.

"This fellow retired and needed something to pass the time. He got on the internet and set out to locate as many of the 30 of us that fought together," McKenzie said. The man — Richard Gram of Chicago, Ill. — called each of the men and sent them lists of the phone numbers of the men that he had found.

Pixler, who lives in Iowa, then contacted McKenzie, and the two

of them contacted Keller, who is a retired professor at the University of Wisconsin. The three decided to meet in Madison, Wis., Keller's hometown.

McKenzie anxiously awaited the meeting and described himself as "tickled to death" with the opportunity to be reunited with his two close friends.

McKenzie and Pixler arrived in Madison on June 20. The three men and their wives went out to lunch. Keller then showed his visitors around the campus of the university and presented each man with a gift that he had acquired during his travels.

Keller's gift to McKenzie was a "jewelry box" made in Korea over 300 years ago that is traditionally passed down through the heads of the family.

"Bob (Keller) doesn't have any children and he figured that I would pass it on to mine," said McKenzie.

Overall, the meeting was a success. "The three of us were quite close, but you never know how much people change," McKenzie said. "We all sounded the same as



Richard Pickler, Bob Keller and Pete McKenzie, all Korean War veterans, were recently reunited after 49 years apart. (Courtesy photo)

we did 50 years ago. We looked pretty much the same too, just with a little more weight."

The men plan on keeping in touch.

"I've already received a letter from Richard (Pixler), and my wife and I suspect that the Pixlers will be visiting soon," McKenzie said.

McKenzie also foresees meeting more of his former comrades, or maybe even having a reunion. "I hope to meet with as many of the other people as I can," he said.

Venetian boat parade results

The results for the Seventy-first Venetian Festival Grand Electrical Boat Parade on July 28 are in.

The winners of the parade are: Director's choice — dockside judging

First place — AMARA, with the theme "Gilligan's Island." It is a 55 foot Chris Craft owned by Roy Nichols that has a home port in Traverse City.

Second place — TROUBLE, with the theme "Polynesian Village." It is a 46 foot Sea Ray owned by Tom Beckering that has a home port in Grand Haven.

Third place — KEYED UP, with the theme "McHale's Navy." It is a 40 foot Sea Ray owned by Bob Tassell that has a home port in Grand Haven.

Small Boat Fleet — Under 40 feet in length

First place — APOTHECARY, with the theme "Participating Parade Since 1937." It is a 26 foot Pearson owned by Frank Ochs that has a home port in Charlevoix.

Second place — M.Y. BUGS, with the theme "Hawaiian Luau (Venetian Style)." It is a 36 foot Carver owned by Gary Collier that

has a home port in Traverse City.

Third place — CYGNET, with the theme "Penguin Party." It is a 22 foot Hunter owned by Dan Long with a home port in Boyne City.

Large Boat Fleet — 40 feet in length and over

First place — SWAT, with the theme "Spreading the Captain to the South Seas." It is a 50 foot Sea Ray owned by Jack Van Loon that has a home port in Grand Haven.

Second place — AMARA, with the theme "Gilligan's Island."

Third place — TROUBLE, with the theme "Polynesian Village."

Correction

The photo caption in last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier on page 24 should have described the pictured boats as Sunfish and stated that the event was sponsored by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. Additionally, the story should have stated "Congratulations to Tom and Linda Orlow and the rest of the Douglas Lake sailors on putting on a very successful event."

Also a phone number was reported incorrectly in the photo caption for the Charlevoix Area Community Pool auction. The phone number should have been 582-0486.

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OPINIONS

What should we do about drugs in school?

The responses are in from last month's "What do you think?" question and it appears that readers are: A) Too busy to respond or B) didn't care about the topic.

The question was: What do you think about the Charlevoix Venetian Festival? We received one official response.

The only official response was from Kay and Don Heise of Charlevoix. They wrote: "The music has been fantastic. Kudos to the organizing committee." From our conversations with various people on the street while covering the festival, people seem to enjoy the festival and have a very good time at it.

Therefore, we congratulate the Charlevoix Venetian Festival on a job well done and wish them continued success with future festivals.

On to the next "What do you think?" topic.

Since August is the time when families are getting ready for another school year or preparing to send their children off to various colleges, school related topics are on everyone's minds. One of the biggest topics today is drugs.

According to a survey conducted last year, drugs seem to be rearing their ugly heads in

What do you think?

our local schools. But, what do you think we should do about it? Is it even something we can address?

Therefore, this month's question is "What do we do about drugs in schools?" We want to know what you think and what are your ideas for solving this problem.

Come on folks, this is a big issue that we should be addressing as a community. We need your ideas to solve it. Don't just sit around complaining about it. Now is your chance to voice your opinion publicly.

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The deadline for responses is Aug. 24.

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What is a stem cell and why should we be concerned?



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

What are stem cells anyway and why should anyone be concerned about them?

To answer the second question first, George W. Bush and his advisors are in the process of trying to decide whether federal dollars should be spent on human stem cell research. Congress could potentially overturn the president's decision, whatever it is.

The decision is not about whether stem cell research will continue, but whether the federal government should fund it. The research will go on whatever the president's decision might be, but it would certainly be slower without federal funding.

We should probably all be concerned about the appropriate expenditure of our tax dollars.

"What are stem cells" is a more complicated question. Stem cells generally are those cells of an organism that are as yet undecided about what they will become: Whether they will become skin or bone, muscle or pancreas, brain or stomach.

Most stem cells are present in

very early embryos, when the embryos consist of only a few cells. At this early stage of development each cell is capable of becoming almost anything, including a whole organism.

Many years ago a careful researcher separated the early stage stem cells of frog embryos and demonstrated that each of the separated cells could develop finally into a whole frog. Something similar occurs naturally in the formation of identical twins in humans.

By the time an embryo consists of more than a few hundred cells, decisions have already been made about which cells will become skin and which will help form the stomach. Cells of any mammal are, long before birth, mostly committed to a particular path of development that cannot easily be altered. Stem cells by contrast have the potential to become any part of the organism.

Stem cells can be grown and maintained in glass dishes in a laboratory. Properly stimulated they can be caused to become many different kinds of cells. Theoretically they could be caused to become pancreas cells, or nerve cells or muscle cells or almost any other kind. It is this capacity to grow into worthwhile cells that makes them so valuable.

For a serious diabetic, new pancreas cells would mean an essential permanent cure of the disease. For someone with Parkinson's Disease, new brain cells of a particular kind could alleviate the symptoms of the disease or eliminate it completely.

The potential of human stem cells to cure serious human disease of many kinds is nearly unlimited.

The legal question is about whether human stem cells should have some rights accorded human beings under the law.

Each stem cell is a potential human being, given the right circumstances. The right circumstances are the successful placement of the stem cells into a human uterus. Without the uterus, the stem cells are only cells that can be grown in a dish and with further research can dramatically increase our capacity to cure human suffering.

If we somehow were to declare human stem cells as fully human under the law, no such research would be possible without facing the prospect of being charged with murder for discarding a dish of stem cells.

Those valuable cells do not deserve the full protection of the law, but they do deserve the respect given anything with a life. Such respect does not preclude research, it only requires that research be done with care and concern for the living things involved.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Thank you Muellers, shame on real estate agents
Editor:

As a lover of what Charlevoix the Beautiful means, I want to thank Linda and Richard Mueller for what they are doing. They are restoring a part of Charlevoix's beautiful and interesting history - Castle Farms — the Loeb estate.

Anyone not familiar with the true story of Leopold and Loeb's

attempt to commit the perfect crime, should check Meyer Levin's book "Compulsion" from the library. Clarence Darrow, the famous evolution/"monkey trial" attorney, and Charlevoix, played important parts in this "Crime of Our Century."

In contrast, what the Muellers are doing for Charlevoix is what some local realtors are doing to Charlevoix's downtown.

Well known resident realtors are leasing stores on Bridge Street to whoever puts the cash in their hands. No regard is being given to the quality or reputation of these 90 day leasers.

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think about what kind of visitors are being attracted to our town by these hand written signs, scotch taped to storefront windows. Walk in the downtowns of Petoskey, Bay Harbor or Harbor Springs and see the quality of stores we once offered.

I feel bad for the older, traditional Charlevoix merchants, who have stuck it out and now face trying to sell their quality merchandise to a changing level of buyer walking our downtown.

Shame on our local realtors who have less regard for what Charlevoix should continue to be, than the Muellers, from far away in Mississippi.

Larry Freedman
Charlevoix

Excited for 'Wolf Park'

Editor:

I stand at the brink of something exciting. After having graduated in June, the journey of my life will really begin - in Indiana.

Surrounded by cornfields, an oasis exists in the form of Wolf Park. This special non-profit organization raises wolves for the purpose of behavioral research. Their studies have helped many animals, in captive and wild settings, and I will be part of this.

On Aug. 20 I leave for a 3 month

internship at Wolf Park. Once there, my jobs will vary from making supplemental "meatballs" for the older wolves to helping gather roadkill and farmer donated calves for wolf consumption, as well as the less glamorous job of cleaning up wolf scats!

While there I have the opportunity to carry out a research project with the wolves. Being at Wolf Park will hopefully help me decide between my two career considerations, research biologist or zookeeper.

The park is also open to the public 6 days a week, so I will be guiding tours and running the gift shop. They also have a newsletter, which I may write articles for. But, of course, the best part of my stay will be the ability to socialize with the wolf, a beautiful and sadly rare creature in our world.

I can hardly wait until Aug. 20 rolls around!

Jeannette Bohm
Charlevoix

Not all visitors are 'Fudgies'

Editor:

I would like to extend to your readers and year-round residents of Charlevoix and its environs a long over-due thank you for the many years of pleasure that my family and I have experienced each summer season while visiting your beautiful area.

In the 1950s my mother came to the Charlevoix area as a working university student who provided summer home care to an elderly resident. She

was generously allowed use of the car on her days off, and was urged to familiarize herself with the area. In doing so she developed life long affection for Charlevoix which remains rooted in our extended family today.

After her marriage, mom brought my dad to Charlevoix to share with him the beautiful beaches, vistas, sunsets and views which she had enjoyed in the previous years. Our family album boasts many photos taken on the Michigan Beach. One of these photos shows mom in a stylish sun hat and huge beach cover up (8 months pregnant with me).

As a child, our family trips "up north" continued. One of my greatest delights was our time spent in Stroud's cabins, combing the beaches of lake Charlevoix and Michigan for Petoskey stones, watching the sunsets and then combing the gift shops in town with mom and dad.

In time, I too brought my family to Charlevoix. This August my husband and I will be bringing our grandson to the area to begin a fourth generation of summer fun.

I ask the residents of your lovely town to keep in mind that all of the summer visitors are not "Fudgies," or "amplified proportioned" jay-walkers. We, as many civilized others, have shopped for groceries along side of you, followed the rules of the road, waited in line patiently in traffic and in gas stations with you, despaired of over development with you, and sympathized over the quantity of noisy and rude guests impacting

"Charlevoix the Beautiful." But mostly, we have returned from year to year to quietly enjoy the delights of the area while monetarily supporting local vendors and businesses.

Your readership is fortunate to live in such a caring, gifted and beautiful community. All we guests ask is to share in those gifts with you for just a

little while and that the residents realize that from the west coast, to the east coast, on or off of the continent "the public" can be rude anywhere.

P.S. — By the way, where do the residents of Charlevoix vacation (thus becoming guests elsewhere) anyway? Rebeka Ozolins-Ceravolo
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Wojan — Kennel

Tiffany Jayne Wojan, of Big Rapids, and Eric Carl Kennel, of Islamorada, Fla., are engaged to be married. Tiffany is the daughter of Robert and Keri Wojan of Charlevoix. Eric is the son of William Kennel of Waterford and Angela Warren of Lansing.

A wedding is being planned for September 2001 in Detroit. The bride-to-be is a 2000 graduate of Ferris State University with a degree in business administration.

The groom-to-be is a 1999 graduate of Ferris State University with a masters degree in criminal justice. He is currently serving as a third class petty officer in the U.S. Coast Guard.



Chamberlain — Creanga

Rebecca Anne Chamberlain, of Charlevoix, and Ovidiv Creanga, of Oradea, Romania, are engaged to be married.

Rebecca is the daughter of Sherman A. Chamberlain, Jr. of Charlevoix and Connie Kay Chamberlain of Redford.

Ovidiv is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gheorghe Creanga of Oradea, Romania.

A wedding is being planned for Sept. 8, 2001 at the Evangelical Church of Good News in Osijek, Croatia.

The bride-to-be is a 1995 graduate of Charlevoix High School and a 1999 graduate of Wheaton Col-

lege in Norton, Mass. She was also the 2000-2001 Rotary International Ambassadorial Scholar to Croatia and was awarded the British Marshall Scholarship to study at the University College of London, England. She will use the scholarship to study for a masters degree in central and southeast European studies.

The groom-to-be was a youth minister at Maranatha Church in Oradea, Romania. He has a bachelor's degree in theology from Emmanuel Baptist University in Oradea, Romania and a masters degree in Old Testament Biblical studies from the University of Leeds in the United Kingdom.

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Basic training graduate

Army Private Sean S. Roberts has graduated from basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga. He is the son of Valerie Pedersen and David Kimble, both of Charlevoix. Roberts is a 1997 graduate of Charlevoix High School.



Masters degree

Tonya Mann, of Charlevoix, is among 41 students who earned a masters degree from the University of Wisconsin — Superior recently. Mann earned a masters of arts degree in visual arts.

Fisher named to dean's list

Tiffany Sloan Fisher, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the dean's list at Princeton University in New Jersey. She has just completed her freshman year studying architecture. She also placed second overall in the Ivy League Conference on Princeton's Ski Team.

Calvin College graduate

William D. Parton, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from Calvin College, located in Grand Rapids. He is the son of William and Beatrice Parton of Charlevoix.

GVSU graduate

Justin F. Gengle and Ginger L. Keiser, both of Charlevoix, recently graduated from Grand Valley State University.

Rittenhouse accepts job at Traverse City West

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After seven years of running from performances, to class, to festivals, Charlevoix school district band director Raphael "Raphie" Rittenhouse is ready for balance.

Raphie, 34, is stepping into the 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. life — he has turned in his tuner for an office seat at Traverse City West Senior High School which is going into its fourth year of existence, and services grades 10-12.

"I've bent over backward to spend time with my boys. I think this (move to a new position) will allow me to be a better parent. The school day is more contained than the role of band director," he said.

Raphie will begin the 2001-2002 school year in Traverse City where he will be the school assistant principal, one of three administrative roles there.

"This is a big step up, I've had the degree since 1997 which tells you I have enjoyed what I do here.

I could have used it right away," he said.

So, Raphie, the "happy-go-lucky director," will now be "Raphie the enforcer." His area of expertise will be discipline and special education — a role some may wonder if he can handle, but Raphie says, "No sweat."

"There are about 350 more students than are in our entire district, but I really feel I'll develop a relationship with those students. I'm not afraid of that role. I think I can make a big difference in their lives," he explained.

Over his seven year stay with the Charlevoix district, many have seen Raphie waving his arms and directing the flow of music at school performances. He also has kept busy teaching music for grades 6-12 and organizing the fifth and sixth grade summer music camp.

So how can such an artistic role be traded in for that of a disciplinarian?

Raphie said he isn't going to make a complete trade, he sees his

musical background marrying into the new role. Raphie added that the school has a number of good things going on, including an exemplary fine arts program.

"I think the fact that they chose someone like myself shows they value their arts program," he said.

He said one thing he's learned in his nine year career, with both the Charlevoix and Esperia school systems, is that, "Teaching makes you a high quality person. Every year as I interact with the students there is some growth and change."

However his transition within the field of education won't be easy.

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Raphie Rittenhouse

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Premenstrual disorder is real and treatable

Have you heard the joke about the woman with PMS? Jokes that start out this way are pretty common - so common, in fact, that women with an extreme form of PMS called premenstrual dysphoric disorder (PMDD) may not feel comfortable discussing troubling symptoms with their healthcare provider.

However, doctors know PMDD is a real and very treatable medical condition.

"It was around the end of my cycle that things would get very intense and difficult. Just getting my two boys out the door to preschool was a horrible, complex task, or so it seemed at the time. The greatest news was that there was help," remembers Lari Start, who has been diagnosed with PMDD.

According to Sheila M. Marcus, M.D., a psychiatrist at the University of Michigan Health System and a clinical assistant professor of psychiatry in the U-M Medical School, up to 75 percent of women experience some physical, emotional or behavioral symptoms before their periods begin.

"PMDD is a more severe condition than PMS and it is present in a much smaller number of women. These women experience fairly significant symptoms that interfere with their day-to-day functioning, either socially or professionally. Irritability is probably the hallmark symptom, but other symptoms include significant depression, anxiety, sleep disruption, low energy and possibly appetite cravings," Marcus said.

An important key to diagnosis is determining whether or not symptoms occur all the time. With PMDD, symptoms appear around the last week in the cycle and go away a day or so after menstruation begins. The debilitating but cyclical nature of PMDD makes it easy to diagnose. Because PMDD has both emotional and physical aspects, it is often a psychiatrist or a doctor specializing in women's health, such as an obstetrician/gynecologist, who makes the diagnosis.

Yet, it has only been in the last decade or so that PMDD has gained recognition as a medical condition. In part, this is due to the understandable fear that many women have of being laughed at for over-reacting to PMS. Women have been suffering needlessly and in silence, in effect contributing to low level awareness of the disorder.

Band director takes job as Traverse City asst. principal

Band

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He will miss those things that make Charlevoix quaint and home. He said he will remember fondly walking through town and having 20 Charlevoixians walk up and say hello.

"This has been a very pleasant experience. I have always enjoyed that interaction, it is one of the things I'll really miss when I transfer over," he explained.

The move hasn't been easy for his family either. His wife, Julie, a social worker and their two young boys, Gabe, 4, and Jesse, 2, have gotten attached to Charlevoix.

Raphe said that after being on vacation Gabe told him, "I'm so glad to be back in Charlevoix."

But, Gabe gave Raphe the green light to move. He said they can go ahead and change houses as long as there is still room for him to run around.

He plans to move his family to the outskirts of Traverse City's west side after their home in the city of Charlevoix sells. Raphe plans to commute to and from Traverse City until the sale.

Raphe has faith that the district is ready to fill the position with a talented individual or individuals.

"I think the district is in a position to cover my position even for this

year. They are poised to do the right thing for the program as we grow," he said.

With the new auditorium on the horizon Rittenhouse said this is the perfect time for someone to be stepping in.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools John Sturrock said the district is in the process of filling Raphe's position.

"I wish him well. It's a career move for him, moving into the administrative ranks. It's a loss to the district, but I wish him well," Sturrock said.

Raphe said he still plans to be involved in the Charlevoix community.

What causes PMDD?

Experts believe that PMDD is a type of mood disorder. Women who have PMDD also have an increased likelihood of developing a major depressive disorder and postpartum depression. They also may have a family history of depression or PMDD.

"Like most of the depressive disorders, we believe PMDD probably has something to do with the neurochemistry of the brain and the particular vulnerabilities of the female brain to rapid shifts in hormones, such as estrogen. This is not something you can simply snap out of, or pull yourself up by your bootstraps. This is a true chemical or medical condition," Marcus says.

There are a number of treatment options for PMDD. Working with her physician, each woman should find that combination that works best for her. Treatment can include an exercise program such as resistance training or moderate aerobic exercise. Dietary changes also can be helpful. Consider eating meals on a regular basis and limiting caffeine, alcohol, salt and chocolate. Taking calcium supplements and B-6 vitamins may help.

Marcus recommends cognitive therapy, where women can learn different thinking strategies. Women can also keep a calendar of their moods so they are aware, and can make family members aware, of when the distressing period of the month will be.

"It's important, to the extent possible, to limit the most stressful life events during that time when you are most likely to be dysfunctional," she said.

There is also a growing body of evidence to suggest that selective serotonin re-uptake inhibitors (SSRI), a type of anti-depressant medication, is also helpful, and they are most commonly prescribed. Sometimes they are used in pulsatile fashion, increasing the dose around the time menstruation begins.

Lari Start sums it up this way: "PMS is certainly a very common ailment among women. But, if it's getting to the point where it is affecting your life, how you treat your children, your family and friends, get help. Life is good for me now. I am myself all the time and I enjoy every day with my children and my husband."

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No solid plans for East Park on record

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

According to Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner, there are no plans in writing for East Park renovations and consultants are still gathering information on the community.

Wiesner said the Ann Arbor based consultants, Pollack Design Associates, hired to work on renovations to East Park have spent this summer gathering newspaper articles, looking at copies of city master plans, downtown development plans, old plans of East Park and has had discussions with some of the primary users of the park. During their next trip to Charlevoix sometime in August, they plan on speaking with more of the prime users of the park.

"They are getting a level of understanding before a public input meeting," Wiesner said. He added he does not know when a public meeting would take place on the matter or when the consultants would be back in town.

However, Wiesner said there has been talk in the past of creating underground buildings in East Park along the waterfront, as there currently is at Bridge Park.

"I would assume that the view is valuable to the community, so I assume underground buildings will be looked at," he said. "Nothing has been put to paper or discussed with the consultants."

However, Wiesner said the issue of underground buildings needs to be addressed as the city moves forward with plans on purchasing and demolishing the Wharfside Building — located just behind the pavilion in East Park.

In order to buy the building, the city is trying to get a grant from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources trust fund. This trust fund was created from oil royalties in the state.

The trust focuses on giving money to be used for outdoor recreation uses to buy land, Wiesner said. Therefore, the city needs to determine if the trust would allow underground buildings to be constructed on the Wharfside site.

"We are trying to get that question answered before we proceed with acquisition (of the Wharfside Building)," Wiesner said.

According to Wiesner, other funding sources the city has contacted to raise money to buy the Wharfside are: The Michigan Waterways Commission for \$500,000; the Fry Foundation and the Community Foundation for \$500,000.

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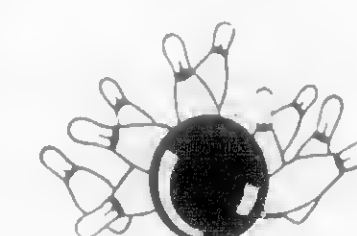
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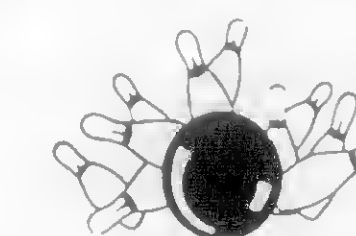
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A planned vacation in the north is often an exciting, eagerly awaited event in a young child's life.

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a pleasant welcome. These are the insects, and some of them can be darn-right unfriendly.

Most visitors to the northern woods and beaches can attest to the power of an insect so small, that it is invariably called the nooseum (no-see-um). These insects look like miniature black flies and live near the beaches in wet, stagnant pools and on moss covered rocks. They are incredibly blood thirsty and attack the back of the scalp and neck of both children and adults. They don't just bite, they tear a mouth-size chunk of your skin off and bore deeply into the wet flesh underneath to feed. They will feed until they drop off or are swatted away, and the resulting bite usually festers and bleeds briefly. Within a day or two the lymph nodes in the back of the neck will swell, often to the point that it makes turning the neck difficult. Black flies, mosquitoes and sand flies are two-winged insects (Dipterans) and their bites, while a nuisance, are not usually as clinical-

ly significant.

In the Hymenoptera order of insects, however, two major families are significant. They are the vespids (yellow jacket, hornet and wasp) and the apids (honeybee and bumblebee). Stings from venomous hymenoptera insects are the most frequent cause of significant, potentially life-threatening reactions.

Between .3 and three percent of the general population is at risk for an anaphylactic reaction, there is usually a drop in blood pressure, granulated swelling or itching, sometimes a rash and shortness of breath. Such a reaction needs immediate medical attention. A previous large local reaction (swelling of a hand or arm after a sting) is not predictive of a future anaphylactic reaction.

How can you know whether you will have such a serious reaction to a sting? An allergist can perform a venom challenge test in an office or hospital setting. If you have a positive skin test, you are at risk, as ap-

proximately one in five is a positive skin test will have an anaphylactic reaction to a sting. Immunotherapy is indicated and will protect against a life threatening reaction. Immunotherapy is highly protective against bee stings, wasps, hornets and yellow jackets.

Yellow jackets are the principal cause of allergic reactions to insect stings in the U.S. They build their nests in the ground, on walls or under eaves of houses. Gardening, lawn-mowing, exterior house painting and other warm-weather activities often lead to an individual inadvertently provoking yellow jackets. On the other hand, honeybees and bumblebees are relatively docile and are not easily provoked.

The Africanized honeybee, the so-called "killer bee" is an aggressive insect. When disturbed, massive numbers of these bees may attack a person. Although the venom of the African bee is no more antigenic or toxic than that of the European honeybee, (the usual honeybee

found in North America) stings by massive numbers of Africanized bees have led to death secondary to the large amount of venom which is injected.

How to protect yourself and your children? Insect repellent probably won't work. Avoidance is helpful and if the insects are provoked, flight is definitely warranted. If you or your family has a history of anaphylaxis, then a bee-sting kit should be carried by the affected subject and at least one other adult family member. A cell phone and the knowledge of your location is helpful in alerting the local EMS.

Planning, insect avoidance, and preparedness can help insure that your vacation to Lake Charlevoix and its woodlands and streams will be a pleasant memory and not one marked by tragedy.

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Fire leaves Marion Township couple homeless

By JULIE MUSILEK
 Staff Writer

A single spark recently ignited a fire that left James Stoneham Sr., a Marion Township resident, homeless.

On the morning of July 25, Stoneham was in the garage of his Marion Township home, gassing up his lawn tractor when his rheumatoid arthritis kicked in and he started to struggle with the five gallon metal can.

The weight of the can coupled with the pain in his fingers quickly pulled the can onto the concrete floor below. Its impact with the floor let out a spark that ignited the gasoline.

Stoneham was still holding the inflamed canister, but soon loosened his grip and frantically ran out of the garage. He turned back moments later to search for his dog, Wesley, who was helping him with the yard work that afternoon.

As his eyes darted around the garage, he said he felt Wesley's wet nose pushing him out of the inflamed building to safety.

Once the two were out in the yard Stoneham spotted a woman with a cell phone and had her dial 911.

Dispatch notified the City of Charlevoix Fire Department and the Charlevoix Township Fire Department at 10:21 a.m. that there was a fully involved structure fire at the intersection of Loeb and Ferry roads.

City of Charlevoix firefighter and emergency medical technician Bob Roloff was at the corner of Loeb Road and M-66 when the call came over his radio. Roloff was the first on scene, followed by other city firemen who arrived seven minutes after the call came through.

Soon, city firefighters were joined by Charlevoix Township firefighters, who combined to put a total of 25 men and women at the scene struggling to keep the fire under control.

But, the fire that started in the garage had quickly spread to the attic, which according to Roloff, made it more difficult to get to.

The attic fire also made the tresses weak and the wet roof sagged, threatening the safety of the firefighters who battled from the inside.

Once inside, firemen discovered a dangerous gas tank line that had been severed by the heat of the fire. The LP gas was flowing freely and ignited.

"It didn't blow up, it was just burning like a torch," Roloff said.

Roloff and city fire chief Doug Carver said they were able to put the fire out in about

15 minutes. They then dug around for hot spots. The report states the fire was cleared at 12:12 p.m.

As a result of the accident, the Stoneham family lost their home, almost everything inside and the family Dodge Grand Caravan which was parked in the garage. But fortunately, James, his wife of 45 years, Donna, a Charlevoix native who wasn't in the home at the time, and Wesley walked away without a scratch.

The couple did have homeowner's insurance and the family is currently living in a Charlevoix motel while they look for a new home. He said it will be a couple months before the new home goes up but they do plan to rebuild at the same address.

Stoneham said, all in all they are holding up well. "We have to be," he added.



Firefighters battled a blaze last week that ultimately took this Marion Township home. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Beach business-owner concerned about litter

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Lisbeth Wittenberg, Charlevoix resident and owner of The Ferry Beach Café says she's disappointed in how the beach is being maintained, but she is supposed to help clean up a portion of it.

Wittenberg rents space for her business at Ferry Beach from the city of Charlevoix for \$50 a week. "I went to deliver lunch to one of the lifeguards and couldn't believe the amount of trash on the beach. It was gross. Who wants to put a blanket down on garbage?" she said.

So, she decided rather than tiptoeing around the refuse she would opt for the more pro-active approach. She plans to use the public's love of her hot dogs to her advantage. Anyone who brings a grocery bag full of trash to her café on any Sunday before Labor Day will receive a free hot dog and soda.

Even though Wittenberg has thought of a crafty way to clean up the beach she still wonders how it became so cluttered with litter in the first place. She questioned why someone from the city comes and picks up the trash in the receptacles but no one comes

"I went to deliver lunch to one of the lifeguards and couldn't believe the amount of trash on the beach."

Lisbeth Wittenberg,
The Ferry Beach Café owner

to maintain the beach.

Ferry Beach is located off Ferry Avenue within city limits and two city officials said they are doing their part in keeping the beach clean. In fact, Wittenberg's city contract says she's supposed to maintain the area around the concession stand.

City of Charlevoix Recreation Director Ike Boss said, "She's paying kids to do a job she's supposed to do as a lessee. We are reasonable, we don't ask that she clean the whole park, just the general area of the concession stand."

The contract between the city and Wittenberg dated June 4 states: "It shall be the singular responsibility of the Concessionaire (Wittenberg) to maintain the premises in a clean and neat fashion, to assume maintenance of the grounds in the immediate area of the Beach Concession with respect to any paper, wrappings or other evidence of concession

sales."

Wittenberg said she cleans up the area around the stand regularly, but her issue is more with the sand area.

Boss said lifeguards pick up paper on the sand beach when there is no one in the water. Wittenberg urged beach-going smokers to curb the litter urge. "Please do not leave cigarette butts on the beach. By leaving a cigarette today you are leaving garbage for the next 15 years."

City street superintendent John Martin said Wittenberg's remedy to the trash issue was a good one. He explained that the city empties trash receptacles daily and every morning the same person that empties the cans, walks around the recreation area and picks up litter.

The concession stand use agreement between the city and Wittenberg is good from May 31, 2001 and expires Labor Day, Sept. 3.



Venetian art

Alle Hodge, of Charlevoix, painted herself a masterpiece during last week's Venetian Festival kid's day in East Park. Festival officials estimate the number of children at this event doubled from last year. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Venetian Festival a success for businesses, residents

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That is, the festival coordinators allocated more cash to the fireworks budget. Secondly, Barron said he has established a strong personal relationship with the two master pyro-technicians who make it all happen.

Apparently, the pyro-technicians spend the Venetian week in Charlevoix as a combined business and personal venture; they even bring their families. They have made the Venetian festival fireworks a signature shoot.

In fact, this year's multicolored ring fireworks were made specifically to come here.

"This year's display was markedly larger and we plan for next year's to be markedly larger than this year," Barron said with excitement brimming in his hoarse voice from the weekend that had him running all over town.

Other exciting events that saw huge turnouts included the "Kids' Day" in East Park.

"It was a little slice of Disney's Magic Kingdom in East Park," Barron said.

He attributed the success of the event to Kids' Day chairpersons

Mark and Vickie Greyerbehl of Charlevoix. Barron added that three times the number of kids that came out last year, were in the park this year.

The Venetian games also saw twice the number of participants. Barron said with surprise that the tennis tournament had 63 men and women volleying this year.

The Saturday morning parade was estimated to last one hour but ran over a half hour because so many floats and people were involved. Barron said that having the 2001 Rayder boys basketball team accompanied by the 1938 state finalists was a real treat.

Bringing up the rear was the show many waited an hour and a half to see — the Michigan State University Marching Band. Barron described the show they put on after as somewhat of a pep rally.

"It was almost like a football game. This is really Spartan turf," he said.

Even vendors scored big this

year. Barron said local service organizations made out. The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club sold out of food by Saturday and had to close up shop.

Other local organizations were less directly helped out. The Northwest Academy Soccer Team helped staff many of the events around town and were recognized for their help by "a sizable contribution" from the festival.

Aside from vendors directly related to the festival itself, local merchants also felt the crowd Barron estimated to be 50 percent larger than usual. Lines wrapping around the corner of Antrim Street showed the Villager Pub brought in some serious revenue Saturday night; similar lines were also seen at the Townhouse Bar.

"We think we've found the right formula for making this festival work — Using satellite events early in the week, music in the evenings and then, full day events Thursday through Saturday," Barron said.



Angie O'Rourke, David Irvine and Becky Campbell, all of Traverse City, took part in the Venetian Boat Parade dressed as "Captain Morgan and his crew." (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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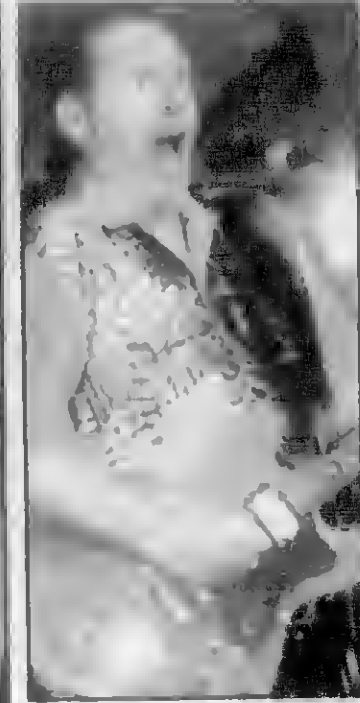
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Venetian music, fun

Visitors and residents were treated to seven straight nights of music. Among the acts were (right) Jill Jack, (below left) Lady Sunshine of the group Lady Sunshine and the X Band and (below right) the Classic Rock Allstars composed of the original lead singers of Rare Earth, Iron Butterfly and Sugarloaf. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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(Above left) The Mighty Meaty Swing Kings took the stage Saturday night with some rocking swing music to get your feet moving. (Above right) The Rayder Jazz Band, composed of student musicians from Charlevoix, entertained the crowd on Friday night. In addition to East Park, music could also be heard coming from Bridge Park. (Below left) The Charlevoix based rock groups Incredible Edibles and The Mural Project joined forces on Wednesday night. (Below right) Amanda Waggener of the Amanda Waggener Band finished up the Bridge Park music on Saturday night. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



Venetian spectators seemed to be having a great time this year at the festival. (Above left) Kendall Fritz, 2, of Charlevoix, gets some dancing lessons from his cousin, Jenny Hater, 21, also of Charlevoix while listening to music in East Park. Helicopter rides were also offered over Charlevoix by Lynn Walton of Imlay City. By taking a ride, Venetian-goers could get a different view of the festival (above right). (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



(Left) Kyle Buchanan, 4, of Grand Rapids on the motorcycle ride at the carnival. (Above) Boaters got a chance to get a goofy during the annual boat parade on Saturday night. (Below left) The MSU marching band made an appearance at this year's Venetian Parade. Saturday night, spectators were treated to a second night of fireworks over Round Lake. This set came complete with a colorful and fiery Venetian logo. (All photos, except MSU photo, by Jeremy McBain. MSU band photo by Julie Musilek.)

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DME, MDEQ discuss cleanup plans for site

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

According to Elaine Pelc, environmental analyst with the Gaylord post of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) the meeting July 20 between the MDEQ and Charlevoix's DME Company "went fine."

At the meeting, the company shared additional information they had collected pertaining to the contaminated groundwater situation with the environmental group. At one point they were concerned that a clay layer under the aquifer was not present which would lead to a possible more serious situation.

However, the company confirmed that there is a clay "confining" layer below the aquifer.

The company also informed the MDEQ that they did find contamination where the truck well is located and at the site of the former disposal pond. They found traces of DCE and vinyl chloride both of which

result when PCE degrades.

The company also found contamination in the ground-water near the main plant building. But, the contamination the company found came as no surprise to environmental analysts with the MDEQ.

"For as long as they have used the solvent, from the 50s to the early 80s when they started managing it, the solvent pretty much got everywhere," Pelc said.

DME's plan is to install additional monitoring wells by the main building to determine where groundwater flow is discharging to. Pelc said the water could be discharging into both a nearby stream and into Lake Charlevoix.

The wells will determine the direction the groundwater is flowing and what concentration the contaminated groundwater is leaving the property.

The additional wells are going to be installed in August.

The MDEQ didn't have to give much additional guidance,

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Plans for cleanup of DME site discussed

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Pelc said the company's consultant knows what's required of them. The groups concurred on the steps being taken at the two locations.

The next steps are to install the wells and get them on a monitoring schedule with those that already exist, then to collect data from the wells and then clean up.

Pelc added the environmental agency was impressed by the amount of work the company has done on the south end of the plant site over the last couple of months.

Additionally, the MDEQ, DME representatives and Matthew's Lane property owners met to discuss the plan July 26. At the "informational meeting," DME representatives revealed the proposed layout of the treatment system that will work to cleanse the contaminated groundwater along Matthew's Lane.

Pelc said the property owners asked good questions and DME representatives responded. The next step is for DME cleanup contractors to get permission to access the property owner's land in order to install a portion of the treatment system there.

Pelc added that nothing will protrude from the ground. The water that is pumped out will go to the DME property, over by the plant itself, where it will be treated.

After being treated, the clean groundwater will be put back into the aquifer. Pelc said the clean groundwater will help by introducing oxygen, which helps degrade the contamination in the aquifer.

Pelc added that she foresees the final design being submitted to the MDEQ in the next two weeks to be reviewed and "hopefully approved."

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Hayes Township wants road satisfaction

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Hayes Township Board is disappointed to see that Old 31 road work that was completed in 1999 isn't holding up — the pavement is buckling and the board wants to see it fixed.

"We want satisfaction with the latest project, everything else (other road projects) is on hold until Old 31 is completely done," Tim Boyko, Hayes Township supervisor said.

Pat Harmon, manager of the Charlevoix County Road Commission said the group plans to fix the rough patches by the end of the summer.

"We are going to stand behind it. If we have to go back and fix it, we will. We are going to make it good," he added.

Harmon blames two things for the road's problems — first, the winter frost freeze cycle which he said isn't good for any road and secondly, the old road still lies beneath the pavement.

Harmon said if the township had decided to remove the narrow road below it would have tripled the cost of the project but may have saved everyone from

the severe cracking of the surface.

The road commission handles the majority of township projects as all the roads across the 15 townships in Charlevoix County are considered county roads. The commission then subcontracted the Old 31 project to H & D of Bay Shore.

Hayes Township levied a road millage that initially collected funds for five years. The sum of the five years was spent on the Old 31 work which cost the township close to \$500,000.

The total project spanned a five mile stretch, from Murray Road, to Boyne City Charlevoix Road at \$100,000 a mile.

Harmon explained that in 1997 the north end of Old 31 was worked on and some small cracks later reared their menacing heads. But, he said the cracks on the north end were nothing like what the south end is seeing.

He was surprised at the difference between the outcome of the two projects as the same process was used to rebuild both ends.

In the November 2000 election, a Hayes Township road millage was passed which allowed the township to levy 1

mill for the next five years.

Boyko said they are holding off on starting new projects until the work that was done on Old 31 is brought up to par.

Harmon said once the road commission has coordinated with H & D, work will begin. The road commission is planning on patching up the cracks on the current road, which lies over an even older road.

They do not plan to resurface the whole project area, but instead will start by the township hall which is just south of the intersection of Burgess Road and Old 31.

Then, they then plan to move over to a section of cracked pavement by Greensky Hill.

Harmon said the repairs will come at no cost to the township.

Township clerk Ethel Knepp said that after the Old 31 job is done, the township board will revise their outdated road priority list.

"I would like to have a town meeting so residents can be involved in prioritizing the list," she said.

Knepp added that the list that will be revised was established six or seven years ago to let vot-

ers know what roads would be worked on if the millage were passed. She added that since then people have moved in and out of the township and the priority list has changed.

The board did not re-prioritize the project list prior to the November election.

The millage will collect .9744 mill in 2001, the taxable value in Hayes Township is \$117,638,508 and beginning December 1 the township projects that the road fund will collect \$115,000 for its first year.

However, road work is expensive and Boyko said residents should not expect the township to take on major roads, like Boyne City/Charlevoix Road. He said the board is interested in fixing secondary road systems and that roads in need of repair, like Boyne City/Charlevoix Road are too massive of projects and they need county funding.

"The general philosophy was to fix up some of the roads that will never get the attention they deserve from the road commission. They have to concentrate on roads like, Thumb Lake Road, Boyne City/Charlevoix Road....," Boyko said.

Even though some secondary roads will be repaired as a result of millage funding, Boyko is not in favor of the millage.

"I don't like the road millage. I'm much more inclined to go the route of a user tax, like the gasoline tax. But, voters voted it in," he said.

Funds gathered from the millage are put into a designated township account that is used only for road reconstruction, not general maintenance.

Aside from road work, the township is also involved in building a public park by the township hall. The township owns 28 acres where it will have a picnic area, basketball hoops and bike racks.

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 12:30 p.m. on July 27 near the intersection of M-66 and Bridge Street. No one was injured.

• A 23-year-old Harbor Springs man was arrested for urinating in public around 10:30 p.m. on July 26 near the intersection of Belvedere and Bridge streets.

• A vehicle struck a parked vehicle around 7:30 p.m. on July 25 in the parking lot of the Coast Guard station.

• A Huff Ultra-terrain Shock bicycle was found on July 25 near the Charlevoix High School football field.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 1 p.m. on July 25 near the intersection of Bridge and Car-

penter streets. No injuries were reported.

• A 16-year-old Charlevoix boy and a 17-year-old Charlevoix girl were both cited for possession of tobacco around 8 p.m. on July 24 in the Van Pelt Alley off of Bridge Street.

• A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle around 1 p.m. on July 23 in the parking lot of Glen's grocery store near the intersection of M-66 and Bridge Street.

• An unknown person damaged a vehicle sometime between 1 and 5:30 p.m. on July 23 in the parking lot of the Silver Birch Motel, located at 1530 US-31.

• A Huff Blue Backwater bicycle was found on July 27 at the E-Z Mart located at 1440 Bridge Street.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 3:30 p.m. on July 22 near the intersection of Bridge and Belvedere streets. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4 p.m. on July 22 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. No injuries were reported.

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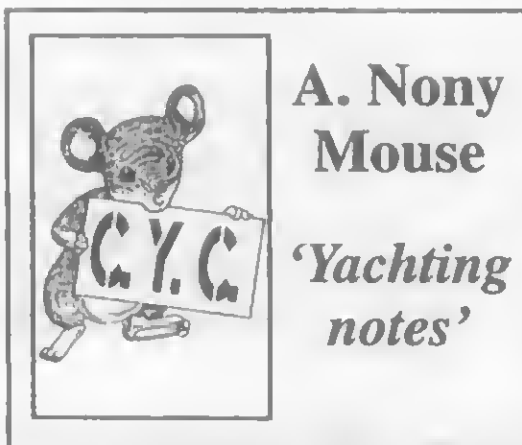
Athletics and games were very popular at this year's Venetian Festival. The games brought in spectators from all over the United States. In addition to Charlevoix. (Below) Sara Blair, of Charlevoix, sends the volleyball flying as her team fights for the top spot in the Venetian Volleyball tournament at Ferry Beach last week. Blair's team ended up in first place. (Right) Visitors gathered to see several area celebrities take part in this year's Venetian Cottage Croquet Tournament in Bridge Park last week. During the tournament, Charlevoix Township beat the city of Charlevoix and a team of Charlevoix media celebrities — including the Courier's own Julie Musilek — trounced all over their competition. TV 7&4, out of Traverse City. Additionally, kids took part in a Venetian Festival soccer tournament at Shanahan Field last week, (middle right). (Croquet and soccer photos by Julie Musilek. Volleyball photo by Jeremy McBain.)



People came from all over for this year's Venetian Festival Drenth Memorial Foot Race. (Right) Ryan Shay, of Central Lake, was the overall winner of the men's 10K division in the race. (Courtesy photo)



More Charlevoix Yacht Club sailing results



A. Nony Mouse
'Yachting notes'

A great sailing breeze enabled the fleets to complete a full seven-leg course at the Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series, with all but one boat finishing well before 9 p.m.

The J-22 HUSSY led the way, crossing the finish line at 8:17 with a crowd of other J-22s barely seconds behind. Second place went to FIRST DATE, third to SWINE FLEW and then SUPERFLUOUS, all within one minute of HUSSY.

Following were EAU DE VIE, ROCK STEADY, HS MOISTURE MISSILE, HIGH MAINTENANCE, THUNDERSTRUCK, PALEFACE LITE, WHAT'S HER NAME, SCURRY and NO NAME YET. GOTCHA was first across in

Spinnaker I (the big boats) and saved her time over SLAPSHOT by just seven seconds. Then it was HOI POLLOI, HOOTIE, MINT JULEP and WINDRUNNER.

In Spinnaker II, BALD EAGLE was over a minute ahead of BABE while SAFFRON trailed by several. It was a great race in the P-26 Fleet with LOST VERMONTNER nosing out TIRELESS by seconds.

ORIGINAL SIN captured third while CYGNUS and ARTEMIS followed. SANDPIPER retired. FLASH dominated the JAM Fleet, as it was nine minutes later before POCO LOCO crossed the line. On corrected time, that gap narrowed to less than four minutes. CHEEMAUN nailed down third, then APOTHECARY in fourth while ORION retired.

Venetian Cup Race: While the Charlevoix Yacht Club skippers were competing in that regular Summer Series race, they were also competing against themselves and other entrants for the Venetian Cup. The two Spinnaker fleets are scored as one and ended up GOTCHA, SLAPSHOT, HOI POLLOI,

HOOTIE, MINT J, BALD EAGLE, BABE, SAFFRON, WINDRUNNER and VANTAGE (welcome!). All other classes remained as shown above.

Venetian Fireworks Spectacular: The Friday Evening Extravaganza on Lake Charlevoix was truly awesome. If you missed it, I simply don't have adequate words with which to convey even a simple image of that premier pyrotechnic display — I can only surmise that it was the best ever seen in this part of the world (and I include Detroit's Freedom Festival in that evaluation).

Summer Sunday Sunfish Series: A faint breeze finally strengthened, the course was changed and, after some delay, nine contestants started

a series of races.

Josh Barnes, in his first sail since the foot injury a month ago, nailed down first in Race 1 with Suzy Balter second and Tom Barnes (complete with crew of two very junior ladies) third. In Race 2, Tom got revenge; Josh was second and Gina Lepman, third. A. Nony left the course after Race 2 and watched as the races continued for two hours.

Don Bowerman, Sunfish Fleet Captain, advises that the final results show Tom Barnes, Suzy Balter and Gina Lepman, in that order. Following the adults, Don introduced three junior skippers to the thrill of Sunfishing and sudden immersion in the cool waters of Lake Charlevoix. Quite a sight and great

fun! Join us about 1 p.m. next Sunday off Pine Point.

Charlevoix Yacht Club "New Boundaries" Regatta: This Saturday followed, at 4 p.m., with a big party and pig roast at the Club! Call Judy at 347-7225 or Linda at 537-4484 for information.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Aug. 3: Hosts Tom and Linda Orlow, John and Judy Gordon have lined up a full moon for your viewing pleasure. Join us at the club!

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the "summer" months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its web site at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

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Drenth Memorial
foot race results

The results for this year's Venetian Festival Drenth Memorial Foot Race are in.

The winners, and the categories they won in, are:

One mile
• Overall female — Sarah Kaufman of Appleton, Wis.
• Overall male — Joe Kaufman of Appleton, Wis.

5K race
• Overall female — Viktoria Koskenoja of Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.

• Overall male — Ryan Hagan of Boyne Falls.
• Masters (40 and over) overall female — Abby Dart of Harbor Springs.

• Masters (40 and over) overall male — Gerry Mayes of Elk Rapids.

10K race
• Overall female — Jamie Grant of Kewadin.
• Overall male — Ryan Shay of Central Lake.

• Masters (40 and over) overall female — Jackie Norton of Elk Rapids.

• Masters (40 and over) overall male — Jed Hepfensperger of Midland.

Slow pitch league results

The latest scores for the men's and women's Charlevoix Recreation Department slow pitch leagues are:

Women

July 24

• Kwikie beat Fleet Construction, 16-9.

• Fieldcrest Inn beat the

Charlevoix Fence Company, 16-12.

• Kinetics beat Bajos Building, 17-8.

Men

July 25

• Grey Gables beat Ace Hardware, 24-12.

• Crown Motors beat Top Rank/Flight Deck, 23-7.

• La Senorita beat Site Planning, 19-15.

July 23

• La Senorita beat Lakeshore, 13-6.

• Grey Gables beat Top Rank/Flight Deck, 14-2.

• Crown Motors beat Ace Hardware, 9-8.

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Cedar Ridge expansion denial upheld

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The Waste Management of Michigan Cedar Ridge Landfill located in Eveline Township will most likely be capped by next summer.

"The legal interpretation by the DEQ (Department of Environmental Quality) was correct and the judge backed that up. There won't be an expansion at the landfill," John Ozoga senior environmental engineer for the Gaylord post of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality (MDEQ) said.

Four months after Ingham County 30th Circuit Court Judge James R. Giddings heard oral arguments in the lawsuit Waste Management of Michigan brought against the MDEQ, he issued an opinion.

The opinion upheld the Charlevoix County Planning Commission and the MDEQ

rulings issued in 2000 to deny Waste Management an expansion permit as the plans did not comply with the Charlevoix County Solid Waste Plan's surface water isolation criteria.

Both the Charlevoix County Planning Commission and MDEQ ruled that Sear Creek which could be negatively impacted by an expansion was a permanent flowing body of water based on the county MIRIS map.

However, Waste Management of Michigan fought this claim and presented evidence to both the county and to the MDEQ in an attempt to prove Sear Creek is not a permanent flowing body of water. Their evidence ultimately fell short.

"It (the opinion) was a decision that was a long time coming but it was the right decision. Even when the first solid waste plan was developed this landfill did not meet the expansion re-

quirements," Charlevoix County Planner Larry Sullivan said.

"The people I have talked to are very happy it's nice to see a plan that is recognized and supported."

Waste Management can still appeal Giddings' ruling.

"This decision is subject to appeal, but it would be nice to see the issue put to rest. Whether it will be or not, I don't know," Sullivan said.

Ozoga and Sullivan said trucks may still bring loads for disposal, as the landfill has not yet reached final grade. Sullivan said foundry sand from the East Jordan Iron Works will still be brought to the site to fulfill the contract between Waste Management of Michigan and the East Jordan company.

Ozoga said the MDEQ is pushing for fall capping because they don't encourage winter capping. They hope to have the work done before Christmas,

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Charlevoix County planner

which is one reason Ozoga said the department wished the opinion would have come in earlier.

However, he added that a lot of the engineering involved in the capping process has already been done.

There isn't any need for cleanup around the site after the capping. In fact, Ozoga said of all the landfills he has dealt with Cedar Ridge is the cleanest.

He said as of July 30 all on-site monitor wells were clean and had never been referred to the county health department as a result of contaminated wells.

Ozoga said that once the landfill is capped, there will

most likely still be flares and gas vents at the site. He projected into the future and said the landfill will green up and become a grassy hill.

He added they have been approached by people who think the site can be used for a golf course. But he said most likely not as they are installing a \$1 million cap on the fill and they wouldn't want to compromise its quality. He even said that the root systems of trees were undesirable.

The only thing the site could be used for is fuel for the distant future when technology finds a use for the waste, Ozoga added.



Blue Lake music

Charlevoix resident Rachel Bellairs joined the Blue Lake International Jazz Band last week when it performed in East Park as part of the Charlevoix Venetian Festival. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Some tips to keep yourself free of foodborne illness

The potential for foodborne illness is present regardless of whether you are camping, at home, on a picnic, or eating in a restaurant, according to officials with the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency and District Health Department Number 4.

"People should know that foodborne illnesses are uncommon, that food and water supplies are generally safe, and that the chance of acquiring an illness while eating at a licensed restaurant is unlikely," said Joshua R. Meyerson, MD, MPH, medical director of the health departments which serve residents throughout northwestern and northeastern lower Michigan. However, the potential for foodborne illness is present.

Meyerson is medical director for Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, which serves Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet and Otsego counties. He is also medical director for District Health Department Number 4, which serves residents in Alpena, Cheboygan, Montmorency and Presque Isle counties.

The basic food safety measures and food handling techniques which everyone should abide by include:

1) Choose foods processed for safety. Many foods are best in their natural state, such as fruits and vegetables; others are not safe unless they have been processed. All vegetables

and fruits eaten raw need thorough washing. When assembling cold salads, chill all ingredients before assembling the salad, including the dressing and canned meats.

2) Cook food thoroughly. Many raw foods, notably poultry and meats, are very often contaminated with disease-causing agents. Thorough cooking will kill the pathogens, but the temperature of all parts of most foods must reach at least 140 degrees. However, cook poultry to 165 degrees F; pork to 145 degrees F; ground beef to 155 degrees; and rare roast beef at 130 degrees for two hours. Use a thermometer to make sure the food has reached the proper temperature.

3) Eat cooked foods immediately. When cooked foods cool to below 140 degrees, microbes begin to grow.

4) Store cooked foods immediately. If you must prepare foods in advance or want to keep leftovers, be sure to store them either hot (140 degrees or above), or cold (41 degrees or below). If hot foods are to be refrigerated, they must be rapidly cooled to 41 degrees F or less in under four hours.

5) Reheat cooked foods thoroughly and quickly. All parts of the food must reach at least 165 degrees within two hours.

6) Avoid contact between raw and cooked foods. Safely cooked food can become contaminated through even the

slightest contact with raw foods. Wash and sanitize all utensils and cutting boards after they have been used for raw meats and before cutting raw vegetables and fruits.

7) Wash hands repeatedly. People should always wash their hands thoroughly before working with ready-to-eat foods and after using the bathroom, using a handkerchief, touching any soiled object or surface, handling raw food (especially poultry and meat), eating, smoking and touching or scratching any area of the body including ears, mouth, nose or hair.

8) Maintain adequate hand washing facilities. This includes hot and cold running water, soap and sanitary towels.

9) Keep all kitchen surfaces meticulously clean. Since foods are so easily contaminated, any surface used for food preparation must be kept absolutely clean. Every food scrap, crumb, or spot is a potential reservoir for germs.

10) Protect foods from insects, rodents and other animals.

11) Use water and ice from approved sources.

12) Frozen foods must be thawed in a refrigerator, under cold running water, in a microwave or as part of the cooking process.

13) Ask questions. Contact the health agency if you have questions or concerns about food safety or food handling.



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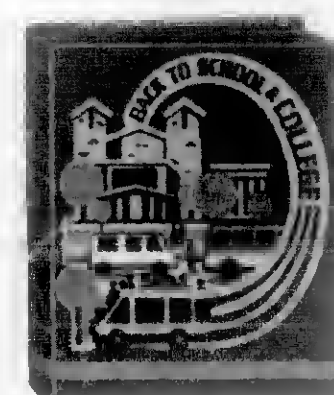
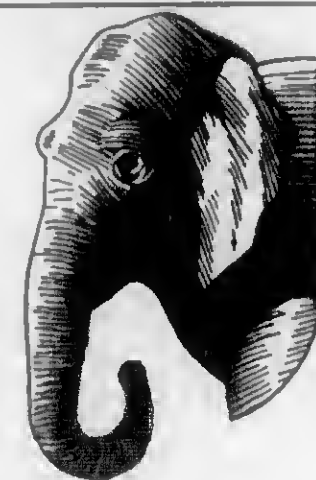
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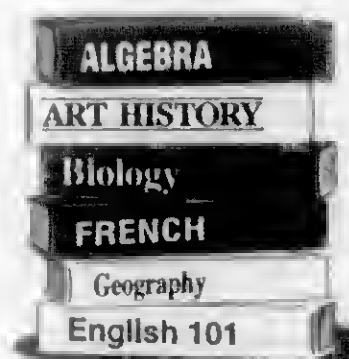
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New deputy named for duty on Beaver Island

William Church, a 23-year-old graduate from Lake Superior College in Sault Ste. Marie, has been assigned by Sheriff George T. Lasater as the second deputy sheriff on Beaver Island for a six month authorized assignment.

The second deputy sheriff funding was a combined effort between Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners and both township boards on Beaver Island.

Church is from Midland County where he grew up on a farm and his father was a deputy sheriff with the Midland County Sheriff's Office. Prior to graduating from the police academy, Church did his internship with the Midland City Police Department.

Church's hobbies are fishing, hockey and diving.

This is his first assignment in law enforcement and he is looking forward to putting his knowledge and skills to use and

feels fortunate to have this opportunity to gain experience and is looking forward to serving the citizens and guests of Beaver Island.

Church's goals while on Beaver Island are to develop community policing skills, creating a positive image for the sheriff's sub-station and the sheriff's office while dealing with the citizens in a professional and approachable manner.

His main goal is working with the youth of Beaver Island.

Lasater said that this young man, even though he has limited experience, will make up for it in enthusiasm, intelligence and a desire to do an exceptional job.

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Symphonic sounds

The Symphonic Youth Orchestra of Edegem, in Belgium, entertained the Venetian crowd in East Park last week. The group played light classical and upbeat music by Belgian composers. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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The Board has the right to reject any or all bids. Bids are due in the Superintendent's office, 208 Clinton Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, by August 8, 2001 at 4:00 P.M.

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BIDS WANTED 209

THE CHARLEVOIX-EMMET Community Corrections Advisory Committee is now accepting bids for their P.A. 511 Community Corrections Program for 2001/02. Bid specs can be obtained at the Office of County Clerk, 203 Antrim Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, Phone 231-547-7200. Please submit any bids to the Charlevoix County Clerk NO LATER THAN 4:00 P.M. on August 24, 2001. Charlevoix and Emmet counties reserve the right to accept or reject any/all bids.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE
WILLIAM AZKOUL P.C. IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage made by John H. Moore and Josephine M. Moore, husband and wife, of 4939 Woodin Road, Vanderbilt, Michigan 49795 and Bond Mortgage & Investment Corporation, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Michigan, whose address is 2007 Eastern, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49507, dated November 25, 1996, and recorded on March 6, 1997 in Liber 312, Page 0996 of the Charlevoix County Register of Deeds, and upon which there is now claimed to be due for principal and interest the sum of Twenty Four

Thousand Seven Hundred One Dollars and Seventy Cents (\$24,701.70) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt or any part thereof;

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DATED: June 27, 2001

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The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday in the cafeteria of Charlevoix High School. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee

at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the Legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month. The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m.

every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For

more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's As-

sociation support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 37-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

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Lucia's story

At 7 p.m. Aug. 7 at the historic Charlevoix Depot the Charlevoix Historical Society will present the story of The Lucia Simpson, Lake Michigan's last full-rigged, three masted sailing schooner.

Bill Sanderson will discuss the colorful history of the ship's adventures when hauling lumber as one of the 1700 schooners on the Great Lakes from 1870 to 1900.

Watercolors of The Lucia Simpson by Belvedere Resort artist Jane Stanley, as well as many photos will be on display.

The public is invited and new members are always welcome.

The Depot is located across from Depot Beach. Go to the end of East Dixon Avenue, bear right to Chicago Avenue, then left to the depot.

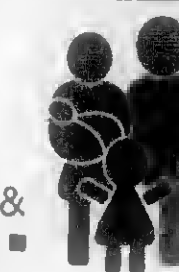
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Top guy



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Find out what it is like to walk the city streets of Charlevoix and write parking tickets.

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Lake swim



A group of swimmers will swim across Lake Charlevoix from Charlevoix to Boyne City this month.

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Sidewalks issue passes

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Despite resistance from Belvedere and Michigan avenue residents Charlevoix City Council gave the go-ahead to sidewalk construction on both streets Monday night.

"Today is there a need for sidewalks on Belvedere Avenue? Well, that's a flip of a coin but, five years from now will there be? Most definitely," Third Ward Councilman Sherm Chamberlain said.

Council's vote was divided. While second ward councilman Gabe Campbell made the motion to

"I don't like any part of this. I've never seen a city work so hard to destroy something that has taken two generations to build."

R. J. Button,
Belvedere Avenue resident

support both projects, Campbell's fellow second ward councilman Bill Bellows voted in opposition of the motion. Bellows said he wanted to see the two sidewalk projects voted on separately.

Campbell's motion was supported by first ward councilmen Bill Haggard and Norman "Boogie"

Carlson. However, Carlson added to the motion that trees further along in their growth cycle would be used to replace south side trees that will be removed.

But Belvedere resident John Winn thinks that conditional clause isn't enough.

"I'll be dead before those trees

ever give any shade. We will not have one tree from May Street to 7-11. It's going to look like a commercial thoroughfare," Winn said with disgust.

Like the second ward, the third ward was divided. A.J. Witthoef voted against the sidewalk plan saying if his constituents didn't want it, then he had to represent the voice of the people, while Chamberlain maintained its utility.

Chamberlain said he based his vote in favor of constructing the sidewalks on projections he made into future traffic volumes on Belvedere.

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Mediation fails for fireworks lawsuits

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After a two day meeting of the minds that took place at Charlevoix High School it looks like the nine cases filed as a result of the 1997 Venetian Festival fireworks accident in Charlevoix will go to trial.

Charlevoix County Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas who is handling the fireworks cases ordered the parties involved to take part in the "mediation" to see if any claims could be settled out of court.

Former Oakland County Circuit Court Judge Barry Howard facilitated the mediation.

Attorney for Fireworks North, the non-profit group hired to transport and shoot the fireworks the night the accident took place, W. Mack Faison of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone in Detroit explained the mediation.

"It was a two day discussion between attorneys and the parties involved in the fireworks cases including those representing various insurers. However, a resolution was not reached," he said.

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Adele Forbrig dons the outfit of her alter-ego "Kookie the Clown." (Photo by Jocey Florence)

A life of laughter and fun

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

In the recent Venetian parade, many considered the Michigan State University Band to be the main attraction.

However, what many parade attendants didn't know was that there was a full-fledged former Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus clown performing in the parade and living in Charlevoix.

Adele Forbrig, a year-round Charlevoix resident since 1995 and a summer resident since she was born, formerly clowning in the prestigious Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus.

Forbrig's road to the big tent was not an easy one. In 1984, Forbrig's mother, Gina Lepman, read Forbrig an advertisement for auditions being given for Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Clown College.

"She told me 'Adele, have I found a college for you.' It sounded like so much fun, and I thought, that's where I belong," Forbrig recalled.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Angela Maxine Devers, 22, Charlevoix. Arson/dwelling house. Bound over to circuit court.

Kathy Ann Brenn, 48, Boyne Falls. Arson/dwelling house conspiracy. Bound over to circuit court. Jason Graham Grace, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$60 in fines and costs.

George Arthur Duhamel, 40, Suttons Bay. Failure to stop after collision; and driving while license suspended. One year probation; 90 days in jail, serve 20 days, 70 days held in abeyance; \$315 in fines and costs.

Brian Michael Baker, 24, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$525.

Roger Michael Erber, 29, Charlevoix. Falsely reporting a misdemeanor. One year probation; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 69 days held in abeyance; \$540 in fines and costs.

Robert Joseph Grams, 38, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Eighteen months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 30 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 58 days held in abeyance; \$1,193.75 in fines and costs.

costs.

Clayton Anthony Rooney Jr., 45, Charlevoix. Non-sufficient funds, less than \$100; and non-sufficient funds, more than \$100, but less than \$500. Fines and costs totaling \$1,429.

Darren William Kassuba, 17, East Jordan. Retail fraud-third degree. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for four days, 89 days held in abeyance.

Peter Edward Tuynman, 47, White Lake. Disorderly person/drunken. Jail for four days with credit for four days; \$190 in fines and costs.

James Steven Baker, 39, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Anthony James Sedick, 20, Alanson. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IM-PACT weekend; \$220 in fines and costs.

Casey Douglas Dougherty, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES class; \$60 in fines and costs.

James Jeffery Harmon, 19, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES class; \$60 in fines and costs.

John Mark Lafreniere, 40, Traverse City. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

James Keith Scott, 23, Harbor Springs. Disorderly person. Fines

and costs totaling \$190.

Franklin Steinhuff, 24, East Jordan. Driving while license suspended; and fail to stop after collision. Fines and costs totaling \$410.

Joseph Ray Hankins, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IM-PACT panel; fines and costs totaling \$220.

Kenneth Orval Wingo, 27, East Jordan. Arson/dwelling house. Bound over to circuit court.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Mark Gordon Donker, 38, Charlevoix. Conspiracy to control substance — delivery/manufacture narcotic or cocaine, 225-649 grams. Jail for a minimum of 14 years and a maximum of 30 years with credit for 10 days.

Jorge Dela Rosa Rangel, 26, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-second offense. Jail for six months with credit for 113 days, serve six months.

Donzell Sarah Kane, 39, Beaver Island. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Three years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license revoked; 12 months in jail with credit for 27 days, serve 12 months; 480 hours of community service work; \$1,719.59 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
Michigan Munchies, 8799 Old US-31 Highway, Charlevoix, by Michael L. Adams

TWS Enterprises, 00133 M-75 South, Boyne City, by Timothy W. Shotrosky

Big Al & J.C.'s, 100 West Court Street, Boyne City, by Alec Leonard Cosier

Crowell Stone & Stucco, 5719 Maple Grove Road, Charlevoix, by Bradford W. Crowell and David N. Crowell

Quality CAD Services, 03414 Terrace, Boyne City, by Jeff Buckholz

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Eli Daniel Charkoff, 28, Los Angeles, Calif. and Mary Schuyler Verplank, 28, Los Angeles, Calif.

Robert James Aukerman, 22, Mudsonville and Heather Louise Bingham, 21, Boyne City

Maxim Antinori, 30, Watertown, Mass. and Laurel Jennifer Kayne, 35, Watertown, Mass.

Brian Keith Sladics, 30, Charlevoix and Marcie Rey-Grace Beaudoin, 27, Charlevoix

Anthony Hugh Postmus, 39, East Jordan and Judy Marie Gardner, 36, East Jordan

Stanley Steven Malkowicz, 26, Boyne Falls and Renee Therese Crain, 22, Boyne City

Thomas Lee Sandison, 39, Charlevoix and Denise Ann Lorraine, 30, Charlevoix

Thomas Lee Clark, 21, East Jordan and Angela Lee Levell, 27, East Jordan

Divorces
The following people have been

granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Edmund Bogart vs. Lori Bogart
Stacey Martinez vs. Paul Martinez

Mercer Nellett vs. Amie Nellett
Opal Foster vs. George Foster

Births

Elliott David, weighing 7 pounds, 9 ounces, was born to Michael and Tamara Bennett of Ellsworth on Aug. 2 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Tyler Scot, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces, was born to Scot and Teresa Hart of East Jordan on July 31 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Tyler has a 2-year-old sister named Nichole.

Joseph Charles, weighing 8 pounds, 4 ounces, was born to Kenneth and Joni Mendyk of Swartz Creek on July 27 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain
July 31	78	65	.02
August 1	86	71	—
August 2	93	72	.11
August 3	77	66	—
August 4	76	62	—
August 5	79	64	—
August 6	90	69	—

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 1 p.m. on Aug. 3 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. No injuries were reported.

• A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle around 9 a.m. on Aug. 3 in the parking lot of Carquest located at 103 Harbor Drive.

• Around 8 p.m. on Aug. 2, an unknown vehicle damaged a vehicle while it was parked in the parking lot of Oleson's grocery store on Antrim Street.

• Around 9:30 p.m. on Aug. 2 a vehicle backed into a parked vehicle in the parking lot of Northwest Academy on Hurlbut Street.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4 p.m. on Aug. 2 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. No injuries were reported.

• A vehicle hit a parked vehicle around 11 a.m. on Aug. 2 on Upnigh Street.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 12 p.m. on Aug. 2 in the parking lot of Burger King on Bridge Street.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 10 a.m. on Aug. 1 near the intersection of Bridge Street and M-66. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 5 p.m. on Aug. 1 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. No injuries were reported.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 4 p.m. on Aug. 1 in the parking lot of Oleson's grocery store on Antrim Street.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 1:30 p.m. on Aug. 1 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 12 p.m. on Aug. 1 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. No injuries were reported.

• A driver fell asleep and crashed his vehicle into some trees around 12:30 p.m. on July 30 on C&O Club Drive. He was not injured.

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Kanine top candidate to replace Haske

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By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer



Jim Kanine is the top candidate for the athletic director/assistant principal position. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

If the Charlevoix School Board approves the selection, Jim Kanine, Charlevoix Middle School seventh grade English teacher of 14 years, will step out of the classroom and into a high school administrative office.

On July 2 a selection committee searching out the ideal candidate for the Charlevoix High School assistant principal and athletic director position unanimously selected Kanine. They plan to make the recommendation to the school board at the Aug. 13 meeting.

"After having just interviewed for the middle school principal position, a position he (Kanine) applied and was a finalist for, we knew what was out there and decided to stay inside (hire within the district)," superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools and selection committee member John Strock said.

Kanine, 45, was chosen by a panel to replace former assistant principal and athletic director Keith Haske who recently accepted the job of Charlevoix Middle School principal after Dennis VanGuilder unexpectedly resigned.

"I have always enjoyed coaching and sports very much, that is part of who I am," Kanine said.

He continued by explaining

"I have always enjoyed coaching and sports very much, that is part of who I am."

Jim Kanine.

Candidate for high school assistant principal/athletic director

ways his past experience will be useful to him in this new role: "I've also really enjoyed the last 23 years in the classroom. In some ways, coaching and teaching go hand in hand. I have used parts of each field to help me in the other. They work so well together."

Kanine has worked in the Charlevoix School District for 14 years, but taught in Detroit for nine years prior to moving to Charlevoix — tallying a grand total of 23 years as a teacher.

But, not only does he bring with him teaching expertise, he also has administrative savvy. In 1985 and 1986 Kanine was an athletic director in Detroit. He has also

coached almost every sports team possible.

Kanine's coaching role started when he was only 19. He has since lead numerous teams, including: boys varsity football, baseball, basketball and track and girls varsity softball and track.

So how did he get to Charlevoix?

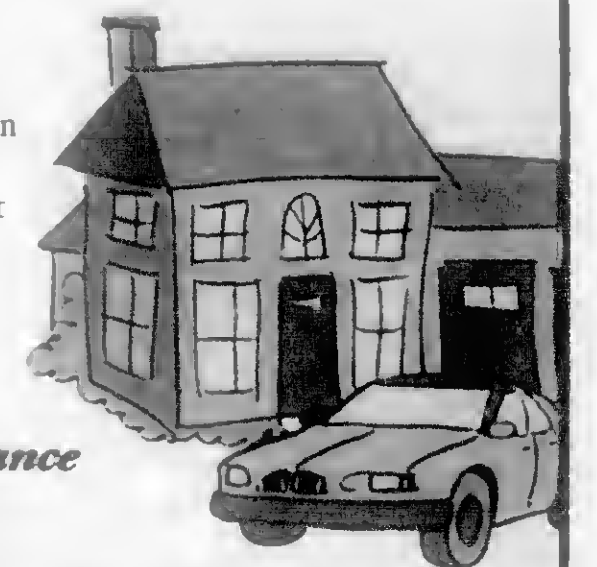
Well, in 1987 Kanine packed up his wife Jane and their three children; Jim, Rachel and Rebecca and headed north from their home in Dearborn to Charlevoix, where they have been ever since. He started his job as the seventh

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Sidewalks example of poor use of money

EDITORIAL

Just when you thought your council was listening to you, you find out you are wrong.

Perhaps that is what went through the minds of many city voters Monday night as the Charlevoix City Council went against the opinion of many of their constituents and decided to build additional sidewalks on Belvedere and Michigan Avenues.

Their rationale: It is safer. We say: Baloney.

In the case of Belvedere Avenue, the city is going to build a sidewalk on a side of the road with a steep embankment, which makes it hard for drivers to see who is coming down the street, much less a sidewalk. Plus, this sidewalk will pass in front of over 30 driveways. This makes a real gauntlet to walk down.

The city says these sidewalks will keep people out of the street. Another slice of baloney. There are already sidewalks on both Michigan and Belvedere avenues. If people already do not use the existing sidewalk, what makes the city think they will now?

Plus — as resident Charlie Winn said at Monday night's city council meeting — if the

city can make ordinances prohibiting bicycles and skateboards from the sidewalks, why can't they make an ordinance prohibiting people from walking in the street and using the already existing sidewalks on Belvedere and Michigan avenues?

It seems this issue is less about safety as it is about money. The city has money to build a sidewalk and let's face it, our city likes to spend money, even if we really do not need to.

This is just another example of poor governing by our city council.

But, you have got to hand it to some of these council members, they sure do have moxie to go against their constituents. Especially Norman "Boogie" Carlson, who is up for reelection this year and voted for these unnecessary sidewalks.

To be fair, not all of the council members joined in this voter-bucking action. Council members Bill Bellows and A.J. Witthoef deserve praise for their votes against this action.

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Area hospital's history outlined in new book



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

Most of us can only imagine what it was like to practice medicine at the turn of the century before there were antibiotics or laparoscopic surgeries, but a new Charlevoix book "A History of Caring" spells it out for us in fascinating detail.

The Charlevoix Area Hospital was officially opened in 1920 in a large, frame house located on Hurlbut Street that cost \$2,000.

There was no Patients' Bill of Rights pending in Congress, and doctors, who made house calls, were sometimes never paid for their midnight horse and buggy runs, or were paid with a delivery of chickens and eggs. Sometimes, Dr. Saltenstall recalled, he was paid \$2 in cash for a home delivery — occasionally in a migrant worker's unheated shack with a dirt floor.

Legal liability? Dr. Stewart describes the time when tonsils were removed in school, and children sat in the principal's chair while his grandfather, Dr. McMillan, performed anesthesia with drip ether.

Esther Carey, registered nurse,

began working in the Charlevoix Hospital in 1944. "I remember that the pharmacy was a room in the basement and nurses went down and got what we needed," she recalls.

The special charm of these skillful interviews is that they are presented with the original quotes collected by Tamara Stevens, director of marketing and public relations. Much to her credit, she did not attempt to re-write the original anecdotes. Many black and white photographs accompany the soft cover edition of the Charlevoix Area Hospital history.

The old hospital with 22 beds, operating room and obstetrics unit served the community well until the late 1940s, when fund-raising efforts began for a new hospital. As always, location was a contentious issue, but finally the former trailer park location was chosen.

Esther Bleha recalls, "We had the grocery store at that time. People would come in the store and they'd cuss Chuck out. They'd yell at him about how he might vote. It was terrible! Business dropped down."

Since then the hospital has continued to grow both in size and the services it provides including an emergency room, coronary care unit, birthing center and physical therapy department.

Frivolous lawsuits? In 1934 malpractice insurance premiums were \$17.50. There was no pre-natal care and there were many risky deliveries before C-section deliveries

became an option. Doctors performed internal versions, which meant reaching up inside and turning the baby around, if possible. Tom Cary, current hospital board member since 1973, recalls that Dr. Armstrong delivered him at home on the kitchen table.

Later, there were only three doctors in Charlevoix, Wendy Saltenstall recalls, and no back-ups. "My father was always working," she said.

"The story that sticks out in my mind is when the cat knocked over the kerosene lamp during a delivery. There was no electricity during a thunderstorm and the cat got scared and knocked over the lamp and my father delivered the baby in the dark."

Paperwork? Hospital records in the old days were unbelievable, according to Dr. Plagge.

"The complete hospital record would say things like, 'The patient was admitted, had a hysterectomy and was discharged,'" he said. That's it!

Collectors of Charlevoix memorabilia will want to add copies of this valuable book to their collection. They are available at the Bridge Street Book Store and the Hospital Gift Shop for \$20.

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.

Letters to the editor

Remember the veterans
Editor:

On VJ Day, we celebrate the formal signing of the papers that brought an end to the fighting of World War II. It was a day of victory, but yet, it was a victory secured with the lives of hundreds of thousands of Americans.

VJ Day should serve as a lasting tribute to those who followed Old

Glory to distant shores where they put their lives on the line because it was the right thing to do. Their sacrifice preserved freedom for generations yet unborn. We must never forget those brave men and women who paid the ultimate price for our freedom.

Right now, there are more than 65,000 veterans who can't remember last year's events. For them,

VJ Day is just another long day in a hospital bed. These are the same men and women who fought, put it all on the line, for you and me. Many of them left homes and families to fight on foreign soil for the freedoms that you and I will be celebrating in just a few days.

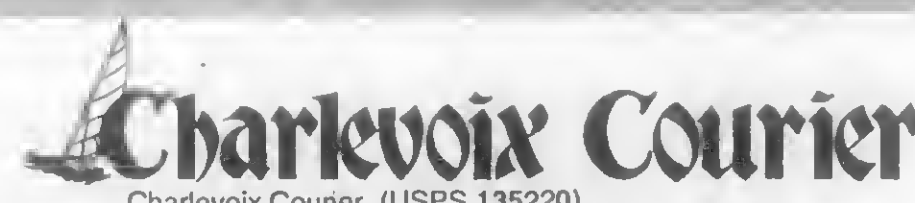
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But there will be very little celebrating in just a few days. There will be very little celebrating for most of the 65,000 veterans who will once again find themselves suffering quietly in beds in America's veterans hospitals.

Just before dawn on Aug. 14 (VJ Day), I will light a candle and as the light from its flame drives the darkness from the night, it will symbolize my commitment to honor all veterans and drive back the fear any hospitalized veterans may have of being forgotten. We must never forget.

"Duty — Honor — Country"
Jerry Evans
Ellsworth

Great job

Twenty-six years ago I moved to Charlevoix because of the natural beauty of this area. I have subsequently learned that our most beautiful natural resource is the people of this area.

Petunia planting and Venetian bring out the best in our townspeople. It is very impressive to watch the volunteers who man the booths downtown during Venetian. I would especially like to thank Dan Barron, of the Venetian committee, and the myriad volunteers for their planning and execution of the events of this spectacular week.

Reed Freidinger
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:
On behalf of the Charlevoix Kappa Sigma Sorority, we would like to thank the community for its participation and support of our recent Home Tour.

We also thank the individuals and businesses who made this Home Tour once again a success and volunteers who were hostesses at each home and who worked traffic control.

Finally, a special thank you to the homeowners on this year's tour: Stuart and Susan Kaufman, Ray and Pat Rohde, Don and Ruth Can Sulichem, David and Arlene Parker and Arnold and Polly Evans. Without their generosity, this event could not take place.

Our balance sheet is not quite complete, but we hope to donate about \$5,500 to the Charlevoix Area Hospital and almost \$3,000 to the Sue DeYoung/Judy Edger Breast Cancer Walk for cancer research.

Thank you, Courier, for the articles covering this event.
Dr. Kim Molter
2001 Home Tour Chairperson

Cancer-causing substance near the new school?

Editor:
My family moved to Marion Center Road in 1954. At that time it was a largely agricultural community. Some of the very "mature" neighbors told me over the years that the area had once been a very large orchard.

Since that time, my father died of cancer in 1994. My son died of cancer in 1996. At least three other

neighbors have died of cancer in the immediate area. A number of other neighbors have become sick with various types of disease. Oh yes, I live exactly one mile from the "proposed" school site.

The American Cancer Society and the Oncology Department of the University of Michigan Hospital will tell you that the incidence of cancer in agricultural areas is geometrically greater than in non-agricultural areas. The incidence of cancer in former orchard lands is greater still.

Before the "proposed" school began construction, the question of soil contamination testing was brought up by concerned citizens. Apparently nothing was done. It now appears that the playing fields are being prepared, which seems to mean a lot more Earth moving and potential exposure of previously undisturbed pieces of land. I wonder if anything has yet been done concerning the possible "brown-field" condition of this site. A prime cancer vector is contaminated dust.

I am writing this to tell you of the unfortunate circumstances which have afflicted my family while living here. I hope that someone has considered the possibility of such on a much larger scale. I would really hate to see a white elephant turn into a "love canal."

Joseph F. Seidel
Charlevoix

Great Venetian Festival

Editor:
We are all blessed to have such wonderful people put together our very unique Charlevoix Venetian Festival. Hundreds of hours of work, planning and directing went into putting together the best Venetian Festival we have ever had two weeks ago.

From the fireworks, to the boat parade, to the many bands that played and entertained us, to the Michigan State Marching Band and the fun carnival, it could not have been done any better — it was perfect. Seven days of continual fun for all of us.

I remember when I lived in Washington, D.C. and I used to go to the Capitol to watch the Fourth of July celebrations — our Venetian Festival blew their show away.

Please allow me to give special thanks to the Venetian Festival Board of Directors, who put this together for our community and raised some \$250,000 to make it all possible. They are: Dan Barron, Dave Novotny, Dean Davenport, Thom Bickersteth, John Winn, Laurie Lounsbury, John Taylor and Anne Golski.

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Pool auction raises about \$70,000 Sunday

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The annual Charlevoix Area Community Pool Auction Sunday at the Charlevoix Country Club raised between \$67,000 and \$70,000 for the pool fund.

While this is a great showing for the auction, it did not raise as much money as last year's total of \$73,000, according to auction coordinator Scott MacKenzie.

However, MacKenzie was still happy with the results.

"It absolutely amazes me, the generosity of folks in town," he said.

The item receiving the highest bidding that night was the PT Cruiser, with a winning bid of \$19,900. Next up was a Charlevoix Country Club Social Membership,

with a winning bid of \$13,000 and then a Lincoln Continental, with a winning bid of \$10,000.

MacKenzie said there were quite a few bidding wars throughout the evening, especially on the Lincoln Continental.

"It was a fun evening," he said.

Bruce MacArthur, of the pool board of directors, added that a lot of the evening's success was due to the work put forth by MacKenzie.

In fact, MacKenzie is already working on next year's auction. As of Tuesday, he was trying to get a weeks stay at a London, England flat included in the items to bid on for next year.

The annual auction is used to help fund the community pool in order to keep it affordable for users. The pool is not supported by tax dollars.

Classic cars to be in town

The Charlevoix Street Legends Classic Car Club will host its ninth annual Up North Cruise Night and Car Show at 4 p.m. on Aug. 18.

The event will begin at Charlevoix Township's Shanahan Field, will travel around Lake Charlevoix and end with a special street parking display in downtown

Charlevoix.

Live entertainment will be provided in the Odmak Pavilion in East Park.

The car show will take place on Aug. 19 at Shanahan Field. Registration is open to everyone beginning at 8 a.m. and ending at noon.

A trolley service will provide

transportation to the show site from downtown Charlevoix. A special auction to benefit Camp Quality will begin at 1 p.m. and all proceeds from the show will be donated to local charitable organizations.

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CMU graduates

Two Charlevoix area students recently graduated from Central Michigan University. They are: Erin D. McDonough, of Beaver Island, with a bachelor of science degree and Karry B. Seibert, of Charlevoix, with a bachelor of science in education degree.

Dean's list

Holly J. Petkewicz, of Charlevoix, was recently named to the dean's list of Calvin College. To be named to the list, students must achieve at least a 3.5 grade point average or higher. Petkewicz is a 1999 graduate of East Jordan High School, graduating as the class valedictorian. She is the granddaughter of Jerry and Judy Petkewicz of Charlevoix.

Summer party

The Christ Child Society of Northern Michigan has its summer party on July 29 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. James L. McGauley. The annual benefit is the major fund-raiser for the society whose only purpose is to improve the lives of children and young adults in northern Michigan.

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Engagements

Williams — Carey



Rhonda Williams and T.J. Carey, both of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

Rhonda is the daughter of Ron and Theda Williams of Charlevoix. T.J. is the son of Tim and Stephanie Carey of Charlevoix.

A wedding is being planned for Aug. 3, 2002 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a 1998 graduate of Charlevoix High School and currently attends Calvin College and is majoring in secondary mathematics in education.

The groom-to-be is a 1998 graduate of Charlevoix High School. He currently attends Central Michigan University and is majoring in industrial and engineering technology in education.

Theodoro — Jess



Zézé Theodoro and Robert J. Jess, both of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

Zézé is the daughter of José and Fátima Theodoro and the late Marie Luzia Theodoro of Brazil. Robert is the son of Robert and Deborah Jess of Charlevoix.

A wedding is being planned for Dec. 1, 2001 in Goiania, Goiás, Brazil.

Hohl — Kelly

Annette Marie Hohl and Daniel Patrick Kelly, of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

Annette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Hohl, of Charlevoix. Daniel is the son of Karen Kelly of Plymouth and



Michael Kelly of Novi.

A wedding is being planned for May 2002 at St. Mary's Church in Detroit, with a reception at the Elmerado Country Club in Commerce.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Michigan State University with a bachelor's degree in journalism and dance. She is presently employed with Junior Achievement of Detroit as a senior program manager.

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Talk yourself into positive thinking

By FR. JIM GUNN Rector,
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I once heard it said that you need not worry if you talk to yourself. You don't even need to worry if you argue with yourself. However, you do need to start worrying if you lose those arguments!

Seriously, we all talk to ourselves all the time. We don't sit there and verbally exchange remarks with ourselves — sort of a conversation between our right brain and left brain — but we do tell ourselves things mentally about our interpretation of what is happening in our lives and what may happen.

At last Wednesday's session of the "Food For Thought" summer series at Christ Church, we watched a video about how we can guard against the causes of depression in our lives. One of the biggest things that Dr. Chris Thurman spoke about was faulty thinking — ways in which we distort reality in our lives. One example would be if, when something unpleasant happens in our life, we tell ourselves that the rest of our life (or even the rest of the day) is going to be unpleasant.

I'd like to make three observations about approaching this issue of coming against faulty thinking.

First of all, it is always to our benefit to be involved in vital Christian fellowship. In 1 Corinthians 12:26-27, Paul speaks of the way life is shared in the fellowship of believers: "If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it. Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it." If we live into that picture and share our joys and our sorrows with our

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brothers and sisters in Christ, then we have the safeguard of their more objective perspective. Faulty thinking tends to be a private project that gets corrected when other people are able to reflect with us on what has happened.

I want to illustrate the second point for you by mentioning four verses of Holy Scripture. As Paul is completing 2 Corinthians, he says, "Finally, brothers, good-bye. Aim for perfection, listen to my appeal, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you." (NIV) He is not only saying that they should have agreement about what they believe but that they should share an attitude and approach to life.

Where does that come from? Let's look at Philippians 2:5: "Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus." It is what some of referred to as the mind of Christ. Because we are members of the Body of Christ, then we come to share in the mind of the head. However, that comes to be more true as we grow in our life in faith.

Paul indicates the direction we must take in his words of advice in Romans 12:2: "Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is — his good, pleasing and perfect will." As our minds are renewed through the power of the Holy Spirit,

it, then they come more in alignment with Jesus' mind.

The last verse I mentioned emphasizes the ongoing nature of that transformation and it is found at 2 Corinthians 3:18: "And we, who with unveiled faces all reflect the Lord's glory, are being transformed into his likeness with ever-increasing glory, which comes from the Lord, who is the Spirit."

As this transformation takes place, then we come to be more guarded against faulty thinking.

The third and final point that I mentioned comes from the "normal diet" that we give our mind. If we look at Philippians 4:6-8, we gain an appreciation for the recommended approach to all that occurs in our lives: "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus. Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is noble, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable — if anything is excellent or praiseworthy — think about such things."

In so far as we place our lives in the hand of God and focus our attention on the things that are pleasing to Him, then we are filled with peace and wisdom.

May you all have the blessing of experiencing the peace of which these scriptures speak and the joy of living in the fellowship of which Christ is the head. I believe that you will be strongly guarded against faulty thinking if you focus on these three points.

Obituaries

Joan Mitchell Radney: Feb. 11, 1925 - May 4, 2001

Joan Mitchell Radney passed away on May 4, 2001 in Woodland Hills, Calif.

A burial service will be at her family's plot at Brookside Cemetery at 11:30 a.m. on Aug. 14.

She was born on Feb. 11, 1925 to Dr. William Will Mitchell DDS and Ruth Hooper Mitchell in Charlevoix. Her father's family had a farm in Ironton, but it was Charlevoix that captured the family's heart.

Dr. Williams Mitchell had a practice in Miami Beach, Fla., where the family spent their winters, and each summer they always came home to Charlevoix. The local doctor, Dr. Armstrong, would provide Dr. Mitchell with an office for

his dentist work.

The family had always loved Charlevoix and thought of it as their home.

In the early 1950s, Joan met and married Zane Byron Radney. Zane Radney was in the television industry and in 1969 moved the family to California, where he worked for Universal Studios as a production manager, before retiring.

Joan was very active in "WAIF" now Operation Children, which is an organization that helps children find adopted families. She enjoyed traveling, being with her family and playing bridge with her many friends.

She will be remembered for her optimism, her endless ener-

gy and her quick sense of humor.

She is deeply missed.

Joan was preceded in death by her husband, Zane. She is survived by her children, Stephanie Pamp Repp, Suzanne Radney Janda, Mitchell Bryan Radney, four grandchildren and her brother, William Mitchell.

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Joan Mitchell Radney

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Summer more intense in Charlevoix than last

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Blistering hot temperatures have had Charlevoix residents, visitors and even Lake Michigan in a full sweat.

According to Steve Rowley, meteorologist for the National Weather Service, high temperatures are the number one factor leading to decreasing lake levels — as temperatures rise lake water evaporates more rapidly.

He said the second most influential factor is annual precipitation.

Winter evaporation has added to the problem, he said. When lakes don't freeze over like in the last several winters and remain open water there is still evaporation. Rowley added when they are frozen the evaporation is almost negligible.

"Because the temperature around the Great Lakes from 1998-2000 tended to be higher than normal, it contributed to a lot of evaporation. Since 1998 levels of lakes Michigan and Huron have dropped 40 inches, the fastest rate of falling ever recorded," Rowley said.

While this may seem to be a

frightening concept, Rowley added the numbers still show the lake to be one foot higher than the level that was observed in 1964, "when the lakes really bottomed out and caused a lot of problems for folks."

He said there are indications that there is a cycle involved which follows a 30 year timeline. Every 30 years a low is reached and then there is a gradual increase which leads the water levels back to a peaking point.

"If the lowest point has been reached right now, then 30 years from now it would be at the highest level," he said.

Currently, we can expect the evaporation rate of Charlevoix's surrounding lakes to exceed the evaporation rate of last year during the hot summer months.

During the last week in July for the year 2000 temperatures were below the sweltering highs we are currently feeling.

On July 26, 2000, the highest temperature reached in Traverse City was 86 degrees, followed by a couple of days in the upper 70s.

Rowley said that last summer at the end of July and reaching into the first days of August, temperatures were in the low to mid 80s. There were even a couple nights when temperatures didn't drop below 60.

On Aug. 1, 2000 recorded highs in the low 80s and lows in the 60s. Rowley characterized that Tuesday afternoon as "a warm, humid day."

A little relief from the heat came

on Aug. 3, 2001. He said a cool front came in and the temperatures dropped to tolerable 71 degrees at a high and 57 degrees at a low — a forecast that was nothing but a dream for Charlevoix residents on Aug. 3, 2001.

"Last year at this time there was humidity around, but not anything like the stuff everyone felt yesterday (Aug. 1) or the day before (July 31)," Rowley said.

He said last summer at this time "things weren't nearly as intense."

In fact, during the three "classic summer months," — June, July and

August — of 2000 there were no reported 90 degree days.

However, for the same months this summer, residents and visitors have already endured five days when temperatures climbed to 90 degrees and higher. There were two in June and July and one was already recorded in August as of press time.

But, if Rowley's cycle theory holds true, during June, July and August of 2024 Charlevoix visitors should be swimming and boating in deeper waters than they have seen before.

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Tinney is featured artist for hospital

Local watercolor artist Pat Tinney of East Jordan is the featured artist of this year's Charlevoix Area Hospital's Lighthouse Club art-work.

For the second year in a row, Charlevoix Area Hospital will present a copy of a rendering of the Pine River Channel lighthouse to the members of the hospital's Lighthouse Club in gratitude for their support.

To be a member of the Lighthouse Club, people need to donate \$100 or more each year to the hospital. A reception will take place at 5:30 p.m., Aug. 16 at the hospital for all Lighthouse Club members.

According to Tinney, she is a watercolorist first and a high school art teacher second. She has been teaching in East Jordan for 15 years. Tinney has shown her work at the Portside Art Fair in East Jordan for many years and has been painting since she was 14 years old.

Tinney sold her first painting on the east coast as a teenager when her parents rented a bungalow right on the beach near Martha's Vineyard.

"I'll never forget it, it was a big painting of a lighthouse, ironically," Tinney said. "A man came along and saw it and he offered me \$10 for it. I went back to the house and told my parents I sold a painting. I thought, this makes me happy, painting and having someone like it enough to buy it."

Tinney recently earned her master's degree in watercolor concentration. She focused her thesis and thesis show on Beaver Island, where for 10 years she has spent the month of August painting.

Tinney said she feels honored to be selected as the featured artist for this year's Lighthouse Club artwork. Last year's featured artist was Sue Bolt.

Tinney and her husband, pediatrician Dr. Rod Tinney, have three children and live in East Jordan.

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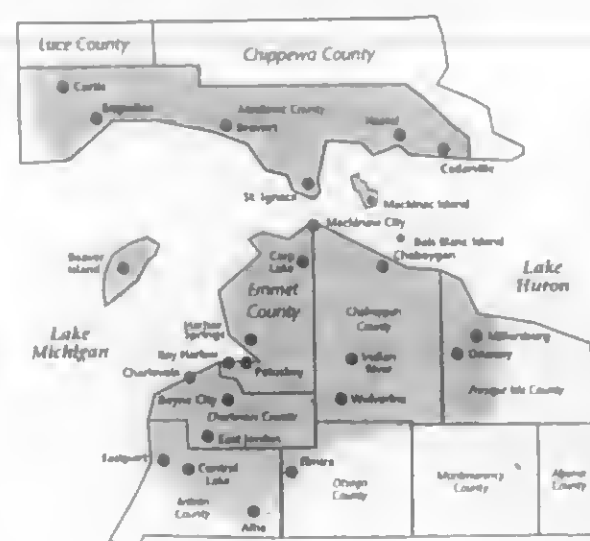
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Library board discusses new director position

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The library board wants to hang on to interim director Charles Kregel and they are already concerned a new director will not live up to the standards.

"What he (Kregel) accomplished in nine weeks hasn't been done in 27 years," Charlevoix Public Schools representative to the library board, Mary Anne Chew said at the board's special meeting July 12.

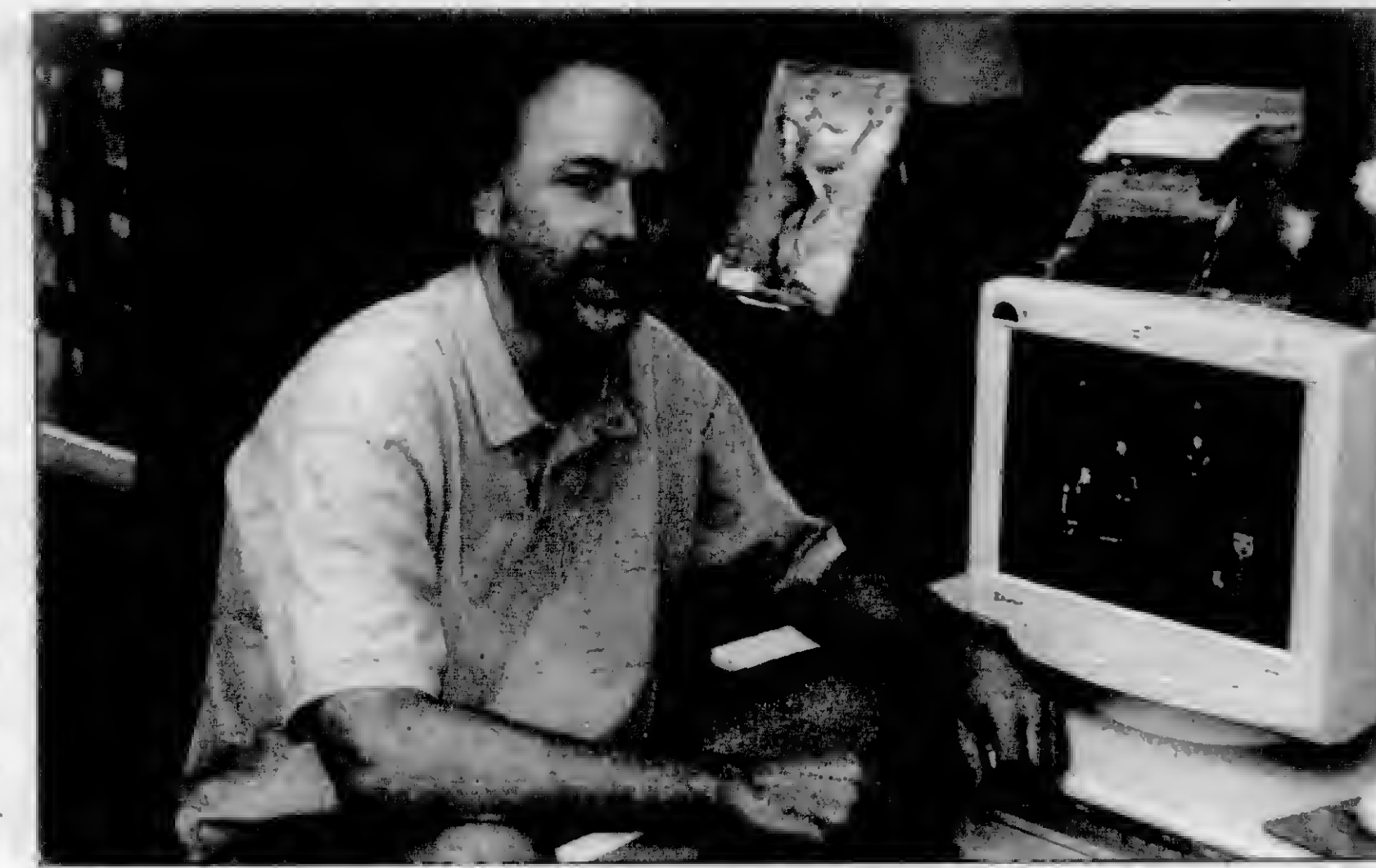
Summer projects Kregel completed at the library include; updates to both the children's and adult reading rooms, cleaned up the workroom, spruced up the cata-

logging system, created a summer reading program, replaced books, hired employees and he negotiated a \$13,000 discount on new technology for the library called Sirsi.

Even though the board wants Kregel to fill a permanent position at the library, after a nine week stay it's time for this traveling man to get back on the road and it's time for them to hire a new director.

According to reports at the meeting the director search has not been entirely successful. The board has found three candidates that possess characteristics that meet some of the library's needs, but not all of them.

"My concern with having
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Charlie Kregel will soon be leaving his post as the interim director of the Charlevoix library. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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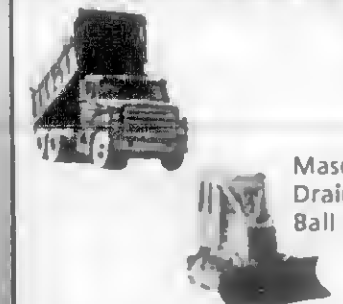
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Community health agency warns about rabies

Each year many Americans have to undergo anti-rabies treatment as a result of exposure to potentially rabid animals.

Other major problems associated with animal bites include the cost of treatment, disfigurement, infection, fear and worry and death, said officials with the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency and District Health Department Number Four.

"Since 1990, about three cases of human rabies have been reported each year in the United States," said Joshua R. Meyerson, MD, MPH, Medical Director of the health departments which serve residents throughout northwestern and northeastern lower Michigan.

Meyerson is Medical Director for Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, which serves Antrim, Charlevoix, Emmet and Otsego counties. He is also Medical Director for District Health Department No. 4, which serves residents in Alpena, Cheboygan,

Montmorency and Presque Isle counties. In addition to his Medical Director duties, Dr. Meyerson provides specialized pediatric care to the Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians.

Last year, a total of 69 animals tested positive for rabies in Michigan including 63 bats, two fox, two skunks, one cat, and one horse. In 1999, 92 animals tested positive. In 1998, the number was 37. Locally, three bats tested positive in 2000 — one in Charlevoix County and two in Otsego County.

Wild animals — such as bats, coyotes, skunks, raccoons, foxes, woodchucks, bobcats and other cats — and domestic animals — such as livestock, dogs, ferrets and cats — are capable of transmitting rabies, Meyerson said. Rodents (except woodchuck and beaver) and lagomorphs (rabbits and hares) almost never call for anti-rabies treatment.

The last two reported cases of human rabies in Michigan oc-

curred in 1948 and 1983.

Rabies is a virus found in the saliva of rabies-infected animals. If an infected animal bites you or your pet, the infection is transmitted and affects the nervous system.

Nonbite methods of exposure may include scratches, abrasions, open wounds or mucous membranes (mouth and eyes) contaminated with saliva or infectious material from a rabid animal.

Bats are of special concern and an exposure is defined as a bite, scratch or even finding a live or dead bat in living quarters where it had access to sleeping persons.

Rabies is a fatal disease but it can be prevented, Meyerson said. If you are bitten or scratched by an animal, or exposed to a bat, contact your physician for guidance and notify the county animal control officer. The essential measures in preventing problems following a bite or scratch includes:

• Local treatment of the wound. Immediate and thorough washing

of all wounds with soap and water is perhaps the most effective measure in preventing infection, including rabies. After washing the wound, rinse with water and cleanse it with a topical antiseptic.

• Evaluation and treatment of the wound. A physician should be contacted immediately. Evaluation and prompt treatment of bites and scratches will prevent future problems. Treatment may include further wound cleaning and care, tetanus (Td/DTP) vaccine, antibiotics to prevent infection and anti-rabies treatments may also be indicated.

• Animal confinement or testing. All bites should be reported to the county animal control officer. Healthy dogs, cats and ferrets can be confined or observed for 10 days as directed by the animal control officer. Sick dogs, cats or ferrets and wild animals should be destroyed and tested for rabies. Rodents (i.e. chipmunks, mice) and lagomorphs (rabbits and hares)

rarely call for anti-rabies treatment and testing, unless the bite history is very unusual or by a woodchuck or beaver.

• Do not destroy the animal by shooting it in the head, but rather contact the county animal control officer, local environmental sanitarian or a veterinarian. If animals must be handled, use heavy gloves tongs or similar tools; do not pick up the animal with bare hands. Dead animals should be placed in double plastic bags and refrigerated, not frozen.

According to Dr. Meyerson, the essential measures to follow in preventing serious consequences through an animal bite are to avoid strange animals, vaccinate domestic animals, keep pets under control, notify the animal control officer when exposure occurs, cleanse all wounds thoroughly, seek prompt medical attention, confine or test animals for rabies and contact the local environmental sanitarian if you have questions.

Sheriff's office responds to three accidents in area

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's office responded to three accidents recently. They were:

• Jamie Craig Loveall, 27, of Jenison, was injured in a four-wheeler accident around 12 p.m. on Aug. 4 on the seasonal portion of Struder Road.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's

Office reported Loveall's four-wheeler ran into a tree when he turned around to look behind him. He was operating the vehicle on a narrow section of the road.

Loveall was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital by Boyne City Ambulance with a possible broken collar bone, arm and leg.

• Joslyn J. Keie, 9, of Charlevoix, was injured around 4:30 p.m., Aug. 1 on Lake Charlevoix near Holy Island.

She was swimming from a 1987 Searay motorboat when her leg struck the vessel's cleat when she attempted to jump from its side.

Keie suffered lacerations to her

leg as a result of the impact with the cleat and was treated at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The accident remains under investigation.

• Kyle McDevitt, of Farmington Hills, was injured in a watercraft accident around 11:30 a.m., Aug. 5 on Lake Charlevoix near the

Harborage Marina in Boyne City.

McDevitt was water skiing with his family when he fell and was struck in the head with one of his skis. He suffered a laceration to his head and was treated at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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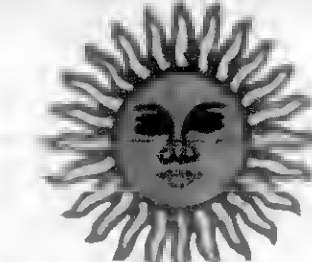
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One day in the life of the parking patrol

By JOCEY FLORENCE
Staff writer

Generally, parking enforcement officers are not the most well-liked people. However, Charlevoix residents may be disappointed to learn that Andy Granath, Charlevoix's parking enforcement officer, does not quite fit the stereotypical mold.

"I'm really not out to get anyone," Granath said. "I like this job because I get to be outside all day and because I get to meet a lot of people. I really don't consider myself a nasty guy, though."

Granath is Charlevoix's only parking enforcement officer, therefore, he is in charge of distributing all of the parking tickets in town. He can be seen Tuesday through Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. walking through town and sometimes writing \$2 tickets. The tickets jump up in price after 24 hours.

The initially low price of the ticket provides Granath with a source of solace.

"I don't feel so bad distributing tickets. If they were more than \$2, than I'd feel guiltier," Granath said. After 24 hours, though, the price of the ticket greatly increases.

This summer is Granath's third year as Charlevoix parking officer. He was originally offered the job because of a suggestion made by a friend to Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson. At first, Granath was unsure of his capability

ty to perform his new job.

"I don't generally like confrontation, so the first time that I wrote a ticket I was really nervous. Now that I've done it so much, though, it doesn't really bother me," Granath said.

Granath has good reason to be comfortable giving tickets: He usually distributes 70 to 85 a day along his route down State and Bridge streets, as well as the adjoining parking lots and side streets. Granath estimated that he walks about 20 miles each day.

Although 20 miles in 90 degree weather might not sound too appealing, it doesn't bother Granath.

"My uniform (a blue police shirt and his choice of shorts) is not that hot, and I drink a lot of water," Granath said.

Granath has also become familiar with the homeowners and store owners along his route. He is even recognized by some of their dogs.

"I've gotten to know a lot of the people on my route. Most of them are really nice," Granath said.

The parking lots near the Coast Guard Station and the marina are Granath's favorite parts of his route. However, he distributes the most tickets along Bridge Street.

Besides writing tickets, Granath is also responsible for emptying the meters once every three weeks. He takes a wheelbarrow through town early in the morning and collects all of the change.

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Charlevoix parking patrol officer Andy Granath writes a ticket to an illegally parked vehicle on the Charlevoix city streets. (Photo by Jocey Florence)

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Granath shares stories of his parking patrol duties

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Granath, who will start his sophomore year at Michigan State University in August, has lived in Charlevoix for five years. Because his dad was in the Coast Guard, he moved around quite often as a child.

Granath has lived in Miami, Florida, Ohio, Maryland, Boston, Massachusetts and Wisconsin. But, his family decided to settle permanently in Charlevoix.

"I love Charlevoix. Everyone's so friendly and it's such a nice town to live in," Granath said.

The friendliness of Charlevoix's citizens is something that Granath has grown to appreciate during his time as a parking officer. Although most of the people to whom he distribute tickets are nice, he has experienced his share of rude confrontations.

"It doesn't really bother me when people get angry. I just listen to them; I never talk back to them or anything," Granath said.

The confrontations that he has experienced have forced Granath to develop a system that he follows when he's giving out tickets.

"If I'm writing out a ticket, or putting it on the car, and the owner comes out, I won't give him the ticket. Once it's on the car, though,

I won't take it off," he said.

While a job giving tickets to illegally parked vehicles forces Granath into some confrontations, he says it has had some positive influences for him.

"I used to be really shy, and now, because I get to meet and talk to so many people as a result of my job, I'm definitely less shy and more of a 'people-person' now," Granath said.



Bikers invade

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Waterfront Art Fair to be this weekend

If you are thinking about viewing or purchasing quality artwork, the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair, which will take place from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Aug. 11, in East Park may be just what you have in mind.

For 43 years this art fair has earned the reputation of being the second oldest and most prestigious outdoor show in the state.

Organized by Charlevoix's Council for the Arts, a non-profit organization, the Charlevoix Waterfront

Art Fair is a juried show that features a variety of traditional, functional, non-functional and abstract artwork. The mission of the founders, as well as of the present committee, is to bring fine art to residents and seasonal visitors to the area alike.

Proceeds from the event are channeled back into the community in various forms of promotion of and exposure to the fine arts.

The council sponsors an annual

scholarship to encourage aspiring young artists and brings a variety of programs into the community and the schools in the form of dance, drama, symphonic performances

and visits by artists throughout the year.

Exhibiting artists come to show their work from as far away as California, New York and Florida but

most of the artwork is a sampling of watercolors, oils, acrylics, jewelry, ceramics, pottery, fibers, paper sculpture, mixed media and photography with a Midwest flavor.

A vendor at last year's art fair prepares his water fountain art for viewing by the many spectators that visit the fair. (Charlevoix Courier file photo)



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Fair-goers learn more about the art they are considering for purchase at last year's art fair. The fair brings artists from throughout Michigan and their unique styles of art to downtown Charlevoix for the weekend. (Charlevoix Courier file photo)

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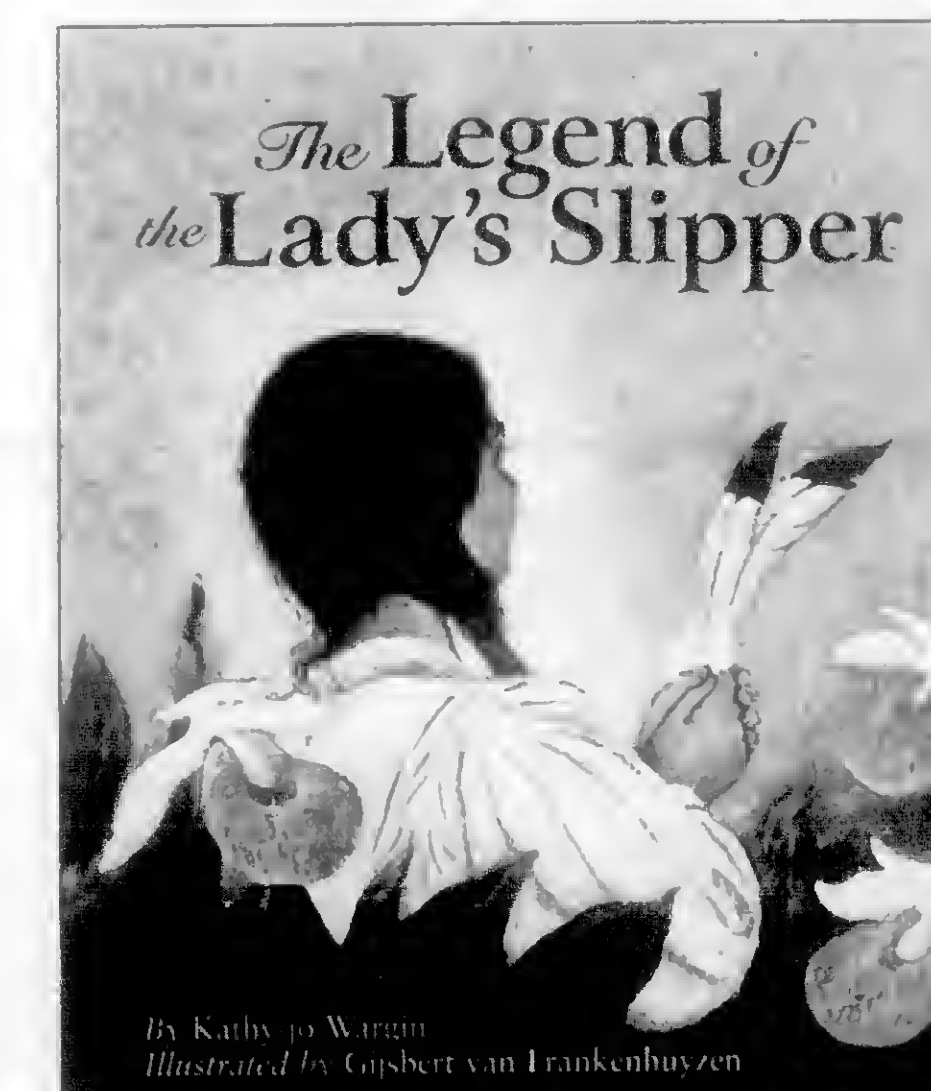
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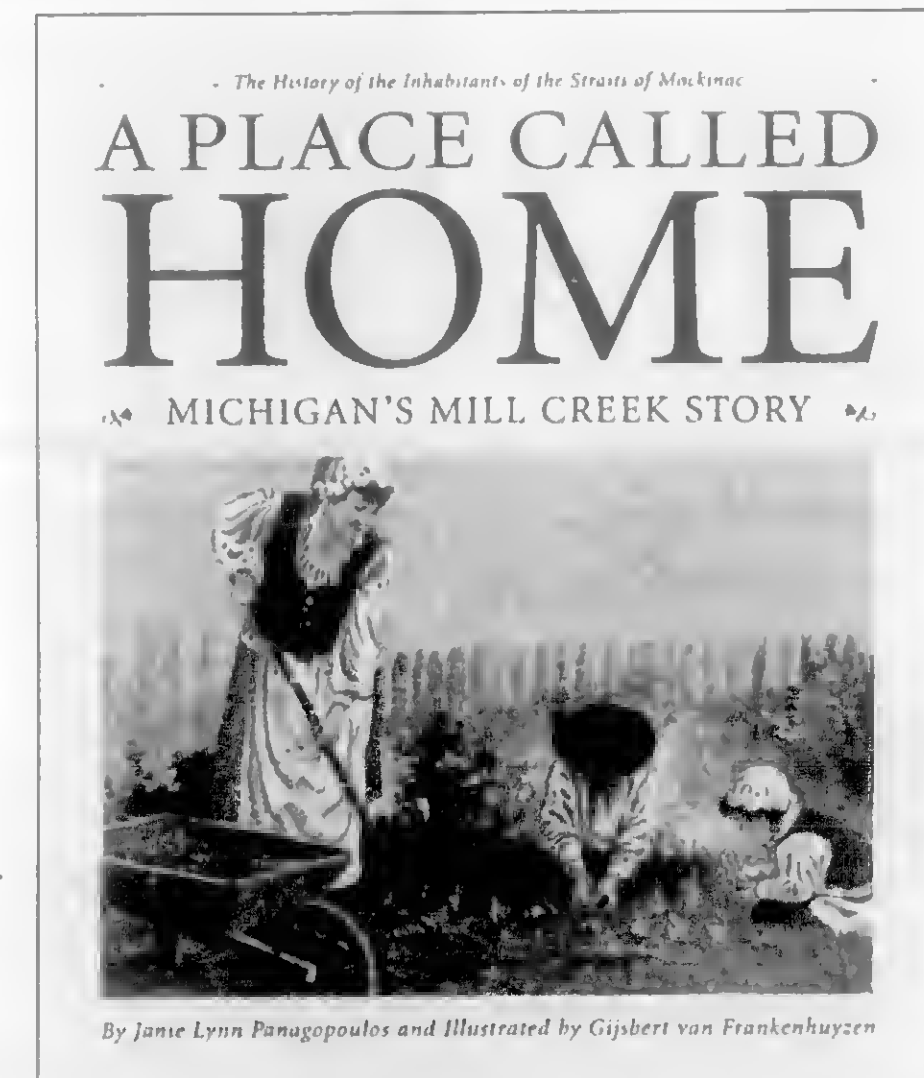


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Local artist brings new work to Waterfront fair

Barb Godwin, long time exhibitor in the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair, is looking forward to the upcoming show.

Frequenters of the art fair are familiar with the signature ceramics and pottery she has exhibited in past shows and sells in her clapboard studio and shop on Antrim Street in Charlevoix.

This year, she is extremely excited to display her new work, which was inspired by a recent trip she made to France and Italy.

The trip was a memorable one for Godwin. Her art career began while studying painting and drawing in Paris at the Atelier Porte Royale over thirty years ago. She was anxious to revisit Paris, this time with a focus on meeting and collecting. So along with her friend and traveling companion, Harriett Weinbaum, from Southfield, Godwin set out on a two week excursion which took the friends to France and Italy.

While renewing her spirit by absorbing the European culture, Godwin was on the lookout for other potters, woodworkers and craftspeople who dealt in weaving and glass. The trip was preceded by much research involving writing to various chambers of commerce in cities and towns of both countries.

"I also have a new friend who had a connection in Italy and France. That helped. Once we got to some of our destinations, we just talked to a lot of people," Godwin said when asked how she began her

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Barb Godwin shows off some of her new work at her Antrim Street studio. (Courtesy photo)

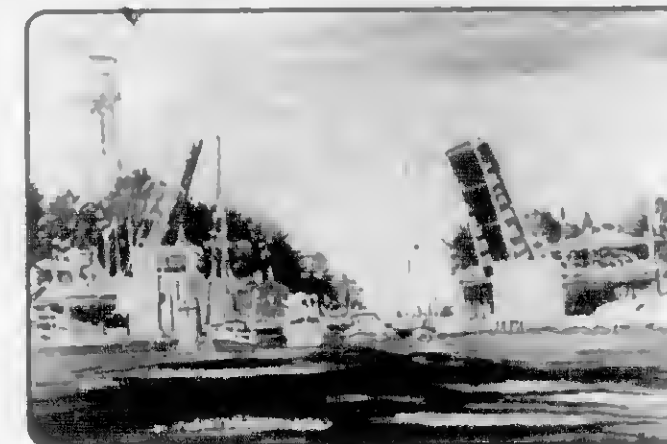
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Salmonson returns to show

Terry Salmonson, a local Charlevoix photographer, has been participating in the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair since 1973.

"This is the only show I do," said Salmonson. "It's wonderful. It's one of the best shows in the state, or the country for that matter."

Salmonson will have his traditional photographs on hand as well as those featuring the "Wooden Gallery Process" developed by Mike DesForger of Traverse City. This is a method of preserving and presenting a photograph.

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Salmonson, who has won numerous awards of excellence for his portrayal of the Charlevoix

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"It's great to be in that kind of

company. The show has given me a lot of positive feedback for what I do," he said. "It is a way to show my work to the whole community."



Local artist, Terry Salmonson, stands near some of his photographic artwork. (Courtesy photo)

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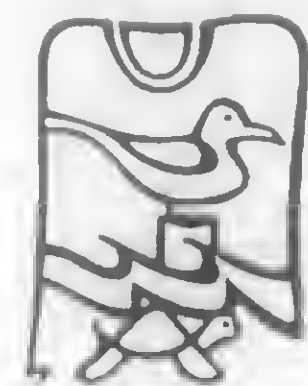


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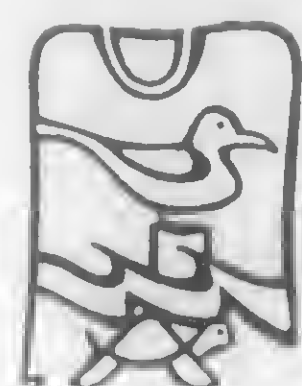


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What is that?

A young Waterfront Art Fair spectator last year examines one of the many works of art at the show. (Charlevoix Courier file photo)

Artist learns style from abroad

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search for kindred artists and craftspeople in France and Italy.

Godwin found that most of the shops were strictly commercial, selling the finished product with no trace of the process.

"I kept wondering where the workshops and studios were," Godwin said. "My focus was to find a shop-studio artist who did the whole process like I do."

They visited pottery shops which turned out plates, vases and other pieces for Pier 1, for example. All the steps in the process were accomplished by different artisans.

Eventually their travels took them to the hill towns of Italy. There they met Claudia Catria who they befriended and who graciously shared her craft.

"I probably purchased 25 pieces from Claudia," Godwin said.

Altogether Godwin shipped home about 80 pieces of work from a variety of craftspeople in Italy and France. She is anxious to

display and sell these in her shop along with her own work.

At the Waterfront Art Fair on Aug. 11, Godwin will be in her booth in East Park surrounded by the craft she loves. Look for the white work and beach plates for which she is especially recognized, but also those new pieces - the motifs and shapes which were inspired by her trip abroad.



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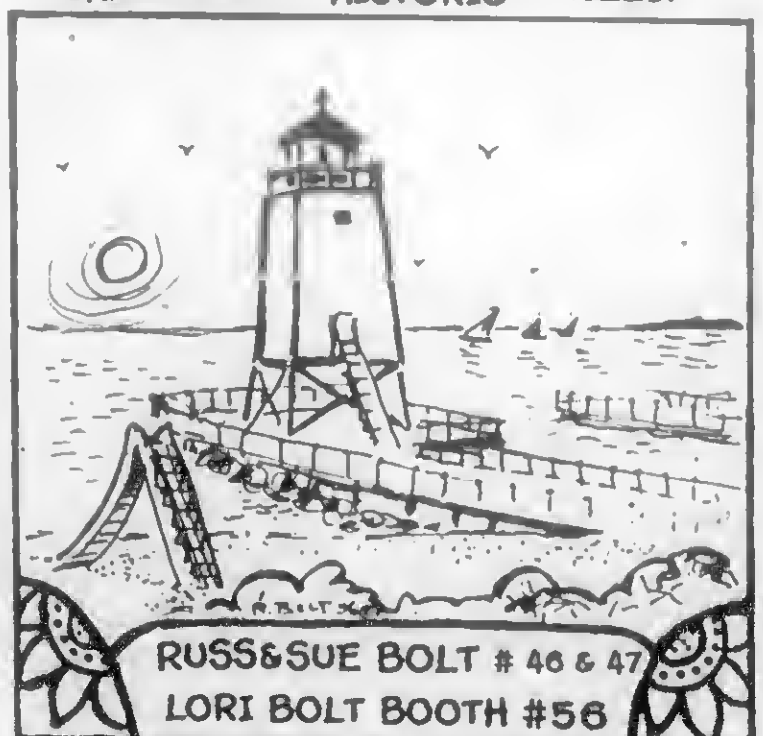
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CHARLEVOIX CHAMBER'S 6TH ANNUAL GOLF OUTING

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The event begins with registration from 10:30-11:30am, with a shotgun start at noon. After an afternoon of golf, cocktails will begin at 5:30pm, with dinner at 6pm.

For more information, call the Chamber of commerce at 547-2101.

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

- Aug. 11 - 43rd Annual Waterfront Art Fair (547-4592)
- Aug. 12 - Kelly Hale Bay View Organist - First Congregation Church (547-9122)
- Aug. 16-18 - Sidewalk Sales
- Aug. 18-19 - Street Legends Classic Car Show (Judy 547-4592)
- Aug. 25 - Water Wonders - Young State Park
- Sep. 1 - JazzFest on the Harbor
- Sep. 1 - Charlevoix Evening Garden Club Fall Plant Sale - Ferry Beach Pavilion 9am-12pm (Linda Forrester 547-3505)
- Sep. 4 - Car Raffle
- Sep. 29 - Crop Walk (Kay Smith 547-2920)
- Oct. 5 & 6 - Northern Bass Anglers Association Tournament
- Oct. 12-14 - 22nd Annual Apple Festival
- Oct. 12-14 - Daffodil bulb sale - Charlevoix Area Garden Club (Marge 547-5421 or Rhea 547-5301)
- Oct. 23 - Halloween Party (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)
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Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce officials joined Derek Chown, Investment Representative for the official ribbon cutting for Edward Jones Investments that took place on July 18, 2001. Derek Chown recently opened the Edward Jones Investments office at its new location, 702 Bridge Street. Congratulations Derek!



Pictured here with Derek are (from left) Terri D'Angelo, Ambassador, Roger Nesburg, Chairman of the Board, Derek Chown, Jacqueline Merta, President, Linda O'Leary, Chairperson of the Ambassadors Club, and Jim Kanary, Treasurer of the Chamber.

Don't Miss Your Chance!

There are only 150 tickets left for the Ford F150 4x4 pick-up truck that is parked in front of the Chamber Office. In addition to the truck, there will be three cash prizes: one of \$500 and two of \$250 each. The drawing will be on September 4, 2001, on board the Emerald Isle. The winning ticket may be the one YOU buy!

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There is no meeting in August!

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Board may put two directors in charge

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any one person as a director is we know up front these people don't have all the components you want and it may be tempting down the road not to rock the boat again and retain this person as the director," Kregel, who was involved in the interviewing process for the director's position, said.

So, they are grappling with the idea of hiring one of the three women now and hiring a second director who will act as the developmental coordinator as they prepare to either renovate the existing building or relocate.

But, board president Rick Brandi isn't too comfortable with the idea of hiring someone into the new position and telling them they may be second in command if someone else comes along that better fits the profile.

"There's a chance we may not find the perfect fit and could jeopardize this position,"

he added.

Developmentally, they are looking for an individual who not only knows how to run the library but one who is a leader in the community, who knows people in the community and is poised to do a developmental campaign.

Eveline Township board representative Anne Hansen also recommended the possibility of hiring someone specifically to steer the building project if that is the direction the expansion takes.

However, as Kregel said, regardless of whether there is one person or two in the director's seat, no director is going to do all of this on their own, the board will be closely involved in the upcoming changes.

If the three chosen candidates, Anna La Rue of Walled Lake and Harbor Springs, Michele Montague of Grand Rapids and Valerie Mayerson of Commerce Township are able to attend, the board will interview them publicly at their regular meeting, Aug. 9.



Water fun

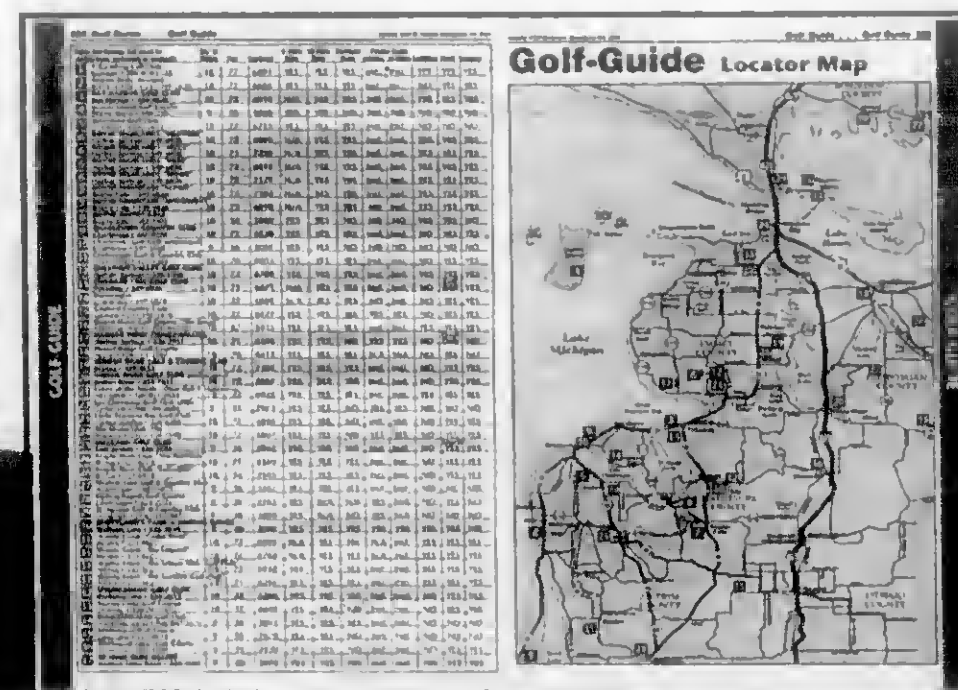
While visiting their grandparents in Charlevoix, brother and sister swimmers, Juila and Johnathan Vita, of California, cool down in Lake Michigan's fresh water. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Woman to swim Lake Charlevoix for pool

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Patrice Smith, 39, of Wooster, Ohio and Charlevoix plans to take a Lake Charlevoix summer swim to the extreme.

On Aug. 10 Smith, along with Wooster residents Chuck Malta, 54, Smith's former swim team coach, and Reg Kramer, 49, will swim 14 miles from Charlevoix to Boyne City — Smith said this is the first recorded swim ever in Charlevoix.

The group started talking about the challenge a year ago and at 5 a.m., Friday their words and training will manifest in a grueling trip to Boyne City.

Smith said they plan to leave early, to try and beat strong afternoon winds.

They'll take off from the end of the South Pierhead Light and then will head down the Pine River Channel into Round Lake. Once in Round Lake they will each be met by a boat that will shadow their trip in case of emergency.

A sheriff's boat and a U.S. Coast Guard boat will also be on hand.

But the boats will be there for emergencies only, Smith said they will not use their fellow swimmers, the boats or the sandy lake bottom for physical support.

They'll then swim past the coast guard station, out of Round Lake, into the middle of Lake Charlevoix and onward to Boyne City where they'll end the swim at the public boat launch.

Smith estimates the trip will take from seven to eight hours to complete — a long time in the water. But, each member of the three person crew has put in the training.

In May, Smith started working out hard at the Charlevoix Area Community Pool. Malta and Kramer have done some long distance open water swims in Lake Erie and Smith has also trained in the open water of Lake Charlevoix.

"Our peak was swimming 40,000 yards in one week in addition to running and cross training," Smith said.

Smith's competitive swimming career began when she was seven years old. She took some time off to establish a family with her husband Jeff. The two are now the proud parents of two boys, Brian, 14, and Kevin, 13.

But, even after 32 years in the water, Smith said she is a little nervous for the Lake Charlevoix challenge but she's "pretty confident." She added that Malta is feeling the pre-swim jitters but she doesn't think Kramer gets nervous.

Aside from recent training this is a mature group of swimmers who have in the past participated in similar swims. Eight years ago they swam from America to Canada, nine miles across Lake Erie. They followed their Canadian excursion up with an East Coast venture, swimming the length of New York's Lake Chataqua, a total of 18 miles.

"That was really hard. We were fortunate to have a calm day," Smith said of the New York swim. They also swam 12 miles around Key West.

But, all three swims don't make this one any easier. Lake Charlevoix comes with its own set of complications, including cold water.

"We have never done a long swim like this in this cool of water. This will be a challenge," she explained.

Smith is donating any pledges she receives for the swim to the Charlevoix Area Community



Patrice Smith, of Ohio and Charlevoix, will brave Lake Charlevoix in a swim from Charlevoix to Boyne City this month. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Pool, where she has trained. Pledge sheets are available at the pool or pledges can be mailed to the pool office, 11905 US-31 North Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Those who pledge will be entered into a drawing to win a three month pass to the pool. The person who can guess the time it will take Smith to complete the swim will take home the pass.

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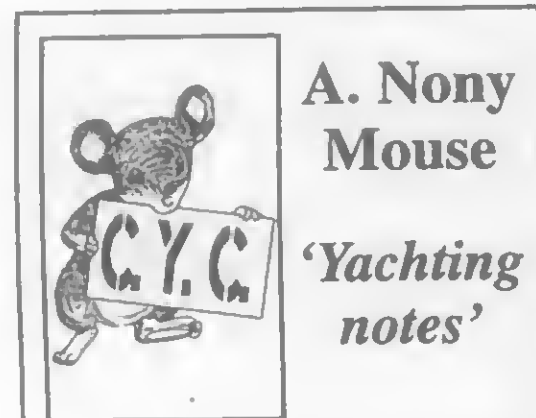
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The latest results of the summer series



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'Yachting notes'

Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series: Just as happens so often in early August evening races, the breeze went to bed before anyone else. Even with course shortened to just two legs, the last few yards to the finish line seemed endless.

For a change, the fastest corrected elapsed times in all classes were very close. SLAPSHOT (Spinnaker I) was the fastest at 0:47:23 with CYGNUS (P-26) [Yes a P-

26] was only two seconds slower at 0:47:25! BALD EAGLE (Spinnaker II) did it in 0:48:52, FLASH (Jib and Main) in 0:51:01 and SUPERFLUOUS (J-22) with a time of 0:51:04; was also first to cross the finish line (at 6:50:55). So, we'll run them down in that order: Spinnaker I; SLAPSHOT, HOI POL-LOI, HOOTIE, GOTCHA, MINT JULEP and WINDRUNNER. P-26; CYGNUS, LOST VERMONT, SANDPIPER, TIRELESS, ORIGINAL SIN and ARTEMIS. Spinnaker II; BALD EAGLE, SAFFRON. JAM; FLASH, APOTHECARY and POCO LOCO. J-22; SUPERFLUOUS, II RECKLESS, HUSSY, EAU DE VIE, FIRST DATE, PALEFACE LITE, CRAZY HORSE, SCURRY, HS MOISTURE MISSILE, ROCK STEADY, THUNDER-STRUCK, NO NAME YET,

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The Top of the Standings: Three races, assume no drops: Spinnaker I; SLAPSHOT 5, GOTCHA 6, HOI POLLOI 9 and HOOTIE 10. Spinnaker II; BALD EAGLE 3, BABE and SAFFRON 8.

Pearson 26; LOST VERMONT 6, CYGNUS and TIRELESS 8. JAM; FLASH 3, POCO LOCO 7 and APOTHECARY 12. J-22; HUSSY 5, SUPERFLUOUS and SWINE FLEW 10, FIRST DATE 12.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Powerboats: The notice of the Charlevoix Yacht Club Leland Rendezvous did not arrive in time to be included in the August calendar so now take note, it is this coming weekend, Aug. 11 and 12. Join in the fun and travel a bit safer with good company. Call Bob Waldie at 231-

582-6402 for details. He is also willing to try to find a berth for you.

Don't miss this fun trip down the West Coast of the Leelanau Peninsula to the charming fishing port of Leland. Sailboats, join us! Everybody (even non-members): Be sure to check out the newly revised Charlevoix Yacht Club web site. It is charlevoixyachtclub.org — easy to remember but note that it's org, not com. Tom Mielke invites your comments and also needs more input. You'll find the web version of the Binnacle, Yachting Notes, the Club Calendar and lots more including all Charlevoix Yacht Club contacts.

Nautical Trivia: We all know (don't we?) that "port" used to be "larboard." But from what terminology (actually, what functions?) did larboard and starboard evolve?

Call 547-2000 (leave word, including your name; it saves time and date) or e-mail joshb@tm.net.

Charlevoix Yacht Club's Aug. 10 hosts are Suzy (nee Barnes) and Michael Balter. They invite all to join them at the club for a fun evening. Wear a straw hat, derby, chapeau, cap, tam, beret, sou'wester, crown, diadem, helmet or wig and join in musical heads! Starts at six. See you there?

The mouse is gone! ...but only for a few days. This had to go to press before his departure so the events of the past weekend had to be omitted. I will be back in time for next week's race.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

Charlevoix Recreation Department Men's, women's slow pitch results

The latest results for the Charlevoix Recreation Department's men's and women's slow-pitch leagues are:

Women Aug. 2
• Oma's beat Bajos Building by forfeit.
• Kinetics beat Subway, 13-6.
• Kwikie beat Charlevoix Fence Company, 10-1.
• Fleet Construction beat Boyne Valley Hydroseed, 12-11.

July 31
• Fieldcrest Inn beat Fleet Construction, 11-3.
• Boyne Valley Hydroseed beat Kwikie, 14-6.
• Kinetics beat Daman Electric, 11-7.
• Bajos Building beat Subway, 17-12.

Men Aug. 1
• Crown Motors beat Ace Hard-

ware, 17-8.
• Grey Gables beat Top Rank/Flight Deck, 18-5.
• La Senorita beat Lakeshore, 17-7.

July 30
• Ace Hardware beat Top Rank/Flight Deck, 15-10.
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Venetian 3-on-3 soccer tournament results

The Venetian 3-on-3 Soccer Tournament division winners were:

- U-8 — Girls: Girl Power. The team was composed of Kelly Greyerbiehl, Bailey Stevens, Sterling Witthoeft and Kristen Melke.
- U-10 — Boys: Pumas. The team was composed of Dominic Fantozzi, Joey Garber, Tim Hughey and Connor Vazales.
- U-12 — Girls: Charlevoix Heart. The team was composed of Katie Withrow, Casey McCary and Ellie Kalbfell.
- U-12 — Boys: Soccer Monkeys. The team was composed of Weston Bryan, Scott Silberhorn and Collin McDonough.
- U-13 — Girls: Strikers. The team was composed of Becca Manion, Zita Anderson, Emily Colvin and Megan Cross.
- U-14 — Girls: Fab Four. The team was composed of Jenny Lopez, Kari Way, Jamie Pettis and Sara Cross.
- U-14 — Boys: Hoosiers. The team was composed of Brian Rosenblatt, Andy Rosenblatt and Molly Rosenblatt.
- High School Boys: Reccos. The team was composed of Spencer Bryan, Trevor Kline, Jason Haas and Brad Long.
- Adults: Sore Hamstrings. The team was composed of Marvin Witthoeft, Eric Hess, Ed Fantozzi and Tony Belmonte.



Venetian volleyball winners

This volleyball team took the top spot of the Venetian volleyball tournament. They are: (From left, back) Sarah Blair, Kyle Kornoely, Bianca Lopez, (front) Chris Seymour, Kelly Spoolstra and Chris Kowal. (Courtesy photo)

Townies beat Belvies, 16-14

The Townie All-Stars relied on savvy defense and timely hitting to hang on to beat the Belvies 16-14 in the forty-ninth annual Venetian softball match-up. There were several homeruns hit out into Lake Charlevoix during the game, three by Steve Dunkleberg

IV and Chris Cho. The outstanding defensive play was turned in by third baseman, Robbie Lyons II. Also during the event, Doug Kuhn was inducted into the local hall of fame with Charlevoix's own Peter D. Ance.

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Despite opposition, council passes sidewalks

SIDEWALKS
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Chamberlain explained that with two sets of condominiums being developed in Charlevoix Township, the city needs to be prepared for how that growth will impact infrastructure — like Belvedere Avenue — that connects those developments to the city.

"The history of Belvedere Avenue has changed tremendously. It has gone from a local road that serviced marinas and the club to one that connects communities, it connects the southeast part of Charlevoix Township to the downtown," Chamberlain said.

Throughout this sidewalk discussion city officials and council have said the plans to construct the sidewalks were based on safety concerns — they are hoping to keep people out of the street.

In an effort to further encourage safety, Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell brought up a previous discussion council had about not allowing skateboards or bicycles to ride on the sidewalk.

Belvedere Avenue resident Charlie Winn used Russell's words to the residents advantage. "If you can make an ordinance to keep bikes off the sidewalk, why can't you make an ordinance to keep people out of the street," Winn asked.

Members of council and city administrators did not respond to Winn's question.

The plan council approved on Aug. 6 was a revision of their original idea for the north side sidewalk. The original plan would require some mature north side trees to be removed.

Prior to the Aug. 6 official meeting council along with city manager Mike Wiesner, city planner Gerry Harsch, Shade Tree

Commissioner Roger Knutson and Belvedere residents walked the site to review the revisions.

The sidewalk on the north side will be five feet wide for most of the way, but will narrow to four feet just before Dr. Strawbridge's office.

The revised plans shifted the street itself over almost two feet to the south in an effort to save the trees. However, the shift will mean the loss of several south side trees and Belvedere Avenue resident R. J. Button is saying what's the point.

"I don't like any part of this. I've never seen a city work so hard to destroy something that has

taken two generations to build," he said.

Witthoef was frustrated on the walk and said, "We did exactly what the people wanted, saved the trees and now they are still saying the work will hurt some of the roots."

However, Knutson assured those who walked the project site that the trees were not in danger.

Michigan Avenue residents were much less animated than their neighbors across the bridge on Belvedere Avenue. The only concern they voiced was a dangerous intersection by Michigan Avenue, Mount McSaubia Road and Division Street.

City Manager Mike Wiesner assured the residents that an engineer in East Lansing is looking into the issue and safety is a paramount concern of the city.

According to summaries of both projects additional meetings between the residents of both streets, the contractor, CCMS Associates, Inc. of Sault Ste. Marie and the city will take place in early August.

From there construction on Michigan Avenue could start as early as Aug. 13 and construction on Belvedere Avenue could start as early as Sept. 4.

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Charlevoix resident's life as a clown

CLOWN

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Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Clown College, often referred to as "Boot Camp for the Circus," is the most exclusive and highly-esteemed circus arts school in the world. Only 60 out of the 600 applicants are chosen to attend the 10 week course held annually in Venice Beach, Florida.

Forbrig filled out an extensive application that asked questions that varied from what foods the applicants liked to if the applicant suffered from claustrophobia.

After completing an application, candidates had to perform an audition that consisted of presenting a few classic clown gags as well as doing many improvisational skits for the judges.

Forbrig was accepted after two application processes, and she became a member of Clown College's class of 1986.

However, Clown College was only Forbrig's first step to the circus. At the conclusion of the ten weeks, the clowns put on a show for local children and the owner of

the Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey circus, Kenneth Feld. Feld hand-picked ten clowns for his circus based on what he saw in the performance.

Forbrig was the only girl in the class of '86 to be picked by Feld. She joined the other 23 clowns in the circus and began touring with them across North America immediately after clown college.

The reason for the question on her application regarding claustrophobia became apparent to Forbrig the moment that she set eyes on her living quarters for the next two years. Her room on the Ringling Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus measured three and a half by six feet.

"Spending so much time in our tiny rooms provided all of the clowns with a real contrast to the huge arenas that we performed in," Forbrig said.

Her room was in a train car that she shared with four other clowns and 12 showgirls.

Despite her close living quarters, Forbrig's experiences on the train were one of the highlights of her two years with the circus.

"I loved traveling the country by rail and having the opportunity

to see all of the cities. We were sort of treated like celebrities in all of the towns we visited. It was a very addicting lifestyle," Forbrig said.

But Forbrig's primary attraction to the circus was her love of performing.

"I loved having the ability to make so many people laugh each day," Forbrig said.

Forbrig had always had this unique ability. When she was young, her family, who are familiar with her antics, dubbed her "Kookie." The name stuck and "Kookie the Clown" became Forbrig's stage name.

Forbrig clowned in 1,200 shows in two years. She was in the ring six days a week, and usually performed in two shows a day. Her only day off was the circus' traveling day.

Out of the 1,200 shows, her favorite performance was at Madison Square Garden in New York City.

In each show, Forbrig clowned in 10 different acts. Some of these acts included walking on six foot stilts, riding an elephant, jumping on a trampoline, and performing her favorite skit, the "Washer

"I just want to make people laugh."

Adele Forbrig,
aka "Kookie the Clown"

Woman," which involved clowns erupting into a brawl in which they attacked each other with wet clothing. She even shared the ring with Gunther Gable Williams, who is often regarded as the "World's Best Animal Trainer."

After two years, Forbrig decided to turn in her red clown shoes and left the circus. She then finished college — that's academic college, not one for clowns — and earned her teaching degree.

In 1989, Forbrig moved to Santa Fe, where she taught kindergarten, first, fourth and sixth grades during her seven years there.

Each year, as a fundraiser, Forbrig would organize a circus in which her students would perform.

In 1996, Forbrig moved to Charlevoix with her daughter, Samantha.

During these years, Forbrig remained in touch with many of her former fellow performers.

In January of this year, Clown

College held a reunion at Circus, Circus in Las Vegas, Nevada. Forbrig joined 12 graduates of the class of '86 for a weekend that included pie-throwing contests, water-spitting competitions and a race to see which clown could apply his makeup in the least amount of time with no mirror.

Perhaps the reunion reminded Forbrig of her love of clowning, because she has recently started again. Forbrig now performs at birthday parties and events, including the Venetian Parade.

"I missed clowning and wanted to get back into it. The closest things that I could do were birthday parties and events," Forbrig said.

Although performing for small groups at children's birthday parties is a little different than performing in front of thousands at Madison Square Garden, Forbrig doesn't mind.

"I just want to make people laugh," she said.

Fireworks lawsuits may now go to court

FIREWORKS

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Faison explained that now plaintiffs and defendants will shift into trial preparation mode. According

to Faison these steps may include Pajtas setting dates to hear motions designed to dismiss a claim or party and a pre-trial case evaluation.

The mediation took place July 30 and 31, the second and third days of this year's 71st Annual

Venetian Festival, four years after the accident that spurred the lawsuits in question.

The 1997 accident killed former Charlevoix resident Mark Yager and injured at least 15 others when a 12-inch firework exploded in its shell launching shrapnel into the

crowd of spectators.

Some defendants have been dismissed since the first plaintiffs filed suit, including: City of Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson, former city clerk Jo Anne Patrick, the City of Charlevoix and city manager Mike

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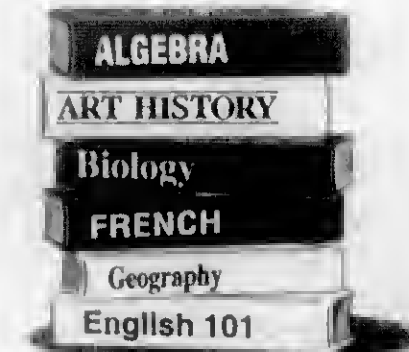
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Venetian Games draw large crowd

In only the third year, the Venetian Games drew record participation with Games Commissioner Dean Davenport reporting over 2,000 participants.

The popular Jeff Drenth Road Race drew its usual 500 entries with the 3-on-3 basketball and Venetian Cup Regatta each had over 250 participants. Junior golf alone had 150 youngsters at the Carey Cup Venetian tournament with 50 adults also competing. Co-ed volleyball had 5 teams, more than ever, as did tennis with 59 participants. Competition in cottage croquet added another 48 combatants. Soccer had another record tournament with nine age divisions champions and 200 players. Swimming had so many entries that they had to swim 148 heats to crown their champions. New events, disc golf and sporting clays combined for 100 competitors. With Bingo in the Park participants estimated, the total closed in on 2,000.

"The impressive point is that nearly 95 percent are local sport enthusiasts," Davenport added.

The soccer tournament had so many teams that a second night was needed to complete the schedule.

At the Community Pool, Event Director, Al Gooch reported a good turnout with local swimmers participating in 41 different events.

Golf was a popular event with 150 junior and 50 adults entering the competition. The following emerging as champions of the Carey Venetian Cup:

- 8-9 Little Linkers-Boy's Champion-Kyle Parker and Ryan Halloran with Ellie McFalls winning the Girl's title.
- 10-11 Flight-Boys Nate Triplehorn, Girls-Kara Parker and Becca Madison tied.
- 12-13 Flight-Ivan Park won the Boys while Zita Anderson and Kendra Spencer tied.
- 14 and Up Flight-Allen Brooks won the Boys with Megan Cahill winning the Girls.

In the adult division winners were:

- Men's Championship Flight-Scott Blechl
- Men's first Flight-Jeff Kirby
- Women's Championship-Fran Marschner

The winner in the co-ed beach volleyball tournament was InDesign of Charlevoix with players Sara Blair, Kyle Kornoely, Blanca Lopez, Chris Seymour, Kelly Spoolstra, and Chris Kowal on the winning team.

With a record number of entries in the Venetian Regatta, the overall winner was GOTCHA. Tennis also had a record turnout. Here are the winners in the various age and skill flights:

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Board to decide soon on Kanine hiring

KANINE

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grade English teacher, had a fourth child, Matthew and the rest is history.

Now, 14 years later he is ready for a change.

One of the many responsibilities

the assistant principal takes on is school disciplinary and Kanine said his philosophy of discipline is founded on consistency.

"The one thing about discipline is that it has to be consistent and it has to be fair. I want to make sure the staff, the students and the parents are aware of the policy and then I'll try and make sure I'm consistent and fair in monitoring

the process," he said.

However, he said the new position is less intimidating than it could be — Haske blazed a smooth trail.

"One huge advantage is what Keith (Haske) has done. He shaped the position to where it is not looked on as adversarial," he said.

He added that he brings with

him a second advantage too — he knows most of the students. He has taught the vast majority of the kids and knows them by name.

As he juggles athletics and discipline he also plans to keep up on teaching skills. He plans to continue attending education conferences and seminars to better serve the high school staff.

While Haske served as assistant

principal, he was also commonly scene in the gym directing a crew of high topped hoopsters.

Sturock said that Haske will continue to coach the boys varsity basketball team who he has lead to three consecutive district championships.

"I think we filled both administrative positions with great people," Sturock said.

2001 Venetian Games declared a success

GAMES

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• Women's Doubles — Mary Kaye Goldblatt and Katie Kavanaugh won 6-1, 6-3 over Jan Freidinger and Karen Peters.

• Girls and Boys, 11 and Under — Robby Lyons and Danny Lyons won 6-3 over Any Holmes and David Zackheim.

• Boys Doubles, 12 to 15 — Walker Herman and Alex Reardon won 7-6, 6-4 over Matt Wright and Teddy Reardon.

• Girls, 12-15 Singles — Jackie Dubbins won 6-1, 6-1 over Kimberly Agnello Senior Women's Doubles-Jan Freidinger and Gina Lepman won 3-6, 6-1, 6-3 over Sally Parsons and Celia Roy.

• 12-15 Boys, Singles — Alex Zackheim won 6-4, 7-5 over Andrew Dubbins.

• Singles, Girls and Boys 11 and Under — Robby Lyons won 6-1 over Taylor Reese.

• Senior Men's Doubles — Nick Kling and Bruce MacArthur won 6-3, 4-6, 6-2 over Jim Grant and Stewart Goldblatt.

• Women's Singles — Katie Kavanaugh won 6-1, 6-2 over Laura Kemp.

• Men's Singles — Robert Dubbins won 6-1, 6-4 over Ron Agnello.

• Senior Mixed Doubles — Jan Freidinger and Jim Grant won 6-1, 6-3 over Gail and Gary Plum.

• Mixed Doubles — Katie Kavanaugh and Eric Lundteighen won 6-2, 6-3 over Vinnie Klooster and Nick Kling.

• Men's Doubles — Larry Letwin and Jim Schierer won 6-1, 6-3 over Tom Conland and James Conlan.

In the Sporting Clays event, the high overall scorer was Jason Huff from Hudsonville. He was followed by Steve Armstrong of Herron, Jim Wilde of Petoskey and Dr. Carl Harland of Charlevoix.

In the Croquet Celebrity events the Charlevoix Township team of Curt Thompson and Theda Williams won the right for their fire truck to be first in the Venetian Street Parade by defeating the city team of Lyle Gennett and Mike Wiesner in a tough match.

Dave Barber of Michigan Talk Radio coupled with Julie Musilek of the Charlevoix Courier to beat Channel 7&4's Diana Fairbanks and Hally Fogel in a match that went down to the wire.

In the Service Club Division, the Kiwanis team of Terry Edger and Gail Gennett outlasted the Rotarians, Bill Klingbeil and Dennis Kusina to win the first-ever championship. In the Youth Division, Kevin Greyerbiehl and Rex VanPelt won the medals while in the Adult Flight Meg Kitson and Kirk Ikens won in a tough and long final game.

In the 3-on-3 basketball team champions included: the Little Rayders winning the Kids 8-9 flight. The Got Game won the Girls 11-12. In the Girls 13-14 the Air Balls won. In the Boys 11-12 B-winners were the Midgets. In the Boys 11-

12 A the Straight Jackets. In the Boys 13-14-Offense won. Lights Out won the Boys 15-16 while Back Again captured the Women's Recreation Flight. In the Men's Recreation B it was 4-Pak while Fa-

thers and Sons emerged the winners in Recreation A. The Men's Top Competition winner was "The Dennis."

The Drenth Memorial Foot Race results appeared in last week's Couri-

er. Davenport praised the many men and women that served as event managers and those that worked at the many tournaments as judges, scorers, referees and umpires.

"It is remarkable that so many participants, spectators, and officials take the pride in our Community to ensure that the Venetian Games are a wonderful experience for all," he said.

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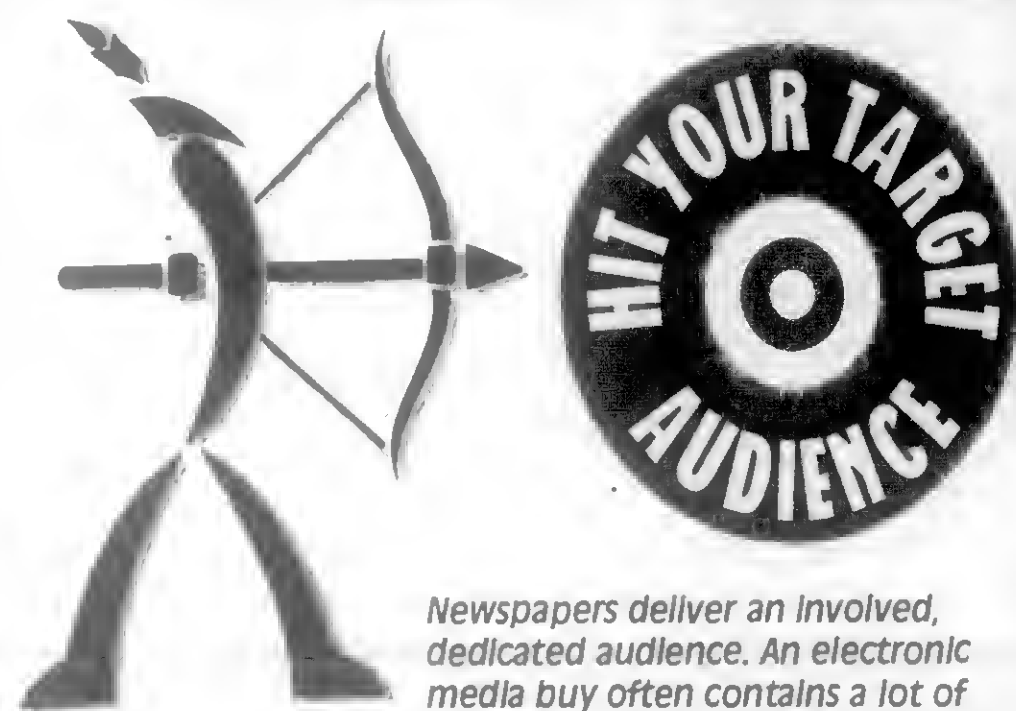
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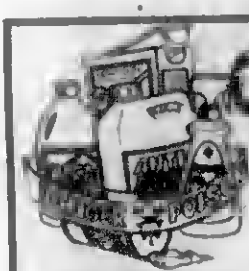
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF ACTION

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT FOR

THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
County Building, 301 State Street,
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720
DANIEL R. VAN ACKER and
JANET L. VAN ACKER,
Plaintiffs,
v
JOHN R. DAVIS and
PAMELA J. DAVIS,
Defendant.

File No. 01-969-19-CH

Honorable Richard J. Pajtas

Larry L. Burgess (P25246)

BARRON & GOLSKI, P.L.C.

Attorneys for Plaintiff

309 Petoskey Avenue

P.O. Box 309

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(231) 547-9950

TO: JOHN R. DAVIS and
PAMELA J. DAVIS

IT IS ORDERED:

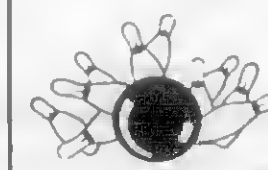
1. You are being sued by Plaintiffs in this Court to quiet title after tax sale of real property located in St. James Township, Charlevoix County, State of Michigan and described as Lot 653, Plat of Port St. James No. 8, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 179-181 of Charlevoix County Records, pursuant to a Quit Claim Deed for the Real Estate which was issued to the Plaintiffs by the Department of Natural Resources, State of Michigan, on August 30, 2000 and recorded on October 25, 2000, in Liber 409, page 048 of Charlevoix County Records. You must file your written answer or take other action permitted by law in this Court at the Court address above on or before September 5, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this Order shall be published once a week in the Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this Court.

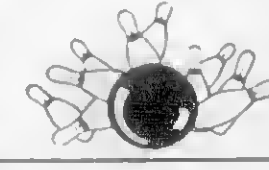
3. A copy of this order shall be sent to John R. Davis and Pamela J. Davis, 16222 Davis Lane, East Lansing, Michigan 48823 by certified mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication of August 22, 2001 and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with the Court.

Dated: August 1, 2001

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ENTERTAINMENT

Area events

Girl's basketball practice

The Charlevoix High School girls basketball program would like to invite all girls entering ninth grade in playing freshman basketball to opening practice from 10 a.m. to noon on Aug. 13 at Charlevoix High School.

All tenth, eleventh and twelfth grade girls interested in playing JV or Varsity Basketball; practice begins from 8 to 10:15 a.m., Aug. 13 at Charlevoix High School.

Physicals are required before players are allowed to participate in practice. Please call Charlevoix High School at 547-3222 with any questions.

Bible school

The Community Vacation Bible School kicks off at 9:30 a.m. to noon on Aug. 13-16, at the First Congregational UCC in Charlevoix.

located at 101 State Street. Preschool to fifth graders (as entering in the fall) are invited to Vacation Bible School.

Michigan Room reception

The Friends of the Library are having a reception in the newly refurbished Michigan Room from 5 to 7 p.m. on Aug. 22.

Garden Club to meet

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club will meet at 1 p.m. Aug. 14 at the Gibbons' Garden located at 12985 PaBaShan Lane. At this meeting they will also have a 2001 Garden Walk wrap-up and take the opportunity to thank all the members for their help.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club is a member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan. For more information about the club

contact Mona Bergeon at 547-3526.

Girls' soccer

All girls entering ninth grade through twelfth grade who wish to play soccer, contact Tom Conlan at 547-2512 or Herm Madison 348-3317 to sign up for the Charlevoix High School Girls Varsity Soccer Team Camp Aug. 11 and 12 at Shanahan Field.

Children's Art Fair

The Children's Art Fair is asking all young artists to bring your artwork to the library before Aug. 9 to have your work displayed at the Charlevoix Public Library Aug. 11.

Organist to perform

Kelly Hale, organist, will present a virtuoso concert at the newly restored First Congregational Church of Charlevoix at 4 p.m. on Aug. 12.

Braun to play 100 holes for Junior Golf again

Last summer when Belvedere Golf Club Professional, Steve Braun, played 100 holes of golf in one day, he raised over \$4,000 for the Charlevoix County Junior Golf Program.

It was part of the PGA of America's annual fund raiser for junior golf. He's about to tee it up and go again. The event is scheduled for Aug. 20 at the Belvedere Club Course with his first shot slated to begin at 6:30 a.m.

Braun, who has spent the last eleven years in Charlevoix, four at Dunmaglas, and the last seven at the Belvedere Course, has been pleased with the generous pledges from the Belvedere members and those from local residents.

He hopes others interested in area youngsters will contact him at 547-2611.

"A pledge for so much a hole is all we're asking and the cause is a great one," he said.

Dean Davenport, who organized and directs the local Junior Golf Program, expressed gratitude for Braun's efforts.

"Our only public fund-raiser

has been the Supe Classic coming up in late August. With the money Steve raised last year, we were able to send six youngsters to the Ferris State week long golf camp, and when coupled with the Supe Classic revenue, we are able to be solvent and balance our operating budget. Steve's been a key instructor on our staff and his dedication and interest in area juniors is inspiring to everyone connected to our program," he said.

Plans are being organized to provide Steve with a caddy/cart driver for each nine holes he plays in order to conserve his energy.

Adults from the Junior Golf Mentoring program have volunteered and tradition calls for long time Belvedere member and centurion, J. Huston Witherspoon to drive the final hole.

Those seeking more information may call Davenport at 547-6433 or contact Braun at the Belvedere Golf Club. Fans may view the golf marathon by stopping by the course as Steve's scores are posted as he finishes each round.



Historical display

(Right) David Miles, of the Charlevoix Historical Society, compiled and designed this display of Charlevoix's bridges. The display is for viewing at the Charlevoix Historical Society. Miles is in front of bridges five and six. For more information call 547-0373. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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Venetian fireworks and boat parades of the past



Marilyn Boss
'Days gone by'

As I sat and watched the marvelous fireworks display last Friday night, I let past memories flood over me. I felt so content to be here in Charlevoix, enjoying this spectacular show.

The weather was beautiful and the crowd was fascinated by the beauty of the rainbow of colors continuously lighting the night sky. We were in a spot close to the barge and it seemed as if the display was put on just for us.

The fact that in a little town, the people care enough to give to make this possible, is a real plus. Thank you to all of you who contributed to make it such a superb event.

We have been to Expo '67 in Montreal, Disneyland and Disney World, and have seen the fireworks in various cities and felt this was the finest display we have ever witnessed anywhere.

The first boat festival in town was in 1929, known as the annual boat regatta. The city council authorized the amount of \$250 to underwrite the cost. The regatta consisted of power boat racing and was organized and promoted by what was then called The Charlevoix Boat Club.

Later, the Charlevoix Ma-

rine Club sponsored the Venetian Boat parade, begun in 1931. About this time, the Charlevoix Board of Commerce was formed and the parade was sponsored by this organization.

Up until 1958, the boat parade and fireworks were displayed on Sunday night and the quality of the parade had run down due to the fact that people that lived and worked in the city had to go home on Sunday afternoon to be at work on Monday morning.

Dale's cousin, the late Frank Boss, was on the city council at the time and convinced the committee who ran the two day festival to change the boat parade and fireworks to Saturday night. He told them that for religious reasons, he would like to see it changed and he would head up the festival and prove to them that for business reasons it would be a much more successful event, which it was.

I recall, when I was a little girl, watching the fireworks from the top of south Bridge Street hill, and seeing a display of the head of Uncle Sam one year and a huge American flag another year. I recall during one boat parade when the Chicago Club made a huge display on a big yacht, of a re-creation of the Chicago fire.

There were many interesting themes through the years and there was competition among the boaters to make their boats the best, due to monetary prizes awarded.

In 1964, the Couples Club at the Reformed Church decided to try their hand. The

late Roy Raymer, owner of Wilflow Corporation, supplied his yacht to build a theme for the boat parade. We had our A frame under construction and we built a huge blue whale, 48 feet long in the living and dining which were open to the ceiling. The whale had jaws that opened and shut and Jonah was in the mouth, with his feet sticking out. The whale's spout spouted water and the tail wagged back and forth. We won not only first place, but also best of show.

The youth group also put together a float for the street parade, with a globe that turned around, powered by Terry Boss, who was under it turning it by hand as it went down the street. They also built an open Bible on the float and we won first prize in the parade.

Then, our family took a four wheeled horse cart and put plywood around it, sawing windows in the sides, with bars. We put the letters "Charlevoix Loonie Bin" on the side, painted it white and attached saws and various instruments used in operations to the sides.

Dale and I walked behind as Dr. Racy and Dr. Pildare, with white shirts turned backwards to look like doctor uniforms. I had chicken parts, with catsup all over them in a clear bag hanging from my belt. Our son, Bo, was inside the cart peering out of the bars and Sharon and Kathy, our girls, were dressed up as nurses, carrying a stretcher. Jim, our son, and our daughter, Kay, were walking,

dressed like inmates that belonged in the wagon and Diane, our daughter, was on crutches. All were costumed in white. Ike, Dale's brother, carried a shotgun, guarding the outfit, with a white banner hanging down that said, "Bang!" We won second place.

In recalling this idea, we would not have done it today, but at the time, it was acceptable. I don't know how we did it all, in building three floats, but that year was a great one, and we all did our best to make it that way.

During the early fifties, there were some lean years and it was difficult to get boat owners interested in participating in the parade. One of the reasons was because candles and Japanese lanterns were used for lighting effects.

This caused a great deal of work for the boat owners in cleaning the wax off the decks, and if any wind developed during the parade, it created a safety hazard. It must be remembered that most of

the yachts in that era had varnished, mahogany decks, and the wax from the candles, and the ashes coming down from the fireworks if the wind was just right, would make a mess out of a beautiful wood deck.

The queen competition originated in 1935, as part of the Charlevoix Homecoming and Centennial. The first queen was the late Marge Carey, who later became Mrs. S.E. Coleman. Today, we are fortunate to have Dan Barron heading up the new festival corporation and several hundred dedicated community minded people planning and carrying out our many events occurring during Venetian Week, making it the successful week it is.

Thanks to all of you for your efforts. We decided to become tourists for the week, and had a wonderful time, being downtown for the events. We had fun seeing old friends, and making new ones, enjoying what has become a homecoming for visitors and natives alike.

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Official Notice

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The Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Board will hold its scheduled monthly meeting on Thursday, August 16th at 4:00 p.m. in the Board Conference Room, Second Floor One MacDonald Drive, Petoskey MI 49770. Anyone who has special needs or information to be brought before the NCMCH Board should contact Joan Booth at (231) 347-7890.

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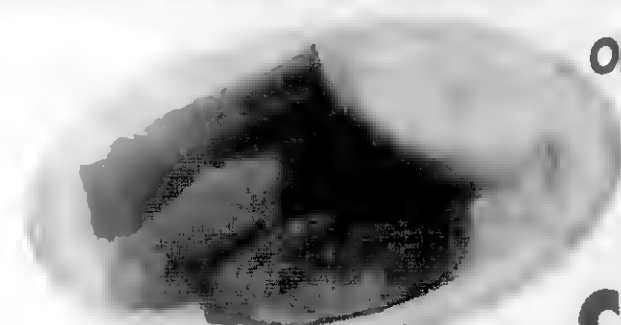
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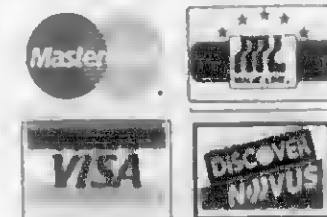


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School tardy in suit

District's attorneys keep missing deadlines

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Tardiness may cost the school
board a day in court.

"They have been late in re-
sponding to all interrogatories,"
Karen Ferguson, from Olson and
Bzdok in Traverse City, an attor-
ney involved in a lawsuit filed
against the school board, said.

Ferguson and James Olson,
who is also litigating the case,
specialize in environmental law

with the Traverse City firm, Ol-
son and Bzdok, P.C. The two are
representing plaintiffs, and
Charlevoix residents, Kenneth
Staley, Kenneth Richard Tunison,
Robert Mossman, Paul Richards
and Joseph F. Seidel in their fight
against a sewer expansion that
will service the new high school
being built in Charlevoix's Mari-
on Township.

Superintendent of Charlevoix
Public Schools, John Sturock ex-
plained, "The litigation has to do

with whether we can use bond
proceeds to fund the (sewer ex-
tension) project because it wasn't
spelled out in the ballot language
(when the bond issue was
passed)."

Recently, as the case has pro-
gressed, school board attorneys
Bill Ewald and Judith Lincoln of
Braun, Kendrick and Finkbeiner,
P.L.C. of Bay City and Saginaw
didn't respond on time to "inter-
rogatories" issued by Olson and
Ferguson.

The interrogatories were served
by the plaintiff on June 29 and
they didn't get a response from
either Lincoln or Ewald by the
July 27 deadline and as of Aug. 3
still hadn't heard back.

As a result of the oversight by
Ewald and Lincoln, Olson and
Ferguson issued a motion to com-
pel discovery. Basically, asking
for the court to order them to re-
spond.

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Cemex cleaning up kiln dust piles

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix County Environmen-
tal Health Supervisor Larry Leven-
good of Northwest Community
Health Agency said that the pH of
Lake Michigan water located near
the Cemex site in Charlevoix may
be high enough to burn human
skin.

But, Cemex officials decided not
to wait for an order from the
Michigan Department of Environ-
mental Quality. The company is al-
ready cleaning up on-site cement
kiln dust (CKD) piles that are con-
taminating Lake Michigan.

Levengood said he's happy to
hear progress is being made in the
clean up effort at Cemex. He ex-
plained that the company's past
kiln dust disposal practices have
taken their toll on the lake.

"There are impacts on the seeps
in Lake Michigan where the
groundwater and the lake water in-
terface," he said.

Levengood explained that the
kiln dust, interfacing with water
has lead to a high pH level in the
lake water surrounding the site

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The color of art

Annika Tyler, 3, of Muskegon, admires the colors of a garden decoration
that was for sale at this year's annual Waterfront Art Fair last weekend.
(Photo by Julie Musilek)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

John Andrew Labrecque, 36, East Jordan. Disturbing the peace. Jail for 45 days, serve 45 days.

Trent Ryan Harter, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Brad Michael Lavanway, 18, Ellsworth. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Alexander Harrison Henley, 17, Rockford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$220 in fines and costs.

Waylon Allen MacNaughton, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT panel; \$220 in fines and costs.

Anthony Johnson Corlin, 17, Rockford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$220 in fines and costs.

Nathan William Ray, 19, Rockford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$220 in fines and costs.

Nathan Thomas Duke, 18, Farmington Hills. Minor in possession of

alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$220 in fines and costs.

Mark Denherder, 17, Belmont. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$220 in fines and costs.

Charles Richard Kughn, 18, Milford. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend BASES classes; \$220 in fines and costs.

Nathan Richard Wilkins, 25, Capac. Driving with an expired operator's license. Fines and costs totaling \$400.

John Paul Boris, 25, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$615 in fines and costs.

Timothy Dale Russell, 23, Charlevoix. Aggravated assault. Nine months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 84 days held in abeyance; \$435 in fines and costs.

Donald Brian Johnson, 19, Petoskey. Driving while impaired. Nine months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$715 in fines and

costs.

Nicole Victoria Lodge, 19, White Lake. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Stacey Lee Neir, 19, White Lake. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Zachary James Smitt, 21, Westland. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Jeremy Lee Ballentine, 27, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-second offense. Two years probation; 365 days in jail with credit for seven days, 90 days on electronic monitor, 30 days of community service work, 238 days held in abeyance; \$1,593.75 in fines and costs.

Robert Earl Rennekamp, 26, East Jordan. Resisting and obstructing a police officer; and driving while under the influence of alcohol-second offense. Bound over to circuit court.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Lakeside Cleaning, 08276 Mercer, Charlevoix, by Kimberley Ann Hudson
Boyne City Brake & Maxi Muffler, 1340 M-75 South, Boyne City,

by Thomas Perpill

Periluna Boutique, 38210 Beaver Lodge Drive, Beaver Island, by Nina E. Simpson-Jones

Otter Water Tours, 149 Forest Way, Boyne City, by Amelia G. Ryan

Beaver Island Jewelry and Collectibles, 2800 Laurel Hill Road, Ann Arbor, by Nancy M. Peterson and Cary E. Johnson

Finish Carpentry, Etc., 03259 Cherry Hill Road, Boyne Falls, by Jeffery Matelski

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

John Middleton Thompson, 41, East Jordan and Helen Ann Johnson, 40, East Jordan

Ronald Lee Hammer, 57, Charlevoix and Sunday Larie Henry, 35, Springfield

Harrison Owen Elliott, 78, East Jordan and Mary Annette Gardner, 64, East Jordan

George Michael Carey, 50, East Jordan and Mary Jane Hull, 50, East Jordan

Norman Gerald Klann, 19, East Jordan and Bethanie Dawn Little, 18, East Jordan

Dustin Shaun Cushman, 28, Beaver Island and Cynthia Rose Gillespie, 39, Beaver Island

Births

Elliott David, weighing 7 pounds, 9 ounces, was born to Michael and Tamara Bennett of Ellsworth on Aug. 2 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. His grandparents are Roy Bennett, of Anniston, Ala., Larry and Jackie Boog of Charlevoix and Eric and Paula Dietel of Charlevoix.

A son, Quentin Nathaniel, was born on Aug. 8 to Timothy and Jill Fraley of Charlevoix at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Quentin weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces at birth.

Adrianna Jade Fuller, weighing 7 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Jeremiah Fuller and Hope Adams of East Jordan on Aug. 5 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Trinity Lee Harris was born to Stephanie Straight and Joshua Harris of Mancelona on Aug. 7, at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Amelia Rose was born to Daniel and Celia McGeorge of Boyne City on Aug. 9 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Amelia weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces at birth.

Sawyer Jacob, weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces, was born to Troy and Cindy Thomas of East Jordan on Aug. 8 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

A life watching the Great Lakes

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Even though the Coast Guard Station has been in Charlevoix for over 100 years most people have no idea what they do on a daily basis.

According to executive petty officer Jimmy Greenlee, who is in charge of personnel at the station, when the crews aren't conducting a search and rescue operation they are busy preparing for one.

However with 104 calls they've responded to this year, spread over their coverage area which extends from Leeland to Cross Village, out past Beaver Island, they have been out on the water quite a bit.

Greenlee said in most cases calls that come in are communications, missing people, tow jobs or people calling for information. But, last week, they were called to an emergency in Leeland after a boat and a raft with six people in it collided.

As a personnel director, Greenlee's daily schedule is pretty normal. Monday through Friday he arrives at the station at 6:30 a.m., a half hour before "liberty" officially expires. Liberty is what the Coast Guardsmen call their off-duty hours.

At 7 a.m. the on-duty crew is at the station ready for action. The Charlevoix station has two six man duty crews who work two days on, two days off with rotating weekends.

Each crew has a duty coxswain, who drives the boat; a duty engineer, who fixes any boat problems; crewmen, an on watch person who handles the radio and a fireman.

In case of emergency, three of the other four individuals are required to man the station's 40 foot boat and two officers can run the 20 foot boat.

After a call comes in, the on-

watch crewman contacts the officer in charge, then they head out to the scene.

However, there isn't a crisis every day. But you won't find the men and women on duty shooting pool and pounding back candy bars all day. Slow days require a lot of elbow grease. While the on-watch person, the engineer and the coxswain aren't generally outside buffing, cleaning and mowing, the other three on-duty are.

Monday is "41 Day" when the 41 foot boat is cleaned, Tuesday is "Yard Day" when mowing and exterior maintenance is done, Wednesday is "Rigid Hull Day" when the 21 foot boat gets the works, Thursday is "Building Clean-up Day" when the inside of the station is power scoured and Friday is "Catch Up on Anything That Was Forgotten Day."

Greenlee said weekends are totally dedicated to search and rescue operations as 95 percent of the issues they deal with occur during the weekend.

Winter days aren't quite the same. Instead of practice search and rescue missions on the water, they do them on the ice. Greenlee said sometimes the executive ranks will plan a surprise training rescue the crew is clueless about and they respond as if it is a real case.

As a personnel specialist, Greenlee knows that all work and no play makes for a grumpy crew so they've designated Wednesday mornings as moral boosting "Sports Day." Group activities include: runs, volleyball, softball and golf.

"Anything to do with wellness,"



he explained.

Greenlee, 26, is originally from Ludington and he and his wife, Nicole, have been in Charlevoix for one year and are currently looking to buy a home.

Greenlee joined the Coast Guard in 1993 for three reasons: One, his grandfather was in the Coast Guard; two, he loves to drive boats and three, the responsibility that is given to young people.

"The Coxswain is in charge of boats worth 100s of thousands of dollars," he said about responsibility.

"I enjoy it, it's a good job. One search and rescue case that works out can be very rewarding. Actually pulling someone out of the water makes you very thankful you have a job like this," he added.

They also handle law enforcement patrol. Greenlee said they randomly pick a time and go out and patrol the water.

Executive Petty Officer Jimmy Greenlee reviews the board that shows which positions Monday's six person crew will be posted at. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Police Log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed.

- A stolen credit card was used at the Clothing Company on Bridge Street on Aug. 12.
- Money was stolen from a vehicle on Aug. 11 as it was parked on Mason Street.
- There was a two vehicle accident around 11 a.m. on Aug. 10 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. One minor injury was reported.
- There was a two vehicle accident around 2:30 p.m. on Aug. 10 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. No injuries were reported.
- A vehicle was damaged around 3 p.m. on Aug. 10 as it was parked on State Street.
- There was a two vehicle accident around 11:30 a.m. on Aug. 8 near the intersection of Bridge and Clinton streets. No injuries were reported.
- A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 12:30 p.m. on

Aug. 8 near the intersection of Park Avenue and State Street.

A vehicle hit a bicycle around 12 p.m. on Aug. 8 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. No injuries were reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 8 near the intersection of Bridge Street and M-66. No injuries were reported.

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Correction

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, a correction needs to be made to the time given for a reception at Charlevoix Area Hospital for a local artist, as was listed on page 10. The time will be from 7 to 9 p.m.

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OPINIONS

How to annoy others in public places



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

Put down the phone....we have to talk.

And remember to turn off the phone after you put it down. I don't want it ringing in the middle of this.

Yes, you guessed it, I am about to slam on your cellular phone.

It seems everyone has one of these devices pressed next to their head as if it were some life-giving gem in today's world. These machines have invaded our society. Their ringing can be heard in restaurants, during movies, during meetings, in bars and just the other day I was almost run off the road by a reckless driver who was talking on one.

Why in the world do these people need cellular phones? What can be

so important?

Not long ago, if someone wanted to get in contact with you, they could call your home or office and leave a message. They had to wait until you received that message before you could call them back.

Was life bad then? No. This system worked perfectly fine, until the cellular phone came along. For some reason, people seem to be afraid of not being in contact with everyone, even if it means disturbing everyone around them.

Have we really come to the point where we need to be in contact with others at all times? I don't think so.

As much as we hate to admit it, nothing is really important enough for the disturbances cellular phones bring into our lives. Sure I will admit they are handy in emergencies, but in places like a theater or restaurant, a ringing phone is a disturbance to others. And you do not look important talking on one of these, you only look like the source of everyone's annoyance.

Additionally, for those people who insist on using one of those cellular phones that are basically a walkie-

talkie in public — you know, those phones where everyone within a two block radius can hear the conversation — we really do not care to hear this. If you must do this, save a little of your cash and go buy some walkie-talkies from a toy store.

Another cellular attitude I get a real kick out of is this new fashion guys seem to have where they are always carrying around a cellular phone that hangs off their belts, like an old-fashioned gunslinger. I am always waiting for two of these guys to face off in a bar and draw, with the quickest dialer being the winner.

To add more fuel to my argument that cellular phones are useless for most of us is the stress they cause. By carrying around your phone with you at all times, you are just carrying around the stress of work at all times.

Trust me on this one. Stress can only lead to health problems and even problems in relationships. No one wants to hang out with someone who finds the conversation on his or her cellular phone more important than the face-to-face conversation they could be having at that time

with their friend or loved one.

Also, think of the stress these phones put on our wallets. The last time I checked, most of those cellular phone plans were not very cheap, especially for something that we really don't need.

Speaking of cost, there is also the cost on our environment.

Every day there seems to be a new cellular phone tower popping up over our horizon, clogging up the view. If someone is going to put up an ugly thing like a tower, it should at least be useful, like an electricity producing wind turbine.

Then there is safety. Think of how many accidents have been caused by people talking on their cellular phones while driving. It is dangerous to for you and others to talk on the phone at 70 miles per hour. I bet you would think that conversation you had on the cellular phone while driving would seem a lot less important when you are wrapped around a tree.

Cellular phones really are not needed, except in cases of emergency — I will give these phone owners that leeway. But, it is strange to me how just a few years ago cellular

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phones were a novelty, and now they are everywhere and people seem to think they can't get along without one.

I say put down that phone and concentrate on the movie, your food, your driving or the friend sitting across the table. Or better yet, leave the thing at home.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com

Side note: Remember to send in your answers to this month's "What do you think?" question. The question basically is, "What do you think should be done to stop drug use by school children?"

Keep your answers to about 250 words and remember to sign it.

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Writer learns a new lesson from trees

KNUTSON

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with a fungus and I would be better off if I shed them now, rather than waiting for fall."

Sometimes a severe drought will cause a tree to come to the same conclusion about some of its leaves.

The important point here is that the tree is not attempting to repair the leaves. They are too complicated to repair, somewhat like the ignition module on your new car. The tree gets rid of the old non-functional leaves and builds new ones later (probably next year).

Trees have been discarding non-functional parts: leaves, small branches and even invisible roots for millions of years, and I'm still inclined to repair things too complicated for me to understand.

I have taken a lesson from the trees. No more repair. From now on, I discard the inoperative module and plug in a new one. After nearly five decades as a botanist, it is still possible to learn something from plants.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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Letters to the editor

Article response

Editor:

I would like to respond to comments made by John and Charlie Winn in the August 8 article, "Sidewalks issue passes." John Winn was reported to say, "with disgust" that the project will make Belvedere Avenue look like a commercial thoroughfare.

I would like to respond, with disgust, that I believe that John Winn has done more with his lot-line to lot-line and over-the-water to road easement development of his property to give a "commercial thoroughfare" appearance to Belvedere Avenue than any sidewalk ever could.

In regards to Charlie Winn's clever comment that if an ordinance can be passed keeping bikes off the sidewalk why can't an ordinance be passed to keep people out of the street? I completely agree.

However, that would mean the people would need a sidewalk to walk on....wouldn't it?

Michael Jones
Charlevoix

Editorial response

Editor:

My opinion differs from yours as expressed last week (the city's decision regarding the Belvedere sidewalk). As taxpayers, that property belongs to all of us, not solely to the adjacent property owners. A proper sidewalk is far more conducive to pedestrian usage than some law prohibiting walking on the street — which could not be enforced until all

sidewalks get plowed anyway. As to the money, it is budgeted and is there for infrastructure and I, for one, am very proud of the city for its continued infrastructure improvements. In that respect, we are head and shoulders ahead of any of the other small cities in our area (and I include Petoskey therein).

To me, the new design seems to offer a viable and attractive compromise, especially as it saves the trees that I would have hated to see cut. A couple citizens objected to the "higher cost" of the "serpentine" sidewalk at the golf course along US-31 and Mercer. Today, all of us in that area think it is pleasant and attractive, particularly where it winds through the woods adjoining Mercer, south of 31. The "higher cost" ended up being but a fraction of one percent! (And well worth it.)

My hat is off to those council members who had the insight and courage to vote for the project.

Josh Barnes
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

I stand amazed at the community of Charlevoix and the friends and neighbors who supported my three day, 60 mile walk for breast cancer research sponsored by Avon. Was it a success? Yes, your financial support totaled more than \$6,000!

But, what touched me the most were your notes and calls encouraging me. The inspiring words kept me walking when my feet were hotter than the air which was 119 degrees. The commitment to my supporters kept me from quitting and hitching a ride to camp on each of the three days.

The true heroines, the survivors were who inspired us all. Saying thank you is inadequate so, it is my prayer that your lives will be as touched and fulfilled by your generosity as mine was by the experience of the 2001 Avon Three Day Walk from Fort Collins, Colo. to Boulder, Colo.

Paula Musilek
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

On behalf of Northwest Academy, we would like to thank the following families for hosting the 72 members of the Colne Community School Orchestra and Choir from Essex, England. It was a major commitment of time, energy and sleeping space. All the students and their chaperones reported that they had a great time and really enjoyed being in our area. Thank you to the Dean, Hand, Sanchez, Johnson, Potter, Dutcher, Trip, Goss, Trudeau, Lopez, Zawisza, Marcum, Seidel, Mossman, Smith, Slough, Ziener-Baker, Bellairs, Shaw, Burnett, Stutzman, Staley, Throp, Berlage and Larsen families.

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Engagements

Darrah — Ostrum



Melissa Marie Darrah and Corey Ross Ostrum, both of Charlevoix, were recently engaged to be married.

Melissa is the daughter of Oma and Lawrence Darrah of Charlevoix. Corey is the son of Jill Ostrum of Charlevoix and Norman and Janet Ostrum of Marshall.

A wedding is being planned for Dec. 29, 2001 at the United Methodist Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1996. She received her associate of science degree in 1999 and is currently working at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

The groom-to-be graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1991. He has a bachelors degree from Central Michigan University and is currently working at Site Planning and Development in Charlevoix.

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Darrah — Hart II

Lori LeeAnn Darrah and Delbert Wayne Hart II, both of Charlevoix, were recently engaged to be married.

Lori is the daughter of Oma Lee Darrah and Lawrence Eugene Darrah, both of Charlevoix. Delbert is the son of Butch and Ann Hart of Charlevoix and Kerry and Kathy Argetsinger of East Jordan.

Lori and Delbert also have three children: Brandon Eugene, 8; Erica Marie, 6 and Delbert Wayne III, 1.

A wedding is being planned for March 8, 2003.

The bride-to-be is currently attending North Central Michigan College and is working on her associate of arts degree.

Wedding

Left — Valente

Susan Jane Left, of Charlevoix, and Mark Thomas Valente, of Beaver Island, were married July 28 on High Island.

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Engagement

Williams — Carey

Rhonda Williams and T.J. Carey, both of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

Rhonda is the daughter of Ron and Theda Williams of Charlevoix. T.J. is the son of Ron and Cathy Agnello and Tim and Stephanie Carey, all of Charlevoix.

A wedding is being planned for Aug. 3, 2002 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a 1998 graduate of Charlevoix High School and currently attends Calvin College and is majoring in secondary mathematics in education.

The groom-to-be is a 1998 graduate of Charlevoix High School. He currently attends Central Michigan University and is majoring in industrial and engineering technology in education.



(Editor's note: Due to an error, announcement. It originally ran in the Aug. 8 edition of the Courier.)

Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

MSU graduates

Brittney Elizabeth Dipert and Jennifer Lynn Frabios, both of Charlevoix, graduated from Michigan State University in East Lansing recently. Dipert received a bachelor of science degree in family community services. Frabios received a masters degree in curriculum and teaching.

Honored students

Several Charlevoix students were honored at the recent annual honor convocation. They were Scott David Toporek, Monica Marie Browe and Chelsea Rose Gorkiewicz.

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Wednesday, August 22
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Open Horse Pull (Grandstand) 7:00 p.m.

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Charlevoix Area Hospital board members met Aug. 11 at the home of Joan and Chuck MacGillivray on Mt. McSaubia Road to raise money for the hospital. The evening was titled Making a Safe Hospital (MASH). They are: (from left) Julie and Peter Cummings, Sandy Moore, Bob Klein, Bobby Moers and Shelly and Richard Golden. (Courtesy photo)

Relieving oppressive weather in your life

By FR. JIM GUNN, Rector, Christ Episcopal Church, Charlevoix

From talking to a number of people, I think it is safe to say that many have found the recent weather to be oppressive.

The humidity has made me feel like a "limp dishrag," as the old saying goes. Much of the time it has seemed hard to breathe and even hard to move around. My clothes have tended to cling to me like glue and I have found myself mopping my brow every few moments. The moisture has hung in the air like a sodden blanket and the few showers that have descended have done little or nothing to relieve the oppression.

That makes me think of something Jesus said in the Gospel of Matthew (16:2-3): "He replied, 'When evening comes, you say, 'It will be fair weather, for the sky is red,' and in the morning, 'Today it will be stormy, for the sky is red and overcast.' You know how to interpret the appearance of the sky, but you cannot interpret the signs of the times."

What I mean to say is that we find it pretty easy to identify the weather as causing oppression but we often wonder about other causes of oppression.

There are many forces at work in the world today that can give us a feeling of oppression if we are trying to grow in our relationship with God. Most of the values that society in general holds up as important would actually tend to draw us away from God.

Much of the printed and televised advertising would promote greed and, according to Colossians 3:5,

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that amounts to idolatry: "Put to death, therefore, whatever belongs to your earthly nature: sexual immorality, impurity, lust, evil desires and greed, which is idolatry."

If we put anything ahead of our love for God and our devotion to Him then we will come under oppression. How do we escape that?

Well, if we wish to escape the oppression of this extremely humid weather, we can turn on the air conditioning. To escape the spiritual oppression of which we spoke, you can turn on the "air conditioning" of the Holy Spirit.

The word in Greek that we translate as Spirit also can mean wind or breath. The Holy Spirit can breathe new life into us and can bring our minds and hearts into line with God. One of my favorite passages in Scripture is Romans 12:1-2: "Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God — this is your spiritual act of worship. Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is — his good, pleasing and perfect will." We are renewed internally when we allow the Holy Spirit to transform us instead of just following along in the path that the world sets before us.

Another approach to relieving the oppression of the heat and hu-

midity is to take a dip in a pool or a lake. Another approach to relieving the oppression brought by being surrounded by the things of this world is to immerse yourself in the word of God, the Bible.

A few verses after the passage I quoted from Colossians 3, we have the following words: "Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

The Word of God is what Paul describes as the Sword of the Spirit in Ephesians 6. It is a powerful weapon which can cut us free from oppression. The power is explained in 2 Corinthians 10:3-5: "For though we live in the world, we do not wage war as the world does. The weapons we fight with are not the weapons of the world. On the contrary, they have divine power to demolish strongholds. We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ."

The weather can change — and often does on a moment's notice! — but the oppression of this world remains constant. May you find your relief from that by letting the Holy Spirit fill you and by immersing yourself in the powerful Word of God.

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Marinas, boaters debate expansion

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The proposal to expand Charlevoix's municipal marina is getting mixed reviews from the boating world as this summer's boating season winds down.

The main marina users are boaters and harbor masters and when it comes to the direction the downtown marina should take the two groups aren't on the same page.

Northwest Marine and Yacht Club Harbormaster J. Eric Kammermann said the city should let businesses take care of the need for new docks, not tax dollars.

"I'm against the expansion. If there is a need for boat slips, let private industry take care of it instead of spending tax dollars on it," Kammermann explained.

He added that the season is short, nine weeks, and he thinks the city spending millions of dollars for that short a period is "ridiculous."

Kammermann's biggest day of the season was July 4 when all 20 of Northwest's transient slips, (rented by the day) were full. In fact, throughout most of the summer, these transient docks have been in use.

At both Northwest and the Irish Boat Shop and Marina, when private docks are not in use they become transient. Northwest charges \$45 per night for a 30 foot slip and \$60 per night for a 40 foot slip.

Even though Kammermann is anti-marina expansion, Northwest Marine boat slip owner Dan Fair from Troy said he has been coming here for eight years and the lack of boat docking at the municipal marina has always been a sore spot for him.

Fair thinks merchants and boaters would benefit from an expansion.

"When the downtown is full, people come here (Northwest Marine.) When we are full where does a boater go? So they don't stay," he said.

Fair said some of his co-workers in Troy who have boats on Lake St. Clair won't come back to Charlevoix because there was nowhere for them to dock during their last trip.

He said because of the city dock's "first-come, first-serve" policy, it is too hard for boaters to plan a vacation. There is no flexibility.

"These people come up, ready to spend \$1,500 on fuel for their boat and there is nowhere to put it. So they don't come," he said.

The Fair family bought the Northwest slip two years ago and only go back to the city docks for short shopping excursions.

"We (the Fair family) use the city marina when it's available," Fair said. "As boat owners I think

the expansion is a good idea. It just needs to be a little bigger. As a shop or a store owner, I would really be pushing for those docks."

Patrick Secretan of Irish said that like Northwest, their marina has been booked pretty solid this summer. Irish has between 20 and 25 transient slips.

Secretan said spring usually isn't nearly as packed as it is in the heat of July and August. And, this July and August, the Irish staff has been on hand to help boaters tie up so they can "pinch boats in tighter."

Irish Marina general manager Jack Hodge agreed with his summer employee and said, "Transient traffic has been strong this summer."

Secretan also pointed out a few bonuses to docking at a private marina like Irish as opposed to the downtown marina. That is the same flexibility Fair referred to. If you want to take your boat out and return to the slip you had at Irish and Northwest, you can do that, but at the downtown marina, it is every man for himself.

Irish charges \$1.75 per foot per night to stay at the marina.

Hodge said that if the marina is expanded, Irish's business will most likely feel it.

"I have to believe it would affect us some," he said.

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Above is a photo taken of Northwest Marina during its busy time on Aug. 3. The marina was close to its capacity at that time. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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New librarian picked at board meeting, Aug 9

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After an uncertain couple of months the Charlevoix Public Library Board of Trustees unanimously agreed to hire Valerie Meyerson, 37, of Commerce Township to be the new library director.

Going into the second round of interviews that took place at the board's regular public meeting Aug. 9, many of the trustees were leaning towards Michele Montague of Grand Rapids. But, after asking a few more questions they discovered Meyerson better fit the experience and character profile they were in search of.

"Things went differently in this interview. Val did a great job of showing us her capabilities, she seemed more relaxed," board president Rick Brandt said.

He added that the real clincher for him was her discussion of programs she had implemented at the Wixom Public Library where she worked for seven-and-a-half years prior to taking a part time job with the Southeast Michigan Coalition on the Environment and Jewish Life (SEMCOEJL.)

Programs she implemented at the Wixom library included the 1992 summer reading package that followed a music theme, a children's story hour and an adult reading club.

Meyerson said that the Wixom library services a similar community as Charlevoix and this may help her adjust to her new position.

She said she excels in getting the job done, organizing and working with the public.

She added that one of her struggles while at the Wixom library was a



Valerie Meyerson has been named the new Charlevoix librarian. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

conflict she had with the mayor who was not supportive of her view of library services.

"I had to bite my tongue a lot. That's how we resolved my relationship with the mayor there (in Wixom)," she said.

She left the Wixom library after

having her first child, Jeremiah, who is now 4 years old.

"The decision to leave Wixom stemmed from my pregnancy. I took a three month maternity leave and came back part-time after six months

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Bank may change names

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The recent trend across the state of bank mergers and acquisitions is coming to Charlevoix.

Recently, North Country Bank and Trust, of Traverse City, announced it would be buying several Standard Federal bank branches in northern Michigan, including Charlevoix's branch, located near the corner of M-66 and Bridge Street. Of course, this move is subject to federal approval.

"Those branches are right in the market area that North Country Bank and Trust wants to be a dominate player," said Phil Callaghan, spokesperson for the company.

North Country Bank and Trust will be buying Standard Federal branches in Charlevoix, Gaylord, Houghton Lake, Petoskey and Rogers City. Additionally, the company is buying a Michigan National Bank branch office in Traverse City.

The acquisition is expected to take place by January 2002.

Callaghan said there are no plans to lay-off any workers at the Charlevoix branch.

With the acquisition, North Country Bank and Trust will be getting about \$90 million in deposits that are currently housed in these Standard Federal branches. Callaghan said this increases the banks' capabilities in terms of lending.

According to Ron Ford, North Country Bank and Trust chairman and CEO, this acquisition

will not affect any loans Standard Federal customers have. Those loans will still be maintained by Standard Federal.

Current Standard Federal customers at the Charlevoix branch will be receiving a new ATM card and checkbooks once the acquisition is official. It is not known at this time what changes will be made to checking and savings accounts under the new bank and if there will be any fee changes.

Officials at Standard Federal could not be reached for comment by press time.

Upon completion of this move, North Country Bank and Trust will have 32 offices located throughout the Upper Peninsula and lower northern Michigan.



That artistic feel

Above, Anne Taylor of Ann Arbor goes in for a closer look at Mark Sudduth's hand-blown glass on display at this year's Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair last weekend. Sudduth's operation is based in Ohio. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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My Sister's Closet has a new owner

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

After working at My Sister's Closet part-time, Patricia Dillon liked the store so much, she bought it.

As of May 22, Dillon, of Charlevoix, has been the new owner of the name-brand consignment clothing shop located at 1207 Bridge Street in Charlevoix.

"I just really liked the atmosphere and the people and doing this type of thing," Dillon said.

Under her ownership, Dillon said the store will continue to sell "high quality" and name-brand consignment clothing, including women's clothing, purses, shoes and belts at "very reasonable" prices — in some cases at a fraction of the original cost. Some of the brands she already has in her store are Anne Klein, Gucci, Nine West and Jones of New York among others.

While consignment clothing is pre-owned, to be accepted at My Sister's Closet, clothing must be in style, in excellent condition and be name-brand, Dillon said.

Dillon, who was born and raised in Charlevoix, is a member of several different area organizations. She is president of the Veterans of Foreign War Auxiliary, secretary of the Legion Auxiliary, vice president of the Eagles, member of the Jordan River Arts Council and past member of the Barnard Grange.

She has two daughters, Katherine Dillon-Gambill and Christine Dillon-Daavid, both of California.

My Sister's Closet is open year-round from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday. For more information, call 547-7350.

The business will have its grand opening under its new owner during Charlevoix's sidewalk sale days this week.



Patricia Dillon is the new owner of My Sister's Closet located on Bridge Street near the Dairy Queen. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Discovered treasure

Sonya Miller and her dad, Clay, both of Minneapolis, Minn. found a treasure at this year's Waterfront Art Fair last weekend. Artists and shoppers came from across the country for the fair. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Michigan Room to have open house on Aug. 22

Mary Carney, owner of First Edition Bookstores in Muskegon Heights and Moran will be the featured guest when the Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library invite the community to come see the newly refurbished Michigan Room from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Aug. 22.

Carney will also be looking at the public's old or rare books and offering her opinion as to their monetary value.

The Michigan Room contains a number of rare and out-of-print books from donated collections of local authors and local residents in addition to historical documents,

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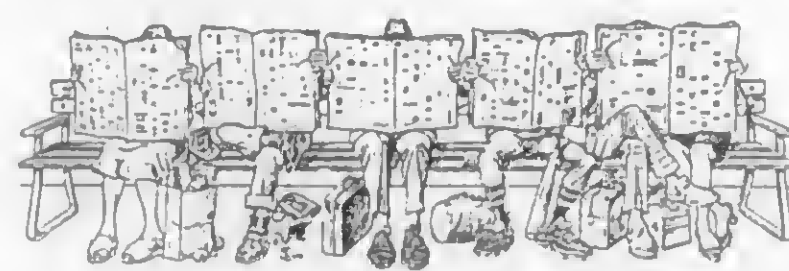
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All you need to bring with you is paper, writing tools and a mind open to the idea that you can learn how to write your own story.

Call the church office if you plan to attend at (231) 547-9122.

Rod Smith clan met for reunion

A family reunion of the Rod Smith clan took place July 18-22 at the home of Smith's daughter, Joanne Carlson of Clark Road in Charlevoix.

The reunion was also hosted by a second daughter of Smith, Michael Williams of Florida and Norman Smith's grandson and his wife Lisa Carlson of Charlevoix.

In all, approximately 80 Smith descendants attended the reunion along with 15 close family friends. The group came from all over the country including: California, Washington, Texas, Maine, North Carolina, Florida and parts of Michigan.

While they were here they enjoyed boating, canoeing, fishing, movies, the Charlevoix Arts and Craft Exhibit and good conversations with others they met for the first time.

On July 21 a day-long picnic took place at the Ferry Beach pavilion on Lake Charlevoix which prompted many remarks about what a beautiful place Charlevoix is.

Patriarch Rod Smith has seven children, 25 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

One highlight of the event was the presence of five generations.

Plans for a future reunion are already in the making.

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Class of 1976

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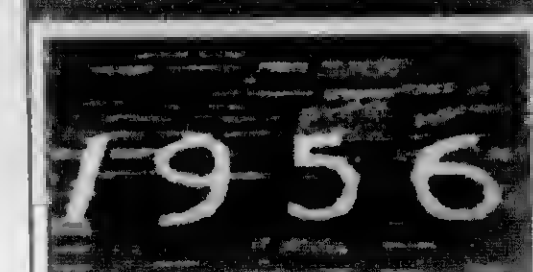
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Lifeguard competition given at Ferry Beach

On Aug. 4 the Charlevoix Area Community Pool hosted the 1st Annual Charlevoix Community Lifeguard Competition at Ferry Beach.

Area lifeguards competed in the following events: distance swim, submerged object retrieval, active drowning victim, run and swim event and a ring buoy toss. The lifeguards were judged on their skill, performance and time.

King of the beach was Justin Kelley and two females tied for queen of the beach. They were Libby Campbell and Tiffany Resch.

Kelley and Campbell won the team event.

Lifeguard competitions are a great way for lifeguards to practice their rescuing techniques in a simulated setting. The requirements to be a lifeguard are skill perfection and hours of practice.

If you are interested in becoming a lifeguard call the Charlevoix Area Community Pool at (231) 547-0982 for class information.

A community donation has been made so the pool is able to offer a September course for \$70.

Prayer meeting to be at Safe Harbor Baptist

The Charlevoix County Jesus Video Project will host a prayer meeting at Safe Harbor Baptist Church in Charlevoix from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Aug. 18.

All faiths and all churches in Charlevoix County are invited to attend. A love offering will be taken and offered to the Jesus Video Project.

The project is an organization of Christians of all faiths and denominations who are attempting to provide a copy of the Jesus video to each household in Charlevoix County.

Safe Harbor is located south of Charlevoix at 06046 Old US-31 south near the intersection of US-31. For more information call the church at (231) 547-6283.



Class of 1966

The Charlevoix High School Class of 1966 had its class reunion recently. Those who were in attendance are pictured above. (Courtesy photo)

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NOTICE LAST DAY TO REGISTER NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

All electors are hereby given notice that a Special Election will be held in Charlevoix Township on Tuesday, September 18, 2001.

Electors who wish to vote in the Special Election must be registered to vote no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, August 20, 2001. If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address in the township in which you live you may do so at the following locations listed in this notice.

In Person:

- At your city or township clerk's office or at the office of the Charlevoix County Clerk during normal business hours.
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Electors who wish to register with the county or city/township clerk are advised to call ahead for location.

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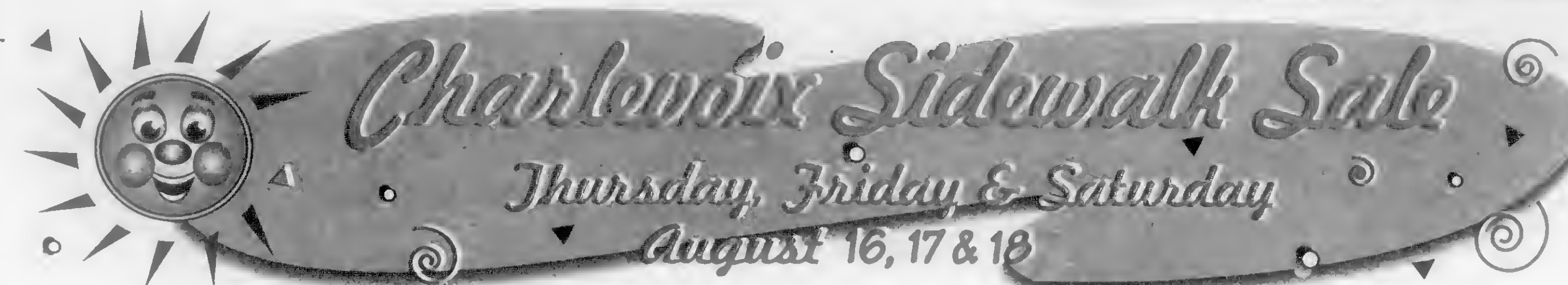


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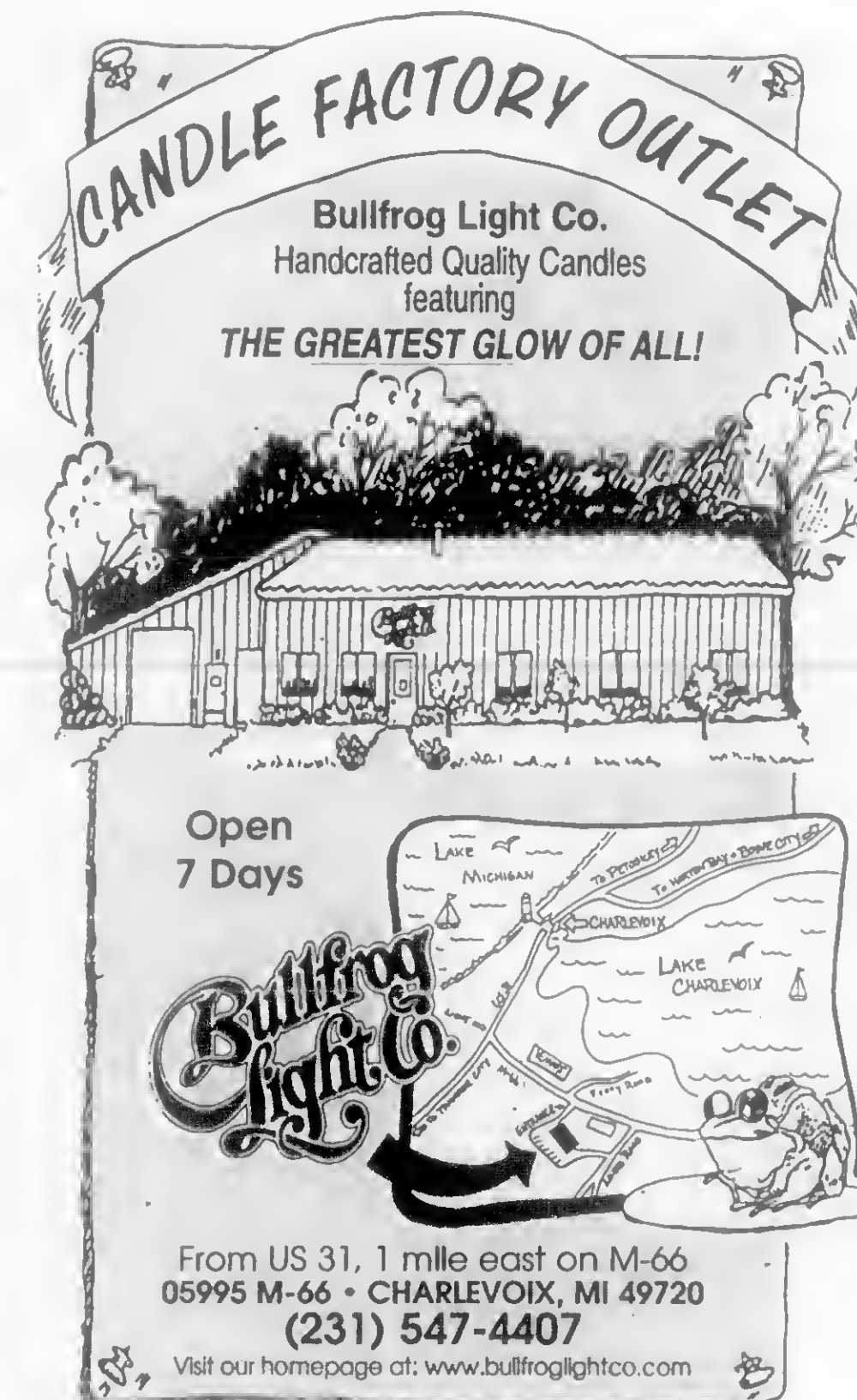
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• A driver ran into some newspaper boxes around 12 p.m. on Aug. 6 in the parking lot of Don's I.G.A. on Bridge Street.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 3:30 p.m. on Aug. 6 near the intersection of Bridge and Carpenter streets. No injuries were reported.

• A 19-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 2 a.m. on Aug. 4 in the parking lot by Charlevoix Cinemas for urinating in public.

• A pistol was found by a worker on Aug. 4 in a room at the Lodge Motel on Bridge Street.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 12 p.m. on Aug. 4 in the parking lot of Ferry Beach.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 4 in the parking lot of Ferry Beach.

• A Pacific bicycle, gray in color, was found on Aug. 4 near the Charlevoix Municipal Marina.

• A purple and blue Mountain Climber bicycle was stolen sometime on Aug. 5 on the 200 block of Mason Street.

• Two 15-year-old Charlevoix girls were cited for possession of tobacco and alcohol around 1:30 a.m. on Aug. 1 on the 300 block of Hurlbut Street.

• A vehicle was damaged sometime around 1 p.m. on July 31 at Pine Cove Apartments on May Street.

• A 22-year-old Boyne City man was arrested around 2 p.m. on July 28 near the intersection of Bridge and Antrim streets for stealing street cones.

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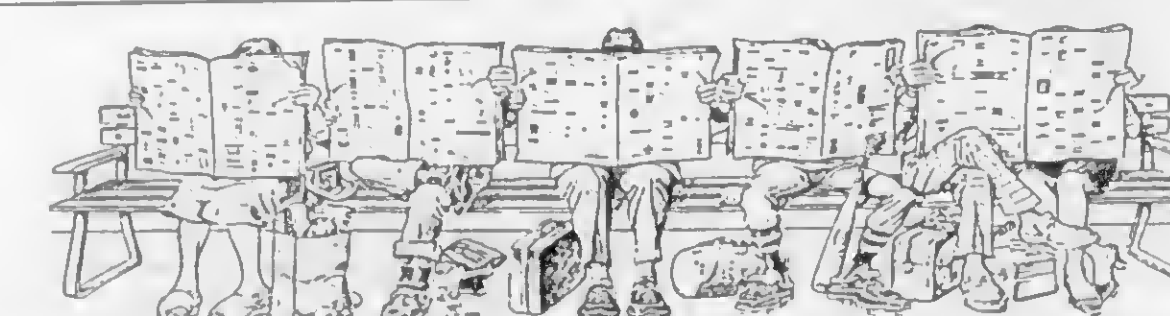
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Surveys indicate that more of us look at another person's smile before we look at anything else. The attractiveness of a smile correlates strongly with success in the workplace, in promotions and in social confidence. The value of a great smile is indeed priceless.

If you are connected with the internet, log on to the American Academy of Cos-

metic Dentistry at www.aacd.com. This is the flagship professional organization for dentists and the public interested in cosmetic dentistry.

I have spent the last three years in their accreditation program and was successful in completing and passing their rigorous requirements this last May in Boston. Dentistry is a wonderful and challenging profession. Northern Michigan is blessed to have many fine and conscientious dentists to help you to a better smile.

So I encourage you to look in the mirror.

Does your new smile fit you? Is it bright and youthful? Does it give you confidence? If not, I encourage you to give yourself a gift - the gift of a brighter and better smile.

Dr. John A. Merrill can be contacted by calling his office, located at 06483 M-66 in Charlevoix, by calling 547-9141.



Healthy cooking

More than 60 people came to hear cookbook author Deanna House (left) talk about the benefits of eating soy and to learn from her cooking demonstration at Charlevoix Area Hospital Aug. 9. House gave a presentation on healthy eating in April at the hospital and due to popular demand returned to educate people on soy products and cooking with tofu. She demonstrated four recipes and finished with allowing the audience to sample them. Her presentation was arranged by the Community Relations Committee of the hospital's Development Council. House is from Ada, Michigan, and can be reached at dhouse@iserv.net. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Area Hospital.)

Be careful what you use to get big muscles

Sports supplements may be a quick fix to add muscle, speed and bulk. But, physicians at the University of Michigan Health System say there's no telling what the long-term effects of over-the-counter powders and pills will be on the body.

"A major problem with many supplements is the fact that they're not controlled by the government," Edward Wojtyls, M.D., director of the U-M Health System's MedSport and associate professor of orthopedic surgery at the U-M Medical School said. "So many times when you buy something off the shelf, you really don't know what you are putting into your body. And to me that's very scary."

Athletes using steroids or hormones to add muscle are playing an even more dangerous game with their health Wojtyls said. And concerns are growing.

One study completed by the National Institute on Drug Use reported that adolescent use of steroids is on the rise.

Sports enhancers, or ergogenics, include everything from steroids, to

hormones and supplements. They are substances that can improve athletic performance and make muscles work more efficiently.

"The over-the-counter supplements can be as dangerous as a controlled substance," Wojtyls said. "That's important to recognize, that many of these things have not been studied adequately. We don't have long-term studies on what they do to the body. So it is really a bit like playing Russian Roulette."

As athletes prepare for fall sports seasons, coaches, parents and friends should keep an eye out for the signs of support supplement use.

"When you see an athlete who gains 20 pounds of muscle mass very quickly, over a couple months in the summer, while that doesn't have to be steroid use, it certainly could be. And, if there's any doubt, a physician's exam and drug test would be the way to go," Wojtyls said.

Wojtyls said he and his colleagues regularly see patients who use Creatine, a legal substance sold at many health product stores. Some studies show that under the right conditions

Creatine can augment muscle function and improve performance.

"The problem with Creatine is we have only short-term knowledge of what it does. What something like Creatine will do to an athlete in the long-term is completely unknown," Wojtyls said.

One of the more recent studies on Creatine shows alarming results. According to Wojtyls, when Creatine is processed by the body, it forms formaldehyde, a very toxic substance, often used as a preservative that can damage everything from artery walls to muscle.

U-M physicians also see patients who use Glucosamine and Chondroitin, also legal substances found at health food stores. Those are often used by older people to protect joints, damaged knees and shoulders. Based on what researchers know so far, Glucosamine and Chondroitin won't do any harm to the body.

"The bad news is there is little to no documented benefit to using them," Wojtyls said.

It's a well known fact that, if bulging muscles are the goal, steroids will do the job.

"The problem is you have to bal-

ance the risks versus the benefits. If you look at the risks of long-term steroid use, it's unbelievable how dangerous it is. There are very few people who would choose that route knowing what they are up against," Wojtyls said.

In addition to muscle building, steroids can cause other side effects which include altered hair growth patterns throughout the body and acne or other cosmetic problems. It can also cause a significant change in a person's voice.

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**CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING**
Monday, August 6, 2001- 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

Approved change order to Belvedere Avenue and Michigan Avenue Infrastructure Projects to include proposed sidewalks.

Approved Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) Airport Project Block Grant.

Approved amendment to engineering contract for Marion Center Road Sewer Extension Project.

Selected Rick Brandt as delegate and Dennis Halverson as alternate delegate to Municipal Employee's Retirement System of Michigan (MERS) Annual Meeting.

Selected Bill Bellows as voting delegate for Michigan Municipal League (MML) Annual Meeting.

Approved Ordinance 667, amendment to City Code, Chapter 51. Council adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Elizabeth Gooch, City Clerk

Alvin Russell, Mayor

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SPORTS

No Boundaries Regatta has successful start



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'Yachting notes'

The Very Successful First Annual No Boundaries Regatta saw 29 boats start, after a one-hour postponement.

With just 2 knots of air, the boats crowded the starting line, but quickly spread out in pursuit of SPAR WARS II as he rounded the first mark. The wind filled in from the Northwest and the lake was filled with colorful sails as the racers made their way to the entry of the south arm of Lake Charlevoix.

Those lunching at The Landings or waiting for the Ironton Ferry

were able to view the boats and, once again, SPAR WARS II, led the way around the mark. Once around the mark the racers began their beat to windward with about 10 knots of air.

Overall Winners: JAM: FLASH — Spinnaker: SPAR WARS II. JAM Div. 1: CHEEMAUN, APOTHECARY, ISLAND TIME, JUST BETWEEN US and STALWORTH.

JAM Div. 2: FLASH, WIND EMBLE, ECLIPSE, WINDSWEEP, KELLY and AWE-SOME.

Spinnaker Div. 3: OUR THYME II, ORIGINAL SIN, CABARET and ARTEMIS.

Spinnaker Div. 4: SPAR WARS II, SUPERFLUOUS, SCURRY, CRAZY HORSE, POCO LOCO, FLING, HOG TIDE and WHAT'S HER NAME.

Spinnaker Div. 5: SLAPSHOT, HOI POLLOI, HOOTIE, WINDRUNNER and FLYING MA-

CHINE.

After the race everyone went to the club for the Pig Roast and Awards Presentations. The race and the Pig Roast were hosted by the Charlevoix Yacht Club and sponsored by Pat McKeown Ford. Many thanks to all who participated and helped make this event so successful.

CYC Summer Series: The J-22 Fleet led the way by several minutes as II RECKLESS (1:21:07) crossed the line just before 7:19 with HUSSY, FIRST DATE and SUPERFLUOUS, only seconds back. Trailing were PALEFACE

LITE, ROCK STEADY, EAU DE VIE, CRAZY HORSE, SCURRY, HIGH MAINTENANCE, NO NAME YET, SWINE FLEW, HOG-TIDE, WHAT'S HER NAME and BANZAI.

The JAM Fleet, led by FLASH (1:26:53) had a close finish with CHEEMAUN just seconds behind. APOTHECARY and POCO LOCO

were back a bit. Next was the P-26 CYGNUS (1:27:26) by two seconds over TIRELESS. ORIGINAL SIN, LOST VERMONT and SANDPIPER trailed.

Spinnaker I honors went to SLAPSHOT (1:28:42) with HOI POLLOI one second back and GOTCHA another seven later. HOOTIE and WINDRUNNER lagged. Spinnaker II saw Babe (1:28:49) comfortably ahead of J HAWK and BALD EAGLE, who lead SAFFRON by a good bit.

Sunfish: With several regulars out-of-town on Aug. 5, the Race Committee had the pleasant job of starting all female racers for this, the third race day of the Summer Series. Light but steady air prevailed and with four races in; Suzy was first, Corinne second and Lisa Curry third (thanks to a last race

charge to edge both Nancy and her mother, Wynne).

On Aug. 12, the skippers enjoyed a steady wind for the fourth of the five race series. It started with Gina taking first with her new boat! Overall with four races sailed by six boats Tom managed a first by one point over Josh, Suzy was third. Come out next Sunday for the last scheduled race!

No room for the Standings or Nautical Trivia — next week, we promise!

Charlevoix Yacht Club Aug. 17 hosts — Robbin and Laura Seriguchi. We hope to see you then.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

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SPORTS

Junior Golf board discusses season

Another successful season of junior golf for Charlevoix area youngsters drew to a close with the annual Drive/Chip/Putt contest that took place at the Belvedere course.

In addition, the governing board of the juniors welcomed two new members and the annual mentors scramble and honors luncheon marked the official end to the 2001 season.

Marty Joy, the Belvedere assistant teaching professional managed the final event and reported that Allen Brooks hit a 214 yard drive to win the long drive contest for the 14 and up age bracket. Mike Graham wasn't far behind, he hit a 204 yard drive to win longest drive in the 12-13-year-old group.

In the chipping part of the contest Brooks beat Mitchell Klooster in a special tie breaker play off and Graham took the title again this year in his group, beating Kelsy Dulaney in a play off.

Brooks was also all over the green and finished on top of the group in putting, edging out Michael Russell.

Both Graham and Brooks won the overall championship for their age with their fine showing.

Recently, new board members Dick Stangis and Rosemary Corradi

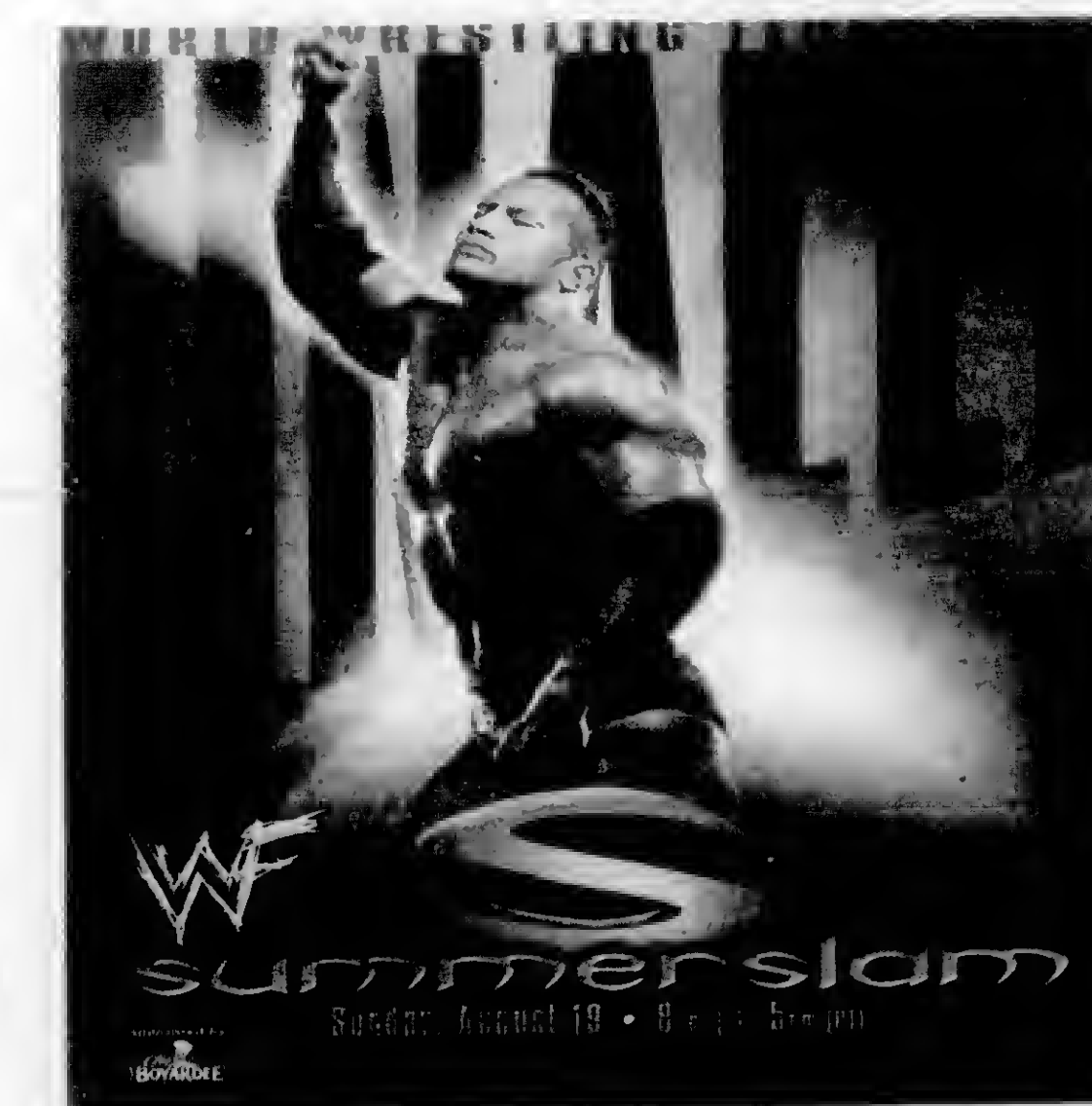
were welcomed by board president Dennis LaCroix as the board met to review the 2001 summer season. Executive director Dean Davenport reported that 144 boys and 56 girls registered for the seven week season. Special mention was made of the 55 eight and nine-year-olds whose progress and interest was outstanding and the large number, 38 11-year-olds and 38 12-year-olds enrolled in the program.

There was some concern expressed over the large number of juniors enrolled that were from outside the Charlevoix County boundaries but no action was taken. Davenport pointed out how each of the three local courses contributes in unique ways toward the program's success.

"The country club provides us with free beverages at our pizza party held at the club's pool and allows us to store our loaner bags and carts as well as teaching tools during the off season," Davenport said.

In addition the club has hosted the Mentor's Scramble, that recognizes the work of volunteers, for the past three years. The junior golfers also play the country club course and use the range and teaching stations four times during the summer.

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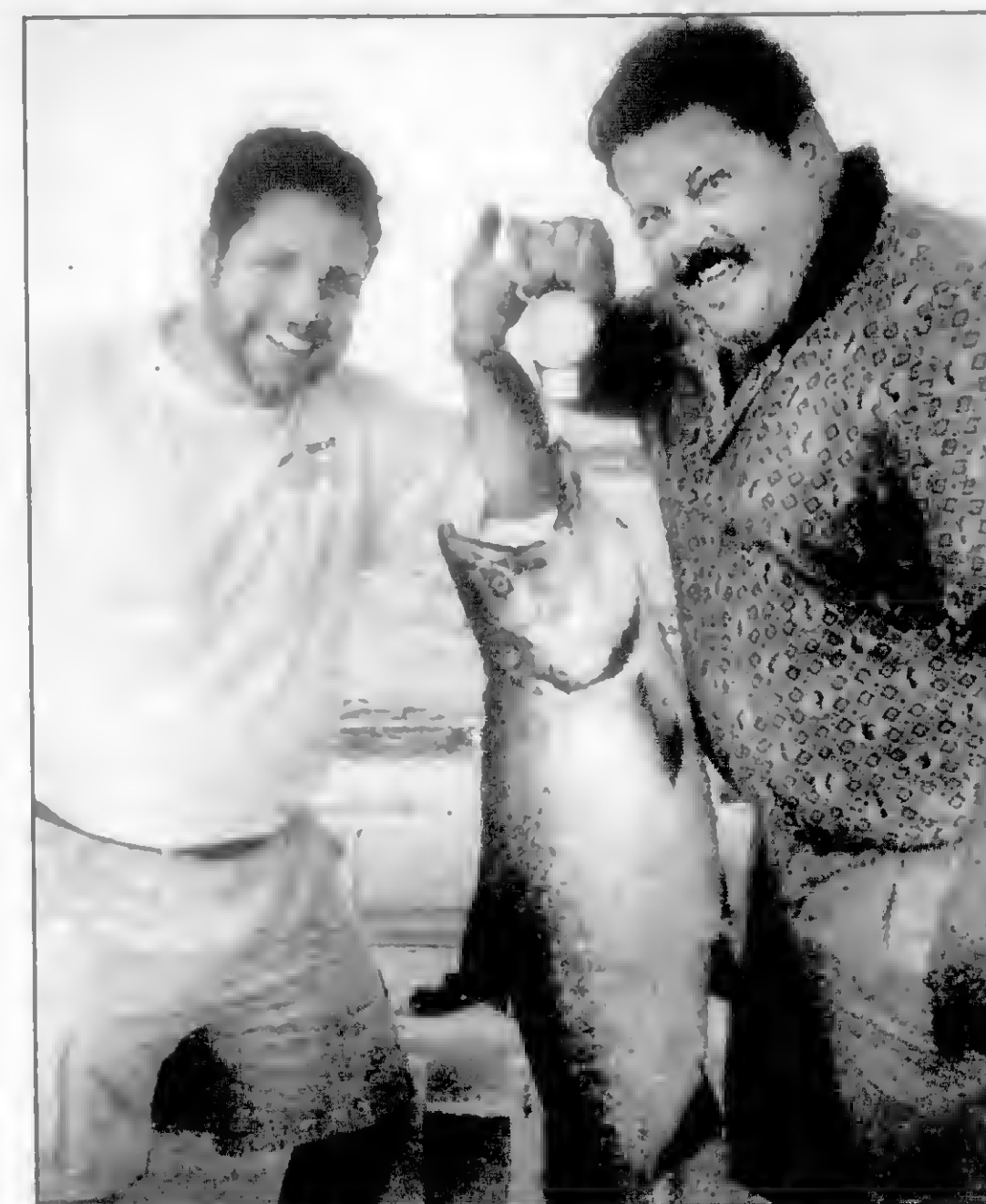
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Big salmon caught by local man



Dan Gage and Joe Medor pose with the fish Gage caught in Lake Michigan. (Courtesy photo)

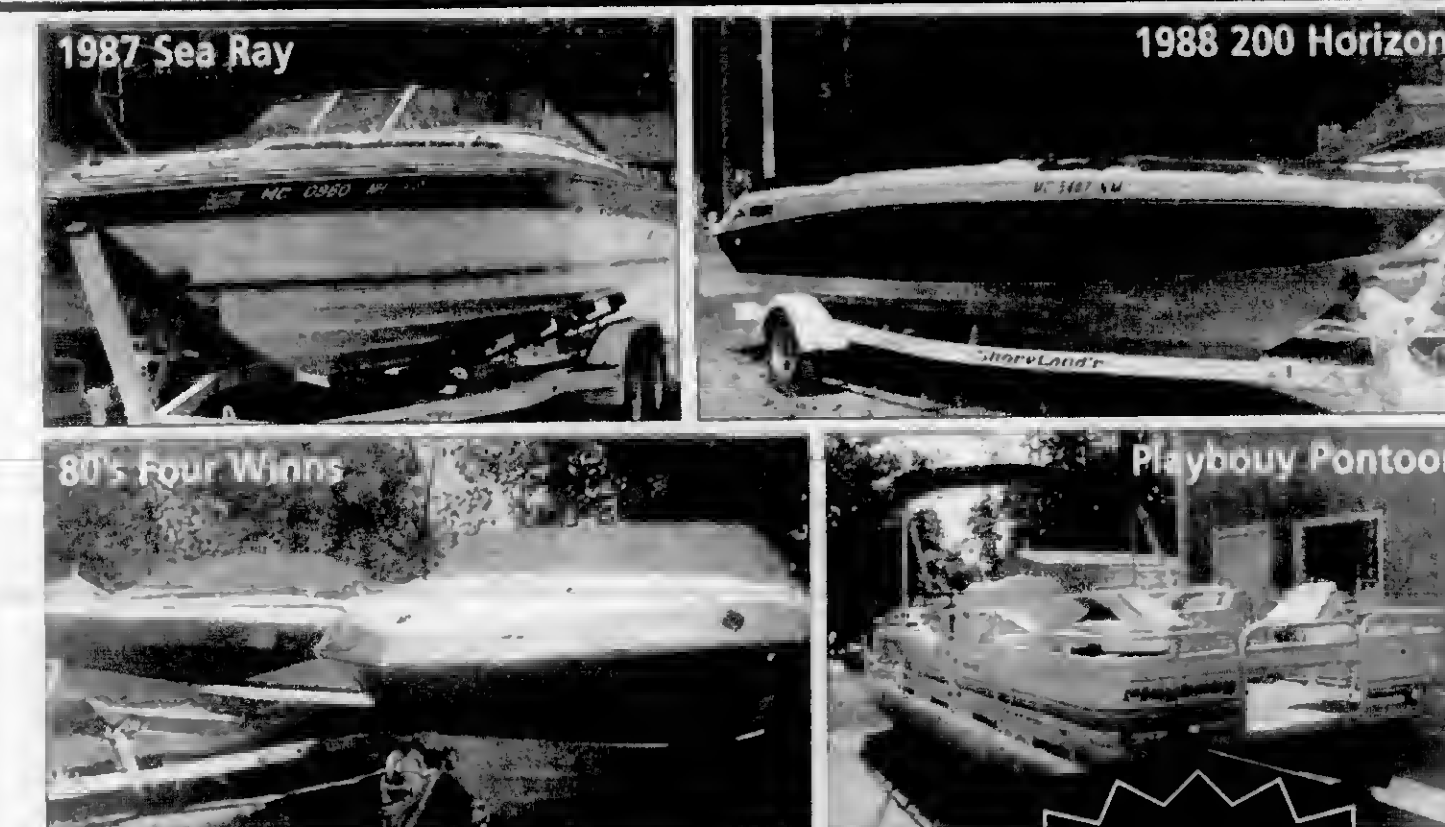
After a long, hot day working at Grand Bay Marine in Charlevoix on Aug. 5 - Dan Gage and Sue Gnatkowski invited fellow employee Joe Medor, of Fenton, to go fishing on their boat after work. Little did the trio expect that they would capture one of the biggest salmon this area has seen in quite some time.

While Gage set the hook on the fish, he handed the rod over to Medor to reel the whopper in while Gnatkowski drove the boat. After a 45 minute battle on 10 lb. test line, Gage netted the 41 pound fish. He had to climb over the downrigger board and onto the swim platform of his boat as the testy salmon wrapped himself around the downrigger cable.

The huge fish measures 40 inches in length, had a girth of 30 inches.

Medor had never caught a fish of this size before. The fish was caught in Lake Michigan outside of Charlevoix at 8:45 p.m.

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Junior Golf golf camp winners announced

GOLF

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The Municipal Course isn't open to the public during two tournaments and has allowed advanced players that pass the written and practical tests free golf when they play with an adult. In addition, the junior golfers play the course four different times during the course of the season.

The Belvedere contributes by allowing advanced players free play on four Sunday evenings and has helped make the mentor program work by granting a five play with companion certificate for mentors that work more than five junior sessions. The junior golfers are at the Belvedere four times each season too.

Davenport also recognized Dunmaglas and Antrim Dells courses that invited the juniors out to their courses once during the program.

The two fundraisers that fund the program will take place this August. Belvedere pro, Steve Braun

plays a golf marathon Aug. 20, attempting to play 100 holes in one day with pledges going directly to Junior Golf.

On Aug. 29 the Belvedere hosts the Supe Classic Scramble with proceeds going to support Junior Golf. Anyone interested in additional information can contact Davenport at (231) 547-6433.

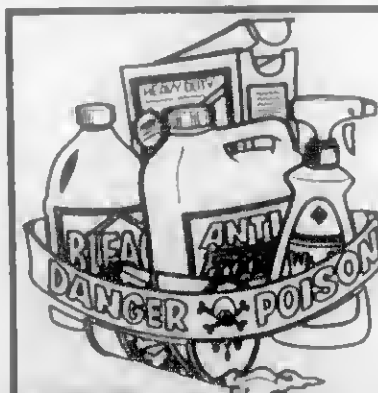
The annual mentors luncheon and scramble this summer attracted 23 golfers and 35 for lunch. The program honored two scholarships — six juniors were awarded scholarships to the week-long golf camp that takes place at Ferris State University. The six are: Kendra Spencer, Gavin Mahoney, J.D. Thomason, Kelsey Dulaney, Adam Wager and Lor Powers.

The board also awarded its second College Book Scholarship to a former Junior Golfer that was an excellent role model for young golfers and excelled on the golf course. Craig Siwarga, who graduated from Charlevoix High School in June, and is attending the University of Michigan at Flint this fall was the recipient.

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Grants		0
Interest earned		46,201
Rents & royalties		14,961
Total Revenue:		<u>\$687,299</u>
Expenditures:		
Debt Service		\$515,204
Capital Outlay		162,771
Operations		2,700
Total Expenditures:		<u>\$680,675</u>
Outstanding debt:		
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LTGO Bonds - Municipal Bond Auth.	\$2,845,000	\$1,452,290 \$4,617,338
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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX Ordinance No. 667 of 2001

AN ORDINANCE TO ADD A NEW SECTION 15a WHICH IS THE DEFINITION OF A BUILDING LINE, TO RENUMBER THE EXISTING SECTION 5.5 (15a) TO 5.5 (15b), TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF WIDTH IN SECTION 5.8 (11)(d), TO CLARIFY THE WORDING REGARDING MINIMUM LOT AREA AND WIDTH IN SECTIONS 5.33, 5.43 AND 5.48, TO CLARIFY WORDING IN SECTION 5.226 REGARDING NON-CONFORMING LOTS OF RECORD, AND TO AMEND SECTION 5.256 TO ALLOW THE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS TO GRANT EXTENSIONS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF VARIANCES.

THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. Renumbering and Replacement of Section 5.5 (15a) and the Addition of 5.5 (15b), Article II, Chapter 51.

A. The current Section 5.5 (15a) is renumbered as 5.5 (15b).

B. A new Section 15a is added and shall read in its entirety as follows:

Building Line: A line defining the minimum front, side and rear yards required by this ordinance.

SECTION 2. Repeal and Replacement of Section 5.8 (11) (d), Article II, Chapter 51.

Section 5.8 (11)(d) is hereby repealed and replaced with new wording which shall read in its entirety as follows:

WIDTH: The width measured along the front lot line or street line. In the case where a curvilinear street pattern or other circumstance results in irregularly shaped lots with nonparallel side lot lines, the width measured at the building line.

SECTION 3. Repeal and Replacement of Section 5.33(1), Article IV, Chapter 51.

Section 5.33(1) is hereby repealed and replaced with a new Section 5.33(1) which shall read in its entirety as follows:

(1) Minimum lot area and width: The minimum lot area and width in this zone shall be twelve thousand (12,000) square feet and one hundred (100) feet respectively. The building end/or structures shall not use more than thirty percent (30%) of the usable lot area.

SECTION 4. Repeal and Replacement of Section 5.43(1), Article IV, Chapter 51.

Section 5.43(1) is hereby repealed and replaced with a new Section 5.43(1) which shall read in its entirety as follows:

(1) Minimum lot area and width: The minimum lot area and width in this zone shall be nine thousand (9,000) square feet and seventy (70) feet respectively. The building and/or structure shall not use more than thirty percent (30%) of the usable lot area.

SECTION 5. Repeal and Replacement of Section 5.48(1), Article IV, Chapter 51.

Section 5.48(1) is hereby repealed and replaced with a new Section 5.48(1) which shall read in its entirety as follows:

(1) Minimum lot area and width: The minimum lot area and width in this zone shall be nine thousand (9,000) square feet and ninety (90) feet respectively at the building line for new construction and a width of seventy-five (75) feet at the building line for conversion of large homes. The building and/or structure shall not use more than thirty-five percent (35%) of the usable lot area.

SECTION 6. Repeal and Replacement of Section 5.226, Article VII, Chapter 51.

Section 5.226 is hereby repealed and replaced with a new Section 5.226 which shall read in its entirety as follows:

5.226. Nonconforming lots of record.

Any lot existing end of record on the effective date of this ordinance may be used for any permitted principal and accessory uses specified for the district in which such lot is located whether or not such lot complies with the lot area and width requirements of this ordinance, provided that all other dimensional requirements of this ordinance are complied with.

SECTION 7. Repeal and Replacement of Section 5.256(6), Article X, Chapter 51.

Section 5.256(6) is hereby repealed and replaced with a new Section 5.226(6) which shall read in its entirety as follows:

(6) Conditions of approval. In granting a variance, the board may specify, in writing, such other conditions regarding the location, character, landscaping or other treatment that will, in the board's judgment, be reasonably necessary to the furtherance of the intent of this chapter and the protection of the public interest. The breach of any such condition shall automatically invalidate the permit granted. Each variance granted under the provisions of this chapter shall become null and void after six (6) months unless construction or occupancy authorized by such variance or permit has commenced and is being carried to completion. However, the zoning board of appeals may grant a six (6) month extension upon the submission of a letter by the applicant providing reasonable evidence as to why the project cannot be commenced within the allowed time, and provided further, that an additional six (6) month approval extension may be granted by the zoning board of appeals upon the personal presentation by the applicant of reasonable evidence as to why the project cannot be commenced within the allowed time.

After a variance has been denied in whole or in part by the board, then no application shall be resubmitted for a period of one (1) year from the date of the last denial; provided, however, that a denied variance may be reconsidered by the board when, in the opinion of the zoning administrator, newly discovered evidence or changed conditions warrant such reconsideration.

SECTION 8. Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after enactment.

Ordinance No. 667 was adopted on the 6th day of August, 2001, by the Charlevoix City Council as follows:

Yeas: Councilmen Bellows, Campbell, Chamberlain, Haggard and Witthoelt.
Nays: None
Absent: Councilman Carlson.



Clean lifesaver

Jasmine Olson of Coast Guard Station Charlevoix waxes up the 40 foot Coast Guard boat as part of her crew's routine. When not out saving lives, the Coast Guard spends its time at the station preparing equipment. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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"And keep in mind that for males, some of these side effects are reversible after short-term use but in females it's thought that most of these effects are not reversible. Now, with long-term use we're more worried about liver problems and in particular cardiovascular system problems," Wojty said.

Individuals who use steroids for

prolonged periods of time may also show behavioral changes. That's one of the reasons that steroids were initially used by athletes — to induce rage and cause an intensely competitive and fierce reaction.

Human growth hormone, another substance used by athletes to increase muscle bulk, is just as dangerous, if not more dangerous, than steroids.

"There are legitimate uses of growth hormone but the potential side effects are very, very, very concerning and therefore, monitoring by a physician any time it's being used is

rule number one," Wojty said.

If an athlete really wants to get an edge, they should talk to their doctor or speak with a nutritionist who can help them maximize their potential in terms of muscle development.

"There's a lot that can be done to improve what you do naturally such as eating good, natural foods. You can also find what types of workouts are going to be tolerated best and how to get the most out of yourself so that you can live to your highest potential. That's the safest way to do it," Wojty said.



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City marina expansion discussed by boaters

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But city harbormaster Hal Evans Sr. said there's enough business to go around. In fact, last week was his busiest of the season. The Charlevoix marina had a waiting list of over 30 boaters.

"We've been overbooked all summer. This week is the worst week yet. Today, I think we got maybe seven of the 32 boats on the waiting list in," Evans said.

When asked whether the boaters get irate at the lack of accommodations Evans said, "No, they are just disappointed."

The marina is currently equipped with 17 docks, that are each 75 feet long. So there are 34

slips depending on the size of the boats — sometimes there can be two boats in one slip.

"We are basically maxed out at 60 boats," he said.

With all the demand and no supply of available docks, Evans is hoping to see an expansion of the horizon.

"The whole process is just starting. I'm looking forward to being a part of it, listening to the community and making solid decisions that will keep Charlevoix beautiful and will hopefully bring in a few more slips for the boats," Evans said.

This summer marks the second major boating season since the city's announcement of future marina and East Park renovations in June 2000.



This photo shows a packed Charlevoix Municipal Marina on Aug. 3. Many boaters had to stay at other marinas. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Wixom woman picked as the new librarian

LIBRARY

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and it wasn't working and I realized there was more to it than my pregnancy," she said.

Meyerson did not share the same vision as that of the Wixom board and she said she did herself a great

service by leaving.

With a new library building project possibly on the horizon, Meyerson is coming in at an exciting and possibly stressful time, but she said she's ready to face the challenge and a new facility can offer a community a spark. She thinks Charlevoix is ready for a larger facility.

However, she said the hardest part about leaving her life in southern

Michigan will be leaving her job with the coalition and moving from part-time to full-time work.

Since Jeremiah, she has had another child, Annie, who is now 2 years old. Meyerson has put finding a daycare that fits their needs higher on the priority list than finding a house for the family to live in. Until they are able to find the right living situation, Meyerson's family will stay at her

mother's home in Charlevoix.

Meyerson said she spent summers in Charlevoix at her parents' second home that is located behind the Castle Farms from the age of 4 and up. Like her father, she fell in love with Charlevoix.

She said when the library position opened up it was a sign to her that it was time to make the move to northern Michigan that she and her hus-

band, Tom Johnson, had been talking about.

"I told my husband this is our door, it's finally opening for us and we need to walk through it. The idea of being able to move here is amazing to me," she said.

Johnson is a quality control manager at Key Plastics.

Meyerson plans to start at her new position Sept. 12.

Lake may have high pH due to kiln dust piles

LAKE

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which in turn may have impacted plant and aquatic life.

In a quarterly report issued by Cemex in November of 2000 they discuss the process by which kiln dust may become a hazardous waste.

"Most manufacturing plants in the industry typically disposed of CKD in and around their plant site since the inception of cement manufacturing operations. If CKD comes into contact with water, liquid that leaches out may have an alkalinity level high enough to be classified as hazardous waste, if discarded," the report states.

Aside from Levegood's concern about the lake's ecosystem in conjunction with this possible "hazardous waste," he said his agency's main concern is human exposure to the contaminated water.

Cemex has posted a sign on the beach area that says, "No Trespassing on Exposed Rock," but Levegood said he was hoping for something that discouraged swimmers more.

The contaminated area doesn't abut the public beach and the further away from the site you get, the more Levegood said the alkalinity is diluted. But people get curious and Levegood thinks there is a possibility that someone could swim in that area and be hurt.

Phil Roycraft, District Manager for the Cadillac office of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality's Waste Management Division agreed with Levegood.

Roycraft said a neutral pH is 7 and the water tested outside of the cement factory was at 11, "pretty basic." He explained that the threat would be strongest just after a rain and that someone swimming or walking the beach with sensitive skin could have a problem.

But, Cemex environmental engineer Michele Buckler said the company is facing this issue head-on.

In fact, the industrial site originally had nine kiln dust piles and is now down to two that require clean-

up or what Buckler calls, "remediation."

On Aug. 10, while the Charlevoix Courier was on a tour of the industrial site, trucks were busy moving huge loads of CKD from pile four to the 34 acre site overlooking Lake Michigan, where piles five and eight have been disposed of. Buckler said pile four is made up of 560,000 cubic yards of CKD and it will take five months to relocate.

Pile five is at the base of where the three piles are now being stored; it was the disposal site for kiln dust from the early 1970s through the early 1980s.

Buckler said when pile five was originally placed it did follow the letter of the law at the time.

"No one knew there would be an impact. It has since been found to impact the water," she explained.

She said when water travels down through the piles it picks up metals and alkalinity that travel, with the water, into Lake Michigan.

The plan is that once piles four, five and eight have been consolidated the whole pile will be capped to try and resist water seeping through. They will also install a groundwater interception trench to collect and treat any water that may be affected.

There is no liner underneath the piles, as you would find in a typical landfill, but Roycraft said that because of how hard the substance becomes once it is mixed with water, the cap is the most important feature.

Buckler also said that the three

consolidated piles sit on rock which will help divert run-off to the interception trench.

Piles one, two and three are fully covered with "over burden," which is a thick vegetation. Buckler said that Cemex doesn't expect, nor do they know, of any impact from exposure in relation to piles one, two and three.

These old piles sit on bedrock and "any potential impact goes into the quarry and is monitored through that system," she said.

A landfill was constructed at the site in 1998. The landfill sits on top of the cap for pile nine. In 2000, the side slope of pile nine was also covered.

In 1999 pile seven which was 125,000 cubic yards was moved to the 11 acre, type three, licensed landfill located on Cemex property that is lined with a double composite liner.

Half of pile six has also been disposed of in the landfill.

There are 29 additional acres at the site that can be used for a landfill expansion. Currently, all cement kiln dust that is generated is stored in the type three licensed landfill located at the site. Buckler said the company makes between 1.5 and 1.6 million tons of cement each year and accumulates 60,000 tons of kiln dust annually.

Cemex employees anywhere from 140 to 150 northern Michigan employees and the site has been a cement manufacturing fixture in the Charlevoix community since 1967.



Above, a truck moves out part of the material that once made up cement kiln dust pile four to the consolidated site where piles five and eight are disposed of. Right, a jar of the infamous kiln dust. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



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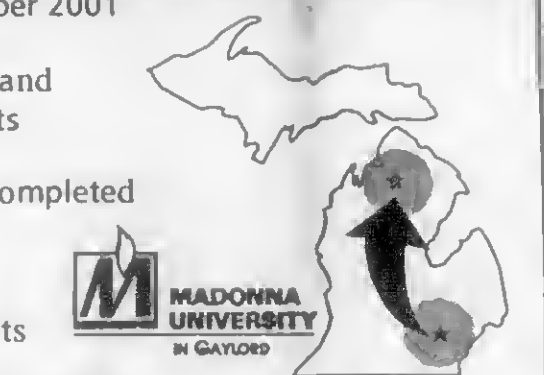
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Responses late in school suit

SUIT

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The motion states, "Defendants and their agents have failed to respond to the plaintiffs' discovery requests. Therefore, plaintiffs request that the court direct defendants to respond to plaintiffs' discovery requests within seven days of the hearing on this motion."

Ferguson said that a discovery is a pre-trial opportunity for both sides in a case to "discover" relevant evidence for the trial.

"They haven't responded to the last set of interrogatories," she said on Aug. 8.

Questions asked by the plaintiff in this last set include core issues in the case including "requests to produce."

Ferguson and Olson have asked that school attorneys produce any documents regarding a conceptual proposal and final written agreement with the city to construct the sewer expansion for the new high school.

The second discovery request asked for copies of all final engineering plans and proposed project schedules for the sewer expansion and extension.

If these responses are not issued before Aug. 17, there will be a hearing at 2:15 p.m. that day.

In the meantime, the Charlevoix City Council has awarded the engineering contract for the sewer construction to John Adams and Associates of Ypsilanti. Council's approval was made pending funds being received from the school to pay for the design.

Sturck said planning and construction will continue.

"The litigation has nothing to do with it (proceeding with the sewer extension.) We are working with the city. Until someone tells me to stop, I'm going to move forward," Sturck said.

He added that if Ferguson and Olson prevail in court, the school will need to find another way to pay for the sewer project.

Ewald could not be reached for comment by press time.

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THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX

County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720

DANIEL R. VAN ACKER and JANET L. VAN ACKER,

Plaintiffs,

v

JOHN R. DAVIS and PAMELA J. DAVIS,

Defendants.

File No. 01-969-19-CH

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ENTERTAINMENT

Area events

About this page

The Courier will print the non-profit events happening throughout Charlevoix County once a month and weekly on a space basis. A calendar of all meeting times and locations of non-profit groups in the Charlevoix area is published on the first Wednesday of the month and when space is available. If you would like your Charlevoix County event listed in this section, and you are a non-profit group, please call 547-6558, fax 547-4992 or write to the Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720. It is not suggested that a group use this service as the only means of promoting their event.

Reception

The Friends of the Library are having a reception in the newly refurbished Michigan Room from 5 to 7 p.m. on Aug. 22.

Bible School

The First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School is Aug. 20-24, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. It is located across from the post office on M-66. RBM Ministries, Inc. will present "The Way Through" by Director Roger Spencer. This is free of

NMHTSA to have food program

The Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency recently announced the Child and Adult Care Food Program.

This program is designed primarily to provide meals to children in child care centers, outside school hours programs and family day care homes. Meals are available at no separate charge to all children enrolled in the Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency preschool in Ironton. Children who are 12 years of age or under, migrant children 15 years of age or under, older disabled children and children enrolled in an After School At-Risk program who were 18 years old or under at the start of the school year.

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charge to the public.

In addition, the First Baptist Church is having a parents class called Making Children Mind Without Losing Yours by Dr. Kevin Leman in conjunction with the Vacation Bible School. The six lessons are: 1-Daring to be a courageous parent. 2-Why Kids misbehave. 3-Becoming the parent God wants you to be. 4-Nine ways to be your teenager's best friend. 5-ABC's of self-image. 6-When to let the little buzzards tumble. The registration fee for the parents class is \$10. For further information call 547-4121.

Book sale

The Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library will be hosting a book sale from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Aug. 18. The books will be displayed on the front lawn of the library and in the library basement. All book sale income is dedicated to the Children's Section of the library. The revenue from the 2000 and 2001 summer book sales and the ongoing book sale has purchased 1,100 new books for the Children's Section.

Pie and bake sale

The Women's Guild of

Bethany Lutheran Church will sponsor a homemade pie and bake sale at 10 a.m. on Aug. 18 at the Glen's Market of Charlevoix.

Proceeds earned will go for the new kitchen appliances in the new church building on US-31 North.

Lake meeting

The Lake Charlevoix Association will meet Aug. 20 at the Boyne District Library, 201 East Main Street in Boyne City. Dessert will be served at 6:30 p.m. followed by a short business meeting. This will be a chance to learn about the new Lake Charlevoix Association "Lake Keepers" program.

David Miles, co-director of the Charlevoix Historical Society, will present the program, "Historical Marine Scenes and Incidents in Upper Lake Charlevoix." David is the author of this year's acclaimed lectures, newspaper stories and televised account of the succession of bridges over the Pine River Channel. His presentation will be illustrated with enlarged vintage photographs.

The public, as well as members, are cordially invited to attend. It's also a chance to see the newly renovated and enlarged library.

Temple to host musical shabbat

Temple B'nai Israel, in Petoskey, will host Cantor Stephen Dubov for a special "musical" shabbat at 8 p.m. on Aug. 17. The service will be Cantor Dubov's premiere performance in northern Michigan.

Cantor Dubov is the cantor at Temple Beth El in Bloomfield Hills and formerly served the historic Touro Synagogue in New Orleans. In addition to liturgical and "Jewish" music, Cantor Dubov manages liturgical music and conducts youth soap operas. At Temple Beth El, Cantor Dubov manages liturgical music, conducts youth and adult choirs and also directs his recently formed Kidz Klez Band of Michigan.

Also officiating at Friday night's Shabbat Service will be Rabbini Intern Daniel Fellman, a student from the Hebrew Union College Seminary in Cincinnati, Ohio. Temple B'nai Israel member Irene Stein will provide accompaniment at the piano.

The Temple is located on the corner of Waukazoo and Michigan streets in Petoskey. For more information, call Rabbi Dan at 231-439-3213.

Temple B'nai Israel is celebrating 105 years of consecutive service in Petoskey. It is a member of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations and the Women of Reform Judaism.

Official Notice

NOTICE

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on August 8, 2001, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

Copies of the complete minutes of the Board are on file in the office of the County Clerk and are available for public inspection during regular business hours.

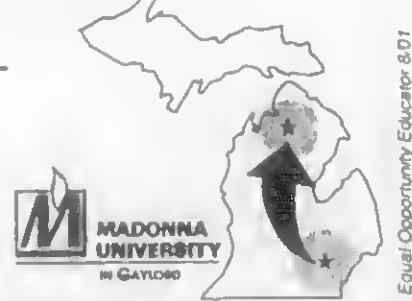
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RANGER FUND STARTED

Friends of the late Arthur Ranger have established a memorial to him with contributions to be used to furnish the reading room in Charlevoix's new library.

Because he was an avid reader and enjoyed good books, this project was selected as a way of perpetuating the memory of Mr. Ranger whose great loves were Charlevoix and its people.

A spokesman for the group said, "We wanted to do something worthwhile to perpetuate Art's memory. We all felt that furnishing the reading room in the new library, soon to become a reality, would be something that would be enjoyed by more people than anything else we could think of. I'm sure Art would want it this way."

A fitting plaque will be placed in the reading room when it is completed to designate the furnishings as a memorial to Mr. Ranger.

Anyone wishing to honor his memory may send their check to the "Charlevoix Public Library Fund" with a note that it be earmarked for the "Art Ranger Memorial."

Supt. Rex E. Milligan, administrator of the fund for the group, said Monday that \$1,500 has already been contributed.

Library's Ranger room receives prized book

by Edith Gilbert
Charlevoix -- A newly published Pictorial History of the Great Lakes by Harlan Hatcher and Erich A. Walter (Crown Publishers, Inc.) has just been presented to the Charlevoix Library. This important contribution to

American history is inscribed as follows by the President of the University of Michigan.

"Inscribed for Barbara Swinton Mordy who is presenting this book to the Charlevoix Library in memory of Arthur Ranger to whom the Great Lakes were old friends," Harlan Hatcher.

Mrs. Mordy spent many summers here since early childhood visiting relatives and friends. Her father Roy Swinton, born in Charlevoix, was Professor of Engineering at the University of Michigan.

The Pictorial History will be placed in the Arthur Ranger Reading room, built by contributions to the library building fund.

The Reading Room houses the prize collection of Michigan Historical books donated by Earl Babst in 1964 to the Charlevoix library.

According to Mrs. Dorothy Olmstead, librarian, these shelves are one of the most popular attractions of the library. People lose themselves for hours looking at early pictures of Charlevoix, Beaver Island and East Jordan or reading about logging, fishing, hunting and camping or railroads and ship building. Students, writers, artists and tourists are fascinated by the wealth of information to be found in the treasured volumes painstakingly collected by historians and scholars.

A memorial fund to Mr. Babst has been established for the purpose of enlarging the nucleus of this collection and to make it the finest collection of Michigan History in the region. With the advice and guidance of Dr. Robert M. Warner, Director of the University of Michigan Historical Collection, a list of-out-of-print

books has been compiled for future purchase and some volumes have already been ordered.

Dr. Warner writes he was delighted to visit our very handsome new library and says, "You should indeed be quite proud of it...and I want to tell you how pleased I am to participate in this project."

A book plate in memory of her father has been designed and donated by Mrs. George P. Bent II to be placed in each book. It states, "In memory of Earl D. Babst, a gift of his friends in Charlevoix, Michigan of which he was a summer resident of the Chicago Club from 1903-1967."

If anyone owns books pertaining to this region or written by someone from this region and would like to donate them to Michigan Historical Collection, please contact Miss Olmstead at the library.

Dr. Hatcher and his collaborator, Walter, devoted four years to the preparation of the Pictorial History of the Great Lakes. They and their staff, with the cooperation of historical societies, museums, libraries, chambers of commerce and other public organizations and private sources and collections, obtained much new material and many previously unpublished prize pictures, engravings, contemporary prints, old maps and panoramic photographs of a region marked by such dramatic events as the Chicago fire, the battle of Lake Erie.

Charlevoix Courier
December 27, 1967

Editor's note: These articles were compiled by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Area Library.



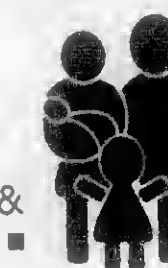
Arthur Ranger, of Charlevoix. Contributions in memory of him were used to furnish the reading room in the Charlevoix library. (Courtesy photo)

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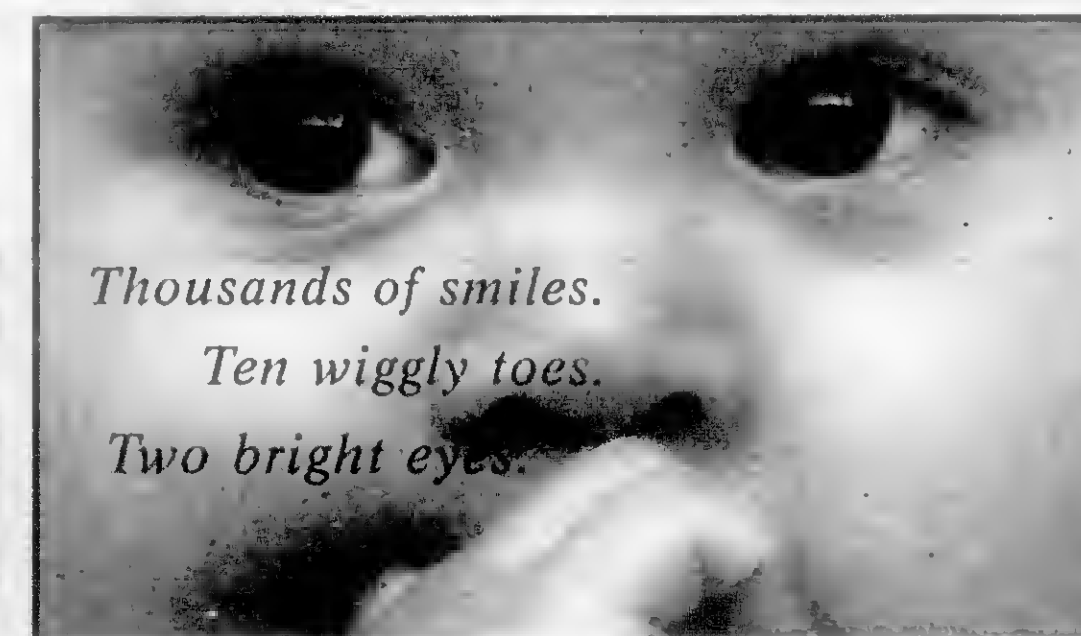
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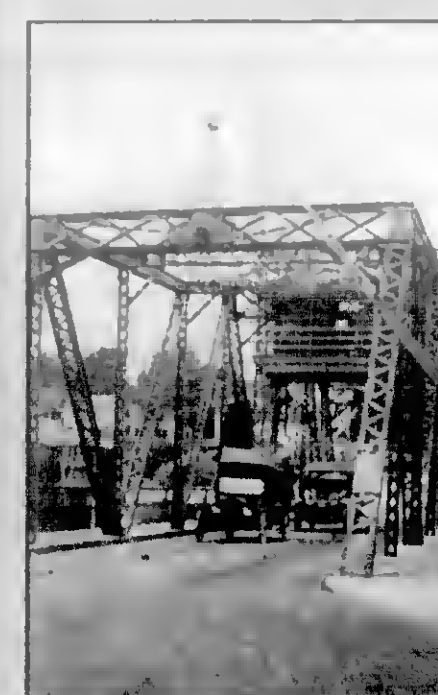
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New teachers

Charlevoix Elementary School will be getting three new teachers this year. Find out who they are and where they are from.

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Bridge death



Read about a fatal traffic accident that occurred on the Charlevoix Bridge in the early 1900s.

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Running for a cure

Man running for cancer cure to be in Charlevoix

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Some travel from Key West, Fla. to the Mackinac Bridge area by plane and some go by car — either way most people use some form of motorized transportation, but, not P.J. Tannian, 24, of Grosse Pointe Park.

He decided to run it.

P.J.'s grandfather, Philip Aloysius Tannian lost his battle with cancer eight years ago. The two were very close and P.J. was deeply affected by the loss. But, instead of asking, "Why did this disease choose my grandfather," he asked, "How can I prevent cancer from claiming the lives of others?"

So, in the Spring of 2000, just after his graduation from Aquinas College in Grand Rapids he made a choice. P.J. approached his parents to discuss his choice. His father Philip "Jerry" Tannian said he and his wife Beverly thought P.J. wanted to talk about law school but found their son had chosen a different path.

"He (P.J.) said he wanted to spend the next year of his life preparing for and then running coast-to-coast to raise money and awareness for cancer research," Jerry said.

His mission has since been appropriately dubbed, "Coast to Coast for the Cure."

He set out to complete this 2,700

mile run on Dec. 1 at the southernmost point in the U.S. found in the Florida Keys and Jerry said he hasn't missed a day yet.

"He has run every single day — Christmas, New Year's, his birthday, my birthday. It doesn't matter if there is a driving rain storm, he's running," his father said.

To say P.J. is dedicated would be an understatement. He has gone through 24 pairs of sneakers since December and has endured painful shin splints, that a doctor told him wouldn't go away until he takes a break.

The shin splints came on in the mountains of Pennsylvania when the continuous uphill climb took its toll on his body. Jerry said sometimes his son climbs into his support trailer on his hands and knees at the end of the day and crawls into bed. But he always gets up the next morning, puts on his running shoes and charges ahead.

P.J. never runs less than 10 miles every day and by the end of the week has run the equivalent of between two and a half and three marathons.

He will make his way through Charlevoix on Aug. 27. Anyone who would like to join him for the run is welcome to.

Tax deductible donations can be sent to Coast to Coast for the Cure c/o Mt. Clemens General Foundation, 1000 Harrington Blvd. Mt. Clemens, Mich. 48043.



Runner P.J. Tannian will go through Charlevoix Aug. 27 during his run to raise money to find a cure for cancer. He is pictured with his father, Philip "Jerry" Tannian. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

School responds to questions in time

Lawyers for the Charlevoix school district were able to file the answers to the interrogatories in enough time to save the district a day in court.

"They did not go forward with the hearing," Bill Ewald attorney for the school said. The hearing was set for Aug. 17 in relation to a lawsuit over a sewer line that is planned to run to the new high school site on Marion Center

Road because the school was allegedly late on responding to questions sought by the plaintiff's attorneys.

Bill Ewald said they are now waiting for a hearing before Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas. No date has been set.

Ewald said the responses were not late. Ewald said the delay was a result of the requests being for documents the lawyers and

the district did not have in their control to produce.

Judith Lincoln, another attorney for the school district, added the requested documents had even been turned in "several days" before the court hearing.

"We filed responses to the interrogatories, they objected and wanted more answers," he added.

Lincoln added the questions

asked of the school were not complex nor were questions the case hinged on.

Ewald said, "In general lawyers don't file motions to compel discovery because it can be worked out by phone. I have no idea why they did that. Ninety-nine percent of the time I simply pick up the phone and call the other lawyer, I rarely file a motion to compel."

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Amanda Brooke Bullock, 20, Charlevoix. Sex offender failed to register. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Christopher Gerald Rauszer, 40, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony; and driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Bound over to circuit court.

Desiree Lynne Watros, 17, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Cassey Dale Simons, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Cory Mylon Haight, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

John Paul Stroude, 17, Belmont. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Korie Lynn Wisniewski, 17, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Dean David Fish, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Richard Ryan Simmons, 21, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Ernest Henry Fitzpatrick Jr., 38, Boyne City. Driving while license

suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Paul Christopher Cryderman, 29, Richmond. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 97 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 20 days, 45 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 62 days held in abeyance; \$1,005 in fines and costs.

Luke Wailand Smith, 20, Boyne City. Minor operating a vehicle with blood alcohol content of .02-.07 percent. Six months probation; 80 hours of community service work; attend IMPACT weekend; \$620 in fines and costs.

Douglas James Franckowiak, 25, Elmira. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$645 in fines and costs.

Aaron Richard Eckard, 25, Conway. Breaking and entering a vehicle with damage. Bound over to circuit court.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

John Orrin Day, 58, Kalkaska. Attempted criminal sexual conduct-second degree-person under 13. Two years probation; six months in jail with credit for five days, serve five months; \$610 in fines and costs.

Eric Peter Vaughn, 27, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Conviction reportable to Secretary of State; 12 months in jail with credit for one day, serve 12 months; \$500 in fines and costs.

Benjamin Francis Kadonsky, 23, East Jordan and Khara Ann Ehler, 24, East Jordan

Jesse Dwayne Collins, 19, Boyne Falls. Motor vehicle, unlawful driving away, and breaking and entering a building with intent. Jail for a minimum of 18 months and a maximum of 18 months with credit for 19 days.

Allan Thomas Francis, 38, Traverse City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Jail for a minimum of two years and a maximum of five years with credit for 17 days.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Bommarito Painting, 03620 Hillview, Boyne Falls, by Joseph William Bommarito

EJ Logging, 03153 Wilson Road South, East Jordan, by Edith Ann Johnson, James Erwin Johnson and Clark Richard McGeorge

Weislik Management, 231 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Ronald S. Weislik

Structural Services, 242 East Carpenter Street, Charlevoix, by Jason T. Wiser

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Thomas Aaron Peters, 35, Boyne Falls and Rachel Kristine Gardner, 25, Boyne Falls

Michael Edward Crook, 32, Gainesville, Fla. and Amy Jo Decking, 29, Gainesville, Fla.

Benjamin Francis Kadonsky, 23, East Jordan and Khara Ann Ehler, 24, East Jordan

Raymond Lcc Gary, 22, Wolverine and Heidi Louise Jenkins, 25, Charlevoix

Bryan Michael Jerema, 24, Gladwin and Melissa Michelle Knapp, 23, Charlevoix

Frederick Louise Slotman, 36,

Boyne City and Tina Marie Brown, 29, Boyne City

Valdie Jack Reynolds, 38, East Jordan and Deborah Ann Dulong, 29, East Jordan

Paul Francis Haney, 30, East Jordan and Kallie Ann Washburn, 29, Charlevoix

Todd Emerson Buckley, 43, Norwalk, Conn. and Susan Lynn Rossi, 41, Norwalk, Conn.

Divorces
The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Donna J Curiel vs. Stephen M. Curiel

Robin Massey vs. Steve Massey

Kristie Kehrer vs. Theodore Earl Kehrer

Marla Ellen Gardner vs. Larry Dale Gardner

Christina Wagenschutz vs. Daniel Wagenschutz

Births
Jenna Emilee Miller was born to Kevin and Rebecca Miller of Mancelona on Aug. 17 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Katrina Marisa was born to Rick and Lisa Rowe of Canton at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn on Aug. 14. Katrina weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces and measured 19 inches long at birth. Her grandparents are the late Barbara Rowe of Charlevoix and Douglas Rowe of Marquette.

Taryn Charmaine Yzerman Ross, weighing 7 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Rick and Tonya Ross on July 31 at Bronson Hospital in Kalamazoo. Her grandparents are Hilda Gruenwald of Deland, Fla., Rick and Nancy Ross of Franklin, N.C. and John and Jill Picha of Charlevoix.

Correction
In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier a name of a Michigan State University graduate, Jennifer Lynn Frabis, was misspelled on page 7.

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Harbor Industries gets sign variances

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

The City of Charlevoix Planning Commission decided to soften the stringent sign ordinance for the local industrial site, Harbor Industries.

On Aug. 13 the planning commission granted three sign variances to Harbor Industries.

The first variance will allow a wall sign 168.7 square feet to be placed on the face of the building when traveling from M-66 into Charlevoix. The ordinance currently allows signs 72 square feet.

Planning commission chairman Dennis Kusina said he voted in favor of granting the variance because he felt the sign was proportionate to the size of the building.

"It won't stick out like a sore thumb on that building," Kusina said.

Tim Parker, vice president of Harbor Industries' northern operation, said that during the design phase, like Kusina, he felt the sign size was proportionate with the building.

"The code (sign ordinance) doesn't factor in buildings our size. The sign needed to be larger to be proportionate. If the sign followed the code it would look like a postage stamp up there," Parker said.

The commission then granted a second variance which will allow the Harbor Industries logo to be internally lit.

Parker said this logo will be back lit and that he's hoping there will be enough "ambient light" around the sign that there won't be a need to light the rest of it. The material they plan to use on the light fixture for the logo will be opaque.

Parker said he foresees a "halo effect" whereby the opaque fixture will channel light around through the back of the sign.

However, the two arguments made by Kusina and Parker didn't convince planning commissioner John Dobulis who voted against granting the variances.

"Basically when you come into Charlevoix from M-66 the first

thing you will see is a billboard, 7 feet high and 17 feet wide with letters two and a half feet wide. I think they (Harbor Industries) did a great job on the building, but they don't need a sign that big," Dobulis said.

He added that in his two years of service on the planning commission the government body has never allowed internally lit signs and he was surprised that "all of a sudden" a variance was granted.

Joanne Curtis, president of the local service club Keep Charlevoix Beautiful — who have often opposed variances of this type — agreed with Dobulis.

"Keep Charlevoix Beautiful has been pleased and thrilled with the

landscaping and attractiveness of the expansion project at Harbor Industries. We continue to emphasize exterior lit signs especially on the corner coming in because we feel they are more subtle and attractive," Curtis said.

A third variance was also awarded for the site which will allow "an accessory sign" that will be 18 square feet, two feet larger than what the ordinance stipulates. This accessory sign will be located on the berm that runs toward Traverse City along US-31 south.

The three aforementioned variances have to be approved by Charlevoix City Council before they go into effect.



Harbor Industries will be getting a new sign now that it was given a variance. (Photo by Julie Musilek)



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Seeking public input great move

Many times you have seen the city of Charlevoix criticized in this space, however this will not be one of them.

This time, the city should be commended for its work in planning renovations to East Park and designing a new marina for the community. This is not to say we agree with any plans that have been designed — which there are officially no final plans — we are just saying we agree with the process the city seems to be following.

The city is taking these two projects slowly and putting a lot of thought into it. Even better they are seeking the input of the people of Charlevoix, those who use the park and marina and have to live with any changes on a daily basis.

To do this, the city has said it will have a series of public meetings on changes to East Park and the marina this fall and winter. At these meetings, public concern and ideas will be gathered and included to be used in making up the final plans for these two projects.

EDITORIAL

Sure, we could criticize the city for having any of these meetings in the late fall or winter when many of the people who live on Round Lake are gone, but we will not do so at this time. Just the idea that the city is planning on having these meetings is fantastic.

It is vital that the city get input from the people before taking on two projects that will impact the community such as these. The city seems to understand this and seems to be dedicated to talking with the residents.

While we may or may not agree with the final plans on either of these two projects, it is commendable that the city seems to want to let the public in on the planning process.

We hope the city continues down this path of public inclusion. It will go a long way to creating trust in the people of our city officials and creating plans that will have the support of the residents.

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The dog days of summer bring a hairy new visitor



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

When I picked up the phone and my grandson confirmed his forthcoming visit, adding, "Is it OK if we bring our puppy?" I held my breath!

Now I love this boy, but a puppy? "She's housebroken and doesn't bark," Curtis added.

Long pause.....What's a Granny to do? I couldn't say, "No, I'm allergic to dogs," because we've had dogs all our life, so I replied, "What kind of a dog is she?" and was told, "She's a Dogue de Bordeaux, which is a French Mastiff. She's very gentle."

A gentle mastiff? "Well, I guess it will be OK. What's her name?" "Dahlia," was his reply. For the next week I prepared the guest rooms for Curt, his wife, two small children and of course, Dahlia.

When the group arrived, I was impressed with this so called puppy, Dahlia — all 110 pounds, 3 feet high, short hair, golden brown, no

barking, four footed house guest.

For the first two days not a sound out of her. Dogs walked by the house on the sidewalk, the doorbell rang, squirrels climbed the tree — not a sound out of Dahlia. Then one morning we heard her bark.

"WOOF, WOOF!" What could bring this about?

I followed the sound into my office and there stood Dahlia barking at my wooden carving of a police dog that I had sculpted years ago, while attending art school!

Of course, that's how Dahlia stole my heart. "What better compliment," I thought, "than to have a live dog acknowledge my work with a loud bark!"

Once having established the pet policy by accepting Dahlia as my house guest, I've had to add a medium size golden retriever and later, a tiny, white Shih Tzu as summer visitors. The toy dog, Shih Tzu, was extensively bred in China since the seventeenth century and feels quite at home with all my Chinese ornaments. He likes to spin around and make a nest in my bed, while I watch TV.

Now I keep dog dishes, long leashes, left behind combs and brushes, at the ready in the basement, along with children's sand toys.

People who want to vacation in

Charlevoix with their pets may have a problem. The only motel that accepts pets is The Lodge and they charge a one time fee of \$15. The Chicago Club allows dogs, if they are on a leash, but the Belvedere Club has a strict no dog policy during the season.

Fortunately, there are several kennels in our area that are highly recommended, where pets are exercised and often visited daily by their owners.

I have checked with friends as to their policy regarding pets, and some accept these four footed friends, while others — especially people who already have dogs of their own — are reluctant to add another animal to the mix, since the two often don't get along.

To those who are new home owners in our area, I strongly urge you to be prepared for the \$64 pet question, and have the telephone number of a good kennel handy.

Dogs may be a man's best friend, but remember, too, that your best friend may have a dog!

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. Her columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freewoy.net.

Letters to the editor

Council should be commended

Editor:

I want to personally thank the city councilmen for their good government approach to the issue of a sidewalk on the north side of Belvedere Street.

The safety of citizens of Charlevoix has to be the primary concern of government officials. This, of course, includes the safety of those many people who live or visit the city or who participate in the numerous fairs and festivals.

Forcing those people who own,

rent or park on the north side of Belvedere Street to cross busy Belvedere Street twice in order to walk downtown was a major safety issue. This safety issue will finally be resolved with the new sidewalk approved by the very conscientious city councilmen.

People with a handicap, elderly or adults with small children are particularly at risk with the present incomplete sidewalk situation. The new sidewalk will make walking to downtown Charlevoix far safer for all citizens.

By moving the entire Belvedere

Street to the south, the city seems to have gone the extra mile to allow some of the condominium/homeowner remonstrators to continue to use about 20 feet of city right of way for landscaping and parking.

Let us hope this construction can be done as quickly as possible in order to minimize the inconvenience to all.

The new street, trees, curb and sidewalk will not only look far better than what we have today, but also will be far safer.

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LETTERS

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P.S. Since writing this letter, I had the opportunity to read the editorial in the Aug. 8, 2001, Charlevoix Courier. I note the letter policy states the Courier does not publish letters judged by the editor to be a personal attack. Too bad the editor does not follow this same set of rules, as he insulted Norman Carlson (city council member). All council members should be allowed to vote their own conscience after reviewing the facts.

Who does the editor think he is to be the judge and jury on the sidewalk issue? He is dead wrong. I hope he can stuff himself on his own "baloney" since he likes that word so much.

John N. Pittman, M.D.
Indianapolis, Ind.

Cell phones should go

Editor:

Thanks so much for your opinion page on cell phones. I was not happy to look out at the beautiful Lake Charlevoix this year and see the cell phone towers on the horizon.

The most repulsive one was the one at the end of the point at Harbor Springs. This is the area

where cars are not allowed to travel, but big as day at the end of the strip of land with the lovely old homes on it is the ugly tower.

I was with my daughter in Petoskey in a store painting pottery and someone's purse started ringing and all these Moms started digging in their purses. The call turned out to be for the wrong family member as they had switched phones for some odd reason. Please, do away with them!

There is a store on the main street in Petoskey that has two chairs out front to relax in and a table in between them with an old red dial face phone sitting on it, I guess for fun. My parents still have that old dial face phone on their kitchen wall and I love it.

Berri Langowski
Long Beach, Ind.

Thank you

Editor:

This letter is intended to salute Charlevoix area golfers and the Charlevoix County Junior Golf program. This summer we were awarded scholarships to attend a week of golf camp at the renowned Ferris State University Golf Academy. We all agree it was a terrific experience and we learned a lot about golf and about ourselves while away from home for nearly a week.

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We all have been enrolled in the summer Junior Golf program for several years and have benefited from the excellent instruction and experiences that are part of the program. Because of our interest and potential we were lucky enough to be selected to receive the camp scholarship.

All of this was made possible through the generosity of the local golfers that support the "Supe Classic," which is the primary fund-raiser for our area Junior Golf program, along with PGA professional instructor Steve Braun whose 100 holes in a day also generates funds for junior golf. We wish to thank all the many people that organize and administer the golf outing, particularly Tom Bickersteth, Sam Supernaw and Nancy LeCroix from the board. We also want to recognize and thank the teaching staff of PGA professionals Joan Waha from Dunnaglas, Steve Braun and Marty Joy from the Belvedere.

Steve Good, Gina Rapin and Shane Hollandsworth from the Charlevoix Country Club and Scott Blechel from the Charlevoix Municipal Course. All of them volunteer their time to see that we receive the best instruction possible. We appreciate the organization that takes place under the direction of Dean Davenport and our adult mentors. It is the best!

On behalf of all the Junior Golfers, we want to express our gratitude. We hope that experiences like ours can continue for youngsters in Charlevoix County as a result of everyone supporting the "Supe Classic" which will be on Aug. 29 at the Belvedere Club Course.

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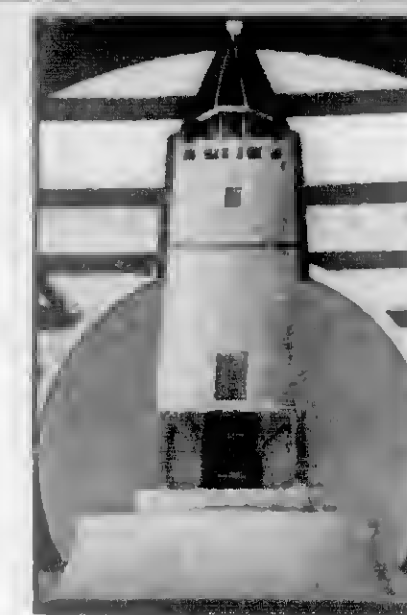
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Beetles help in fight against invasive plant

Many Michigan roadside ditches and wetlands have become especially colorful during the past few weeks because the invasive plant purple loosestrife is blooming.

Purple loosestrife is problematic because it displaces native wetland plants and degrades wetland habitat for fish and wildlife. The colorful plant has become so prevalent because it has encountered few predators in most places and each plant can produce more than two million seeds per year.

The aggressive growth of purple loosestrife in wetlands ecosystems (bogs, swamps, riverways and ditches) has captured the concern of state and federal agencies, scientists, environmentalists, hunters and anglers across the United States. Control of purple loosestrife has included hand pulling, burning chemical applications and — most recently — using natural enemies in a biological assault.

However, this year the pesky plant is not so prevalent in some places as it has been, according to Michigan Sea Grant researchers. After introducing leaf-feeding beetles *Galerusella pusilla* and *G. californiensis*, resource managers and volunteers, including students and their teachers, have seen dramatic results in many infested wetlands.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources first released the U.S. government approved beetles in the Saginaw Bay watershed in 1994. By 2000, the stands of purple loosestrife there had dwindled to a fraction of

the peak infestation. Monitoring of a beetle-treated wetland at Pointe Mouille in 2000 showed that purple loosestrife was completely absent from seven of the nine areas where it had occurred in 1997.

Approximately 200 sites statewide have been inoculated with the beetles.

The Purple Loosestrife Project, coordinated by Michigan Sea Grant Extension Associate Mile Klepinger and Michigan State University Extension entomologist Doug Landis, has trained 150 teacher volunteers to use the beetles. Klepinger and Landis have established a network of 24 Cooperative Biological Control Centers, produced instructional and education materials and maintain a web site.

Project leaders and participants are very optimistic about the long-term prospects for success with this approach.

"Biological control of invasive weeds carries some risk, just as the other control methods," Klepinger said. "However, we've learned that there is no risk-free way to manage loosestrife. If we do nothing, we risk continued degradation of our wetlands. This approach is self-sustaining and is beginning to show real results."

To become involved in the Purple Loosestrife Project, contact Klepinger at (517) 353-5508 or klep@msu.edu.



Children's Art Fair

Several students recently took part in the Children's Art Fair at the Charlevoix Area Library. They were: Nora, Hanna and Joe Alalou, Tyler Burke, Kate Belieu, Stoney Crockett, Beth Cunningham, Makenna Loan, Dylan Freedman, Meghan Fitzgerald, Rachel Gonzalez, Michael Gonzalez, Lauren Ruby Glass, Elizabeth Hodgson, Lacey and Julie Hall, Avery Jason, Arielle La Breegic, Alanna Leslie, Jessica and Jennie Lepman, Katie McGoff, Madalyne, Jody McKinney, Petra, Olivia Reis, Tiger Stoney, Abbey and Kylee Scholten, Hanna Stoppel, Kristopher Strawbridge, Falka Spovoart, Samie Sell, Kathrine Sherbine, Paloma, Carlos, Austin and Dan Thoin, Julie, Meredith and Drah and Anton and Marie Velocecko. Above are Lauren Glass, Lindsay Thomas and Hannah Glass showing off their work. (Courtesy photo)

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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed.

• A 21-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol around 1:30 a.m., Aug. 17 on Bridge Street.

• A domestic assault reportedly took place around 6:30 p.m. on Aug. 15 on the 500 block of Newman Street.

• A 21-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 10 p.m. on Aug. 15 on Bridge Street for driving a vehicle while his license was suspended.

• Someone tried to break into a vehicle on Aug. 15 as it was parked on Belvedere Avenue. The suspect took the lock off of the vehicle, but nothing was missing inside.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle on Aug. 14 near the Van Pelt Alley on Bridge

Street.

• A driver reported her vehicle was hit by another vehicle around 2 p.m. on Aug. 14 on the Michigan Avenue curves. However, the driver of the other vehicle denied the incident ever took place.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 6 p.m. on Aug. 14 near the intersection of Bridge and Carpenter streets. No injuries were reported.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle on Aug. 13 in the parking lot of Northwest Academy on Hurlbut Street.

• A purple and blue bicycle with a plastic basket on the back was stolen sometime after 7:30 p.m. on Aug. 12 on State Street.

• A 34-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for operating a vehicle while under the influence of alcohol around 2 a.m. on Aug. 12 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Marion Center Road.

• A boat was damaged in the Charlevoix Municipal Marina sometime on Aug. 10.

• An assault reportedly took place around 4 p.m. on May 31 near the intersection of Elm Street and Meereer Boulevard.



First annual Helen Open

The first annual Helen Open was Aug. 19 at the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course. Proceeds from the event went to the American Cancer Society. Above, Bernie Chuinard and Carolyn Weislik enjoyed the afternoon of sunshine. Right, Pat Donnelly watches his ball fly. (Photos by Julie Musilek)



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New teachers to be at elementary school

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Charlevoix Elementary School will open their doors to three new, full-time, young teachers this year.

Traci Allison, 23, a Charlevoix native, Shelly Novotny, 33, of Charlevoix and Sara Jonker, 22, of Petoskey will join the elementary school staff, bringing with them classroom experience, youth and fresh ideas.

"Our field of applicants was extremely high quality. All three of these women came to the top from their own accolades," elementary school principal Dick Swenor said.

He explained that the school was able to have the best interview possible with Allison who taught third grade in the building for six months while teacher Rachel Brooks was on maternity leave.

"The parents enjoyed working with her and thought their kids were getting an excellent education," he said.

During her time with the school district, Allison said she learned how to communicate with parents and work with teachers in the building.

Allison will replace Molly Randall as a first grade teacher. She said she's looking forward to meeting

her class and implementing some useful approaches to teaching, including the four-block method that stresses balanced literacy in language arts.

Allison graduated from Miami University located in Oxford, Ohio in May of 2000 and is a 1996 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

Novotny is a former Petoskey Elementary School teacher with nine years of experience under her belt. She left the Petoskey district a year and a half ago to be at home with her three children, Chandler, Paten and Reagan but says she's ready to get back in the classroom.

"Shelly is one of Petoskey's shining stars. She enjoyed our school and made the decision to get back into teaching in her own community," Swenor said.

The interview committee made up of Allison Mellon, Marcie Murdock, Stephanie Carey, Laura Taylor and Swenor told the school board that Novotny started a multi-age classroom in Petoskey and was considered "one of their finest educators."

Novotny received her bachelor of science degree from Central Michigan University in May of 1991 and her master's degree from Michigan State University in 1995. She will make her debut as a first grade

teacher, replacing Mellon.

Jonker will replace Julie Bernhardt as a second grade teacher — Bernhardt moved to a third grade position. Jonker said the Charlevoix School District appealed to her because she grew up in Marshall, "a small town like Charlevoix" located just outside of Battle Creek.

As was the situation with Allison, Swenor and other teachers were able to gauge Jonker's ability during a substitute teaching position last year.

The selection committee offered Jonker high praises, one of which stated, "Sara (Jonker) is a quality young lady that is very excited about educating young children."

Her excitement and enthusiasm showed when she said, "I have a lot of great ideas other people haven't tried, especially just coming out of college. I'm one of those people that says, 'let's try this' and then I get people involved."

Jonker graduated from Hope College in May of 2000. Jonker's husband, Zach, is a teacher at Petoskey High School.

All three women are anxiously waiting for the building which is undergoing renovations, to be ready for occupancy so they can prepare their rooms for a successful school year.



Traci Allison



Shelly Novotny



Sara Jonker

Obituaries

Marion Eleanor Burns: Feb. 5, 1921 - Aug. 5, 2001

Marion Eleanor (Gregoire) Burns, 80, of Harold, Ky. and Beaver Island died Aug. 5 at Pikeville Health Care Center in Pikeville, Ky.

A Mass of the Resurrection was Aug. 9 at Holy Cross Cemetery on Beaver Island. The Rev. Pat Cawley will officiate.

Burial will follow in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Marion was born on Feb. 5, 1921 in Butler, Pennsylvania the daughter of Rene J. and Lucy Agnes (Chenot) Gregoire.

On Oct. 10, 1942 she married William John Burns in River Rouge, Michigan.

He preceded her in death on Oct. 23, 1987.

Survivors include two daughters, Janet (Roy) Ueoka of Maui, Hawaii and Marilou (Burnis) Spears of Harold, Ky.; One son, Thomas William Burns of Melvindale; five grandchildren; one great grandchild; one brother, Dennis Gregoire.

Marion was preceded in death by a sister, Norma Szomolyai.

Local arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home.

from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday at the First Congregational Church. Contributions may be made to: First Congregational Church, Charlevoix Alano Club, or Charlevoix County Hospice.

Franklyn L. Curtis: Died Aug. 18, 2001

Franklyn L. Curtis, of Charlevoix, died Aug. 18, 2001, at his home in Charlevoix.

A memorial service will be at 4 p.m., Aug. 24, at the First Congregational Church in

Charlevoix.

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Cellular tower may be in future for Norwood

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

Land located off of Witmere Road in Norwood Township could be the site of a new cellular tower.

"Before anything can happen in Norwood Township the cellular company has to prove: one, there is a need (for the tower) and two, they have to agree to a lease agreement with us," Norwood Township clerk Doris Pearl said.

Pearl added that the board has not yet seen the agreement. The details are being worked on by township zoning administrator Lynn Smolensky and township attorneys.

Pearl also explained that this lease agreement being drafted is part of

the preliminary planning process, the township is a long way from erecting the tower.

The township has been approached by numerous cellular companies looking to locate towers within Norwood, she said.

"It's (calls from cellular companies) a weekly occurrence. This whole cellular phone tower business is up and down. One company comes in and two weeks later they get bought out by someone else. It's a little like the stock market and computer companies — fly by the seat of the britches," she said.

Because of these inconsistencies with the cellular tower market Norwood Township is being cautious and making sure any agreement they

enter into is "stiff." Pearl said if the agreement is accepted it will have to be "air tight." They don't want to enter into a contract with a company that won't be here 10 years from now to break down the tower if it is no longer in use.

"We may or may not be able to come to an agreement on the lease. If that doesn't happen it (the cellular tower plan) is dead," Pearl said.

The plan still needs to be brought before the board of appeals where a variance will be requested. If the variance is granted the plan then has to pass through the township planning commission.

Pearl said public hearings will take place all the way through the process.



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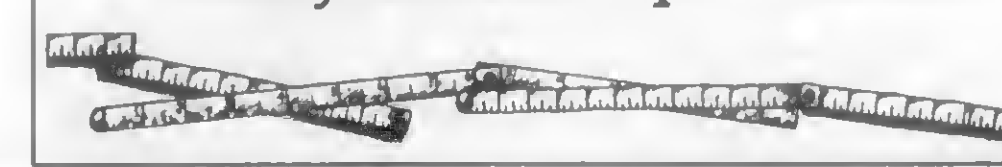
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The fee for appraisals are \$10 for a verbal appraisal and \$15 for a written appraisal of each item.

DuMouchelle is also booking in home appointments for Aug. 22 and Aug. 23. Appraisals of up to 10 items will be offered in the convenience of your own home. Please call Donna McDougall at the arts center to schedule an appointment (231) 347-4337.

The proceeds from this event will benefit children's programming at the arts center.

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For more information, please contact the Crooked Tree Arts Center at (231) 347-4337. The arts center is located in downtown Petoskey at 461 East Mitchell Street.

Girl injured in rollover accident on Aug. 14

A 16-year-old Boyne City girl received minor injuries in an automobile accident at about 10:30 p.m., Aug. 14 on Boyne City/East Jordan Road in Wilson Township.

Lindsie Joe Brewer, of Boyne City, lost control of her car rolling it several times. She suffered minor lacerations to her head and hand and was treated and released from Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Brewer was wearing her seat belt which prevented more serious injuries. Alcohol was not a factor in the accident.

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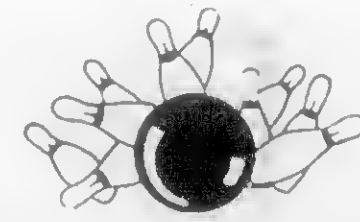
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Capacity problems cause telephone outages in area

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

A capacity problem in Charlevoix has caused telephone problems for Ameritech and its customers this summer.

Due to the increased population in the summer using their telephones, the company's phone lines were not able to handle the increased amount of calls, thus resulting in various connection problems, according to Steve Koffman, a spokesperson for Ameritech.

Koffman said, right now the equipment is becoming overloaded due to a high volume of calls. This leaves some customers unable to dial out because there is no dial-tone or they are just getting a fast "busy signal."

Problems with the lines were reported at the beginning of the season, in May, and were reported last week.

"We have already increased capacity and moved around equipment to accommodate demand," Koffman said. But, the company is still looking at other ways to alleviate the problem in the future.

"At this point, the telephone problems should be decreasing as the population goes down (in the fall)," Koffman said.

So far, he said Ameritech has invested \$3.3 million in Charlevoix County, of which \$1 million was just for more access lines.

"We are still investing and still working. This might not even be the halfway point," he said.



Monkey boys

Kegan Shawness and Thomas Santer enjoyed monkeying around on the playground at Shanahan Field recently. The boys were in town for the Street Legends Car Show last weekend. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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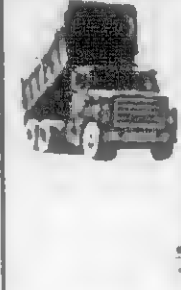
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By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

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The new business is being run by Erika Kristoffer and David Russell, both of which have extensive experience in summer residence care. Russell has been in the business for 15 years and most recently worked for the Belvedere Club and Kristoffer used to perform these types of services on Beaver Island.

In addition to offering their customers experience, Up North Cottage Care also claims to be able to perform these ser-

vices at "low rates."

"We can beat anybody's rate and offer very professional quality," Russell said. "Plus it is efficient and dependable service. Everyone that knows us, knows this is true."

Kristoffer stressed the business is not a housekeeping service, but a summer residential maintenance company serving Charlevoix, Antrim and Emmet counties.

"We will do the job and we will do it well," she said.

In addition to the cleaning and upkeep of the properties, Up North Cottage Care is already looking at a future expansion into property management.

For more information on Up North Cottage Care, call (231) 881-8119 or (231) 881-7449.



David Russell and Erika Kristoffer want to use their experience in the summer residential home maintenance business to help you keep your cottage in Charlevoix maintained. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Residents incorporate after sewer construction

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

After a recent "sewer scare" Evergreen Point Association residents decided to incorporate to show their opposition to multiple family developments.

Residents said that after three sewage lines totaling 4,000 feet were installed along Evergreen Road without their knowledge, they want to make sure future development is controlled.

"Evergreen Point people are not for it (the sewer line.) It's not that we don't want this particular person (James Stoglin of Clarkston and Charlevoix) to have the sewer. But, we want control and that is the gist of this thing," Evergreen Point Association President Jim Keller said.

"We aren't trying to control development, we want controlled development. Single family residences like what is supposed to be out here."

Keller explained that there is a \$7 million, 13 acre parcel for sale at the end of the point and he's concerned the Stoglin drain field extension will set precedent. He foresees a developer purchasing the 13 acres, running a sewer line to the city and building a condominium complex. He added

that this possibility concerns association residents.

"We don't want 25 lots slammed dunked on the end," Keller said.

However, in the case of the Stoglin project it wasn't the sewer line being built or the possible development that could result that got residents fired up. Keller said "it was how it was done."

Some say private property lines were crossed and the landowners claim they weren't consulted.

Evergreen Point resident Dan Adler whose property was impacted by the extension said, "It was very distressing to go down to the property and find people digging a sewer through it. We feel violated."

However, Stoglin claims he was unaware private lines were crossed. He said, "If that were the case it would be no more than a couple of feet."

Stoglin said that the plastic lines were installed by a contractor hired by Charlevoix resident and attorney Joe Hayes III. The construction occurred in January and February of 2001.

Stoglin said the purpose of the project was to pump sewage from the three lakefront lots, one of which is owned by Dorothy Mudd of St.

Louis, Mo. and the other two by him, that don't perk. The sewage lines run to a 60 acre piece of property owned by Hayes.

The association's lawyer and Evergreen Point resident Richard Condit said Stoglin and Mudd did not contact the association prior to starting the project which they were not required to do.



The archway leading into the Evergreen Point Association. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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Sewer construction causes concern among residents

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However, Condit said he thought as a matter of courtesy contacting the association would have been the proper course of action.

But, Adler said Stoglin was required to get the permission of property owners whose land would be impacted by the project and he didn't.

"(James) Stoglin was supposed to get the permission of landowners where the sewer pipe ran through private property but he certainly didn't secure ours," Adler said.

Larry Levensgood, Charlevoix County Environmental Health Supervisor of Northwest Michigan Health Agency said he was at the site prior to the pipes going in and identified a location where Stoglin and Mudd could potentially locate drainfields on the Hayes property.

"But, we never permitted any installations," he said.

However, Levensgood added that the installation of the lines themselves isn't what the health agency needed to permit.

"They didn't construct a sewage system. Right now it's just a pipe in the ground," Levensgood explained.

So, the lines are in and the big question Levensgood said only lawyers can sort through is, "Who has jurisdiction in this case?" That is, who owns the road where the lines went in?

Levensgood said that in Eveline Township approval is required when running any utility from one piece of property to another. But, the lines run down Evergreen Lane in Eveline Township and the Hayes drainage fields are in Marion Township.

Chris Carson, Chairman of the Eveline Township Zoning Board of Appeals, said that as of now the lines are in but they can't be used because the township turned the appeal down.

Carson said after the plastic line had been run, Stoglin and Mudd took the matter to the board who on June 7 turned the project down at a public hearing. Abutting property owners were advised by the township of the hearing.

Carson added the project had already been completed when they came before the board.

He said part of the rationale behind denying the appeal was because the township doesn't have jurisdiction to decide who owns or maintains the right of way. Like Levensgood, Carson said only a judge will be able to decide how this pans out.

Condit said Evergreen Road is a private road owned by the Loeb family who granted an easement to the association for the purposes of ingress and egress.

"The easement was for the lot owners for the purpose of ingress and egress, not in my opinion, for laying sewer lines," Condit said.

Stoglin bought two of the three Mudd lots which were originally purchased by the Mudd family in 1957 from one of the Loeb family members. He said he thinks his development plan is "the lesser of the two evils" because they are single families, not multiple dwellings.

But, the association residents met Aug. 5 and unanimously decided to incorporate over this issue.

"I think (Stoglin) will get his sewer and I can see that he should. But we want it to go on the record that we are opposed to it. If it (the sewer) would have come in a positive way, the outcome would have been different," Keller said.

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Doctor to speak at NCMC

Alan Berkowitz, Ph.D. will be speaking at North Central Michigan College's Conference Center in Petoskey at 7 p.m. on Sept. 10.

Berkowitz will be speaking on how it takes everyone to build healthy, respectful, non-violent communities.

"If you are part of a community, you'll want to come hear Berkowitz speak," said Chris Krajewski, program director at the Women's Resource Center in Petoskey. "Alan is a nationally renowned speaker who helps colleges, universities, public health agencies and communities design programs that address health and social justice issues."

Tracy Skinner, program coordinator at the Women's Resource Center, added, "There are so many different components that make up a safe, healthy community — good schools, well-maintained roads, clean air and water, affordable health care and a safe place to live. However, the biggest resource in any community is its people, and Dr. Berkowitz will focus on how each of us can be a part of ensuring a strong, safe community for our children, our families, our friends and our neighbors."

Berkowitz has over 20 years of experience in higher education as a trainer, psychologist, faculty member and Counseling Center Director. He received a Ph.D. in Psychology from Cornell University in 1981 and is a New York State licensed psychologist. He recently received the "Outstanding Service Award" from the Network of Colleges and Universities Committed to the Elimination of Alcohol and Drug Abuse for his significant contributions to the field of alcohol and drug prevention. He lives in Trumansburg, N.Y. with his wife and daughter.

The program is appropriate for all ages and is free of charge. For more information please contact the Women's Resource Center at 347-0067.

Partners in this project include: Human Services Coordinating Body (HSCB) (of Antrim, Charlevoix-Emmet, Cheboygan and Otsego counties), North Central Michigan College, Sheriff's Offices (in Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet, and Otsego counties), the Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan and Zonta.

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A vision of the past

The tall ship *Pride of Baltimore II* sailed into Charlevoix last week, bringing back many memories of the days when these ships were common in Round Lake. The ship was part of a group sailing to Mackinac Island. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

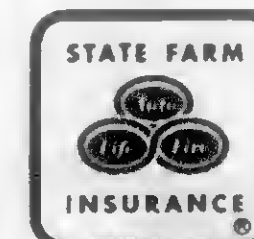
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Back to school driving safety

As the 2001-2002 school year begins, AAA Michigan reminds motorists to remember the 'ABC's' of auto safety in its School's Open - Drive Carefully campaign.

"A great burden is on the motorist to take extra precaution when driving in areas with school-age children," said Richard J. Miller, AAA Michigan Community Safety Services manager. "Some of these kids have very little experience in dealing with traffic situations."

Since 1988, 237 school-age pedestrians have died in school bus-related crashes. Half of those were

between the ages of 5 and 7, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. Last year, 105 children under age 16 lost their lives in traffic accidents in Michigan, and 11,257 were injured.

"The opening of school is a very hectic time for everyone," said Miller. "Children are excited to be going back to school and to their friends. Parents are trying to get to work and get their children to school on time. Often, they're distracted and may not be focused on basic traffic safety practices."

For example, AAA's recent survey of 20 elementary schools in

lower Michigan shows that safety belt compliance for drivers and passengers at school drop off and pick up points is sadly lacking.

"While the overall safety belt compliance rate in our state hovers at about 80 percent, compliance by drivers and young passengers in a school setting was only 63 percent," said Miller. "When we looked at the safety belt compliance by young passengers alone, the percentage dropped to a dismal 56 percent."

See SAFETY, page 24

Save the Natural Beauty of Round Lake JUST THE WAY IT IS

During council meetings about the expansion of the Charlevoix City Marina on Round Lake, has our City Council and City Manager considered what an absolute jewel of a natural resource we look out upon each and every day?

At WATCH inc, we have. The following are just a few questions we would like the citizens of Charlevoix and surrounding areas to consider as you look out on Round Lake over the next few weeks:

- Do we want or need to triple the size of the existing marina? And if so, who benefits? The current proposal extends the dockage 400 feet into Round Lake. Presently it is 75 feet.
- Do we really want to despoil the biggest natural asset in Charlevoix?
- Do we want increased waterway traffic caused by more boats? More boats mean more pollution, gray water, bilge water and fuel spills.
- Did you realize that floating docks trap water flow and surface pollution?
- Do we want access to the only fuel and pump out station to be severely restricted?
- Do we need more traffic problems on US 31 and Bridge Street? More boats mean longer bridge openings. If the proposed dockage is constructed the number of boats at the City Marina would increase to 140 or more by doubling up as is typically done.
- Do we want more exhaust emissions from cars waiting for the bridge to adversely effect the air quality for downtown merchants and visitors?
- Have we given any thought to how our parking will be affected by the increased number of boats and their visiting guests? Round Lake congestion will be increased due to the combination of expansion and anchored boats.
- Public comment should be received as soon as possible and before any final design decisions are made. How will the public be notified of any public meeting? Will the meeting be scheduled when ALL property owners and residents can be heard?

At WATCH, inc we have a different point of view. And we would like to hear yours. Please write us at PO Box 615, or call and fax us at (231) 547-5530 to voice your opinion. The Charlevoix City Marina on Round Lake will be built with your tax dollars. Available data indicates 10 to 1 against the proposed expansion as it is now designed. We realize there are many points of view. The main point being: we like the view just the way it is.

We also encourage you to write the following city and state agents to express your view:

Charlevoix City Council Members: Sherman Chamberlain, Norman Carlson, Bill Bellows, Gabe Campbell, A.J. Witthoef, Bill Haggard, Mayor Alvin Russell or City Manager Michael Wiesner.
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'Yachting notes'

The Charlevoix Yacht Club Treasure Hunt is this Aug. 26! Don't miss this fantastic event; get together your crew of pirates, a good name for your privateer and lots of resource materials — then contact one of these blackguards; Barb Murray 547-4357 or Pam Barnes 547-5137.

You must register at the club before 1 p.m. (for a 2 p.m. start). The privateer fee of \$10, plus \$5 for each adult pillager, includes fun, prizes and after-the-event appetite teasers, also at the club. There will be awards for the best costumes and names!

The Charlevoix Yacht Club Duke Memorial Race to Northport was Aug. 11 and had 12 boats start at various times (a Bermuda Start) based on their ratings. If the ratings were exact and if each boat were sailed to perfec-

tion, all would cross the line at the same time. While this did not quite happen, it was neat to see all the boats converging as they neared the finish line. The winners: JAM Fleet, FLASH; Spinnaker I, HOI POLLOI; Spinnaker II, NIGHT MOVES. An interesting wrinkle that received mixed reviews was the use of a "Four Hour Motor Rule." It permitted any contestant to use its auxiliary engine after its start time plus four hours. After the race, Dean Duke treated with a burger cookout. All thoroughly enjoyed the relaxing overnight in Northport.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series: The J-22 Fleet again led the way with all twelve crossing the line before the first boat in any other fleet. PALEFACE LITE (1:49:09) finished at 7:54:32, well ahead of HUSSY. FIRST DATE was also back a bit, then it was SWINE FLEW, ROCK STEADY, II RECKLESS, H S MOISTURE MISSILE, EAU DE VIE, WHAT'S HER NAME, CRAZY HORSE, HOG-TIDE, and BANZAI.

Spinnaker I honors went to SLAP-SHOT (1:57:37) with HOI POLLOI a couple minutes back and GOTCHA thirty seconds later. HOOTIE, MINT

JULEP and WINDRUNNER trailed. Spinnaker II had Babe (2:00:29) comfortably ahead of BALD EAGLE, who led SAFFRON by five minutes. J HAWK was another five back. The P-26 CYGNUS (2:06:46) held off ORIGINAL SIN by forty seconds with TIRELESS only six seconds back. ARTEMIS lagged by several minutes while LOST VERMONT and SANDPIPER retired. The JAM Fleet had only APOTHECARY finish, as CHEEMAUN retired while POCO LOCO and FLASH did not start.

Standings: (Using one of the two drops allowed.) Spinnaker I; SLAP-SHOT 5, GOTCHA 8, HOI POLLOI 9, Spinnaker II; BALD EAGLE 5, BABE 6, P-26; CYGNUS 5, TIRE-

LESS 8, LOST VERMONT 10, ORIGINAL SIN 12, JAM; FLASH 4, APOTHECARY 10, POCO LOCO 11, J-22; HUSSY 5, II RECKLESS & FIRST DATE 12, SUPERFLUOUS and SWINE FLEW 14.

Sunfish: The last scheduled race was called because of weather as 50 percent of the fleet of two, both brave enough to go out, capsized before the first start. Don advises that they hope to schedule a make-up or Championship Race Day — more on that in the near future.

Nautical Trivia: "From what terminology (actually, what functions?) did larboard and starboard evolve?" Throughout the days of early sail and oar powered vessels, the steering board (or oar) was always on the right

side. Therefore, vessels docked with their left side to and placed the "lading board" (gangway, today) on that side.

Somehow "steering board" and "lading board" later evolved to starboard and larboard. I have a different theory on starboard — while at sea in the military (before Loran or GPS) we always took star or sun sights from the bridge right wing — was that tradition or could it be the origin of starboard?

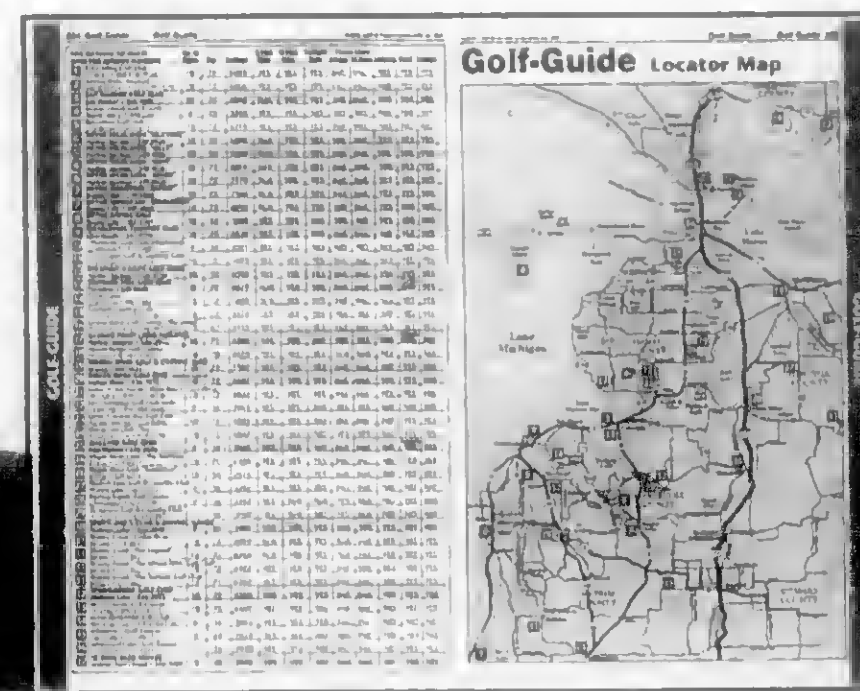
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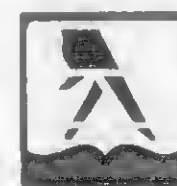
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Crown Motors, La Senorita take top slow-pitch honors

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Crown Motors was named the Division A champion and La Senorita was named the Division B champion.

Crown Motors was also named the City of Charlevoix men's slow-pitch champions following a recent city tournament.

The results of that tournament were as follows:

- Crown Motors beat La Senorita, 11-3.
- Grey Gables beat Ace Hardware, 12-10.
- Crown Motors beat Grey Gables, 17-14.

Women's slow-pitch results

The latest results for the Charlevoix Recreation Department women's slow-pitch leagues are:

- Aug. 14
- Kinetics beat Daman Electric, 10-5.
- Bajos Building beat Subway, 18-2.
- Fieldcrest Inn beat Fleet Construction, 15-4.

- Boyne Valley Hydroseed beat Kwikie, 15-14.

- Aug. 13
- Daman Electric beat Bajos Building, 19-3.
- Oma's beat Subway, 19-11.
- Fieldcrest Inn beat Kwikie, 12-10.
- Charlevoix Fenece Company beat Boyne Valley Hydroseed, 15-5.



Local named to CMU football team

Pictured here with Central Michigan University football assistant coach Jim Schulte is Josh Skeel of Charlevoix a member of the 2001 football team. Skeel, a 6 foot, 1 inch, 270 pound senior, will play middle guard this season. (Courtesy photo)

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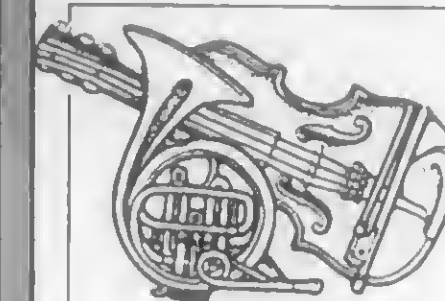
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND NOTICE OF ACTION
STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 33RD CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
County Building, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720
DANIEL R. VAN ACKER and JANET L. VAN ACKER, Plaintiffs,
v
JOHN R. DAVIS and PAMELA J. DAVIS, Defendant.

File No. 01-969-19-CH
Honorable Richard J. Pajtas
Larry L. Burgess (P25246)
BARRON & GOLSKI, P.L.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
309 Petoskey Avenue
P.O. Box 309
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-9950
TO: JOHN R. DAVIS and PAMELA J. DAVIS

IT IS ORDERED:

1. You are being sued by Plaintiffs in this Court to quiet title after tax sale of real property located in St. James Township, Charlevoix County, State of Michigan and described as Lot 653, Plat of Port St. James No. 8, according to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 179-181 of Charlevoix County Records, pursuant to a Quit Claim Deed for the Real Estate which was issued to the Plaintiffs by the Department of Natural Resources, State of Michigan, on August 30, 2000 and recorded on October 25, 2000, in Liber 409, page 048 of Charlevoix County Records. You must file your written answer or take other action permitted by law in this Court at the Court address: above on or before September 5, 2001. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.

2. A copy of this Order shall be published once a week in the Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this Court.

3. A copy of this order shall be sent to John R. Davis and Pamela J. Davis, 16222 Davis Lane, East Lansing, Michigan 48823 by certified mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication of August 22, 2001 and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with the Court.

Dated: August 1, 2001
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

Notice of Certification for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) for employees of:

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
FILE NO. 01-010297-DE

Estate of Ruhl William Metzger
Date of birth: 6/27/19

NOTICE TO CREDITORS:
The decedent, Ruhl William Metzger, who lived at 102 E. Upright, Charlevoix, MI 49720, Michigan died 3/13/01.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Charles R. Metzger c/o Lynn Stedman 331 Bay St. Petoskey, MI, named personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Lynn G. Stedman P20931
331 Bay Street
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 347-1410
Dated: August 13, 2001
Charles R. Metzger
P.O. Box 561
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-6452
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ENTERTAINMENT

Garden Club to have plant sale

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will be having its First Annual Plant sale from 9:00 a.m. until noon on Sept. 1, at Ferry Beach Pavilion number 2.

According to president Tansley Stewart, fall is a wonderful time to transplant, divide, develop, rebuild and rearrange gardens. The Evening Club will have annuals, perennials, ferns, herbs and dried flowers and other materials for holiday wreaths and decorations.

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club is a member of the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan, and was chartered in May 1998.

The evening "gardener's night out" meetings are at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Charlevoix Area Hospital meeting room, and membership is open. The group is comprised of master gardeners and beginners, and the evening club provides an opportunity for gardeners that are busy during the day, or working during the day, to meet, enjoy an educational program and share gardening ideas and information.

Evening club members have been active with designing, planting and maintaining the gardens at the entrance signs on M-66 and US-31 North, the Junior Master Gardener's program, the Charlevoix Habitat for Humanity Home and conducting an annual education session with the third grade classes at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

For more information please call Linda Purdy at 547-6408.



Members of the Evening Garden Club tend to one of the many flower beds in Charlevoix they help keep beautiful. (Courtesy photo)

Area events

Friends of Library to have reception

The Friends of the Library are having a reception in the newly refurbished Michigan Room from 5 to 7 p.m. today.

Pool to be closed

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool will be closed for annual cleaning and repairs starting Sunday Aug. 26 through (Labor Day) Sept. 3rd.

Fall brochures, schedules and program information will be available in the lobby (from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday) during this time.

Phone 231-547-0982 for additional information.

Silence is Golden River Row

The Charlevoix County Land Conservancy and the St. Clair - Six Mile Lake (Great Blue Heron) Natural Area Committee will have the annual "Silence is Golden River Row" at 4 p.m. on Aug. 25.

Participants will gather at the South Arm Preserve of the Natural Area on C-48 at the Charlevoix Antrim County line, about 3 miles west of East Jordan.

Bring your own canoe, rowboat or kayak. Remember life jackets! If you do not have a boat, call ahead

and one will be provided. Chips, cookies and condiments will be provided for those who want to throw a hot dog or veggie burger on the grill. For information call (231) 237-9335 or (231) 544-6386.

Open Farm Day

If you are curious about Llamas and Alpacas come to an Open Farm Day from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Aug. 25 at Maplewood Farm. Learn about Llamas and Alpacas, hear the 4-H presentation and see the fiber displays (spinners/shearings).

The farm is located on the Boyne City Road in Charlevoix. One mile North of Horton Bay Road. The cost is \$3 per person.

Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the

Charlevoix Senior Center. The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday in the cafeteria at Charlevoix High School. For

more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

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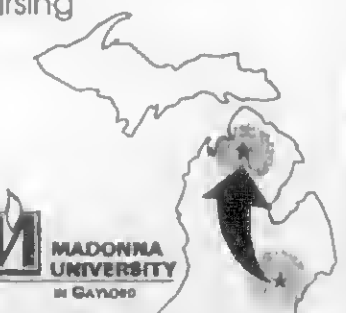
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SCRAPBOOK

Death comes to the Charlevoix bridge

By DAVID L. MILES

Charlevoix Historical Society
(Sixth in a series)

May 4, 1919 had dawned and remained dreary and dismal. Mrs. Guy Olney had been feeling just like the weather (perhaps the early stages of pregnancy) all day that wet Sunday in her home near the Catholic Church on south Bridge Street. She asked her husband to fetch her good friend Mrs. George "Carrie" Ross from her home just north of the bridge to cheer her up. Olney walked downtown to Woods' Livery, where the steps and railings of Bridge Park are now, borrowed a car, drove across the bridge to pick up his wife's friend, and returned home. It was about 7:30. He then returned the car and walked back up the hill to his house.

About 10:30, the women finished their visit and began preparing for Mrs. Ross's return. Olney again walked downtown, reentered the same car, drove home, and the two headed back in a cold misty drizzle to the north side, a distance of only a few blocks. Carrie Ross never saw the other side of the bridge again.

Olney's foot was heavy on the pedal as they sped through downtown. After they crossed Clinton Street, bystanders began to yell at him that the bridge was open, having just turned for the entry of the passenger steamer Kansas, once the City of Charlevoix, in whose hull and refurbished engine were elements of the ill-fated Champlain that had caught fire and burned with the loss of 22 lives in 1887 off Fisherman's Island, the worst maritime disaster in Charlevoix's history. It was as if the boat carried an aura of terrible luck in its wake.

The car was equipped with heavy weather curtains, which may have prevented Olney from hearing the warning shouts. Visibility was poor in the mist. He was within 40 feet of the bridge when he saw the disaster looming, slammed on the brakes and headed for the right railing. But the tires had no grip on the wet pavement. Instead, the car skidded around in a half circle, crashed through the lowered right gate backwards, and when the tires dropped over, the entire car pivoted and heaved upward to turn over and fall, crashing upside-down in the channel. From the time he hit the brakes to when the car hit the water, less than 5 seconds elapsed. It sank to the bottom in 20 feet of icy water.

Fred Myers, who owned a cigar store near the bridge, heard the commotion and rushed from the store down the embankment to help Olney, who had broken free, out of the channel. They and others waited for Mrs. Ross to surface, but she never appeared. The next morning, the car was hoisted from the water, but she was not in it. A deep dent on its rear end showed the force with which it

had smashed into the gate, indicative that Olney had definitely been driving much too fast for conditions. Whether she could not get past the weather curtains, had drowned after having escaped, or had been knocked unconscious and the channel's swift, powerful currents had reached into the car to bear her away, was never determined.

The Coast Guard dragged the channel and Round Lake, but came up empty handed. Only her hat, and a lap robe from the car, washed up on the far shore of Round Lake. Her poor distraught husband, left with four children, ages 4 through 12, combed the beaches almost daily looking for some sign of her body. Soon the entire episode began to recede from the town's memory.

But 32 days later, fisherman John Nordrum set out before 6 a.m. to head for Lake Michigan. As he neared the Charlevoix Lumber Company's boom that held in its floating log stockpile near the bridge, he spotted her body, badly bloated and discolored, floating beside it. He secured it, chugged over to the company dock where he leashed it to a piling, climbed up to the bridgehouse to tell brigetender Elmer Johnson to notify the authorities, and went on his way. There was nothing more he could do.

Guy Olney was brought to trial later that year. The language of the Complaint and Examination written by George Weaver, Sheriff, is virulently melodramatic in its statements that Olney did "violently and wickedly precipitate and throw onto the revetments and retaining walls of said Pine River and into the waters," "and that he said Guy Olney did "in manner and form aforesaid feloniously and willfully kill and slay her." But the jury, impressed by his honesty in the box and willingness to admit full responsibility for the tragedy, could not come up with a verdict that would have required the wisdom of Solomon to determine. How to punish a man who had suffered for his mistake so much already? Not wishing to shoulder the



Guy Olney headed for the right railing of this bridge, but instead crashed backwards through the lower right gate. (Courtesy photo)

responsibility, on Dec. 2 the jurors returned the case to the judge with a verdict of "guilty with a recommendation to the mercy of the court." There the trial transcript ends. Olney reportedly received probation and supposedly disappeared from the Charlevoix scene. Thus ended the most tragic event ever to occur in the entire history of the channel's bridges.

That week in May was not a good one for brigetender Elmer Johnson. Just two days after the Olney/Ross disaster that took place right before his eyes, an accident at the power plant caused an outage that necessitated the bridge being turned by hand with the huge emergency key. (The bridge had been converted to electric power shortly before this. Turning time was now down from the steam engine's five minutes to a swift three.) The S.S.I. Bruce, on the Beaver Island run, entered the channel and somehow managed to crash itself into the bridge, causing damage to its bow and some damage to the bridge equipment. Johnson was probably ready to stalk off the job and throw in the towel by this time. He quoted in the Courier of May 7 that

"he would like to have some wise guy tell him just what to do, as when he swings the bridge some auto is bound to run into the river and when he has it shut or partly closed, he is likely to be bumped by a boat going up or down the river."

That last statement may have been a premonition of bad things to come, for about nine years later he himself was responsible for the worst accident of his career when he caused extensive damage to one of the most

beautiful yachts ever to grace Charlevoix's waters, the elegant Sylvia IV owned by Logan Thompson of the Belvedere.

To be continued...

(A pictorial exhibit of the six channel bridges can be seen at the Charlevoix Historical Society's Harsha House Museum, 103 State Street beside the Congregational Church, Monday through Saturday from 1-4 p.m. Call 547-0373 for more information.)

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Driving tips for back-to-school time SAFETY

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Since most serious crashes take place within a few miles of home, this is a real cause for concern, which we will discuss with schools, parents and children as part of our School's Open campaign this year."

In the campaign, AAA also emphasizes that driving carefully begins even before you leave your driveway.

"The key is to expect the unexpected," said Miller. "There could be kids walking or biking to school right behind you as you back out of your driveway. When driving in school zones, near playgrounds, or in neighborhoods where children play, expect a child to dart out into the roadway. That way, you'll never be taken by surprise and you will be able to stop in time."

During the campaign, the Auto Club is encouraging drivers to remember that children are not small adults. It could be more difficult for a child to judge traffic situations because their peripheral vision is one-third narrower than an adults. Children may also make the mistake of assuming that if they can see a car, the driver can see them — often motorists have a difficult time seeing children because of their small stature.

To help protect children, AAA urges motorists to follow these safety tips:

- Slow down in or near school and residential areas.
- Drive with your headlights on — even during the day — so children and other drivers can see you.
- Look for clues such as School Safety Patrols, bicycles and playgrounds that indicate children could be in the area.
- Scan between parked cars and other objects for signs that children could dart into the road.
- Practice extra caution in bad weather.
- Always stop for school buses that are loading or unloading students.

"Remember, back to school means back to basic driver safety," concludes Miller. "School's open, drive carefully."

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Charlevoix residents and visitors will be treated to the sounds of Jazz on the Harbor Saturday night. Two well-known acts will be performing in East Park.

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Otter resigns



Varsity Girls' basketball coach and high school teacher, Jason Otter, resigned from both positions recently.

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Siren story



The history of the siren on top of Charlevoix City Hall may be known, but why it is activated at noon and 9:30 p.m. isn't.

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Housing dilemma

Housing costs hurting workers in community

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

(Editor's note: This is the first in a series of stories examining housing issues in Charlevoix that will be published throughout the fall.)

There is a blemish on Charlevoix's beautiful face.

Among the sandy beaches, spectacular sunsets, luxurious shopping, parades of large expensive yachts and rows of big beautiful homes this problem lies and grows bigger each year. The imperfection is affordable housing, according to many area businesses and officials. Charlevoix, like most of northern Michigan, is known as an ideal resort community that attracts many well-off folks looking for a beautiful northern Michigan retreat.

In fact, in the September 2001 issue of Outside magazine, Charlevoix was named as one of the top cities to live in the country — that is if you won the lottery. This is because of the area's beautiful scenery, but it comes with high real estate prices and a lack of jobs, the magazine stated.

But, while the real estate price increases are great for those wishing to sell their homes, it has created a problem for home buyers just starting out and many of the people who work year-round in the area.

"We are in for a train crash," Ed Amick, of Amick Realty, said.

"I think the housing crunch we have here is a horrible situation, particularly for workers and young people," he said. "It has been a problem for a long time."

And Amick said the problem will just get worse in the future, leaving many lower income workers in the area "stuck."

"Typically, they want a 20 percent down payment, which most of those people don't have and they can't save up fast enough due to inflation. They are just squeezed out of the market," he said. Amick



(Graphic by Teresa Wolf)

added, because credit is relied upon so much in getting a house loan, if those people fall behind on a payment while trying to save money, they will only put themselves "deeper in the hole."

"It is just a real mess," he said. Vicki Morgan, director of the Charlevoix-Emmet Housing Coalition, said the issue is really affordable housing in the area. Affordable housing typically is a monthly payment equal to 28 to 31 percent of your monthly income.

But, the revenue from wages in Charlevoix has not kept up with housing costs, she said.

According to information supplied by the housing coalition, the

median yearly income level per household in Charlevoix County is \$47,300.

Using those numbers, Joseph T. Vogelheim, of Re/Max in Charlevoix, estimated a family with this income level could afford about \$825 a month in payments or a home for \$120,000. He added this would still be a very high payment to make.

Using information from the Northern Michigan Multiple List Service — a service used by real estate agents — Vogelheim said there are currently only 10 homes in the Charlevoix school district selling for under \$120,000.

Using the same service, he said

from Jan. 1, 2001 to Aug. 23, 2001 there have been 68 homes sold in the Charlevoix School District — not including waterfront homes. The average selling price of those homes was \$151,613.

During that same period, there have been 86 homes listed on the market — not including waterfront homes — and their average asking price was \$253,526. Vogelheim added. Seventy-nine percent of the 86 homes listed in the Charlevoix school district sold.

Homes costing within the affordable range given by Vogelheim make up only 11 percent of the market.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Donald Albert Clark, Jr., 22, Boyne City. No operator's license in possession. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Jacob Daniel Conklin, 20, Cadillac. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Lake Patrick Whitley, 19, Charlevoix. Disorderly/obscene conduct. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Gabriel Luis Perez, 22, Rockford. No valid operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Allison Kathleen Beaulin, 18, Mt. Pleasant. Transporting an open intoxicant in a motor vehicle. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Courtney Mason-Drew Reed, 26, Beaver Island. Driving while license suspended/revoked or denied, second or more. Fines and costs totaling \$885 to be paid by Nov. 8, 2001 or serve 180 days. Jail for 10 days.

Martha Mae Conklin, 40, East Jordan. Breaking and entering, ille-

gal entry without permission. Fines and costs totaling \$345. Plus, five days in jail.

Daniel Meertain Gasser, 41, West Bloomfield. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol, second. Fines and costs totaling \$915. Plus, one year probation, pay to attend inpatient services and submit to PBT/urine test by probation officer or police.

Circuit Court

The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Richard Grant Demastes, 34, Alanson. Motor vehicle - unlawful use. Sentenced to jail for three months, credited 19 days, will serve 19 days. \$1,821.57 in fines and costs. Probation for two years.

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Charles Frank Witthoef, 30, Charlevoix and Julie Christina Musilek, 23, Charlevoix

Rick A. Bush, 40, Charlevoix and Angela M. Scheer, 27, Charlevoix

David Christopher Clark, 31,

Charlevoix and Chelsea Dawn Pischner, 26, Charlevoix

Terry Michael Bonar, 32, Charlevoix and Heather Lynn Lewis, 18, Charlevoix

Michael Dean Finley, 31, Boyne City and Kristina Ann Tipton, 28, Boyne City

Robert Michael Brown-Griffen, 19, Charlevoix and Jennifer Gayle Liddicoat, 19, Charlevoix

Robert Benjamin Kessel, 28, Denver, Colo. and Carrie Ellen Ma; hor, 27, Denver, Colo.

Divorces

The following people have been granted Judgments for Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Jennifer Cox vs. David Cox

Loretta Williams vs. Billy D. Williams

Assumed names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's Office:

Automation and Design and Engineering, 00013 Old Dixie Highway, Charlevoix, by Kenneth Phillips

Absolute Exteriors, 407 West Garfield Avenue, Charlevoix, by

Matthew Stallman

Greener Planet, 11195 Essex Road, Ellsworth, by Richard (Ric) K. Evans

Northern Lights Celebration, 1005 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Anell Roach

Hensons Drywall, 03243 Metros Road, Boyne Falls, by Faith A. Henson

Millwork Specialties, 01487

Etcher Road, Boyne City, by Scott Linzey

Northstar Marine Service, 4690 US-31 South, Charlevoix, by Thomas D. Russell

Rental Property Management, 06210 Behling Road, East Jordan, by Margaret E. Inman

Paralegal Services, 06210 Behling Road, East Jordan, by Margaret E. Inman

Births

Laurem Michelle was born July 29, 2001 to Larry and Karla Reising of Snoqualmie, Wash. Laurem weighed 7 pounds at birth. Grandparents are Marilyn Reising of Charlevoix and Jim and Linda Nold of Washington.

Joseph Ronald Allan, weighing 10 pounds, 4 ounces, was born to Scott and Alana Sowers of Ellsworth on Aug. 24, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Joseph has two sisters, Elizabeth, 5, and Katelyn, 4. Grandparents are Ron and Katie Sowers and LaVonne Stott and the late Allan Stott, all of Ellsworth.

Aidan Paul, weighing 7 pounds, 15 ounces, was born to Peter and Kerry

Zahner of Charlevoix on Aug. 20, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Aidan also has one sister Anna, age 20 months. Grandparents are Patrick and Barbara McKeown of Charlevoix and Paul and Cathy Zahner of Pickney.

Shelby Lynn, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Robert and Carrie Cook of Boyne Falls on Aug. 20, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Christian Michael Smith, weighing 7 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Ryan Smith and Teresa Ellis of Charlevoix on Aug. 22, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.



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A motorcycle hit an oily spot in the road and tipped over around 5:30 p.m. on Aug. 21 near the curves on Petoskey Avenue. The rider was injured slightly.

A parked vehicle was struck by an unknown vehicle that left the scene around 2 p.m. on Aug. 21 in the East Clinton Street parking lot.

A Nokia cellular phone was stolen sometime after Aug. 21 in the Belvedere Club.

A 30-year-old man was arrested on a warrant on Aug. 27 on the 900 block of Bridge Street. This was an assist to the Antrim County Sheriff's Department.

A vehicle struck a pole around 5 p.m. on Aug. 23 near the drive-up window at Citizens Bank located on State Street.

A verbal argument was reported around 3:30 a.m. on Aug. 21 on the 300 block of Antrim Street.

There was a two vehicle accident around 12:30 p.m. on Aug. 21 near the intersection of Bridge and Wood streets. No injuries were reported.

A motorist reported his vehicle was damaged on Aug. 24. He came into the Charlevoix Police Department on Mason Street to file the complaint.

Weather

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August 21	73	55	—
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Boat sinks, spills gas

Saturday night's heavy rain caused a 16 foot powerboat to sink and spill about a-gallon of gasoline into Round Lake.

According to Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson, the boat sank near the Ward Brother's marina on Saturday, but was pulled from the water the next day.

About a gallon of gasoline was seen floating on the water from the sinking. It was turned over to the Charlevoix Fire Department.

Jazz on the Harbor to be this weekend

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix night air will be filled with the sounds of jazz from 8 until 10:30 p.m., Sept. 1 in East Park at the first annual Jazz on the Harbor Charlevoix jazz concert.

The concert will feature performances by The Don Julin/Ron Getz Quartet and The Claude Black Sextet.

"It should be a really great addition to the Labor Day weekend," said Jacqueline Merta, director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce. Merta added, since this is the first time this event will be featured, she expects next year's jazz festival to be even bigger and better.

Jazz on the Harbor is free to the public.

The Don Julin/Ron Getz Quartet, of northern Michigan, performs instrumental music featuring mandolin and acoustic guitar, ranging from bossa novas, ballads, swing and some contemporary styles. The quartet was recently on a European tour.

Julin is known as a northern Michigan mandolin player and has been a part of the northern Michigan music scene since 1982. He is also a current member of the Classical Mandolin Society of America and performed in the En Masse Mandolin Orchestra in Minneapolis, Minn. in November 1999.

Getz is a guitarist and composer who has performed on television

and radio, as well as in clubs from Boston to New York and most recently in northern and lower Michigan. He currently resides in Traverse City.

Claude Black, of Toledo, Ohio, began his career in Detroit and is known as a jazz pianist. He regularly performs with the group The Murphys at Murphy's Place Jazz Club in Toledo, Ohio. He was also the jazz emissary of The Muse Machine, a project that brings the performing arts to Toledo area students.

Black has performed and toured throughout the United States, Canada, the islands and Europe.

Jazz on the Harbor is sponsored by the Charlevoix Downtown Association and the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.



Performers Claude Black (left) and Don Julin will be entertaining the crowd in East Park. (Courtesy photo)

Girls' basketball coach, teacher resigns

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor
and by JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

On Aug. 22 Charlevoix girls' basketball coach Jason Otter, 28, issued his official resignation as coach and special education instructor at Charlevoix High School.

"Jason Otter resigned his varsity girls' basketball position and his secondary teaching position with Charlevoix Public Schools, effective immediately," Charlevoix High School athletic director James Kanine said.

"Jason has another opportunity to

pursue his career interests. We wish him well," he added.

Charlevoix High School principal Gary Grundman said Otter told him that he had an opportunity to go back to doing what he was doing in Saginaw. "An opportunity he didn't want to pass up." He will be a teacher and a coach in Saginaw.

Otter would not confirm this. In a written statement, Otter informed he had resigned.

"I totally believe in teaching principles that last a lifetime through basketball, hard work, dedication and discipline. It is my belief that Charlevoix girls' (basketball) will do this and more. I encourage all athletes to push for their goals," he said.

Otter then addressed Charlevoix athletes, especially the girls on the varsity basketball team, saying, "Goals can be reached and success is what you make of it. With a strong work ethic and dedication

to your sport it will never go unnoticed. College scholarships are at your finger tips. I encourage you in the path you walk to meet your goals and dreams as athletes. It has been a privilege to work with you all. Thank you."

Sturrock said that the district will hire an interim teacher to fill Otter's positions and will deal with hiring a new full-time replacement in November. Otter said the assistant coach Jim Parish will be taking over as the interim head coach of the girls' basketball team.

Otter was recently the focus of an investigation that started by the high school's extracurricular committee. The investigation was the result of an appeal from parents to the school board to look into incidents that they said involved Ot-

ter.

Charlevoix school board president and extracurricular committee member, Allen Telgenhof, said the investigation in to Otter in not being pursued anymore.

"I don't know how productive it would be," he said.

Telgenhof added Otter was not asked to resign.

"There was never a point were he needed to be terminated or was threatened to be terminated," Telgenhof said.

He added he didn't want Otter to resign and knows it is hard on the members of the girls' basketball team.

"They are very devoted to him," he said.

Telgenhof said he thought Otter was a fantastic basketball coach and a great mentor for kids, be-

cause of his hard work ethic.

Telgenhof added, "I hope everything works out for him."

During an Aug. 15 meeting on the matter by the school's extracurricular committee — which was attended by parents, teachers and the varsity girls' basketball team — some parents alleged Otter was abusive to the players on the basketball team.

At the meeting, Charlevoix resident Sandy Ward said that her daughter quit the team because of the way Otter treated her.

"They (her daughter and other girls who have left the team) don't mind playing hard, they just don't want to be abused," Ward said.

She said her daughter came home crying often after encounter-

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OPINIONS

A problem we should all strive to solve



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

This week you will find the start of something startling.

On the front page of today's paper is a story on the affordable housing situation in Charlevoix. It is the first in a series of stories that will look at this important issue.

Affordable housing is an important issue because of the impact that it has on the community now and in the future. It affects the workers, the young, the poor, the old, the economy, growth and the environment.

The problem is that there is not enough affordable housing in the area. Sure, some may argue the definition of affordable housing, saying, "A \$200,000 home is affordable to some people." But, arguments like that are only ignoring the problem.

The county of Charlevoix only has

a household median income level of about \$47,000. That is total income usually from a two-income family. This family simply cannot afford a \$200,000 home, yet that is the going rate for a home in the area.

So, where does this family live? Must they be forced to make a two hour drive to work each day because of economics or do they have to live in a small apartment where they can hear everything said in the apartment and what about their neighbors. And what about these apartment complexes? Just to get them built means facing many angry people who don't want "those people" living next to them.

Sure, some callous and silly people may say, "If they can't afford to live here, then tough. We don't need them."

What they don't realize is the community does need them. We need them for the good of the economy and the creation of a real community.

We need neighbors who will spend their money on food in the grocery stores or clothing in the downtown business areas. We need people to send their children to the schools. We need people to be our police officers, firefighters, ambu-

lance drivers and road workers.

We need people just starting out in life, people of lower income and people with families.

Without them, Charlevoix will have a bleak future and may wither in the coming years, cursed to be a community that only lives in the summer.

Sure, the summer residents are mostly great people. They are nice, they contribute a lot to the community and in many cases it is an honor to have them call Charlevoix home. But, we also need people here in the winter, the fall and the spring.

But most year-round people do not make enough money to afford those big luxurious houses we see so much of in Charlevoix. They can't make the monthly payment on a \$200,000 home and still put food on the table and clothing on their children.

They need homes they can afford. So, what do we do? The answer is an elusive one.

As soon as the term "affordable housing" is used, we start to hear people saying, "Not in my backyard." Most of these people associate this type of housing with crime and other bad aspects of life. But, this impression is — in a majority of

cases — wrong.

Therefore the first solution is to get people to change their thinking in Charlevoix. To get people to understand there is a need and developments like this are not going to negatively impact the community. If anything, they will be a positive impact.

Then there is the environmental question — you know "sprawl." This is an honest concern. How do we solve our housing needs and maintain our control over urban sprawl? I don't know the answer, but maybe as a community we can find it.

And then there is the problem with finding affordable land for affordable housing. In Charlevoix, land is selling for very high prices. People want the best price possible for their piece of property and who can blame them.

To help solve this problem, there are a few government subsidy programs out there that look promising. Perhaps we should look into those.

And lastly, I believe there are at least a few cases of greed out there that need to be stopped. Most people selling their home or property want their investment to be profitable for them, but some are just being greedy

about it.

In researching this series, I came across a few stories about some folks who would buy up cheap homes and property and turn around to sell them for double what they paid, only a few weeks after buying it and without making any improvements to the property.

I couldn't get any solid evidence of this to allow names to be published, but it is out there. Therefore, I would like to say, "Thanks guys. We appreciate your understanding of the situation and your contributions to the community's future."

Once we come together as a community on this housing problem, only then will a solution be found. We need people of all income levels in this community and we need the residents to understand this.

Those who think otherwise are just fooling themselves.

We hope you enjoy this series as it is published throughout the fall and we hope it gets some of our readers thinking about this issue.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com

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The story of our plants

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Do you have any plants with Charlevoix connections that you would be willing to share with the Charlevoix Historic Depot Garden Committee? Are there plants that have been growing at the Belvedere Club or the Chicago Club since the early 1900s? Do you have a plant in your yard that is the direct offspring of a plant that grew in the yard of the Seth Mason family of the John Sargeant Dixon family? Are there plants in Charlevoix that can be traced back to Edward H. Green, our first lawyer or to Willard Smith the editor of our first newspaper?

Help the committee look backward in time as they attempt to resurrect or save the horticultural history of our beautiful town. If you have any historic plants, or suspect where some might be, contact Patricia Aikin at 237-9196 or Mona Bergeon at 547-2741.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

Storm water

The U.S. Government and the State of Michigan have delegated responsibility for the lion's share of environmental protection to counties and local units of government. Although bare minimum standards and basic guidelines are set by state and federal government, the authority and responsibility for writing and enforcing environmental standards addressing the needs and natural resources of each county is left to local jurisdiction. It is recognized that each county is unique and that ordinances protecting the public health, safety and welfare will and must also be unique.

The County of Charlevoix has assumed responsibility for Storm water and Soil and Sedimentation oversight and enforcement. The Federal Register, Part II Environmental Protection Agency at 40 CFR Parts 9, 122, 123 and 124, National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System-Regulations for Revision of the Water Pollution Control Program Addressing Storm Water Discharges; Final Rule Report to Congress on the Phase II Storm Water Regulations; Notice, at 682724 B. Water Quality Concerns. "Uncontrolled storm water discharges from areas of urban development and construction activity negatively impact receiving waters by changing the physical, biological and chemical composition of the water resulting in an unhealthy environment for aquatic organisms, wildlife and humans."

Listing several studies at 6827 "...all had the same finding; runoff from urban areas greatly impair stream ecology and the health of aquatic life; the more heavily developed the area, the more detrimental the effects." At 68723 "it is generally acknowledged that erosion rates from construction sites are much greater than from almost any other land use" and "the equivalent of many decades of natural or even agricultural erosion may take place during a single year from areas cleared for construction."

It is common knowledge that the first line of defense in protecting streams and rivers and lakes and their fisheries and water quality is to establish buffer zones, or greenbelts to filter sedimentation and to protect banks. This is supported to all best management procedures guidelines and is a priority for sportsmen and conservation groups as well as land use planners.

The Storm water Appeals Board is currently reviewing the Storm water Ordinance. We have an opportunity and a responsibility to protect the natural resources of Charlevoix County for the public welfare, health and safety and to protect the economic investments and opportunities of the citizens of Charlevoix. Tim Boyko, supervisor of Hayes Township, encouraged this board to set a "Gold Standard" in protecting the streams and rivers

of Charlevoix County. It is our privilege and responsibility to do this. If you have questions or would like to have input in the review of the Storm water Ordinance, feel free to call me at 237-0107 or 547-4820. There will be a public hearing at which the Storm water Appeals Board presents its recommendations and amendments to the Ordinance. Jo Anne Bier Beemon, Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner

Article response

I cannot describe my elation at your headline on Aug. 15, 2001. I hope that this means you are at least beginning to perceive the real story behind the "proposed" school site.

The sewer question is just one of many that have not been answered in regards to the new high school. Why is the school "working with the city" as Dr. John Strock stated? Is Marion Center now part of the city? I don't recall being asked if I wanted to join. What, if anything was ever done in regards to potential brownfields?

Since my last letter I have recalled even more people who have died from cancer along Marion Center. If I was a parent of a child going to that school I would certainly want to know what, if any, health risks were incurred by having a "convenient, out of town location."

My question of law enforcement has never been answered either. If

the city is so involved with the school does that mean Charlevoix's finest will now be coming down Marion Center road? It is an unfortunate fact that crime and schools go together today; I think that we, those in the potential line of fire, deserve to know who will be enforcing the law well before any crisis situation occurs. From my own experience it's too late to start planning when the bullets are flying.

There is now a gas line snaking its way down Marion Center. What is its purpose? Natural gas may be cheaper than propane, but is also less efficient and requires special adaptation to fit any existing appliance. Workers have advertised their vehicles for sale at the entrance to the construction site. The amount of traffic along Marion Center, which was already too high, has increased even more. The noise volume from the construction and the dust is incredible. The other day the noise reminded me of being back at the tank ranges on Fort Hood. In short, every risk, complaint or worry that was expressed prior to starting construction has happened.

I believe that there are many questions which have never been answered in regards to this construction project. You have magnificently illustrated that point in your article. I can only hope that these issues are resolved in a timely and open fashion.

Joseph F. Seidel, Charlevoix

The history of our plants



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

Besides making our present days pleasant, plants can encourage us to look both forward and backward in time. After planting something, we can easily see its future.

It will look exactly like the pictures in the catalogs. And the past is often recorded for us in our memories of particular plants or even in the permanent growth rings of trees.

The Charlevoix Historical Society and the Charlevoix Area Garden Club embarked on a project that

could lead many of us to look both forward to a garden and backward to the horticultural heritage of Charlevoix. The historic Charlevoix train depot will in the future be home to a garden composed of plants that have some history in Charlevoix.

And the committee making the arrangements needs your help.

Where are the plants that graced the gardens of Charlevoix from the 1870s to the 1930s? I suspect that many of them are still growing in backyards and corners, and that they could be propagated or divided or even transplanted to provide material for the Depot Garden, along with some history of the particular plant that is known.

Let me provide a personal example that won't work for the depot garden, but conveys the idea. About 10 years ago we were given a Geranium plant. The ones that grew on

your grandmother's windowsill are formally called Pelargoniums, but everyone calls them Geraniums and knows what they are. The dear friends that gave us the plant said that they had acquired it at least a decade earlier from Mrs. Griswold in Denver, Colo. Mrs. Griswold's Geranium has been with us ever since. We have made cuttings from it over the years, but it is still the same plant.

Most winters it survives in the pot in a cool dark place and is ready to grow again with the coming of spring. It has even provided us with a few seeds that we grew into Mrs. Griswold's Geranium's children. We expect that same plant to serve for many years as a reminder of the people who gave it to us and/or Mrs. Griswold, even though we don't know who she was.

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Area students win scholarships

This fall, college tuition will be a bit easier on the pockets of area families, thanks to scholarships recently awarded through the Charlevoix County Community Foundation.

Eleven 2001 Charlevoix graduates were selected to receive scholarships from several special funds held by the community foundation. All the funds were established by local citizens - to honor family members, civic leaders and educators who served this area.

Students awarded scholarships are:

- Corey Bascom received a \$500 Don Meggison Service Scholarship from a fund set up by the Charlevoix Lions Club. He will be attending Grand Valley State University, where he will study business.
- Lindsey Carland received a

\$2,600 Belvedere Club Scholarship. She plans to attend Michigan State University this fall and has not yet chosen a field of study.

- Benjamin Coen was awarded a \$500 Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel Scholarship as well as the Eary Family Memorial Scholarship for \$250. He will use his scholarship awards to study education at Central Michigan University.

- Shawna Flowers received a \$500 Stewart Irish Coleman Scholarship from a fund set up by the Charlevoix Lions Club. She plans to attend Grand Valley State University this fall where she plans to study medical art.

- Patricia Kelly was awarded a \$650 Charlevoix Area Hospital Nursing Scholarship. She will be pursuing a career in nursing at the

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- John Kilkenny was awarded the \$250 Earl W. Miller Opportunity Scholarship. He plans to attend Ferris State University where he will study auto mechanics.

- Shannon Nystrom received a \$4,000 Belvedere Club Scholarship, which she will use to study music and business at Belmont University in Nashville, Tenn.

- Abby Schaperkottler was awarded a \$3,000 Belvedere Club Scholarship to study health sciences at Grand Valley State University.

- Jeremiah Teuscher was awarded a \$500 Stewart Irish Coleman Scholarship from a fund set up by the Charlevoix Lions Club. He is planning to attend Albion College, where he will study secondary education.

- Jessica VanGuilder is planning to use her \$2,400 Belvedere Club Scholarship award to study elementary education at Calvin College in Grand Rapids.

- Sara Ward is this year's recipient of the Peggy Carey Northway Nursing Scholarship for \$1,000. She will use this award to study nursing at North Central Michigan College.

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation now holds about 115 different funds, 45 of which are designated for scholarships. Established by local citizens in 1992, the community foundation serves as a charitable resource for the entire county.

For more information about the community foundation, or any of its funds, please call the foundation office at (231) 536-2440.

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In an effort to add a little more fun to our lives and yours, the Charlevoix Courier is working on creating interactive areas of the newspaper for our readers. In the spirit of this, we are announcing the creation of a new contest called, "Where is it?"

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

Since every winning guess will be placed in the box, the more times you enter correct answers to "Where is it?" your chances of winning increase.

Answer to the 8/15 Where is it?

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They will have the opportunity to walk on the dry fuel storage pad, visit information stations and have their picture taken with one of the 19-foot-tall concrete and steel containers.

Dry fuel storage mementos, hot dogs, drinks and ice cream will be provided for all visitors.

"Dry fuel storage is a proven technology with more than 450 storage canisters in use around the

United States. It's new to our area though and we feel it is important to give our neighbors the details about how they work and an opportunity to see and touch one of the containers that will be used at Big Rock Point," said Kurt Haas, site general manager.

Eight containers eventually will sit on a concrete pad specially engineered for the containers. Each container will weigh up to 167 tons

when loaded with spent fuel. The containers are designed to withstand floods, fires, flying objects and tornado winds up to 360 miles an hour.

Big Rock Point employees will begin loading spent fuel into the containers next year.

A dry fuel storage facility is necessary at Big Rock Point and other nuclear plants around the country because the U.S. Department of

Energy (DOE) has failed to open a federal storage site for spent nuclear fuel. By law, DOE was required to open a facility by Jan. 31, 1998.

Big Rock Point was the world's first high power-density boiling water reactor and a research site for the nuclear power industry. The plant was shut down on Aug. 29, 1997, after 35 years of service, making it the nation's longest running nuclear plant.

Grant requests being sought by foundation

Once again, it's time to put local charitable dollars to work on behalf of the community.

The Charlevoix County Community Foundation is inviting nonprofit organizations, educational institutions and municipalities who are in need of funding to submit grant requests in support of their projects.

During the next few months, the Community Foundation and its Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) will review grant proposals to help fund health initiatives, community development projects, education, the arts and cultural events, environmental efforts and human service programs.

The YAC, which is made up of representatives from high schools throughout Charlevoix County, will award grants to programs that serve children and teens.

Programs chosen for funding must serve residents of Charlevoix County, meet an urgent need, or enrich life for local residents in some way. The deadline for grant requests is Oct. 1, 2001, and funding decisions will be announced later in November.

Grant applications are available by calling the Community Foundation office. All applicants must call and discuss their proposals in advance.

Foundation staff is available to offer advice and assistance to organizations interested in applying for funds.

Established by a group of area citizens in 1992, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation is a grassroots charitable organization made up of 118 separate funds - all of them established by local donors.

All the funds are held in permanent endowment, so they can continue to grow and generate income to enhance the quality of life in Charlevoix County, now and for generations to come. To date, the Community Foundation's assets

have grown to over \$7.3 million, and grants and scholarships in excess of \$2.5 million have been distributed to the community.

For more information about the foundation, grant applications, or

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- From 6-10 p.m., Oct. 3, Basic First Aid in classroom B.

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- From 6-10 p.m., Nov. 14, Infant and Child CPR in classroom B.

- From 6-10 p.m., Nov. 28, Basic First Aid, in classroom B.

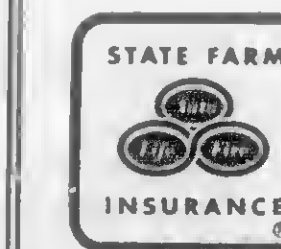
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Archery can teach some lessons of life

By FR. JIM GUNN, Rector,
Christ Episcopal Church,
Charlevoix

Very recently I purchased a new bow and some arrows (and associated gear like an arm guard, a shooting glove, and a target).

I originally learned to shoot about 40 years ago. I took to it quickly and have enjoyed shooting at various points in my life. Let me say, I am a target archer — I have never tried hunting with my bow. I have shot in competition a number of times and I taught my children how to shoot. As I thought about getting back into archery in an intentional manner, I considered some of the things I have learned over the years and have taught to others. As I did that I realized that some of those points could be applied in our lives in other ways.

If you are going to shoot well consistently, one of the things you need to learn is to hold the bow loosely. In fact, when you start to pull back the string I advise people to 'open the fingers of the hand with which they are holding the bow. In that way, it is only the pressure from the string being pulled that is holding the bow against your hand.

You could say that should make us think about our overall approach to life. We need to keep a "loose hand" on life. If you grip things too tightly, you become tense, nervous

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and anxious. When you do that with a bow, your hand starts to tremble and you cannot take a good sight. In life it can cause you to make wrong decisions that are founded in your nervousness and anxiety.

Another thing about archery is quite obvious — you have to learn from your mistakes. If one shot hits the target low and to the left, you have to adjust your aim up and to the right. So, too, do we need to learn from our mistakes and sins.

In fact, the word in the New Testament that is translated "sin" literally means "missing the mark." When we miss the mark in life, we need to adjust our aim, so to speak.

In the Episcopal service of Holy Baptism there is a point near the beginning when the person being baptized renounces all forms of evil and accepts Jesus as Lord and Savior. Later there are five questions concerning "life after baptism" and one of them reads as follows: "Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?"

Basically that is a promise to learn from your mistakes — you get back

on track after a miss.

A third and final point from archery is to have a good "anchor point." If you do not draw the string back the same amount each time you shoot, then the arrow will be launched with a different amount of force and your shooting will not be consistent even though you aim at the same point.

I suggest to people that they find a place on their chin where they rest their thumb when they pull the string back. If the thumb is placed in the same position each time then the arrow will be fired with the same force.

In day-to-day life your "anchor point" is your spiritual life. It is the way in which you nourish yourself on Holy Scripture and seek God's guidance through prayer and open yourself to God's grace in worship. These are the kind of things that provide a foundation to your life and that enable you to meet life's challenges. If you have that "anchor point" you will be able to face each set of circumstances with the same kind of peace and strength.

If you see a bow and arrow perhaps you will recall these little thoughts. I pray that you will keep a loose grip on circumstances, adjust your aim after a miss, and find a good "anchor point."

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Charlevoix resident finds new life in army

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

A former Charlevoix resident recently learned a lesson about the value of change.

At the beginning of this year Sean Roberts, 22, had been in Charlevoix for 15 years and he said his life wasn't going in a good direction.

Roberts usual day in Charlevoix would start at noon when he would crawl out of bed and lounge around the house. At 4 p.m. he would step into his Pizza Hut uniform where he worked in Charlevoix until 11 p.m.

After 11 he would grab a beer and party into the wee hours of the morning. That was life, day-in, day-out.

But, in February Roberts told his mom, *Charlevoix Courier* classified advertising manager Valerie Pedersen, he was going to join the Army. Shortly thereafter he was off to Georgia and things changed drastically.

In Georgia, Roberts gets out of bed at 4:30 a.m., helps clean the barracks and is ready to go and standing at attention by 5:15 a.m.

Then, it's off to the physical training field where the group does morning push ups, sit ups

and exercises "no human body is capable of performing."

At 7 a.m., after the platoon's morning workout, Roberts is

in the cafeteria for "high nutrition, low taste chow."

A half hour later he is back in formation dressed in a set of camel colored fatigues they call BDUs (battle dress uniforms.)

Sergeants move down the line of future soldiers to make sure their uniforms are pressed, their boots are polished and they are clean shaven.

Then, they train on staged battlefields.

Training includes everything from live range activities where the trainees set mines, throw grenades, shoot rocket launchers and automatic weapons and engage in hand-to-hand combat. There is also a practice range where these same tactics can be mastered

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Sean Roberts

Obituaries

Janet L. Odmark: July 10, 1915 - Aug. 13, 2001

Janet L. Odmark, 86, of Charlevoix died Aug. 13, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

A funeral service was at 10 a.m. Aug. 17, 2001 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Philip G. Schairbaum officiated. Burial followed in Brookside Cemetery.

Jan was born on July 10, 1915, in LaPorte, Ind. the daughter of James and Martha (Simpson) Stewart.

She received her bachelors degree from Western Michigan University and went on to Michigan

State University where she received her masters degree in education. Jan taught in Petoskey before moving to Charlevoix in 1946.

She retired from Charlevoix High School in 1975 where she taught Home Economics.

On Oct. 25, 1942 she married Clarence A. Odmark in Detroit. He preceded her in death on Feb. 23, 1989.

Jan was a member of the First Congregational Church, the church choir, Mary Burns Circle and the Michigan Education Association.

Survivors include two sons,

Richard E. (Isabel M.) of San Antonio, Texas and Robert S. (Donna K.) of Arlington, Va.; one daughter, Julie A. of Charlevoix; seven grandchildren, Allison, Jacob, Joshua, Abigail, Terra, Bourn and Kurt; two sisters, Mary Jewell of Traverse City and Susie (Jerry) Moore of Berkley.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, Robert and Phillip Stewart.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational Church. Envelopes are available at the Winchester Funeral Home.

Marilyn belle Curtis: Oct. 7, 1935 - Aug. 26, 2001

Marilyn belle Curtis, 65, of Charlevoix, died Aug. 26, 2001 at her home.

A funeral service will be at 1 p.m. today at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Rev. Harold Kruse will officiate. Burial will follow in Brookside Cemetery.

Marilyn was born on Oct. 7, 1935 in Clare, the daughter of Forrest and Elsie (Proust) Brewer.

She attended Clare High School, graduating in 1954. On Aug. 26, 1955 Marilyn took the vow to love Robert Alton Curtis "until death do us part," which by fate, was 46 years later to the day.

In 1959 the couple moved to Charlevoix to raise their family.

Marilyn was the type of person that always put her family first. She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and friend. She spent her life giving to others. Everyone knew that you could count on her for good conversation and in Marilyn's presence everyone was someone special.

She was an avid reader and a lover of all God's creatures. It didn't matter if you walked upright, on all fours or took flight, Marilyn always had enough love and food for everyone.

She will be deeply missed by all who knew her.

Survivors include her husband, Robert; two children, Steven (Kari) Curtis and Candace (Dennis) Mousseau; two grandsons, Tyler and Travis Curtis all of Charlevoix; two sisters, Barbara (George) Sexton of Clare and Wilma Griffith of Wayland; one brother, William (Sandra) Brewer of Clare; and several nieces and nephews.

Marilyn was preceded in death by her parents and one sister, Carol Maxine Brewer.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Charlevoix County Hospice or to Charlevoix County Humane Society.

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Franklyn Lee "Cork" Curtis: April 1, 1945 - Aug. 18, 2001

Franklyn Lee "Cork" Curtis, 56, of Charlevoix died Aug. 18, 2001 at his home.

A memorial service was given Aug. 24, at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Philip G. Schairbaum officiated.

Cork was born on April 1, 1945, the son of Franklin and Ruth Ann (Bedford) Curtis. He was born and raised in Charlevoix, loved sports and was involved in track, and excelled in his four year tenure on the basketball and football teams.

He was honored as being named All-State Football during the fall of his senior year.

Outside the sports arena, for several years he was a varsity club officer, class treasurer (senior year) and a member of the marching and symphonic band for three years. Following graduation he enlisted in the United States Air Force and served most of his years in Taiwan,

ROC, as a master electrician.

During this same time Cork and Joanne Hooker were married on March 28, 1969, at the Alumnae Chapel at Michigan State University. He then attended Michigan State University and Honeywell Institute of Technology, and remained an avid MSU sports fan all his life.

Their life led them from Lansing to Escanaba and Marquette, where he was active in many community clubs and organizations, together with professional affiliations, before returning to his beloved Charlevoix.

Cork was an avid outdoorsman, and he took much time to enjoy and appreciate nature with his son, Scott. Boat outings and Great Lakes fishing trips were enjoyed by his family on "Capt. Hook," with Frank at the helm.

Since 1979 Frank was the owner of Micro-Data Services

of Charlevoix.

During his entire life his wit and determination never faltered. He will be remembered often by his quick wit and original humor which overflowed to others.

Frank was a member of the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix, U.C.C., where he was both baptized and confirmed and where he participated in many activities with his family.

He is survived by his wife Jo; one son, Scott; one sister, Cynthia (David) Garland; four nieces; one nephew; and many loving friends and relatives.

Frank was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Ruth Ann.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational Church, Charlevoix County Hospice or to the Charlevoix Alano Club. Envelopes will be available at the First Congregational Church.

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Church challenging others with project

Churches throughout Charlevoix County have been challenged by Safe Harbor Baptist Church of Charlevoix to donate \$1,000 to the Charlevoix County Jesus Video Project.

Safe Harbor is donating \$1,000 to the project as a challenge grant.

The money will be used to send the Jesus video to every home in Charlevoix County, excluding the Walloon area, which has already been funded. The Jesus video is used around the world to introduce people to the life of Jesus, as portrayed in the book of Luke in the Bible. The movie was originally filmed at Warner Brothers Studios, with sponsorship by Campus Crusade for Christ and funding by an individual donor. Since then, it has been reformatted for video and has been shown around the world.

To date, the Charlevoix County Jesus Video Project has raised \$17,000. About \$19,500 is needed to fully fund the video distribution of 12,590 videos.

Twenty-three Northern Michigan counties are committed to the project, with additional downstate counties participating. Videos have already been mailed to counties in the Upper Peninsula.

Any church, business or individual interested in contributing to the Jesus Video Project should make checks payable to Charlevoix County Jesus Video Project and mail them to P.O. Box 60, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Musical meeting at Northwest

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(Back four, from left): Maggie Hall, Dave Martindale, Fran Foster and Janet Southwell. (Middle row, from left): Greg Andrews, Kendall Campaigne, Phyllis Johnson and Terry Cook. (Front): Michael McCarthy.

Art center honors Gerber with children's music

The Crooked Tree Arts Center recently announced the establishment of the Dorothy Gerber Chair for Children and Music.

This anonymous gift in support of the "chair" will enhance the arts center's efforts to bring music education to the young people of Charlevoix and Emmet counties. The Crooked Tree Youth Orchestra and the Beginning Strings Program directly benefit from the gift, named in memory of the work of Dorothy Gerber.

Gerber encouraged and supported many young artists and musicians all across the United States, underwriting their formal training as well as supporting their public efforts. She assisted hundreds of underprivileged children in this country and abroad, both directly and through the "Foster Parents' Plan."

Gerber kept up a regular personal correspondence with many children, helping to alleviate personal problems, to underwrite their education and provide love and encouragement.

Gerber, along with her husband, Dan, created and devel-

oped the idea for strained baby food. Her column, "Bringing Up Baby," ran in daily newspapers across the country for more than 30 years and was filled with helpful advice for young mothers.

The Gerbers raised five children, who have produced 18 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Gerber's dedication to helping children will continue with the programs offered through the Crooked Tree Arts Center. Over 370 beginning string students in Charlevoix and Emmet counties will begin their second year of learning violin, viola, cello and bass.

The communities of Boyne City and East Jordan will have the opportunity to enroll their students in the Crooked Tree Arts Center Beginning String Program for the first time beginning in September 2001.

The Crooked Tree Arts Center is located in downtown Petoskey at 461 E. Mitchell Street.

For more information regarding programming or donor opportunities, please call the arts center at (231) 347-4337.



Just some of the many students taking part in the Crooked Tree music program. (Courtesy photo)

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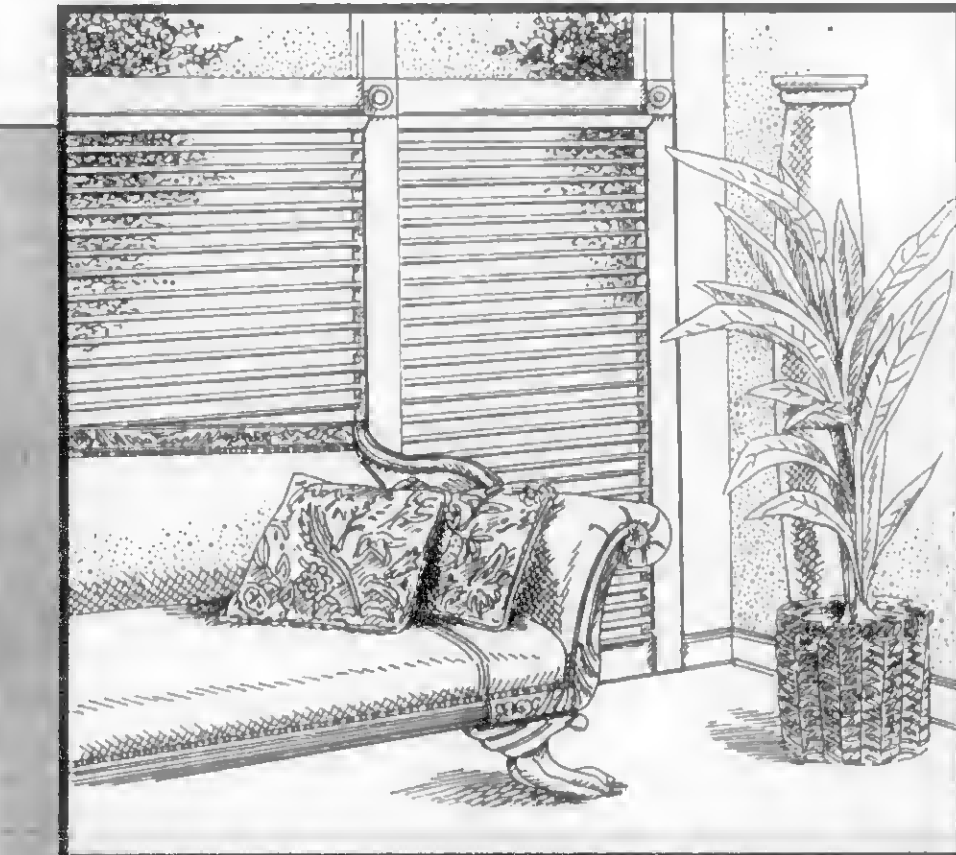
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News items include events sponsored by non-profit organizations. Please inform us of your event at least two weeks in advance.

Our coverage area is the city of Charlevoix and its immediately surrounding areas, including Beaver Island.

Because of space limitations in the newspaper, we generally try to avoid publishing "check-handling" pictures or "ribbon-cutting" pictures. However, we will work with your organization to get a picture that reflects the event and is visually interesting to our readers.

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Save the Natural Beauty of Round Lake JUST THE WAY IT IS



During council meetings about the expansion of the Charlevoix City Marina on Round Lake, has our City Council and City Manager considered what an absolute jewel of a natural resource we look out upon each and every day?

At WATCH inc, we have. The following are just a few questions we would like the citizens of Charlevoix and surrounding areas to consider as you look out on Round Lake over the next few weeks:

- Do we want to restrict our view with a floating docks that extends out 400 feet? Surveys indicate that the highest use by local residents was "viewing" not boating or other marine based activities. (Source: Lake Charlevoix Association)
- What effect will this have on the Venetian festival? Will the annual fireworks display and boat parade be more restricted by the increased dockage?
- What will be the rental cost to boaters: both seasonal and transient?
- Where will visiting dinghies tie up?
- What is the position of the DNR (Department of Natural Resources), Corp of Engineers, and DEQ (Department of Environmental Quality)?
- Who pays for this marina expansion? How does it effect our taxes and infrastructure?
- How would any revenues be used? Who decides?
- Who really supports this proposal? Are they local taxpayers or local businesses?
- Public comment should be received as soon as possible and before any final design decisions are made. How will the public be notified of any public meeting? Will the meeting be scheduled when ALL property owners and residents can be heard?

At WATCH, inc we have a different point of view. And we would like to hear yours. Please write us at PO Box 615, or call and fax us at (231) 547-5530 to voice your opinion. The Charlevoix City Marina on Round Lake will be built with your tax dollars. Available data indicates 10 to 1 against the proposed expansion as it is now designed. We realize there are many points of view. The main point being: we like the view just the way it is.

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The mystery behind the origin of the noon siren

By JULIE MOSILEK
Staff Writer

Tradition and testing were the two reasons Charlevoix city officials and residents came up with when asked why the yellow siren that has sat on top of city hall since 1968 roars once or twice a day.

Every day at noon and sometimes again at 9:30 p.m. the city siren sounds, but no one has a definite answer as to why it happens.

Charlevoix city street superintendent and former fire chief John Martin said back before there was a central dispatch system and pagers, the siren was used to beckon firefighters to the station and to tell residents to look out for firefighters in route.

According to former city fireman Al Bergmann the first siren was put in place in 1923 and was retired in 1968 when the yellow one we see today came on board. The yellow siren is called a three signal air raid siren.

Records given to the *Charlevoix Courier* office by Al Bergmann show that volunteer firemen bought the first siren in 1923 and it took them about two years to pay for it. Money was raised by sponsoring dances.

Bergmann brought in newspaper clippings that said fireman reported that the old siren was not loud enough to reach areas of town.

According to life-long resident Dale Boss, one ring directed the crew to the first ward which was the city's north-side; two rings meant the emergency was in the second ward, the valley; and three rings was for the third ward, locat-

ed west of State Street.

However, that siren came before what we hear today. Boss said this old siren, which Martin said was bought by the town of Buckley in early 1968 when the current one was installed, was a single horn and it had more of a howl to it.

"It took a long time to wind up and a long time to wind down. The dogs all across town would just howl," he added.

There was also a light that would flash out in front of Central Drug located on Bridge Street that would alert emergency personnel of any messages they had.

But now, huge red trucks with flashing lights and attached sirens, CBs and pagers have made the old technology obsolete.

Back in the day the current siren was also used to warn residents and visitors of tornadoes. The siren would still be used today in the case of an emergency such as a tornado. Martin said it would have a special tone that signifies the nature of the emergency.

"We haven't heard those because we haven't had any (tornadoes)," Martin explained.

Prior to the decommissioning of Big Rock Nuclear Power Plant the siren was also used to warn people in Charlevoix of nuclear disasters.

But, currently, Big Rock doesn't pose as much of a threat to people in the area and the fire department is state of the art so again, why the siren?

Well, according to shift commander Joe Schwartzfisher with the City Fire Department, where the signal control module is stationed, the noon whistle could sound to let everyone know it's lunch time.

"It lets people know it's 12 p.m. People around here use it to know when it's lunch time," he said.

Schwartzfisher added that there is also a traditional component in the siren's use. He said when he joined the fire department no one told him why they do it. "It's just always been done that way."

Because the fire station is in charge of pushing the button that activates the noon siren, some days you don't hear it. They can only warn you that it's lunch time in Charlevoix when there is someone in the building.

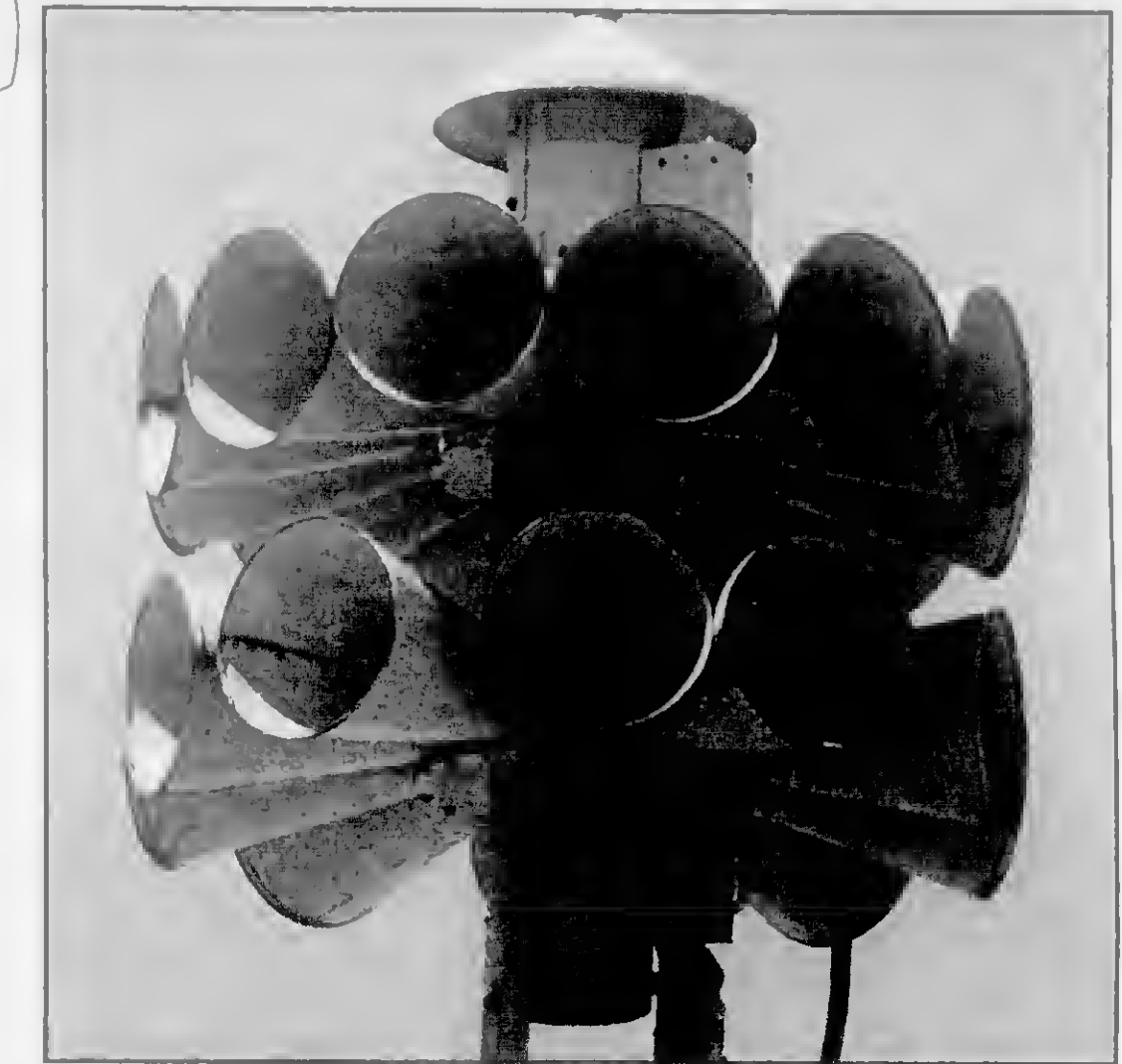
You may notice on Sundays you won't hear the whistle ever. Schwartzfisher said this is a courtesy measure for surrounding churches that may be in the midst of a service.

The 9:30 p.m. alarm is known around town as "the curfew alarm." This "curfew alarm" isn't consistently set off but when it is, local firefighter Lyle Gennett does the duty. However, according to city police chief Dennis Halverson, the "curfew" purpose is a local myth.

"Nine-thirty p.m. according to the ordinance doesn't apply to anyone," Halverson said.

The city ordinance does in fact have curfews, but none that fall at 9:30 p.m. Children 12 and under are supposed to be off the streets by 10 p.m., those between the age of 13 and 15 have to be in before 11 p.m. and 16-year-olds need to be inside by midnight.

So, the tradition and the mystery of the Charlevoix siren continue.



Why this siren on top of Charlevoix City Hall is blown at noon may be a mystery. (File photo)

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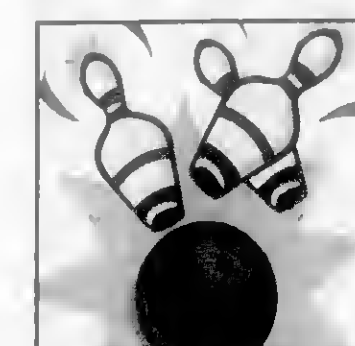
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Roberts said at one point he slipped a disc in his back, tore ligaments in his knee and dislocated his shoulder while propping down the side of a 54 foot tower.

Because of his injuries Roberts was unable to fulfill the final airborne Ranger test.

However, Roberts became the Army poster child.

When Roberts left he stood 6 feet, 4 inches and weighed in at a meager 173 pounds. Now his tall but his thin figure has been filled out with an extra 40 pounds of muscle.

Roberts is an Uncommitted Ranger on his way to becoming an official Army Ranger.

He is currently stationed in Ft. Riley, Kansas.

Roberts explained the Rangers are like G.I. Joe, the guys on the ground, in the thick of the madness during ground combat. He referred to himself as a "super grunt."

"There is a brotherhood bond in the infantry that you won't find anywhere else. We do the jobs no one else wants to do. Those guys would catch a bullet for me and I would for them. It's a whole different set of rules," he said.

He also said it takes a special kind of person to do the job, you don't just join the infantry or the Ranger Corps and assume you'll be able to squeak by, because you just won't make it.

His training has been physical and mental. The group also participates in military history classes. Roberts said he has learned about the military and civilian reality during Vietnam and Desert Storm.

In fact, in five months, Roberts' orders will send him to Saudi Arabia.

He said he isn't scared for the move now but he's sure he will when he gets over there.

"I'll deal with that set of emotions then. In the Army you are taught how to turn yourself off, to keep focused on logic and tactics and to do what you have to do to get the job done," he said.

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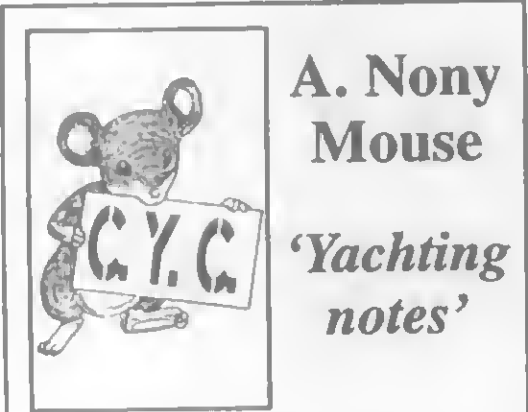
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SPORTS

Treasure hunt results, as well as race results



The Charlevoix Yacht Club Fantastic On-the-Water Treasure Hunt given Aug. 26, saw privateers, buccaners, pillagers, pirates and corsairs cruising the waters of Lake Charlevoix and Round Lake. Along the way, Saint Joseph's Raiders were stopped by the United States Coast Guard for a courtesy inspection and took advantage of the opportunity to get free help on an international signal flag clue.

Meanwhile, Teach's Class of 02 was observed vastly exceeding the speed limit imposed by the Letters of Marque and was penalized a bunch of doubloons for such disregard for proper pirate practices.

When it was over, some 60 scurvy scallaws gathered at the club to see Team Bumblebee (captain Mark Snyder), with only 260 penalty points, not only receive the Perpetual Pirate's Hoard Trophy but also gain the coveted hon-

or of being the hosts of next year's FOWTH. Next, at 262 points, were the Swashbucklin' Fochers (captain Terry Hiser). Third Place went to the Pine Lake Pillagers (captain John Ochs) with 268.

The rest of the top seven were back a bit: Balter/Barnes Buccaneers (captain Josh Barnes) 288, Rumrunners (co-captains Mark Pirie and John Gordon 296, Saint Joseph's Raiders (captain Dick Joseph) 493 and Teach's Class of 02 (captain Richard Hodgson II) 613.

What a ball was had by all! Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series, Aug. 22: August races are often either Gust or Aw (as in aw heck); this one turned into the latter as the breeze evaporated as the evening progressed.

My self-calculated, very unofficial results: Spinnaker I: HOOTIE, WINDRUNNER, HOI POLLOI, GOTCHA, MINT JULEP and SLAPSHOT. Spinnaker II: BABE (only finisher). P-26: CYGNUS, TIRELESS, LOST VERMONT, TER, ARTEMIS and ORIGINAL SIN. JAM: FLASH, CHEEMAUN, APOTHECARY and ORION. There is a protest pending against APOTHECARY. J-22: SWINE FLEW, HUSSY, II RECKLESS, PALEFACE LITE, ROCK STEADY, FIRST DATE, SUPERFLUOUS. CRAZY

HORSE, THUNDERSTRUCK, EAU DE VIE and HOG-TIDE.

Since these finishes are estimated, we have no standings available. The final race of the Summer Series will be a make-up on Sept 5.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Aug. 31: Charlevoix Yacht Club Triangle, late afternoon on this end of Lake Charlevoix. Call Mark Snyder with questions at 547-2122.

Red Fox Regatta, Sept. 1 and 2: The biggest annual sail racing event held in Northwest Lower Michigan wraps up the 2001 major regatta season. Watch as about 100 sail yachts leave Charlevoix for Boyne City on a far less than direct course Saturday, striving to

be the first to the cookout and party. On Sunday, they head back here on a more direct course and finish in this end of Lake Charlevoix.

Party and awards are at the club after the race.

Sunfish Finals: After a fun Summer Sunday Sunfish Series that saw two cancellations due to adverse weather, Don and Tom have decided on a sail off to determine the 2001 Sunfish Championship!

All Charlevoix Yacht Club members are eligible, just be out by the "B" buoy at 1 p.m. on Sept. 23 for the start of a fast five race series. The winner will have the lowest point total for the best four of five races. Ties will first be

broken by including the result of the dropped race, then by first, then seconds. Any ties that remain will stay tied.

Always wanted to be a writer? The Charlevoix Yacht Club is in need of one or two good publicity people. The Binnacle seeks a new editor and A. Nony Mouse needs A. Nother Mouse to help with this weekly (when the water's liquid) column. Interested? Call Val Snyder at 547-2122.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

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SPORTS

Braun finishes 100 holes for junior golf

Steve Braun has played a lot of golf in his many years as a teaching professional in Flint and most recently at Charlevoix's Belvedere Golf Club.

He's had some great rounds and satisfying wins both as an amateur and as a professional but, on his own admission, his enjoyment after playing 100 holes for pledges that benefit the local Junior golf program provide him with as much satisfaction as any golf victory he's had.

Starting at dawn and playing straight through until nearly 7 p.m., the 56-year-old pro played some very good golf. His first 18 holes produced a 77. He followed with rounds of 71, 81, 76, 75 and finished with a 38, then parred the one hundredth hole to finish in a flurry.

The 100 hole marathon was his fourth such fund-raiser for the Charlevoix County Junior Golf program. The program has drawn raves from the National Junior Golf Association as they identified it as being one of the top 15 programs in the United States.

This year, the program's sixth, they had 200 registered golfers from the Charlevoix Area.

Braun was pleased with the public's response. To date, there have been \$9,000 in pledges.

"We've used the funds to help send worthy young people to the Ferris State University week-long golf camp and to reward a graduating senior, who has been an outstanding role model for our younger golfers, with a college textbook scholarship," he said.

Braun's journey was made smoother as adult mentors from Junior golf aided as cart drivers, caddies, and helpers. Volunteer adults that aided in the project included: Rosemary Corradi, Richard Doty, George Lochner, Fritz Puffpaf, Lill Left, Mary Jo McFalls, Charley Kohs, and Mary Bradley. 100-year-old Belvedere member Houston Witherspoon drove the one-hundredth hole to put a capstone on the event.

Dean Davenport, who organized and directs the Charlevoix County Junior Golf program, praised Braun.

"Steve has been a tremendous asset to our program. His love for golf and getting youngsters involved goes back a long way. We're fortunate to have him instructing and believing in our program. Charlevoix is fortunate to have him."

It's still not too late to support Braun's effort. Contributions can be mailed to his attention to the Belvedere Club, P.O. Box 218, Charlevoix, MI 49720.



Steve Braun (left) poses with 100-year-old Belvedere member Houston Witherspoon at his recent fund-raiser for Junior Golf. Braun golfed 100 holes for the organization. (Courtesy photo)

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The Charlevoix City Council will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, September 4, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. in the second floor Conference Room of City Hall, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 to receive public input to discuss a proposed Tax Exemption Ordinance. This is an ordinance to provide for a proposed multiple family dwelling project on May Street for persons of low income to be financed or assisted pursuant to the provisions of the State Housing Development Authority Act of 1966, as amended.

A complete copy of the proposed language is available at the City Clerk's Office.

Interested citizens can make comments at the public hearing or written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, Michigan.

Elizabeth Gooch, City Clerk

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AUGUST 20, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present except Councilman Norm Carlson, Jr.

Council approved development plan for Hughes, 219 Belvedere Avenue, Fairport West.

Council approved free launch at Ferry Beach boat launch for a fishing tournament sponsored by the Northern Bass Anglers Association, to be held on October 5 and 6, 2001.

Council approved purchase of trees and plant material, and installation of plants.

Council approved Michigan Public Power Agency (MPPA) Power Sales Contract and MPPA Project Support Contract, allowing the purchase of 2.268 megawatts.

Council set Public Hearing date of September 4, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. for consideration of an ordinance allowing developers Brooks and Dietz (1007 May Street) to participate in a pilot program to provide affordable housing.

Council adjourned at 8:37 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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SPORTS

Football team starts season with 12-0 loss to St. Ignace

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix Rayders varsity football team opened the season with a loss to St. Ignace Aug. 24, 12-0.

While St. Ignace is known as a very tough team — they made the state playoffs last year — coach Todd Klinger said the Rayders' loss was also the result of some poor offensive playing.

"Offensively, we had some missed assignments and some penalties that took us out of scoring position," Klinger said. "We need to work on our mental mistakes."

For example, a 62 yard touch-

down run by Ryan Rafacz was called back on a Rayders' clipping penalty.

Total yardage lost to penalties was 115 yards.

While the offense struggled, Klinger said the high point was the Rayder defense, who kept St. Ignace to one touchdown. St. Ignace's other touchdown was the result of an intercepted pass.

"Nick Schwein, Rob Boss and Donovan Swanson (on the defense) played real strong ball games," Klinger said.

The leading rusher for the game was Rafacz, with six carries for 56 yards. Jeff Urban was the second leading rusher with 16 carries for

50 yards and Matthew Kilkenny was third with one carry for 47 yards.

Quarterback Nate Teuscher completed six passes out of 18 for 92 yards.

On the defense, the most tackles were chalked up by Schwein with 13. Swanson was second with 10. Dennis Avery had one interception and Chris Loper had one fumble recovery.

"We had a tough test. We know what we need to work on and the kids will be back ready to play against a good Benzie Central team (this Friday)," Klinger said.

The Rayders will be at home Friday.



Nice catch

Aaron Hagen, 13, of Charlevoix, landed this 24.5 pound salmon while fishing in the Les Cheneaux Islands with his cousin, Michael Bickham. The salmon measured 37 inches in length. (Courtesy photo)

Golf team gets first win of season

The Charlevoix golf team opened its season with a win Aug. 21 at the Loehenheath Golf Club in Traverse City.

The Charlevoix varsity team beat Traverse City St. Francis 160-165.

Individual scores were: David

Shearer with a 37, Jordan Nystrom with a 39, Nick Cole with a 42, Allen Brooks with a 42, York Smith with a 42 and Kreg Wager with a 55.

While the varsity team got the win, the junior varsity team was not so lucky and lost 220 to 212 to

Traverse City St. Francis' junior varsity team.

Individual scores were: Jake Burns with 48, Allen Couture with 49, Mathew Nitchman with 63, Ryan DeYoung with 67, Adam Wager with 60 and Gene Foley with 72.

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Otter resigns, investigation comes to end
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ters with Otter.

Other claims came from Charlevoix resident Mary Beth Zimmerman who said Otter typically used threats and intimidation in coaching.

Ward agreed and said, "You don't break Jason Otter's rules because there are repercussions."

Other concerns stemmed from name calling and angry outbursts that Ward said resulted in a loss of confidence, self-esteem and interest in the game of basketball for her daughter.

"I think Jason Otter closed the door for basketball for her," Ward said.

But, Otter was also defended at the meeting, most notably by the very varsity girls' basketball team parents had accused him of being abusive to.

But school board member Scott Boss asked the players to return to practice soon after the meeting started.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools John Sturrock assured the players that they would have the opportunity to speak on behalf of Otter.

"If you are trying to help coach, the best place to be is not here tonight. The board will spend the necessary time to do an investigation," he said.

Assistant basketball coach Parrish also spoke in defense of Otter.

"She may fear the Charlevoix program, but what does she want out of the program," he asked.

Linda Prescott said, "They have to be so devoted and so strong. There are probably some girls who don't want to live 24 hours, seven day a week, basketball."

"Some pretty serious words are being thrown out, let's get behind those and figure out what is going on. He is our coach. I don't think anyone should feel there is a big ax falling on Jason. The bigger deal is where are we going in the future," Telgenhof said at the meeting.

Telgenhof said the committee wanted to hear from those in attendance about their concerns. He then said the committee would talk to the girls' basketball team and hear their impressions.

Later, Parrish said he thought the whole situation just got exaggerated.

"I think he (Jason Otter) was backed into a corner. He didn't have many options," he said about Otter's resignation. "I thought he was an excellent coach. He was demanding of the things he wanted, but he wanted the right things."

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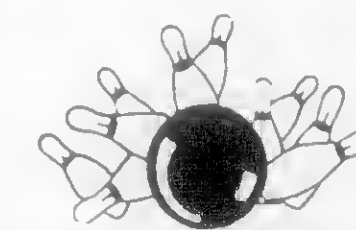
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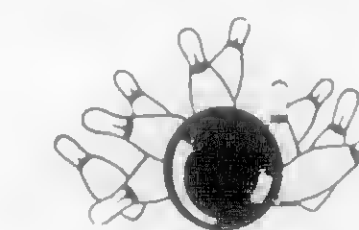
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Community pool announces fall programs

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Programs include swim school (group lessons), private lessons, swim team, aqua exercise, twinges in the hinges, water polo, lap swims, senior, teen and open recreation. Rental times are also available.

Registration by mail, fax, and drop off is now going on for all fall programs. Mail registrations to the Charlevoix Area Community Pool, 11905 US 31 North, Charlevoix (49720) or fax to 231-547-1754.

Swim School starts Sept. 22 and Nov. 10. Swim School classes are Red Cross certified and meet once each week for six weeks. Classes are available between 9:15-11:30 a.m. on Saturdays. A class is also available from 8-8:45 p.m. on Tuesday for adults who would like to learn to swim or improve their swimming skills.

Masters Swim Team is a competitive program for those 19 and older which is offered from 8-9:25 p.m. on Wednesday. Written workouts to

be followed during lap swims are also available for those who want to practice more than once a week. This program will start Oct. 3.

Aqua-Aerobics with Michael Smith is offered eight times each week. These classes meet from 8-9 a.m. on Monday through Saturday and from 5-6 p.m. on Tuesday through Thursday. Participants can pay \$5 each time or purchase a six week pass for \$50.

Twinges in the Hinges with Linda Shomin is offered three times each week. These classes meet from 9:00-10:00 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. This class is designed for those with arthritis. Shomin is a certified instructor with the National Arthritic Foundation. Participants can pay \$5 each time or purchase a six week pass for \$50. This program starts Sept. 10 and will continue until mid June, 2002.

Water Safety Instructor Course is an American Red Cross certified course for those interested in becoming swimming instructors that may be offered this May if there is sufficient interest. Students need to

be 17 years of age and have an intermediate swimming ability. The fee is \$150 for the course and required books. Several scholarship programs are available. Call Al Gooch for more information and to be put on a waiting list.

Lifeguard Training Special, is an American Red Cross certified course for those interested in becoming lifeguards is being offered the weekends of Sept. 22 and Sept. 29. Students need to be 15 years of age and be able to swim 500 yards. The fee is \$70 (normally \$150) for the course and required books. A special fund is available for this one session, which will pick up the other \$80. Call the pool for more information.

Public Swim Times will include Open Swim (all ages) from 6-8 p.m. on Monday through Friday, from 3-4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays from 1-4 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. On

Your Own (OYO for adults) from 1-3 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and lap swimming from 6-8 a.m., Monday

through Friday, from noon-1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday and from 5-6 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 11:30-1 p.m. on Saturdays and noon-1 p.m. on Sundays. Senior swims for the young at heart are from 11 a.m.-Noon on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The OYO swimmers share the pool with rehab programs from Charlevoix Area Hospital. Teen

swim is from 8-9 p.m. on Mondays. Water Polo is a drop-in program and meets on the second and fourth Thursday of each month from 8:30-9:30 p.m. The fee will be \$3 and players must be at least 16 year old. It starts in October.

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Cross country teams do well at Benzie Invitational

The Charlevoix boys' and girls' cross country teams have started their seasons well.

Both teams had several runners placing high in the recent Benzie Invitational, with the boys' team winning the event.

The girls' team came in seventh place, as a whole.

Individual finishes for the boys' team were: Tim Daining in second, Peter Gorkiewicz in fourth, Josh Popenhagen in tenth, Gordie Selph in fifteenth, Zach Bajos in twenty-fourth, Abe Dushaler in thirty-second, Dustin Wilson in thirty-ninth

and Elijah Pace in fifty-sixth.

Those placing in the top 30 were medal winners.

Individual finishes for the girls' team were: Liz Ulrich in fifth, Kati Swenor in seventh, Brenna

Bergmann in thirty-eighth, Jamie Murray in fifty-ninth, Betsy Tebeau in seventy-second and Stephanie Dickinson in ninety-sixth.

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VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY
YOUTH MENTOR: Northern Michigan Community Mental Health's "From Decisions To Actions" program is seeking volunteer mentors to serve in Charlevoix and Emmet counties. Duties include assisting youth in goal setting, developing positive attitudes, and providing support and structure during ten weekly psychoeducational meetings. Candidates need to be committed to youth, family preservation, and be emotionally mature and organized. Send cover letter and resume to Human Resources, NCMCH, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770. FAX: (231) 347-1241. E-mail hr@nmcch.org. (8-22-2-076)

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Area events

First garden meeting

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will have its first meeting of the fall from 7 to 9 p.m. on Sept. 11 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. The program features Dan Poux of See North with the discussion "Bees Are Beneficial."

Old-fashioned ice cream social

At 7 p.m. on Sept. 4, at the historic Charlevoix Depot at the end of East Dixon Avenue, the Charlevoix Historical Society will have its annual old-fashioned ice cream social to honor the year's volunteers. The public is invited and new members are always welcome.

Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information.

Fall, winter Harsha hours

Fall and winter hours at the Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street, are from 1-4 p.m., Tuesday - Saturday and 5-9 p.m., Thursday. Meetings of the Charlevoix Historical Society are usually at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month and board meetings are at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month.

Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information.

Hunter education clinic

A Hunter Education Clinic will be given Sept. 8, at the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club, located north of Charlevoix on US-31. Registration will begin at 8:45 a.m., in the clubhouse. There will be a lunch break and registrants are asked to bring a sack lunch. The days activities will conclude at 4:30 p.m.

This clinic is open to all area residents 12 years of age and up or who will be 12 prior to purchasing a 2001-2002 hunting license.

A testing session, for those who complete the Sept. 8 clinic, will be in Boyne City and Charlevoix, with the time and dates to be announced at the Sept. 9 clinic.

Attendance is mandatory at both sessions (clinic and testing) to receive the Hunter Education Certificate.

For additional information call Jim Mansen at 547-6862 or Don Lockman at 582-7127.

This clinic is free and conducted with the help of the DNR, members of the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club and volunteer instructors from the area.



Ranger to speak

The Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library will feature Pat Ranger speaking about "The Life and Times of William Ratigan" at 7 p.m. on Sept. 13 at the library. Ranger, daughter of the late William Ratigan, will talk about her father's writing and read excerpts from his published works. She will also share some newly discovered poems found in the attic of his home in Charlevoix. The late Ratigan was a Great Lakes historian, writer/author, professor and owner of the Dockside Press. Above, Pat Ranger views the collection of books authored by her late father, William Ratigan. The collection is housed in the Charlevoix Public Library's Michigan Room. (Courtesy photo)

Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weatherlane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weatherlane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday in the cafeteria of Charlevoix High School. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7

p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays.

There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous

meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrill Lee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

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Housing a problem in Charlevoix

HOUSING

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"Do we have an affordable housing problem for families with kids? Yeah, I think we do," he said.

Plus in housing coalition documentation received from the federal government, Charlevoix County fair market rents for homes and apartments are as follows: No bedroom (studio) — \$357 a month; one bedroom — \$361 a month; two bedroom — \$457 a month; three bedroom — \$621 a month and four bedroom — \$643 a month.

And according to at least two business owners in the area — who also own rental property in Charlevoix — many homes that are currently selling or renting for "affordable" rates are nothing to be proud of.

"It is very hard to find a decent house under \$150,000. There are plenty of houses out there, but they are an arm-and-a-leg," said Robin Moffat, co-owner of the Hillcrest Club, an apartment building on Huribut Street.

Terry Left, owner of the Villager Pub and Terry's Place — as well as 10 rental houses — agreed. He said there is such a need for lower income housing in the area that some landlords are just buying up homes and not fixing them up, but they can

still find people to rent them.

What it means to the area Sid Smith, of Smith Equities in Mount Pleasant — who has tried to build housing developments in the area — said this is a problem that also affects the economy.

"Employees are spending their paychecks elsewhere. The idea is you want them to put it in the local banks and grocery stores. You try to recycle the money," he said.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner agrees.

"It (a lack of affordable housing) causes workers now and in the future to live in more remote areas and to have to commute. As a result of that commuting, these people might be more apt to shop in another area rather than here," he said.

But, at least one real estate agent believes the problem is only a shortage of homes for summer workers.

"It is not a major problem year-round. Year-round employees are more likely to find a place locally," said Richard Lobenherz, president of Vacation Properties Network in Charlevoix.

However, many others believe this is a year-round problem.

Jacqueline Merta, director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, said it is hard for workers to live in Charlevoix.

"I definitely know there is a shortage of housing year-round. I do know that some business people

have problems getting people here. They hire people, but they can't find housing, so they can't employ them," she said.

Charlevoix business owner Left also agreed.

"We have to pay people so much more to live here," he said.

What can be done?

According to Amick, since the problem is caused by a higher demand for homes than the supply, one solution would be to increase the supply.

"If there is an increase in supply and it meets demand or exceeds it, we will see prices stabilize. It is that simple," he said.

But in order to increase supply, there needs to be more homes or more development. But, this has its problems.

"People don't want it around them," Amick said.

Both Morgan and Smith said basically people need to change their thinking on affordable housing. Too often, people associate affordable housing with crime and other undesirable aspects.

Smith said affordable housing allows people to stay in the community.

"The idea is for them to have an affordable place to live so they can save money and buy a home in town. You basically rent until you can afford a house. We provide them with a start," he said.



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Amick added it is up to the local politicians to realize that affordable housing is needed and to do something about it.

"They run the city and townships. They need to listen to the people, but do the right thing," he said.

Amick suggested to alleviate some of the public's fears, we should focus on allowing more developments built by local developers and to build more multi-family developments that take up less room.

But Morgan said there may not be enough local interest.

"We tend to be very cautious, careful and wary of out-of-town developers, but we don't have developers locally that want to develop affordable housing," she said.

However, according to Wiesner, it may not be as simple as just allowing more developments.

"I don't think there is a magical solution to it. I think there are a lot of desirable resort areas going through this," he said.

The future

While a solution to this problem is debated, the cost of housing will continue to rise.

According to Vogelheim, appreciation values on homes in Charlevoix are so high that a home that sold for about \$150,000 last year would sell for \$165,000. He estimated the average appreciation value on Charlevoix homes to be 8.6 percent from 2000 to 2001.

Amick pointed out past reports in the Charlevoix Courier detailing a 3.9 percent loss in population in the city of Charlevoix in the past ten years. This loss of population resulted in the loss of some state funding.

However, the census reported Charlevoix Township had 67 percent growth. Regardless, some see the worker growth coming to a halt.

Amick foresees a future when the people who work in Charlevoix, do not live in the area. This includes workers who are in support services like police officers and other government workers.

"We are not going to have full time residents here. It's all up to conjecture with what happens when our workers leave," he said. "I think the problem is solvable, but it is a pretty dangerous situation."

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Lawsuit's end may be near Lawyers request Sept. 14 hearing on sewer

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The lawsuit against the Charlevoix School District over a proposed sewer line to its new high school site on Marion Center Road may soon come to an end.

Last week, attorneys for the school district submitted a motion asking that the case be dismissed in a hearing on Sept. 14. Lawyers for the plaintiffs — Kenneth Staley, Kenneth Tunison, Robert Mossman, Paul Richards and Joseph Seidel — also submitted a motion to have the case heard on Sept. 14 by Charlevoix County Circuit Court judge Richard Pajtas without a trial.

According to documentation, the school's lawyers argue that this case is mainly a challenge against

the special bond election given in November 1999 that provided funding for the school project. They argue that the plaintiffs filed their lawsuit on Oct. 11, 2000, but the statute of limitations on this type of lawsuit is only 30 days after the election.

However, in documentation filed by the plaintiffs' attorneys, they claim the lawsuit is not over the ballot language. But, the documentation claims the school did not notify the public before the November 1999 election that part of the bond was going to be used to pay for a sewer extension to the school site.

Furthermore, the plaintiffs argue that the sewer extension that will be constructed to the school site is "grossly oversized" and will be used to benefit private develop-

ments in the area, such as a business park that would be created by the city of Charlevoix.

However, the city of Charlevoix has not publicly stated it is planning on building a business park in the Marion Center Road area, but it has been reported that officials from Marion Township and the city have looked at land in this area for just such a project.

In regard to the size of the sewer line that would be constructed to the school site, court documentation submitted by the district states the school has no power in the matter. Documentation states the sewer will be designed and constructed by the city of Charlevoix and the school will only be a customer of the city.

The school district will pay for a

portion of the sewer construction, but will receive money from any tap in fees collected by the city for the sewer. According to court documentation, the school would receive money for up to 10 years or until it is fully reimbursed the money it paid, or whichever comes first.

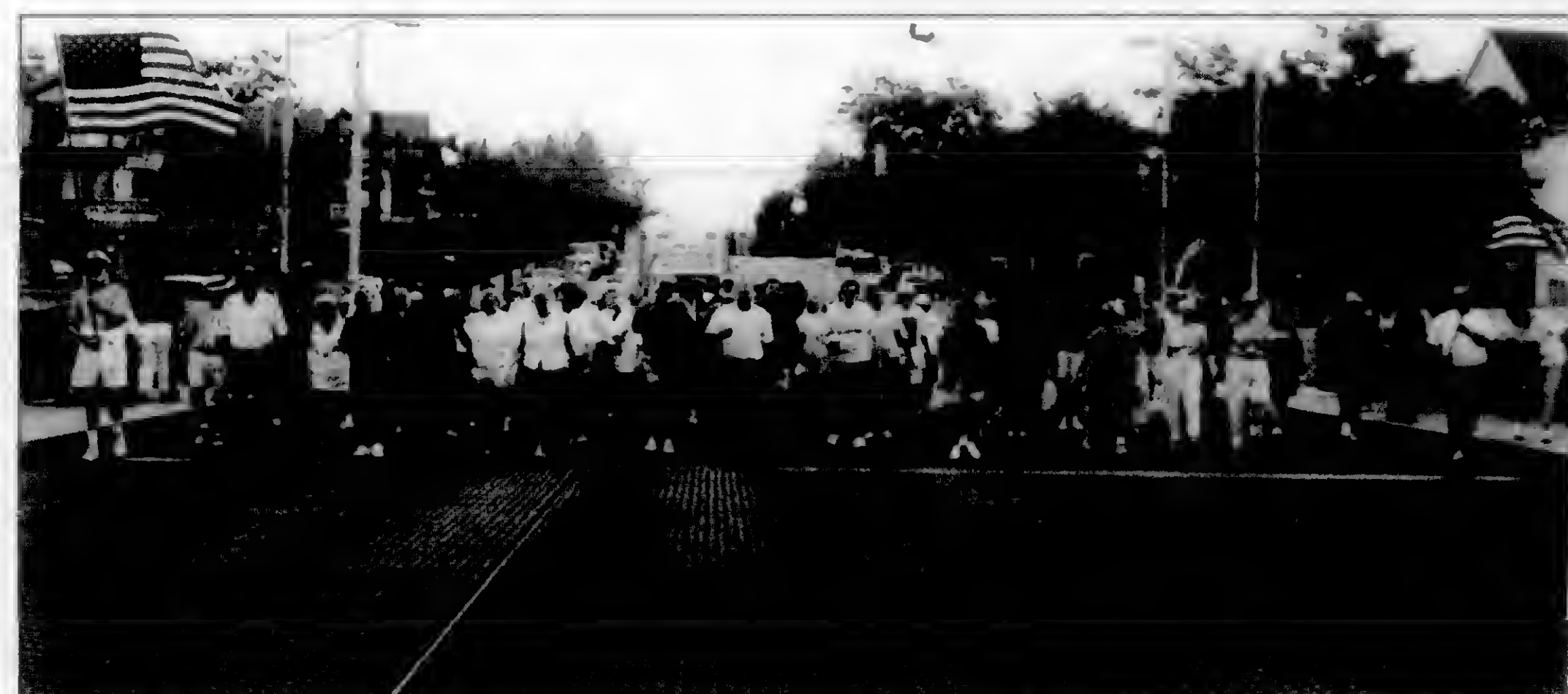
And, according to Charlevoix City Manager Mike Weisner, the size of the sewer extension has not even been determined yet.

"The engineer is working on those plans," he said. "We are sizing the sewer line to serve the general area, if it needs it in the future."

The plaintiffs in the suit are requesting the school pay "allowable costs and attorney fees."

This amount of money is not known at this time.

Season comes to a close



Little but Mighty Bridge Walk

In celebration of what is traditionally the close of the summer season, Charlevoix residents and visitors walked the bridge downtown on Labor Day. Proceeds from shirt sales at the walk went to the Charlevoix County Hospice. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Matthew Franklin Smith, 20, Petoskey. Minor in possession of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$60. Sixty hours community service and attend BASES.

Laura Kathleen Haas, 20, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$60. Sixty hours community service and attend BASES.

Tina Marie Leist, 36, Boyne City. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$805. Ten days community service in lieu of 10 days in jail. Cannot consume or possess alcohol. May not enter any bars and must submit to breath tests or urine tests requested by a probation officer or police officer.

Keith Alan Vincent, 31, East Jordan. No operators license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$65.

Raymond James Fults Jr., 24, Johannesburg. Non-sufficient funds under \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$1,180. Thirty days in jail with 30 days held in abeyance.

Timothy Ronald Wilks, 38, Bellaire. Impaired driving. Fines and costs totaling \$795. Forty-six days in jail with credit for one day. Forty days held in abeyance. Five days community service in lieu of five days in jail.

Robert Daniel Backus, 22, Mason. Impaired driving. Fines and costs totaling \$655. Thirty-four days in jail, with credit for one day. Thirty-days held in abeyance. Three days community service in lieu of three days in jail.

Roger Doyle Newborn, 45, Ypsilanti. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$805. Fifty-one days in jail with credit for one day. Twenty

days community service in lieu of 20 days in jail. Probation for one year. Must submit to breath test or urine test on request of probation officer or police officer. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

Raymond James Leist, 33, Boyne City. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$955. Forty-one days in jail, with 30 days held in abeyance. Ten days community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail. Probation for nine months. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages. Must attend AA.

Stephen Gerald Hawkins, 20, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol, third or subsequent. Fines and costs totaling \$455. Ten days of community service work. Probation for six months. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages. Must submit to a daily breath test.

Larry Allen Farmer, 41, East Jordan. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$1,280. Ninety-three days in jail, with credit for one day. Serve 14 days, 30 days on electronic monitor and 33 days held in abeyance. Ten days community service work. Probation for one year. Must submit to breath test or urine test when requested by probation officer or police officer. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

James Larkin Smith, 52, Charlevoix. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$1,240. Ninety-five days in jail, with one day credit. Serve 30 days in jail, with 31 days held in abeyance. Ten days communi-

ty service work. Probation for one year. Must submit to daily breath tests. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

Joseph Wayne Bonebrake, 24, Boyne City. Operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$1,070. Ninety-three days in jail with credit for one day. Serve 20 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 32 days held in abeyance, 10 hours community service work. One year probation. Must submit to breath test or urine test to probation officer or police officer when requested. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

Joseph Wayne Bonebrake, 24, Boyne City. Operators license suspended/denied/revoked, second or more. Fines and costs totaling \$830. Sentenced to 180 days in jail, with credit for one day. Serve 20 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 129 days held in abeyance. Probation for one year.

Paul Douglas Hoffman, 41, Charlevoix. Impaired driving. Fines and costs totaling \$665. Sentenced to 34 days in jail, with credit for one day. Thirty days held in abeyance, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail. Probation for six months. Must submit to breath test or urine test upon request of a probation officer or police officer. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

Korie Al-lynn Gocha, 23, Petoskey. Operators license suspended/denied/revoked. Fines and costs totaling \$435. Must be paid by Oct. 1, 2001 or serve 20 days in jail.

Michael Dale Rosinski, 20, Boyne

City. Minor in possession of alcohol, third or more. Fines and costs totaling \$520. Probation for six months. Must submit to a breath or urine test upon request of a probation officer or police officer. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

Daniel Curtis Parker, 40, Charlevoix. Disorderly person/drunken. Thirty days in jail with credit for 21 days.

Kevin Michael Krupsky, 40, Livonia. Impaired driving. Fines and costs totaling \$655. Sentenced to 34 days in jail with credit for one day. Three days community service work in lieu of three days in jail. Probation for six months. Must submit to a breath or urine test upon request of a probation officer or police officer. Not to consume or possess alcoholic beverages.

Mary Ann Tuschak, 48, Petoskey. Three counts of writing a check with no account. Bound over to circuit court.

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Jeffrey James Umbra, 43, Boyne City and Tammy Ann Schroeder, 38, Boyne City

Bobby Jo Givens, 28, Charlevoix and Christy Lynn Hicks, 26,

Charlevoix

Gregory Scott Haase, 29, New Haven, Conn. and Lynne Cecelia Monton, 27, Cincinnati, Ohio

Jeffrey Michael Derenzy, 31, Boyne City and Erin Leanna Hardy, 23, Boyne City

Assumed Names
The following business has filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Boss's Hilltop Farm, 15951 Boss Road, Charlevoix, by Nathan J. Boss and Kathryn J. Boss.

Births

Tristan Mateo Espinobarros, weighing 7 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Oscar and Autumn Rosas of East Jordan on Aug. 28, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Grandparents are Dennis and Carol Alper of Boyne City and Rosa Vazquez Espinobarros of Puebla Mexico.

Lauren Michelle was born July 29, 2001 to Larry and Karla Reising of Snoqualmie, Wash. Lauren weighed 7 pounds at birth. Grandparents are Marilyn Reising of Charlevoix and Jim and Linda Nold of Washington.



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Crowds examined the dry fuel storage container and a model of the rods that contain the fuel at the nuclear facility's open house last week. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Sept. 2	64	50	—
Sept. 3	78	53	—

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Big Rock unveils container for dry fuel at open house

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Big Rock Point Nuclear Power Plant hosted several area residents Aug. 29 as it unveiled the first of its eight dry fuel storage containers on the newly constructed cement pad.

"I am very happy with the turn-out. From a public affairs standpoint, you can talk-and-talk about (the containers), but seeing it is worth 1,000 words," said Tim Petrosky, public affairs director at Big Rock.

Those in attendance at the event received a rare chance to stand next to one of the containers, which did not contain the highly radioactive dry fuel currently in the nuclear plant. As Big Rock is dismantled, the dry fuel must be stored on site until the opening of the Yucca Mountain facility in Nevada by the federal government.

Therefore the fuel will spend the rest of its time housed in 8 large concrete containers that will sit on a cement platform

on Big Rock property surrounding by security. Once it is all in place, the project will have used 167 tons of concrete to house the dry fuel.

The concrete pad the containers will sit on is about the size of a basketball court. The containers themselves are 19 feet high and 11.5 feet in diameter. The exterior layer of concrete on the containers — which surrounds a metal container with the dry fuel — is two-and-a-half feet thick.

Mike Bourassa, dry fuel storage project manager for Big Rock, said the containers are designed to withstand practically anything from floods to tornados. Plus, they will be monitored to make sure nothing happens to the fuel con-

tained within them.

The process to put the fuel in the containers will be equally as safe, Bourassa said. All of the fuel will be loaded into the containers inside the nuclear power plant. The containers will then be slowly moved to the concrete pad on-site.

The vehicle that will be used to move the containers will be followed and surrounded by several safety personnel and it will travel at speeds of only 2 mph. Additionally, there will be a backup driver in the vehicle during the transport, in case something happens to the main driver.

"The safety precautions that we will have in place would boggle your mind," added Petrosky.



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Your question of the month

The results are in from the latest "What do you think?" question.

The question was "What should be done about drugs in our schools?" No one responded to this question.

Perhaps this lack of response represents what the problem is — people do not want to address drugs in schools. In many cases we seem to think drugs could never be a problem in Charlevoix; we turn our heads at the reports and ignore the warning signs.

Well, there is a problem. Charlevoix is like many school districts throughout Michigan grappling with the issue of student drug use. Several times last year, that drug use took place during school hours. This issue needs to be addressed.

Perhaps the first way that this issue can be addressed is by the community admitting the problem is here.

Now onto this month's "What do you think?" question.

Currently there is a push in the state legislature to replace the robin as the official state bird. Some people think the chickadee would make a better

What do you think?

state bird because it stays in Michigan throughout the winter, unlike the robin that migrates south.

Still, others think both of these birds are not fitting for the state and point out Michigan is the only place in the United States that the Kirtland warbler nests.

And still others do not even see the need for a state bird.

So, what do you think Charlevoix? Should we change the state bird?

Keep your answers to about 250 words and remember to sign them. The deadline for answers is 5 p.m., Sept. 28. All answers will be published in the Oct. 3 edition of the *Charlevoix Courier*.

Answers can be mailed to the *Charlevoix Courier* at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com; faxed to (231) 547-4992 or dropped off at our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix.

What do you think?

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Gilbert shares tales of her trip to Beaver Island



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

Yes, you can turn back the clock! If you've never been to Beaver Island, treat yourself for an overnight visit and marvel at the way things were 50 years ago.

Instead of the 20 minute plane ride from Charlevoix, we chose to take the two hour boat ride. Beaver Island is all of 6 miles wide and 13 miles long, it has a winter population less than 400, there is no jail, and the speed limit on the King's Highway is 25 miles an hour.

Our first stop was the Shamrock — a local pub that I jokingly refer to as the "Island's YMCA." It was reassuring that nothing had changed since I was there last! On the right is the same long bar where mothers with toddlers chat with the bar maid, while waiting for carry-out orders. Straight ahead is the juke box, two pool tables and a dance floor frequented by teen-agers. Seated on the left are construction workers having beer. The decor is vintage '50's.

We heard the food was good at the Shamrock, now owned by my friend, Eric Hodgson, so we decided to go there for dinner. A waitress

brought us the menu and my grandchildren, Victoria and Bob, ordered native whitefish while I ordered lamb chops. We all agreed — delicious! For dessert, a fresh peach pie with vanilla ice cream was the finest. Eric arranged for a rented car to be brought to us at the Shamrock so we could cruise the island the next day.

We had tried to book rooms at the Beaver Island Lodge, but they were full, so we took a \$100 suite at the newly remodeled, two story, Emerald Isle Hotel. Here time truly stands still. Our upstairs rooms, no elevator, no phones or air conditioning, were clean and spacious with a TV.

The next morning, after a good night's sleep, we had a tasty breakfast at Dalwhinnie's, which means "meeting place" in Irish. For the rest of the day we toured the island with stops at the Harbor Light House where many outdoor weddings are performed. We visited the Marine Museum, Print Shop Museum and the Toy Museum — where I bought all my Halloween hand-outs for this year. With much friendly hand-waving, we cruised around the island on narrow roads under a canopy of green trees. We took pictures at Whiskey Point. We stopped for a delicious lunch at a plain red barn called Stoney Acre Grill. In the afternoon we took a swim at a gorgeous, sandy beach called Iron Ore Bay. Here property values have caught up with the times and lots are selling for \$200,000!

But this is only the beginning of what's in store for the island in the foreseeable future. The legislature in Lansing passed a bill unanimously allocating \$4.5 million in funding to build new year-round medical facilities on both Beaver and Mackinac islands, but Governor Engler vetoed the Beaver Island proposed new medical center, saying he would consider funding for the fiscal year 2003 budget. Here's hoping!

For those who are not familiar with the island's fascinating history it pays to read up on it. Originally inhabited by Native Americans, it was settled by Irish fishermen in the early 1800s. In the middle 1850s Mormons, under the leadership of self-proclaimed King James Jesse Strang, briefly populated the island. When he was shot, his followers fled the island. Early fishing and logging has been replaced today with construction and tourism which means you could be greeted with a hearty Gaelic "cead mil failte" or "one hundred thousand welcomes!"

For more useful information please contact the Chamber of Commerce at www.chamber@beaverisland.org

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident, and columnist for the *Charlevoix Courier*. Her column: *appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier*. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.

Letters to the editor

Thank you

Editor:
The intent of this letter is to thank everyone involved in the first annual Helen Open golf outing that took place Aug. 19. It was a great success, raising over \$10,000 to benefit the American Cancer Society and Charlevoix County Hospice.

Without our generous donors, tireless volunteers and endless

support of the Weislik family, this event would have never occurred. The vision for this outing began over a year ago. Through the pain and sadness of Helen Weislik's passing, we continued the planning. We believe she would have approved of her day and would want us to continue with this new Charlevoix tradition, inspired by her.

Again, a heartfelt thank you to

all who were involved or supported this cause in any way. You are too numerous to list individually, but each of you were instrumental to the success of the Helen Open.

Rochelle Whippo
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Great camp

Editor:
Many out-of-towners had a great camp experience. The head of the camp, Amy Pott, did a marvelous job running the camp. The counselors were also exceptionally great. If there is a way to acknowledge this group of Camp McSaubia staff in the Courier I would appreciate it.
Marcie Israel
Charlevoix/Farmington Hills

Column response

Editor:
I'm writing this in response to Edith Gilbert's column in the Aug. 22, 2001 Courier, "The dog days of summer bring a hairy new visitor."

I enjoyed reading her column immensely because I am a great dog lover and have a wonderful golden retriever named Samson. I must, however, take exception about her comment that, "the only motel that accepts pets is The Lodge." The Charlevoix Sleep Inn does also accept dogs

and cats and they were extremely hospitable to us when we used to arrive with two golden retrievers.

Before we purchased our place in Charlevoix, we were contented guests at the Sleep Inn numerous times! I think they deserve some recognition, too. Thanks Edith for introducing me to a new breed of dog, the Dogue de Bordeaux. I wish that I'd had a chance to meet her "grand-dog!"

Wendy Perrett
Charlevoix

CROP Walk set goal of raising \$18,000

The 18th Annual Charlevoix County CROP Walk has been scheduled for Sept. 29.

Local coordinators from Charlevoix, Boyne City and East Jordan met with Johanna Balzer, associate director of Michigan Church World Service/CROP, to set goals for the 2001 Walk. The goal was set at getting 138 walkers out and earning \$18,000 for the cause.

Special award pins will be given to walkers who raise \$150 or more.

CROP Walks are interfaith community events that are affiliated with the Church World Service. The service works with disaster relief, development and refugee resettlement.

Walkers are urged to ask family, friends and co-workers to

sponsor them for this event. Sponsor envelopes are available from local churches.

Though most of the funds will be used by Church World Service in overseas relief and development work, 25 percent is returned to the communities in Charlevoix County to be used by the local food pantries.

In the 2000 walk, 139 walkers earned a best-ever \$19,050. The food pantries in Boyne City, East Jordan and Charlevoix received \$1,586.87 to use in combating hunger.

Charlevoix walkers start from the high school on May Street, Boyne City walkers start from Whiting Park for the approximately six mile hike to Ironton where they will meet with East Jordan walkers who start from

Elm Point. All walkers will begin the journey at 9 a.m. following the 8:30 a.m. registration.

Charlevoix Kiwanis takes its turn this year serving a snack of hot dogs and soft drinks or coffee to the walkers before they are transported back to their starting points.

"We walk because they walk," is the CROP Walk motto which refers to the millions of people around the world who must walk for food, for shelter, for water and for survival.

For further information on volunteering to walk or to sponsor a walker call Diana Walls in Boyne City at 582-6485, Marge Teske in East Jordan at 536-3128 or Kay Smith in Charlevoix at 547-2920.

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Homelessness a problem in area

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

(Editor's note: This is the second in a series examining housing in the area.)

According to the Charlevoix Emmet Housing Coalition, there are about 50 families in the Charlevoix area that are currently homeless.

"There is a homeless problem in this area," said Craig Swanson, housing crisis intervention specialist of the coalition. While most of the homeless in the area are living with family or friends, some of them spend their summers camping in the woods.

The reasons for homelessness in this area are many.

"A lot of times it is inconsistent work, seasonal work, inadequate income and housing rental prices too high," he said.

But there are places homeless in the area can turn to for temporary help. In Charlevoix, there is the Ezra House located on Mason Street and in Petoskey, there is the Nehemiah House on Bridge Street.

According to Tim Boyko of the Ezra House, people have been staying in the house almost weekly. Those taking advantage of the service have been anyone from couples to families.

Boyko said the Ezra House is just an emergency shelter for people.

ple. Usually after staying with them, those needing housing move into temporary housing.

"There is a demand for emergency shelters and recently we have seen an increase in calls," he said.

While he said most of the people making use of the Ezra House are those who are trying to stabilize themselves in the economic system.

But, while the Ezra House is experiencing an increase in calls the Nehemiah House has reported a decrease in use.

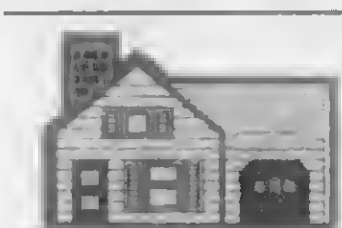
According to the Rev. Ward Potts, director/chaplain of the house, the service usually experiences an increase in the summer. However, this August saw less people in the house than in the past.

"I am not sure how to explain it," he said.

The house generally serves about 2,500 to 2,600 people a year and serves meals twice a day.

Potts also said there are many reasons for homelessness in this area. Some of it is caused by alcohol and drug abuse, another factor in an increasing number of mental patients and some people travel throughout the country from shelter-to-shelter.

Lastly, he said, a growing cause is people who hear about all the jobs the area has to offer and they



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come, only to find out the housing prices are very high.

Potts said in order for people to get into a rental home in this area, they generally must have anywhere between \$800 to \$1,000.

"That does not happen in a week or two. That is where a shelter is great help," he said.

Both Potts and Swanson said an added problem for lower income families is the importance of credit in getting a rental.

While there are lower-income apartment complexes in Charlevoix, many times people have to have good credit to get into them, something many of the poor do not have.

According to Heidi Lowell, resident manager of Pine Cove Apartments — a lower income apartment complex in Charlevoix — credit is used very often.

If a person has "borderline" bad credit, she said they are often given the opportunity to have a co-signer on their lease. An example of "borderline" bad credit would be someone with no credit history.

If a person has several judgments against them on their credit report, especially from a former landlord, they will probably not be

approved, Lowell said. All of these decisions are made in Lansing by Pine Cove's main office, Lansing Management.

Of the 94 units in Pine Cove, currently 91 of them are filled, Lowell said. The process to get an apartment in the complex takes about two weeks.

While the causes of homelessness are many, the ways to solve it are complex.

According to Potts, solving homelessness would involve asking very uncomfortable questions of ourselves and our community.

"That is painful. People have to be willing to face change," Potts said. And too often our culture hurts this effort by allowing people to not learn to be self-sufficient or self-motivating.

But, the good news, according to Potts, is he has seen many more successes than failures.

For more information on the Nehemiah House or to tour the house call Potts at his pager at (231) 516-1851. The house is open from 5 p.m. to 8 a.m. daily.

For more information on the Ezra House, call Boyko at 237-0000.

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AKtion Club chartered by local Kiwanis

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The motto of the AKtion Club is, "where development has no disability."

And no one knows what that means better than Betty Pridnia, 51, vice president of the AKtion Club.

Pridnia made a big thank-you banner for executive director of the Bergmann Center, Suzanne Muma that she presented to her at the weekly club meeting that took place at the Charlevoix Senior Center in early August.

Muma's eyes welled up with tears. "Tears of happiness," she said.

The AKtion Club, that Muma has played a role in organizing, started two years ago and on Aug. 7 it became an official part of the international Kiwanis organization.

AKtion Club district administrator, Ed Buday said his goal is to get as many AKtion Clubs started as possible. He said the thrust of the club is to, "Give adult people with disabilities the opportunity to serve the community."

In that service, Muma has

seen the members grow emotionally. She said it has not only been a positive experience for AKtion club members but also for the community.

"People get to see their abilities versus their disabilities," she explained.

Pridnia said the club has taught her so many things. "To learn how to function in the real world. I learned that I can say speeches and I don't have anxiety near as much as I used to," Pridnia explained.

"This club kind of brought me out of my shell," she added. Buday said the Charlevoix

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"This club brought me out of my shell."

Betty Pridnia,
AKtion Club vice president

chapter is the first chartered AKtion Club in Michigan and the sixth in the United States.

"I observed AKtion Clubs at international conventions, came back and felt we had a group of people who were challenged at the Bergmann Center and for years had done community service. This was an opportunity to get them some recognition," Buday said.

Projects the club has been a part of include; bell ringing for the Salvation Army, packing and delivering fruit baskets for seniors, delivering commodities for the Commission on Aging, and Meals on Wheels for the Senior Center. Muma said the club averages 30 man hours of volunteer work every month. The group currently has 15 chartered members.

Convention center may be in future

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The city may be getting a convention center in the near future.

At the Aug. 27 Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority meeting, Jacqueline Merta, president of

the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, asked that the city share the cost of doing a feasibility study on a convention center in downtown Charlevoix, to be located at the southwest corner of Dixon and Michigan avenues.

The city would share the cost of

this study with the chamber and the Charlevoix Convention and Visitors Bureau, Merta wrote in a letter to the city. The authority was cautious about the project and has instructed city staff to determine how much such a study would cost.

According to Mike Wiesner,

Charlevoix city manager, a convention center would help bring more people to Charlevoix during the off-season months to shop at local businesses and eat in local restaurants.

Wiesner said the city will propose to get a grant for the study. If the

project is approved, he said there are probably grants available to build the convention center.

The property being looked at is located at 113 Michigan Avenue and is currently occupied by a bed and breakfast inn.

Registration time for preschool

It's registration time at Charlevoix Children's House. Its goal is to meet the overall developmental needs of each individual child, in partnership with its families.

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It accepts children through third grade for after-school care. Bus service is provided from the local elementary school. Also, a scholarship program is available. Call 547-5599 for more information.

Business seminar to be given

SCORE (Counselors to America's Small Business) and NLEA (Northern Lakes Economic Alliance) are offering a seminar entitled "How to Start and Manage Your Own Business."

The two-part seminar will take place from 7 to 10 p.m. on consecutive Wednesdays, Sept. 26 and Oct. 3, at North Central Michigan College. Check-in will begin at 6:30 p.m. on Sept. 26.

SCORE and NLEA members say the seminar is for new entrepreneurs as well as established business owners. Local business professionals will discuss topics to include: the business plan; protecting your idea and structuring your business; conducting market research; marketing and sales tools and techniques; financial concepts and money management; financing; and internet marketing.

The cost of the two-night seminar is \$40 per person. Advance registration is required by calling the Petoskey Regional Chamber of Commerce at 347-4150.

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Award ceremony to be presented by art center

In recognition of eddi Offield's personal and positive impact on the quality of life afforded to the people of Emmet and Charlevoix counties, the Crooked Tree Arts Center is presenting the first of what is expected to become the annual eddi Awards.

Over 100 nominations, representing many talented individuals and organizations were received for the first eddi Awards. The committee chairmen, Jane Millar of Petoskey and Steven Palmer of Harbor Springs are organizing this inaugural event.

"The caliber of the nominations made us realize the incredible talent were surrounded with in Northern Michigan," said Millar.

The selection committee recently met to determine the

award recipients. The award winners will be announced at the first eddi Awards celebration on Sept. 21. The panel of judges included Mary Adams, Charlevoix; Bill Aten, Boyne Falls; Jim Gillespie, Harbor Springs; Joe Hickey, Harbor Springs; Martha Landis, Boyne City; Peggy Midener, East Jordan; Meredith Richter, Petoskey; Rod Slocum, Bay View and Steve Spencer, Harbor Springs.

"How wonderful to be a part of the process of providing recognition to tremendously deserving people and organizations," said Aten regarding his responsibility as a member of the selection committee.

Fellow committee member, Mary Adams, said, "The selection process was difficult. All

nominees have made great contributions to the arts and culture."

The categories for the awards are as follows: Visual Artist Award, Performing Artist Award, Arts and Cultural Organization Award, Arts in Education Award, Arts and Cultural Leadership Award, Individual Patron Award, Benefactor Award and Lifetime Achievement Award.

The Bay View Inn will be the location of the first eddi Awards celebration. The awards dinner is scheduled at 7 p.m., Sept. 21. Champagne and hors d'oeuvres will kick off the night, followed by dinner and dessert and the awards presentation.

Individual tickets are priced at \$75 per person.

Obituaries

Beryl Livingston: May 10, 1916 - Sept. 1, 2001

Mrs. Beryl Livingston, 85, of Rockford went to be with her Lord on Sept. 1, 2001 after living courageously with cancer for over a year.

Beryl was born May 10, 1916 in Petoskey where she met and married David Livingston of Charlevoix, her husband of nearly 63 years. They moved to Rockford in 1942.

Beryl was a devoted wife and mother. She was a loving hostess and encouraging person to the many friends and family members who came to her home.

She was a faithful follower of Jesus Christ and an active member of First Congregational Church of Rockford. She was also a member of the OES, a volunteer at North Kent Service Center and worked in the credit department of Wolverine World Wide for 22 years.

Beryl was preceded in death by her son, Richard, formerly of Grand Rapids, her sister and brother-in-law, Elva and Martin Bartholomy, formerly of Rockford, her brother Dan and sister-in-law, Elizabeth Herrington, formerly of San Jose, Calif.; her sister and brother-in-law, Thelma and Carroll Watts, formerly of Thomasville, Ga.; her sister and brother-in-law, Hilda Gay and Clifton Mallory, formerly of Belleville; her sister and brother-in-law, Avis and Jim Beals, formerly of Advance; and brother-in-law, Wiley Vought, formerly of Boyne City; a sister-in-law, Janet Livingston, formerly of Charlevoix and Archie Livingston of Florida.

Surviving Beryl are her husband, David Livingston; daughter, Margery Livingston of Rockford; sister Merla Vought of Boyne City,

David's sister and brother-in-law, Estelle and Ralph Hahn of Sun City West, Ariz.; sister-in-law Esther Livingston of Zephyrhills, Fla.; sister-in-law, Leone Mick of Bellaire; nieces, nephews and their families.

The service for Beryl is at 10:30 a.m. today at the Pederson Funeral Home in Rockford. The service will be officiated by Pastor Laurel TenHave-Chapman. Interment will follow at Blytheville Memory Gardens.

Those wishing to make a memorial contribution are asked to consider the First Congregational Church of Rockford designated for the Roofing Project or the Mission Project of Beryl's daughter at BMC International, 237 Fairfield Avenue, Upper Darby, Pa. 19082 (specify Congo Literature Fund, which provides Bible lessons for African children.)

Larry James Swanson: June 17, 1936 - Aug. 30, 2001

Larry James Swanson, 65, of Charlevoix, died Aug. 30, 2001 at his home from complications related to ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) following a three-year illness.

The funeral was at 3 p.m., Sept. 2 at Charlevoix Community Church of God. Pastor Neil Turner officiated and burial followed at Barnard Cemetery.

Larry was born June 17, 1936, to Lawrence O. "Stub" and Alma (Hartwell) Swanson in Charlevoix. He attended Charlevoix Public Schools, graduating in 1955.

On May 17, 1958 he married Verna Williams at United Missionary Church in East Jordan.

He served in the U.S. Army from 1959-1962. After his service with the Army, he and his wife, returned

to Charlevoix, where they made their home.

Larry was employed with the family business, Swanson Construction, for many years. He also worked at Freeman Aircraft, Kloooster Equipment and retired from Medusa/Southdown Cement Company. He was an accomplished driver and operator of heavy equipment. He also owned and operated his own lawn care business.

He enjoyed hunting, camping, woodworking, his family (particularly his grandchildren) and his friends who fondly referred to him by his nickname "Speedy."

He was a member of Charlevoix Community Church of God. He was a charter member of the Charlevoix Township Fire Department and also

served with the Charlevoix City Fire Department for many years.

In addition to his wife, Verna, he is survived by three sons, L. Scott (Kathy) Swanson of Indian River, Gregg (Janice) Swanson of East Jordan, Nick (Melissa) Swanson of Charlevoix; mother, Alma Swanson, of Charlevoix; sister, Nancy Burdick of Ypsilanti; three brothers, Tom (Joan) Swanson of Tucson, Ariz., Kevin (Barb) Swanson of Charlevoix; five grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

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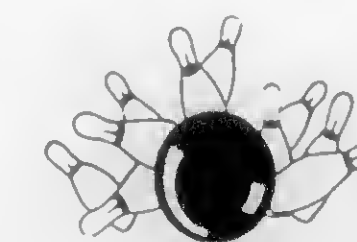
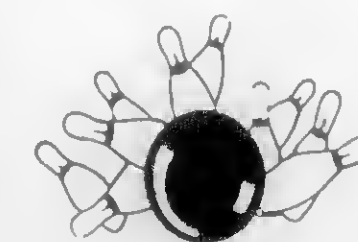
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FOOTBALL



Charlevoix varsity football team members are: (Front, from left) Joe Streeter, Todd Carey, Dennis Avery, Delos Lanterman, Josh Scott, Nick Pizzurro, Jef Urban, manager Sam Balasz, (middle) assistant coach Roger Gowell, assistant coach Steve Hopkins, Mike Cornett, Kyle Dobrowolski, Nick Schwein, Ryan Rafacz, Pat Gowell, Landon Brown, Matt Kilkenny, Nick Potter, assistant coach Brian Certa, (back) assistant coach Tim Carey, Matt Kochanny, Chris Loper, Donovan Swanson, Keith Daly, Rob Boss, Gordie Lake, Nate Teuscher, Cillin Keller, Marshall Bakker and head coach Todd Klingler. (Photo courtesy of the Petoskey News-Review). Front page photo: Rob Boss and Jennifer McClellan. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Football team looking for another success

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix varsity football team may be the ones to beat this year.

After a successful season last year that ended with the Rayders winning the league championship, Charlevoix coach Todd Klingler said many of the other teams in the Lake Michigan Conference will be gunning for them this year.

"We have a target on our backs this year," he said.

But the Rayders will have a great set of players to keep those other teams frustrated. According to Klingler, one of their greatest advantages is the size and strength of the defensive and offensive lines.

On the offensive line is Rob Boss, Nick Schwein, Chris Loper, Landon Brown, Marshall Bakker, Nick Potter and Matt Kochanny. Boss, Brown, Bakker, Potter, Loper and Kochanny are also on the defensive line. They are joined by Gordie Lake, who will be playing defensive end.

Adding to the power of the lines will be the experienced offensive catching of Ryan Rafacz — he was named all state honorable mention last year — and Keith Daly at tight end. They are joined by Nate Teuscher as quarterback — Nate's brother, Jeremiah, was the Rayder's quarterback last year — Nick Pizzurro as fullback and Jeff Urban as tailback. Other backfield players will be Patrick Gowell and Todd Carey. Linebackers will be Donovan Swanson, Kyle Dobrowolski, Pizzurro and Schwein. The defensive

secondary will be made up of Rafacz, Daly, Gowell, Carey, Dennis Avery and Matt Kilkenny.

While Klingler is fielding some very experienced and strong players on the line, he said his biggest weakness is an inexperienced backfield.

"We have had concerns all pre-season. We feel this group has potential, but we are hoping they can minimize their mistakes early," he said.

And Klingler will need these players to get their mistakes out of the way quickly, because he

feels he will face the strongest competitors during the first two games of the season: St. Ignace on Aug. 24 and Benzie Central on Aug. 31.

"These could be the best teams we face all year," he said. Both teams have a strong nucleus of returning players.

The last senior is Kathryn Ricks, who Parrish calls his "long range bomber." Ricks is expected to improve throughout the season to be a complete player with well developed skills.

In addition to the team's seniors, is junior Candace Boss. Boss is new to the team, but Parrish says she is a "good student of the game."

Another season of excitement expected

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Rayder fans may have another season of excitement with the Charlevoix High School girls' basketball team.

The team, which ended its season last year with an impressive run in the tournaments, is looking to relive those moments this year. With several key players from last year still on the team, fans may have déjà vu.

"We are looking really good. We are going to stay in the old frame as last year as a running team, pressing team and full court team," interim head coach Jim Parrish said.

Helping the team along are a core group of seniors.

"Our seniors are the girls that will make this year a success, because they have put in all the time, effort and dedication that has been asked of each player to make this system as successful as it has been," Parrish said.

Leading the team will be Jennifer McClellan, a returning senior who Parrish calls "the general."

Another leader will be Krista Swenor, also a returning senior. Parrish said Swenor is more like a player/coach for the team.

The last senior is Kathryn Ricks, who Parrish calls his "long range bomber." Ricks is expected to improve throughout the season to be a complete player with well developed skills.

In addition to the team's seniors, is junior Candace Boss. Boss is new to the team, but Parrish says she is a "good student of the game."

The Rayders will also have two sophomores on the team this year, Rachel Wyniawskij and Alyssia McDonough.

Parrish said Wyniawskij is a

good shooter that will "help shape the future of this program."

McDonough is the team's "most valuable swing player," Parrish said. This is because she can play every position on the court and she knows every play, he said.

Rounding out this year's girls' basketball team is freshman Grace Farrell. Parrish said she came to the team with some very good basketball skills that have enabled him to change around the offense more.

But, the team has had some difficulties that its players must overcome. First was a season ending injury to a top player then the resignation of their coach, Jason Otter, before the season began.

The injured player was Danielle Vogelheim, who was expected to accomplish a lot of things for the team this year.

"She is probably one of the school's best girl athletes. It hurts not having her," Parrish said.

As for the coaching situation, Parrish was Otter's assistant coach and is not new to girls' basketball. Parrish was responsible for starting the freshman girls' basketball program at Charlevoix High School.

And backing him up will be former middle school principal, now teacher, Dick Swenor. Swenor has a good deal of experience with basketball coaching.

On top all this is the team's weaknesses in size and strength, as compared to other teams they will face.

The Rayders will need to put these problems behind them though as they take on a very beefed up schedule that will include some very tough teams.

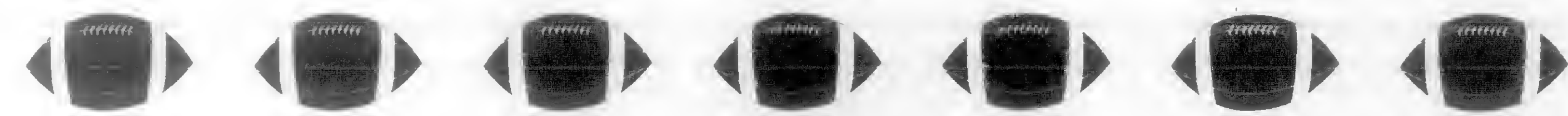
This schedule includes teams like St. Ignace, who are two-time state champions and Glen Lake, who has a player that was named one of the top 20 in the nation.



The Charlevoix varsity basketball team is: (Front, from left) Jennifer McClellan, Kathryn Ricks, Krista Swenor, Kati Swenor, (back) assistant coach Dick Swenor, Alyssia McDonough, Grace Farrell, Candace Boss, Rachel Wyniawskij and head coach Jim Parrish. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



The junior varsity team is: Betsy Dennis, Abby VanHorn, Sara Cross, Lexie Evans, Jenny Lopez, Brittany Niswander, Madison McKenzie, Karl Way Jaime Pettis, (back) coach Lisa Carlson, Shayna Drost, Katie Way, Brooke Blanchard, Jessica Pettis, Becca Kanline and coach Mike Dennis. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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CROSS COUNTRY

Teams have many skills to call on this year

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The boys' and girls' cross country team's coaches say they are strong and ready to make a run to state this year.

According to coach Ken Plude, the boys' cross country team has five of its seven varsity runners returning to the field this year. They are: Tim Daining, Peter Gorkiewicz, Gordie Selph, Josh Popenhagen and Zach Bajos.

The rest of the runners will come from the other 23 boys who have come out for the cross country team this year, he said.

"We are an experienced team now," Ken added.

Added to this, he said the team is very easy to coach.

"They have goals, which makes it a lot easier when they are prepared," Ken said. The team was very close to making state last year, which only added to their desire for this year.

"They are going for it all," he said.

Some of the rising stars on the team include Elijah Pace, Abraham Dhaseleer, Grant Woods, Cody McCary, Jason Westernbroek, Tom Aepelbacher and Brian Christiansen.

But, Plude is going to have to call on his experienced runners as the team faces strong competition from East Jordan and Harbor Springs. Last year, East Jordan was the division state champions.

Girls' coach Mary Plude said her team also has a lot more depth this year.

"We have eight girls that are faster than our number three girl last year," she said. Added to this, Liz Ulrich and Katie Swenor are



The boys' cross country team is: (front, from left) Tom Aepelbacher, Caleb McCary, Alex Weller, Brian Christiansen, Grant Woods, Zack Bajos, Josh Popenhagen, (back) Coach Ken Plude, Tim Daining, Michael Flow-ers, Andy Geis, Jason Westernbroek, Cody McCary, Peter Gorkiewicz, Will Barrett and Ethan Winchester. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



The girls' cross country team is: (front, from left) Anastasia Soulier, Anne Strawbridge, Jayme Murray, Taryn Drost, Stephanie Dickinson, Sammy Keie, Elizabeth Madison, (back) coach Marylyn Moorhead, Kelly Way, AnnaKate Trubilowicz, Sonya Plude, Natasha Klieber, Brenna Bergmann, Brittany Simonti, Kate Madison and coach Mary Plude. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

back; both went to state last year.

According to Mary, up-and-coming runners are: Brenna Bergmann, Jayme Murray, Michelle Rowe, Liz Madison, Taryn Drost, Betsy Tebeau, Sonya Plude and Brittney Simon-

ti.

"They are all vying for the seven varsity positions," she said.

Like the boys' team, the girls' team will also face tough competition.

Mary said in the conference,

the big teams will be East Jordan

and Boyne City. Three of the teams that qualified for state last year are in the same conference that Charlevoix is in. For the regional, the teams to beat will be Elk Rapids, Suttons Bay and

Boyne City.

"We want to mix it up and be one of them," she said.

But, they already have a great base for Mary to work with in order to get them ready.

"They are excellent," she said.

SOCCER



The varsity soccer team is: (front, from left) Andrew Tillotson, Roscoe Serrels, Alex Callihan, John DiMartino, Stephen Andreae, Andrew Mailloux, (middle) Bo Moore, Shawn McDonough, Jason Haas, Travis Smith, Nick Hosler, Cody Wheat, Kelsey Barnard, (back) assistant coach Tom Conlan, Mike Dupis, Colin Seguin, Kiel Tilley, Spencer Bryan, Bryce Daly, John Curtis, Ezra Bakker and coach Josh Block. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Soccer team looking forward to season

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

While coach Josh Block may have only four returning players on the boys' varsity soccer team this year, he is excited about the fact he has 30 boys who have come out for the team this year.

"That is the most we have ever had," he said. This gives Charlevoix a chance to really

build a soccer program for the future.

But, with so many inexperienced players, Block cautioned, "It may take us several weeks to get to the point of playing great soccer. A lot of the other teams have a jump on us."

Regardless, Block said this year's offense looks very good.

"It is the most coachable offense I have ever had. I don't

have much speed, but everyone has pretty good ball handling skills," he said.

And the defensive portion of the team is fantastic, he added, especially the goalie Kyle Tilley. Other defensive players include John DiMartino, Ezra Bakker, Bryce Daly and Colin Seguin.

"They are just a great bunch of athletes," Block said. "Between the defense and the goalie, we are

real solid."

Block will need these strong soccer skills as the team takes on a season in a bigger and tougher division.

"I think someone from our division will make it all the way this year," he said.

As for the teams they will face, Block said Harbor Springs is one group Charlevoix loves to beat. Other strong teams will be

Roscommon and Houghton Lake.

"Those will probably be the top three teams," he said.

Charlevoix's hopes are to make it to the conference championship this year and walk away with the title. And Block thinks this is not just a pipe dream for the team.

"If those guys stick to it, they are going to be there. I am very excited about this year," he said.



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GOLF



The golf team is: (Front, from left) Matthew Nitchman, York Smith, Jake Burns, (middle) David Shearer, Allen Couture, Gene Foley, Adam Wager, (back) Travis Glowney, Nick Cole, Allen Brooks, Chris Golski, Kreg Wager, Ryan DeYoung. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Depth may help team meet goals

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

With two seniors, two juniors and two sophomores making up the starting six on the Charlevoix varsity golf team, Coach Jim Glynn feels the team is solid enough to take the championship this year.

"We are spread out pretty good. They give good balance," he said.

Currently, the starting six are: David Shearer in the first spot, Jordan Nystrom in second, a toss up between Nick Cole and Nate Brooks in third, York Smith in fourth and Craig Wager fifth.

The sixth spot is the focal point of a real battle between many junior varsity golf team members. Leading the charge for this coveted spot on the varsity team is Jake Burns and Allen Couture.

"There is a lot of competition

(for the varsity spots)," Glynn said. But, competition for these spots creates some great players and an all around solid team, he added.

The team captain this year is Shearer. Shearer was named all state last year and is expected to take that title this year.

Glynn said he is very happy with the quality of players that he has to choose from. One of the reasons for this, he said, is the

Charlevoix Junior Golf program.

"The Junior Golf program is exemplary. I am getting so many kids coming out. There are just so many people in town building a golf program," Glynn said.

As for a weakness, Glynn said only time will tell exactly what that is.

Whatever it is, the team will have to overcome it as they make their run for the state championships. Last year, Charlevoix

came in third for the state and wants to take the top spot this year.

But, to get there, the Rayders will have to go through a tough and solid Harbor Springs golf team.

"They are the team to beat," Glynn said. "I think we can win the championship, but we have to beat Harbor. We have a good enough team that we can win."

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(Right) The varsity cheerleaders are: (front, from left) Ashley Potter, Brittany Cebulski, Amanda Bajos, Brittany Pizzurro, Kelly Wood, Courtney English, Amber Smith, Amy Drew, (middle) coach Erin Bemis, (back) Jessica Nortley, Kara Field and Jenny Miller. (Above) The JV squad is Amanda Locke, Chrissa Kniseley, Samantha Kupka, Brittany Hernden, coach Carol Ward, Trista Martin, Amanda Saigeon, Michelle Rowe and Brittany Ward.



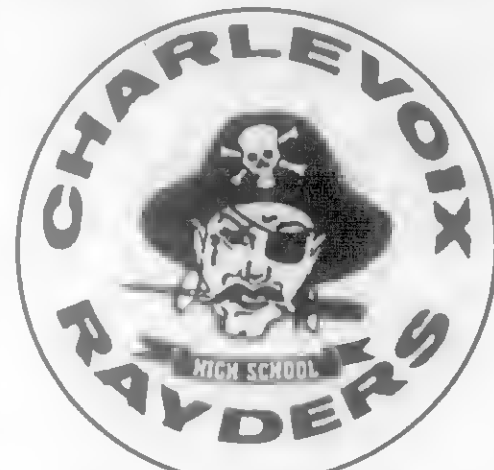
The junior varsity team is: Cody Crain, Michael Wojan, Jake Teuscher, Ryan Fanning, Mike Rosen, Kyle Kramer, Kyle Winstone, Nate Dube, Matt Loper, Dan Buday, Tommy Matela, Joshua Carter, Rusty Walters, Tony Miller, Matt Burt, Mark Baldwin, Jaimen Waha, Jon Reid, Dustin Dutcher, Cyril Jones, Matthew Luttrull, Nick Bishaw, Mike Curiel, Brian Cunningham, Luke Whitley, Jack Martin, Taylor Fisher, Mitchell Klooster, Tyler Lalley, Ben Bergmann, Troy Coen and Nicholas Tripplehorn. The coach is Brian Certa and the assistant coach is Roger Gowell. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)

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August 24	St. Ignace	Away	7:30 p.m.
August 31	Benzie Central	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 7	East Jordan	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 14	Harbor Springs	Away	7:30 p.m.
September 21	T.C. St. Francis	Home	7:30 p.m.
September 28	Kalkaska	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 5	Elk Rapids	Home	7:30 p.m.
October 12	Boyer City	Home	7:30 p.m.
October 19	Suttons Bay	Away	7:30 p.m.
October 26/27 & November 2/3	Districts		
November 9/10	Regionals		
November 23/24	Finals		

Head Coach: Todd Klinger
Asst. Coach: Steve Hopkins & Tim Carey

CROSS COUNTRY

August 25	Benzie Central	Away	9:00 a.m.
September 5	Grayling	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 8	Mud Run	Home	10:00 a.m.
September 11	East Jordan	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 22	Petoskey	Away	9:30 a.m.
September 29	Gladwin	Away	TBA
October 4	Mancelona	Away	4:00 p.m.
October 9	Conference at Harbor Springs	Away	TBA
October 13	Reese	Away	10:00 a.m.
October 20	Elk Rapids	Away	TBA
October 27	Regionals		TBA
November 3	Finals		TBA

Boys' Coach: Ken Plude
Girls' Coach: Mary Plude

GOLF

August 15	Boyer Mountain (Russ Harvey)	Away	7:30 a.m.
August 21	T.C. St. Francis	Away	TBA
August 28	Elk Rapids	Home	4:00 p.m.
August 29	Indian River	Away	1:00 p.m.
August 30	(Bull Dog Invite)		
September 5	Boyer City	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 11	Petoskey	Home	4:00 p.m.
September 14	East Jordan	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 17	Petoskey (Northmen Invite)	Home	4:00 p.m.
September 18	Mancelona	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 21	Harbor Springs	Away	4:00 p.m.
September 25	Gaylord	Away	9:30 a.m.
September 26	(Invitational)		
September 27	Kalkaska	Home	4:00 p.m.
October 4	Suttons Bay	Away	4:30 p.m.
October 5	Indian River	Home	4:00 p.m.
October 9	Indian River (Puppy Invite)	Away	TBA
October 12/19	Traverse City	Away	TBA
October 19/20	Conference at Harbor Springs	Away	TBA
October 27	Regionals		TBA
November 3	Finals		TBA

Head Coach: Jim Glynn

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

August 23	St. Ignace	Home	6:00 p.m.
August 30	Benzie Central	Away	6:00 p.m.
September 6	East Jordan	Home	6:00 p.m.
September 13	Harbor Springs	Home	6:00 p.m.
September 20	T.C. St. Francis	Away	6:00 p.m.
September 27	Kalkaska	Home	6:00 p.m.
October 4	Elk Rapids	Away	6:00 p.m.
October 11	Boyer City	Away	6:00 p.m.
October 18	Suttons Bay	Home	6:00 p.m.

Head Coach: Brian Certa
Asst. Coach: Roger Gowell

VARSITY BOYS' SOCCER

August 25	Leland (Invite)	Away	11:00 a.m.
August 27	N. MI Christian	Away	4:30 p.m.
August 28	Harbor Springs	Home	5:00 p.m.
August 30	Suttons Bay	Home	5:00 p.m.
September 4	Roscommon	Home	5:00 p.m.
September 6	East Jordan	Away	4:30 p.m.
September 11	Bellaire	Home	5:00 p.m.
September 13	N. MI Christian	Away	5:00 p.m.
September 18	N. MI Christian	Home	5:00 p.m.
September 20	Houghton Lake	Home	5:00 p.m.
September 25	Harbor Springs	Away	5:00 p.m.
September 26	East Jordan	Home	5:00 p.m.
October 1	Pine River	Away	4:00 p.m.
October 3	Bellaire	Away	6:30 p.m.
October 8	Elk Rapids	Home	5:00 p.m.
October 10	Forest Area	Home	5:00 p.m.
October 22-27	Districts		TBA
Oct. 30-Nov. 3	Regionals		TBA
November 10	Finals		TBA

Head Coach: Josh Block

VARSITY & J.V. GIRLS' BASKETBALL

August 28	Gaylord St. Mary's	Away	6:00 p.m.
August 30	Cheboygan	Away	6:00 p.m.
September 4	Petoskey	Home	6:00 p.m.
September 11	Gaylord	Home	6:00 p.m.
September 13	Boyer City	Away	6:00 p.m.
September 18	Elk Rapids	Home	6:00 p.m.
September 22	Sault Ste. Marie	Away	1:00 p.m.
September 25	Harbor Springs	Away	6:00 p.m.
September 27	East Jordan	Home	6:00 p.m.
October 2	T.C. St. Francis	Away	6:00 p.m.
October 4	Kalkaska	Home	6:00 p.m.
October 9	Mancelona	Home	6:00 p.m.
October 11	Glen Lake	Away	6:00 p.m.
October 16	Elk Rapids	Away	6:00 p.m.
October 18	St. Ignace	Home	6:00 p.m.
October 23	Harbor Springs	Home	6:00 p.m.
October 25	East Jordan	Away	6:00 p.m.
October 30	T.C. St. Francis	Home	6:00 p.m.
November 1	Kalkaska	Away	6:00 p.m.
November 6	Boyer City	Home	6:00 p.m.
November 12-17	Districts		
November 19-21	Regionals		
December 1	Finals		

Head Coach: Jim Parrish
JV Coach: Lisa Carlson

FRESHMAN GIRLS' BASKETBALL

August 30	Cheboygan	Away	4:15 p.m.
September 4	Petoskey	Home	4:15 p.m.
September 11	Gaylord	Home	4:15 p.m.
September 13	Boyer City	Away	4:15 p.m.
September 18	Elk Rapids	Home	4:15 p.m.
September 25	Harbor Springs	Away	4:15 p.m.
September 27	East Jordan	Home	4:15 p.m.
October 2	T.C. St. Francis	Away	4:15 p.m.
October 4	Kalkaska	Home	4:15 p.m.
October 9	Mancelona	Home	4:15 p.m.
October 11	Glen Lake	Away	4:15 p.m.
October 16	Elk Rapids	Away	4:15 p.m.
October 18	St. Ignace	Home	4:15 p.m.
October 23	Harbor Springs	Home	4:15 p.m.
October 25	East Jordan	Away	4:15 p.m.
October 30	T.C. St. Francis	Home	4:15 p.m.
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Red Fox Regatta brings in sailors across the globe

They come from far and wide to sail in the Charlevoix Yacht Club Red Fox Regatta but, this year, the far was a bit further than usual as Matt Struble brought the Formula 18 Catamaran STRUBLIZED all the way from England to participate in Red Fox.

We became even more impressed after watching her take first-to-finish honors on both days! Her actual elapsed time Sunday (Boyne City to Charlevoix plus a couple cross-lake legs) was only 1:32:33!

Total actual elapsed time: 3:39:09. The 98 entries range throughout 12 racing classes, from the small multi-hulls of Division 10 (with one or two on board) to the Big Boats of Division 9 (such as KOKOMO with teeming multitudes aboard).

After drifting through Saturday's morning calm start, the fastest (not a good word for that day) had only reached the second mark, off Hemmingway Point by mid-afternoon. The Race Committee shortened the no-breeze torture at that mark and the fleet joined into only two classes for the remaining 8 miles to Boyne City — those towing and those being towed.

Class winners for Saturday were: JAM1, CAPRICCIO (Baier); JAM2, FLASH (Gordon); PHRF1, AFFINITY (Love); J-22, SWINE FLEW (Strawbridge); PHRF2, PHASE DANCE; PHRF3, DOG BITE (Hunt); PHRF4, MERENGUE (Dau/Graham); Melges 24, MICHAEL JACKSON (Trippe); PHRF5, SURPRISE (Irish); Open MH, STRUBLIZED; Nacra 5.8, CZAR (Cook); Inter 20,

COCHRAN (Biggers).

After the race, nearly 500 sailors, family members and friends enjoyed the chicken roast and beverage sampling at Boyne City's Waterfront Park.

Sunday's nice breeze was a welcome change and resulted in a fast trip back to the CYC. Class winners were: JAM1, CAPRICCIO; JAM2, BRAMBLE (Rohrer); PHRF1, STALWORTH (Cary); J-22, SWINE FLEW; PHRF2, SPAR WARS II (Hubble); PHRF3, PARK BENCH (Hollerboch); PHRF4, GOTCHA! (Dow/Mueller); Melges 24, FLYING TOASTER (Dow); PHRF5, WHITE KNUCKLES (Hare); Open MH, STRUBLIZED; Nacra 5.8, KAIZAN (Hilk); Inter 20, COURSER (Roberts). Back at



The English-owned STRUBLIZED came all the way over and took part in the Red Fox. (Photo by A. Nony Mouse)

the Host CYC; pizza, beverages and eaves trough racing, supervised by Sponsor Mount Gay, entertained all of us while waiting for final results.

The Overall Winner was DOG BITE, an Ultimate 20, with a total corrected time of 5:12:41. Top three in each Class were: JAM1, CAPRICCIO, RAMPANT &

PLUM CRAZY; JAM2, FLASH, BIG RED and ECLIPSE; PHRF1, STALWORTH, LAST VERMONT and AFFINITY; J-22, SWINE FLEW, AMBUSH and HS MOISTURE MISSILE; PHRF2, PHASE DANCE, RUNAWAY and SPAR WARS II; PHRF3, DOG BITE, JACK RUSSEL and SLAPSHOT; PHRF4, MERENGUE, GOTCHA!

and LOTUS BLOSSOM; Melges 24, MICHAEL JACKSON, FLYING TOASTER and KILROY; PHRF5, WIPLASH, SURPRISE and WHITE KNUCKLES; Open MH, STRUBLIZED, KRUTTY & TANGENT; Nacra 5.8, CZAR, KAIZAN & THIS SIDE UP; Inter 20, COCHRAN, BACHELOR and COURSER (Roberts).

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Rayders lose 56-54

By JULIE WITTHOEF
Staff Writer

After a slow first quarter against Cheboygan on their turf on Aug. 30, the Charlevoix varsity girls' basketball team cranked up the intensity but in the end couldn't crawl out of a first quarter deficit.

Interim coach Jim Parrish said a Cheboygan player came out in the first quarter and sank three long shots from behind the three point line.

By the end of the first quarter the Charlevoix girls had only put nine points on the board, 19 points behind the Cheboygan team.

Coach Parrish said one thing his team does well is outlasting their opponents. Even though they were missing a force on the court, junior Candace Boss, who may be

suffering a stress fracture, their conditioning shined in the second quarter. Stamina and perseverance helped them put 22 points on the board outscoring their opponents by three points.

Not many points went up from either side in the third quarter when Charlevoix tallied seven and Cheboygan rallied for nine.

The fourth quarter was all Charlevoix. They outscored Cheboygan 18 to six. But the 12 point gain wasn't enough. They fell to Cheboygan 56 to 54.

Rayder high scorers were Jennifer McClellan and Grace Farrell who each came through with 14 points and Kati Swenor who scored nine.

Farrell not only showed she knew her way around the basket but also dominated underneath, ripping down 15 rebounds.

Golf teams beat Boyne

The Charlevoix golf team picked up another win Aug. 30 against Boyne City.

The Rayders scored 165 to Boyne City's 177. The top scorer for the team was David Shearer with a 36.

Other scores were: Jordan Nystrom with a 45, York Smith with a 44, Nick Cole with a 41, Allen Brooks with a 44 and Kreg Wager with a 55.

Additionally, the junior varsity team also picked up a win, beating Boyne City's junior varsity team 200-249.

Ryan DeYoung had the lowest score with a 50.

Other scores were: Allen Couture with a 52, Jake Burns with a 53, Chris Golski with a 61, Adam Wager with a 51 and Travis Lowney with a 57.

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Latest summer series results



A. Nony
Mouse
'Yachting
notes'

The Charlevoix Yacht Club to Mackinac Island is Saturday and Sunday. Power or sail, come on along! Call Diana at 547-7777 for details. (The island marina does take reservations.)

The final race of the Summer Series will be tonight. Many of the class standings are so close that this make-up race will be the deciding factor.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series, results of Aug. 29: Spinnaker I: GOTCHA!, HOOTIE, SLAPSHOT, HOI POLLOI, WINDRUNNER and MINT JULEP. Spinnaker II: SAFFRON, BALD EAGLE and BABE. P-26: LOST VERMONT, TIRELESS, CYGNUS and ARTEMIS. ORIGINAL SIN will be assigned her average finish position, as she had to scratch to fill in for the race committee.

JAM: FLASH, APOTHECARY and CHEEMAUN. J-22: II RECKLESS, SUPERFLUOUS, HUSSY, SWINE FLEW, PALEFACE LITE, HIGH MAINTENANCE, FIRST DATE, ROCK STEADY, EAU DE VIE, HS MOISTURE MISSILE, CRAZY HORSE and HOG-TIDE.

Summer Series standings: (The following assume the two permitted drops have been taken.) Spinnaker I: SLAPSHOT 7, GOTCHA! 9, HOI POLLOI 12, HOOTIE 13, WINDRUNNER 24 and MINT JULEP 25. Spinnaker II: BALD EAGLE 7, BABE 7, SAFFRON 12 and J HAWK 21.

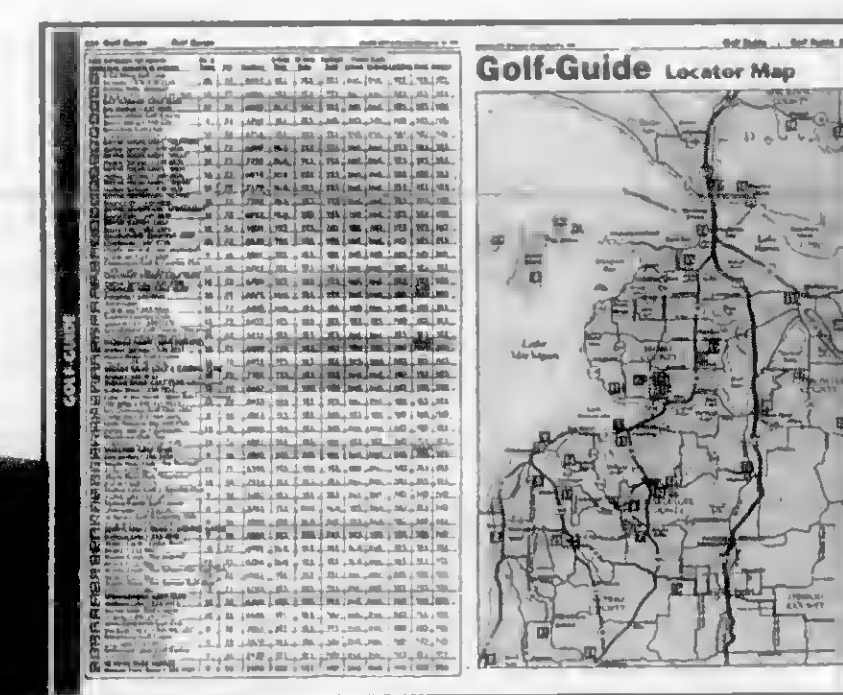
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HEALTH

What your chiropractor can do for you



Brian Oliver, D.C.

'Your health'

The topic of today's health section is one that needs to be explained rather thoroughly because there is a lot of confusion as to exactly what a chiropractor does.

I have heard every synonym for a chiropractor from "bone-crusher" to "back-breaker" and much more. Although taken light-heartedly, I do not mind.

When a person seeks the services of a chiropractor, they usually are seeking relief of a symptom such as an ache, pain or other discomfort of some sort. The most common of which are lower back pain, neck pain, headaches, numbness or tingling in the arms and to the hands, or down the legs to the feet, allergies, sinus troubles and a variety of other conditions.

The traditional treatment for these conditions are usually some form of medication to alleviate the ache or

pain associated with the condition. Often times, the treatment is designed only to manage the symptoms without really finding out the cause of the problem. Although this form of treatment may be effective in managing the symptom it does not get to the cause.

A chiropractor, although concerned about your symptoms, is really trained to detect and correct one condition. It is called a Vertebral Subluxation. A vertebral subluxation is described as one or more misalignments of the bones in the spine. This leads to abnormal spinal motion and eventually causes irritation to the spinal nerves that extend from the spinal cord. The spinal nerves are unprotected and can become damaged. These spinal nerves are part of the nervous system that controls and coordinates every function in your body. The chiropractor's job is to correct the misalignments, thus improving spinal motion and removing the nerve irritation.

Think of it this way: Picture a safety pin. The top of the safety pin represents your brain. The bottom of the safety pin represents your body and the wires are the nerves between your brain and your body. Under normal circumstances your body works essentially like this — Your

brain, protected by the skull, produces nerve impulses that travel down your spinal cord through the spinal nerves to the body and its various organs. From there a feedback of nerve impulses go back up the spinal cord to the brain and there the brain monitors your body's specific needs.

Like an opened safety pin, if there is a misalignment somewhere along your spine and nerve interference is present, there is a disruption of the normal connection between your brain and the rest of the body. This ultimately will reduce your health if left uncorrected.

Although, initially no pain or other symptoms may be felt, eventually enough damage occurs over time that pain or numbness or other symptoms do surface. Ultimately spinal degeneration occurs and permanent damage sets in.

Depending on where along your spine the misalignments are located will often determine a typical symptomatic condition. For example, misalignments in the middle part of your back can cause improper nerve supply to the stomach. Will this affect digestion? Absolutely!

So it is important to have your spine checked for subluxations? Definitely! Because the spinal col-

umn and nervous system are one of the most important organs that you have and without its full function disease takes over.

When a person has their spine examined by a chiropractor and one or more vertebral subluxations are found, often times that person has been subluxated for years, but, because he or she had no pain, it was assumed there wasn't a problem. So does it take time to reverse the damage? Absolutely.

We have been taught by the media and other sources that when we have pain we are unhealthy and when we do not have pain that we are healthy. We have been misinformed. For example, the person that we all have heard about that died of a massive heart attack. Let me ask you this question? Was this person's heart healthy the day before he had the heart attack, when he was out on the golf course enjoying his day without pain? No. Pain is a very poor indication of health because it is usually your last alarm of a major problem.

Therefore, pain management is not a reliable way of maintaining good health. Now, if that person had taken the opportunity to prevent his heart attack, wouldn't it have made more sense to do the things necessary to keep his heart healthy? That is what

chiropractic is about, preventing your spine and nervous system from becoming unhealthy before it is too late.

One of the statements I hear so often is, "Once you go to a chiropractor you always have to go." The answer is, "Absolutely not." However, through the many stresses, injuries and traumas we sustain on a daily basis the longer we wait to have our spines checked the more damage is allowed to accumulate.

The question really becomes, "How healthy do I want to be?" Because, it is proof that the more things we do that are healthy, the more healthier we become. I ask you, because exercise is something we all must do to maintain health, should you only exercise for a short period of time in your life or should you exercise routinely for the rest of your life? The same with good nutrition. Does it make any sense at all to eat good foods only 10 years of your life? No. So the true answer to the above question is: As long as you want a healthy spine.

These building blocks to health are really a lifestyle to regaining you health, not a treatment of diseases and conditions. We need to change our thinking on health, it is not just

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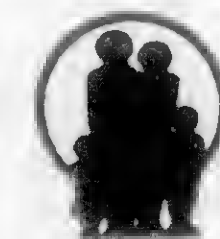
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P-26: CYGNUS 6, TIRELESS 9, LOST VERMONT 10, ORIGINAL SIN 15.67, ARTEMIS 22 and SANDPIPER 29. JAM: FLASH 5, APOTHECARY 11, CHEEMAUN 13, POCO LOCO 17 and ORION 28.

J-22: HUSSY 8, II RECKLESS 10, SWINE FLEW 14, SUPERFLUOUS 16, FIRST DATE 18, PALEFACE LITE 22, ROCK STEADY 29, EAU DE VIE 30, H S MOISTURE MISSILE 41, CRAZY HORSE 45, HIGH MAINTENANCE 53, THUNDERSTRUCK 58, WHAT'S HER NAME 61, SCURRY 62, HOG-TIDE 62, NO NAME YET 73 and BANZAI 78.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Triangle results from Aug. 31: After so many light air evenings, there was plenty of wind for this, the warm-up event for the Red Fox Regatta.

JAM Fleet: FLASH, MINT JULEP, BRAMBLE, PLUM CRAZY, ECLIPSE and BLASEN III.

Div 2, Spinnaker D: ORIGINAL SIN and OUR THYME II. J-22: SUPERFLUOUS, EAU DE VIE, SWINE FLEW, H S MOISTURE MISSILE, AMBUSH, PALEFACE LITE and SAIL 121. Div 4, Spinnaker C: SPAR WARS II, SLAPSHOT and RUNAWAY. Div 5, Spinnaker B: FLYING TOASTER and LIL IODINE. Div 6, Spinnaker A: SURPRISE, RELENTLESS, GOTCHA!, STRIPES, HOOTIE, KOKOMO, WINDRUNNER and JU JU MAGIC. Div 7: INN-OVATION.

Most corrected times were not close; the one exception was HOOTIE over KOKOMO by just one second!

Sunfish Finals will be Sept. 23 in a five-race afternoon to determine the Charlevoix Yacht Club 2001 Sunfish Championship! Be out near the "B" buoy at 1 p.m. Details will be given later or call Don at 536-7975.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the summer months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

Soccer team beats Suttons

The Charlevoix boys soccer team beat Suttons Bay last Thursday, 4-1.

Rosco Serrels, Spencer Bryan, Travis Smith and Kelsey Barnard tallied the goals, assisted by Smith, Serrels, Trevor Kline and Andrew Mailloux.

The team's record is now 2-2. They travel to East Jordan on Sept. 6.

Expansion of the Charlevoix City Marina

QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER



During council meetings about the expansion of the Charlevoix City Marina on Round Lake, has our City Council and City Manager considered what an absolute jewel of a natural resource we look out upon each and every day?

At WATCH inc, we have. The following are just a few questions we would like the citizens of Charlevoix and surrounding areas to consider as you look out on Round Lake over the next few weeks:

- Do we want to restrict our view with a floating docks that extends out 400 feet? Surveys indicate that the highest use by local residents was "viewing" not boating or other marine based activities. (Source: Lake Charlevoix Association)
- Do we really want to look out on more empty docks 9 months out of the year?
- Is this another case of politicians spending public money unwisely, simply because they don't want to turn it down or send the dollars back?
- How would any revenues be used? Who decides?
- Do we really want to despoil the biggest natural asset in Charlevoix?
- Do we want or need to triple the size of the existing marina? And if so, who benefits? The current proposal extends the dockage 400 feet into Round Lake. Presently it is 75 feet.
- Will fishing in Round Lake be affected?
- Who really supports this proposal? Are they local taxpayers or local businesses?
- Public comment should be received as soon as possible and before any final design decisions are made. How will the public be notified of any public meeting? Will the meeting be scheduled when ALL property owners and residents can be heard?

At WATCH, inc we have a different point of view. And we would like to hear yours. Please write us at PO Box 615, or call and fax us at (231) 547-5530 to voice your opinion. The Charlevoix City Marina on Round Lake will be built with your tax dollars. Available data indicates 10 to 1 against the proposed expansion as it is now designed. We realize there are many points of view. The main point being: we like the view just the way it is.

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Charlevoix City Council Members: Sherman Chamberlain, Narman Carlson, Bill Bellows, Gabe Campbell, A.J. Witthaeft, Bill Haggard, Mayor Alvin Russell or City Manager Michael Wiesner.
CVX City Hall, 210 State St. CVX, MI. 49720
Phone 231-547-3260.

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State Senator: Walter North
PO Box 30036 Lansing, MI. 48909-7536

State Representative: Andy Neumann,
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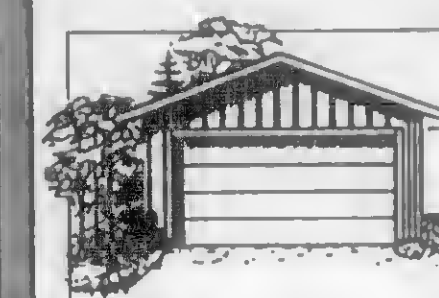
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PROPERTY LOCATED IN WILSON TOWNSHIP, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN, described as:

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COMMUNITY

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday in the cafeteria of Charlevoix High School. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking

meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the Legion meets at the American

Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix City Band

rehearses from 6:30 to 9 p.m., Tuesdays in the high school band room. Anyone with an instrument is invited to join the group.

The Charlevoix Soaring Club, a general aviation flying club, meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month. For more information call Bob at 547-5653.

Street Legends Classic Car Club meets at 7 p.m. the last Thursday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center. For more information call 547-1327.

The Charlevoix Men's Chorus meets at noon each Friday at the Congregational Church. For more information call 547-1817.

There is a Charlevoix Rod & Gun Club open rifle, handgun and shotgun shoot from 1-4 p.m. on Sundays — weather permitting. For more information call 547-0554.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club's general membership meeting is 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, shooting times and activities, call the club at 547-2785. For membership information, call 547-0552.

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Football team loses to Benzie in close game

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix Rayders opened their home schedule with a 35-27 loss last Friday to the Benzie Central Huskies.

Sophomore Jeff Urban was superb, rushing for 134 yards on 12 carries in his first varsity contest at Kipke Field, but the Huskie ground game was too much for the Rayders. Benzie rushed for over 300 yards, coming back from a first quarter 14-0 deficit for the victory.

Charlevoix opened the scoring on a Urban one yard run less than two minutes into the game. The key play in the drive was a 52 yard run by Urban in a third and four situation.

The Rayder defense held and a botched fake punt by Benzie gave Charlevoix excellent field position at the Huskie 45. Junior quarterback Nate Teuscher made the play of the game on fourth and goal at the Benzie five as he rolled to his left, evading two Huskie rushers. And just before being sacked, he flipped the ball underhanded to a waiting Ryan Rafacz in the end zone for a touchdown.

On the extra point attempt, Rafacz grabbed a Teuscher pass and escaped three Benzie would-be tacklers for the two-point conversion, putting the Rayders up 14-0 with 2:08 left in the first quarter.

Benzie answered with a drive of its own and scored on a 25 yard run

on the first play of the second quarter. The extra point attempt was no good and Charlevoix clung to a 14-6 lead.

The Rayders failed to move the ball on their next possession and punted but Benzie turned it over on downs at the Charlevoix 30.

Urban took a handoff from Teuscher and bolted 70 yards for another score. Teuscher's extra point kick made it 21-6 Rayders with 6:50 left in the half.

The Huskies wouldn't go away though and punched in an answering TD just four minutes later, cutting the Charlevoix lead to 21-12.

The first of two costly Rayder turnovers occurred with just 2:12 left in the first half when Benzie recovered a fumble at the Charlevoix 35. Despite a valiant stand by Charlevoix, led by two big stops by senior lineman Rob Boss, Benzie scored on a fourth and one from the Rayder six. The Huskies converted on the two-point conversion to shave the Rayders' halftime lead to only one at 21-20.

The third quarter was scoreless, but Benzie scored on the first play of the fourth quarter and converted the extra point to take their first lead of the game at 28-21 with 11:53 left to play.

Rafacz returned the kickoff to the Charlevoix 48 to give the Rayders excellent field position once again.

Another turnover would be the story, however, as Benzie intercepted a Teuscher pass at the Huskie 15 yard line to turn away the Rayder drive. With just over 8 minutes left in the game, a 47 yard TD run for Benzie virtually salted the game away.

The Rayders wouldn't die though. On the ensuing drive, Matt Kilkenny kept the drive alive with a 10 yard carry on a fourth and four on the Benzie 45. Teuscher hit Keith Daly with a 32 yard pass taking Charlevoix to the Benzie one where Urban punched it in three plays later to cut the lead to 35-27.

Charlevoix's inside kick attempt failed, however, and Benzie ran out the clock for the win. Teuscher was 6 for 9 passing for 62 yards. Nick Schwein and Kilkenny led the defense with 22 and 11 tackles respectively.

"Urban has a real big ballgame for us," Coach Todd Klinger said. "The defense was keying on Rafacz and we were able to take advantage on a few key plays."

On the defensive side, Klinger said the Rayders were "caught trying to find the football instead of following our keys. With their misdirection offense, you have to just tackle everyone."

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New teachers to be at Charlevoix High School

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

This year, Charlevoix High School's English and science departments have hired two new, young recruits with experience in and out of the classroom.

Thomas Schultz, 25, formerly of Lake Orion and now of Charlevoix stated in his resume that he's looking "to cultivate a fresh and new atmosphere to teaching science."

He explained his approach when he said, "I love teaching and getting kids excited about science. My goal is to help kids become

scientifically literate. When they walk outside I want them to know why they see green when they look at the grass."

Schultz will be teaching Physical Science and Earth Science at the ninth grade level. He taught Chemistry at Lake Orion High School, was the supervising science educator/program presenter at the Cranbrook Institute of Science in Bloomfield Hills and was a teaching assistant in Gross Human Anatomy at Oakland University's Biology Department.

Schultz graduated from Oakland University in Rochester with a bachelor of arts in biology and a

minor in chemistry.

Schultz is looking forward to further enhancing his teaching skills from fellow high school science teachers Tim Volovsek and Roger Gowell. He's also helping out the cross country team.

Also joining the high school teaching squad for his first full-time high school teaching position is former journalist Richard Bachus, 36.

The English selection committee, made up of: Pat Conway, Kris Shaperkotter, Theda Williams, Mary Seaman, Karen Peterson and

Gary Grundman gave Bachus glowing reviews.

The position opened as a result of expanded student enrollment.

Bachus will teach basic English, also known as integrated language arts, to students in grades nine, 10 and 12. Bachus will also teach Modern Speech Communications and Speech and the Mass Media.

He brings with him 10 years of journalism experience as a former staff writer for the Traverse City Record Eagle, Newsweek and the Christian Science Monitor.

Bachus' wife, Carol Johnston is

teaching in Boyne City.

He recently received his Master's degree in education from the University of Michigan.

Like Schultz, Bachus is looking forward to interacting with other teachers in the English department.



Richard Bachus

Seminars to be offered by local business groups

SCORE (Counselors to America's Small Business) and NLEA (Northern Lakes Economic Alliance) are offering a seminar entitled "How to Start and Manage Your Own Business."

The two-part seminar will take place from 7 to 10 p.m. on consecutive Wednesdays, Sept. 26 and Oct. 3, at North Central Michigan College. Check-in will begin at 6:30 p.m. on Sept. 26.

SCORE and NLEA members say the seminar is for new entrepreneurs

as well as established business owners. Local business professionals will discuss topics to include: the business plan; protecting your idea and structuring your business; conducting market research; marketing and sales tools and techniques; financial concepts and money management; financing; and internet marketing.

The cost of the two-night seminar is \$40 per person. Advance registration is required by calling the Potoskey Regional Chamber of Commerce at 347-4150.

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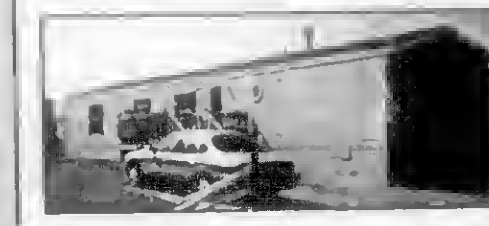
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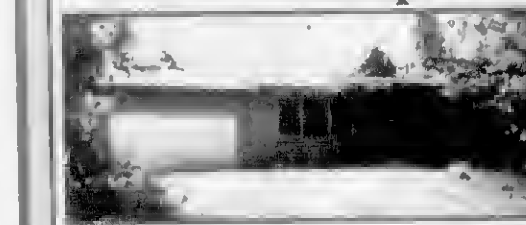
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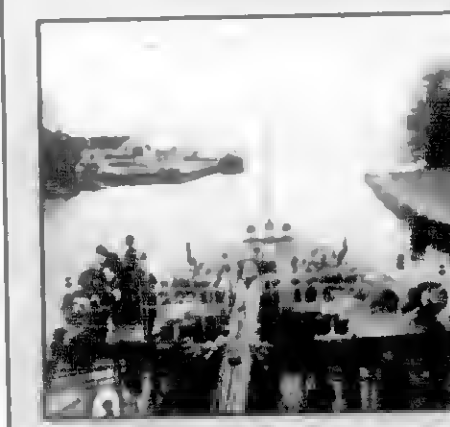
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City to buy Wharfside

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Phase one in the city's two-phase plan for the Wharfside building, located at the intersection of Bridge and Mason streets on the shore of Round Lake, was set in motion at the city council meeting Sept. 4.

The city plans to first acquire and then demolish the building as part of their renovation plans for East Park.

City Manager Mike Wiesner said the acquisition and demolition

"A ton of people in my ward are against it and are against the marina expansion that's coming up. I'm sure that will pass too."

Gabe Campbell,
Charlevoix city council member

tion of the Wharfside will, "give the community more opportunities."

He explained "more opportunities" in park renovation terms. Wiesner thinks that as the city embarks on a major park renovation

the demolition of the Wharfside will open up the view corridor and give "more options to plan the park."

At the meeting, council voted four to one in favor of entering into a purchasing agreement with

Wharfside owners Rex and Ineke McCarthy who bought the building in 1994.

First ward councilman Norman "Boogie" Carlson abstained because of a vocational conflict of interest and second ward councilman Gabe Campbell voted against the agreement.

Campbell said second ward constituents he has spoken with are against the city's plans for the Wharfside and he thinks the financial cost to the city is too high.

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Township to vote on zoning

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix Township voters and administrators are taking a local dispute over a revision to the township zoning ordinance to the voting booths.

Votes will be cast Sept. 18 at the Charlevoix Township building located on the corner of Old Orchard and Waller roads to answer the question: "Shall the new zoning ordinance adopted by the Charlevoix Township Board, (ordinance no. 1.65) at the March 12, 2001 meeting be adopted by Charlevoix Township?"

Members of the Charlevoix Township Board and planning commission claim this ordinance is sound and offers residents a clear tool to use when they are ready to develop. The ordinance was approved by Charlevoix Township planners, the township board and the Charlevoix County Planning Commission.

Charlevoix Township Planning Commission Chairman and township board trustee, Nancy Rajewski said, "It (the zoning ordinance) fits the township; it's the best it could be right now. Zoning ordinances are always a work in progress."

But, Rajewski's vision of the ordinance is not shared with all of the township's residents.

Chuck Scherping, a Charlevoix resident of 45 years and a former member of both the city and township zoning boards for 18 years collectively, circulated a petition that spurred this referendum.

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Waterspout

The wicked weather that plagued the area recently also caused a waterspout in Lake Michigan off of Charlevoix's Michigan Beach around 3:30 p.m. on Monday. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Leeshell Leeann Rose, 21, Boyne City. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Jason W. Therrien, 24, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Carolyn Jean Crooks, 50, Boyne City. Fail to stop after collision; and no operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$320.

Melissa Ann Yawn, 18, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT weekend; \$220 in fines and costs.

Lee David Prevost Jr., 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Donald William Underwood, 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Jamie Alan Speer, 20, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Joni Lynn Wood, 20, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Michael William Marcotte, 30, Wolverine. Disorderly person/obscene. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Jeffrey Joseph Nowicki II, 19, Ada. Minor in possession of alcohol-second offense. Attend IMPACT weekend; \$220 in fines and costs.

Christopher Lee Hardy, 21, Boyne City. Larceny by conversion, over \$200, but under \$1,000. One year probation; 365 days in jail with credit for

one day, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 344 days held in abeyance; \$1,110 in fines and costs.

Tasha Marie Lewis, 17, East Jordan. Retail fraud-third degree. Six months probation; 25 days in jail with credit for four days, serve 21 days.

Karyn Joan Glynn, 34, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$915 in fines and costs.

Jordan Yong Boylan, 23, Clinton Township. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$135.

Victoria Jane Goldsmith, 48, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$635 in fines and costs.

Jeremiah Leon Massey, 22, Boyne Falls. Failure to report an accident. Fines and costs totaling \$120.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Putzes Entertainment, 401 Petoskey Avenue, Charlevoix, by Ben Macks
Led by Spirit, 01246 South Shore Drive, Walloon Lake, by Karen Frohlich

Goodenough Genealogical Services, 3430 Chula Vista Drive, East Jordan, by Carol S. Goodenough
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Sun for the Soul, 05 East Main Street, Boyne City, by Helena K. Evans

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Squeaky Clean Auto Detailing, 04204 M-75 North, Walloon Lake, by Joseph William Conti

NetSavi, 510 Barker Street, East Jordan, by Amanda Combest

Great Beginnings Childcare, 450 Lewis Avenue, Boyne City, by Heidi Nelson

Buffalo Creations, P.O. Box 561, East Jordan, by Jeremy Simonsen

Shabby Girls, 11501 US-31 North, by Glenda Wilhelm

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Dennis Jon Penfold, 38, Ellsworth and Peggy O'Dette Carey, 39, Charlevoix

Jonah Levi Anderson, 21, Vanderbilt and Heather Marie Shooks, 17, Ellsworth

Dennis Martin Jacques II, 26, East Jordan and Laura Kristin Hartman, 25, East Jordan

Joseph Jay Cassidy, 25, Boyne City and Jennifer Ann Legato, 23, Boyne City

Jacob Daniel Wilson, 23, Charlevoix and Megan Ann Wilinski, 24, Charlevoix

Divorces
The following people were granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court from the County of Charlevoix:

Donna J. Curiel vs. Stephen M. Curiel

Robin Massey vs. Steve Massey

Kristie Kehr vs. Theodore Earl Kehr
Marla Ellen Gardner vs. Larry Dale Gardner

Christina Wagenschutz vs. Daniel Wagenschutz

Births

Cody James Kenneth Chamblee was born to James Chamblee and Crystal Hanna of Petoskey on Sept. 7 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Jacob John, weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces, was born to Ryan and Brenda Bascom of East Jordan on Aug. 31 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Sarah Lynn, weighing 8 pounds, 8 ounces, was born to Kyle and Robin Sitzma of Ellsworth on Sept. 4 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Aaliyah Lynn, weighing 4 pounds, 10 ounces, was born to Michael O'Connor and Angela Richards of Petoskey on Sept. 6 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Tyler Ross Ostrum, weighing 7 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Corey Olstrum and Melissa Darrah of Charlevoix on Sept. 6 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Cassidy Nicole was born to Patrick and Angelina Daugherty on Marysville Sept. 6 at St. Joseph West Hospital in Mt. Clemens. She weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces. Grandparents are Timothy and Tricia Doan of Ironwood and Tom Daugherty of Pennsylvania. Great-grandparents are Jean Young, Ralph and Cecil Doan, all of Charlevoix.

Madison Carol Rose Jones, weighing 6 pounds, 7 ounces, was born to Zachary Jones and Gwendolyn Brammer of Ellsworth on Sept. 7 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Trever Michael, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces, was born to Christopher and Tricia McCallum of Charlevoix on Sept. 8 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Sept. 10	70	59	1.22"

Homeless family shares the trials of living in Charlevoix

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Newton Sage is happy he and his wife have a roof over their heads, even if it is temporary.

The 23-year-old former Boyne Falls resident and his 21-year-old wife, Maria, have been homeless since Aug. 2 of this year. In addition to spending some time at the Ezra House on Mason Street, the couple have hopped between hotel rooms and have even slept in the band shell in East Park and on the beach. Now they are living in a small room at the Lincoln Log Motel.

"It beats being on the streets," Sage said about his current living arrangements.

When he was on the street, Sage said the couple would search for secluded spots away from people and police. He said many times people would just look at him with a shocked expression on their faces and police would make the couple keep moving.

"They don't want to see people on the street, but it is not their problem," Sage said.

Sage, currently unemployed, came to Charlevoix to be with his wife who has a job in the area. But, soon after arriving, the couple became homeless.

Therefore, in addition to searching for a job while his wife is at work, Sage has been searching for a place to live. But, this task is daunting for someone with very little cash, no job and some black marks on his credit record.



Newton Sage and his wife Maria are facing homelessness in Charlevoix. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

"Most of them have never been under \$550 a month," Sage said about apartments and housing in Charlevoix. "We can afford something in the area of \$400 because we have other bills to pay."

But, of the lower income apartment complexes, such as Pine Cove Apartments, he said the problem is their practice of using

See HOMELESS, page 17

Corrections

Some corrections need to be made to last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier.

On the front page, in a story about the school lawsuit, Charlevoix city manager Mike Wiesner's name was misspelled.

On page 13, in the headline for a story on the girls' basketball team, it should have read, "Rayders lose 56-64."

And lastly, in the special section story on the girls' basketball team, it should have said assistant coach Dick Swenor is the Charlevoix Elementary School principal.

We apologize for these errors.

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Programs available for those in need of help

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

(Editor's note: These stories are the third part of a series on housing issues in Charlevoix.)

Housing \$

People needing low income housing or help with housing costs have many programs available through the Charlevoix Emmet Housing Coalition.

According to Vicki Morgan, director of the coalition, most of the programs require the user to pay back money or supply a portion of the cost. This is to teach people that housing is not free, she said.

"It costs money to live in a house. We thought it was irresponsible on our part to set people up into the thinking that they can get things for free out there," she said.

Of the coalition's programs, Morgan said the most used is the Homeless Prevention program. This program is used to keep people from becoming homeless — for example, someone facing eviction — by using a variety of techniques.

Morgan said this may include a list of local landlords, a copy of landlord/tenant laws and the eviction process and an application to subsidy programs. While there is some cash assistance available for this program, Morgan said cash is not always given.

The longest term program, and most unique to northern Michigan, is the coalition's Transitional Housing program. In this, a family is placed in one of the homes leased or owned by the coalition throughout the area for a period of six to 24 months.

The family must pay rent on the unit and is responsible for all of the utilities. In addition, they receive support in the form of advice on raising children, managing money, getting a high school diploma and car repair.

Morgan said the family is also required to set up an "individual See PROGRAMS, page 19



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Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

Ordinance hurts housing efforts

Next week, Charlevoix Township residents will be going to the polls to vote on a new zoning ordinance.

While this ordinance has many changes in it, we are going to focus on just one with this editorial.

For the last few weeks you have been reading about a problem facing Charlevoix in affordable housing. Without affordable housing, we push the workers out and that could spell very bad things for the economic future of the area.

Well, this ordinance adds more trouble to that future.

Among the changes in the Charlevoix Township ordinance to be voted on, includes a reduction in density of multiple family housing from 15 to 8.7.

Why is this bad? Well in order to build an affordable housing development, you need higher density rates to keep the cost of each unit down. By lowering the number of units, you thereby increase the cost of the housing.

Basically, this section of the ordinance makes it harder to build affordable housing in Charlevoix Township. While

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the rest of northern Michigan is looking for ways to fix the affordable housing problem, Charlevoix Township is going backwards and creating a bigger problem.

This is an especially strange thing to do considering the township experienced 65 percent growth in the last ten years. This means more people are looking for housing in the township.

The township's rationall is that every time someone would come to them with a multiple family development, there was "a big fight." Basically, people didn't want it in their backyards.

So, instead of being the leaders for the community, the township officials caved to the silly and unjustified not-in-my-backyard argument.

By voting for this ordinance, Charlevoix Township will only hurt itself in the future.

We urge township voters to vote no on this backwards ordinance.

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Charlevoix is the perfect place to face a big change



Julie Witthoef
Staff writer

On my way home from my sister's house recently I followed the Lake Michigan shoreline out to Hayes Township. The sun was setting over the water and even Picasso couldn't have created the color show nature was putting on.

I turned onto Burgess Road and stepped on my brakes to let a family of turkeys make their way across the road.

I breathed deeply as I watched the adult female lead her young. Even the turkeys seem to know Charlevoix is a perfect place to start a family.

Just two days before my turkey encounter I had returned from my honeymoon in South America and even though the water in Aruba was crystal clear, the weather was flawless and the endless beaches were filled with soft, white sand, my husband and I weren't sad to leave.

Vacation destinations are vacation destinations, but there really is no place like home.

We chose to make our home in Charlevoix for several reasons but the number one reason is, our families, the Witthoefs and the Musileks, who are both here.

As I watched the turkeys safely scamper into the tall grass I thought about how blessed we are to be surrounded by a big, loving family.

Slowly stepping on the gas and traveling into the heart of Charlevoix's beautiful countryside I couldn't imagine life without early morning walks with my mom, or giggle fits about bubble bath beads with my nephew and sister, hearing my dad's sarcastic tone on the other end of the phone line or having weekend cookouts with the Witthoefs.

These are the things I value in life and the happenings that for my husband and me shape the definition of family.

So, at 3:55 p.m., Aug. 25, just before I took my dad's arm and we started down the aisle, my bridesmaids looked at me amazed at how calm I was. My answer was simple, "What do I have to be afraid of?" I was just about to make a commitment to start a family with a person I chose years ago in the presence of

people we love.

The day was made magical by the energy of the people who attended. I never even noticed the torrential downpour that greened things up around town.

The rain had stopped just long enough to finish up the outdoor ceremony and photos. Then as the drops started to fall again, guests, family and the wedding party took their seats for a wonderful meal prepared by Mahogany's chef Garrett Scanlan at the Charlevoix Country Club.

The wedding reminiscing faded as I pulled into my driveway and I looked in my back seat to grab my planner. I saw an empty space and thought I can't wait for the day when there is a car seat back there and I can show our child how the female turkey leads her young.

So, the point to all this turkey rambling is to inform readers who may have wondered who in the world the Courier's new staff writer, Julie Witthoef is. I'm actually the former Ms. Julie Musilek, same writer, different last name.

Julie Witthoef is a staff writer for the Charlevoix Courier. She can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com

Letters to the editor

Convention Center a 'bonehead idea'

Editor:

In your issue of Sept. 6, you ran an article with regard to a convention center for our fair town. This is a bonehead idea whose time has (hopefully) not come to pass.

Whether we like to admit it or not we are a resort town with a very limited season. The high point of the season runs from the Fourth of July to Labor Day. While we now get a substantial number of visitors up through Apple Fest, the number of tourists in town after mid-October falls off substantially. We are

now lead to believe that a convention center is going to turn this trend around? This notion assumes that all the stores and dining establishments stays open during the winter so that this vast horde of visitors has some place to shop and eat while doing what?

Face it folks, this is a great town, but it will never be a tourist destination in the middle of winter. At best, we get the overflow from the ski trade from the surrounding resorts. While this seems to increase each year, the notion that we are somehow going to bring people by the hundreds to our town due to having a convention center is a

joke. What this idea really highlights is the fact that there is too much grant money around for someone to even suggest that a study should be funded.

Bill Mailmen
Charlevoix

Article response

Editor:

To aid you in regards to the Charlevoix downtown siren article, being a native born Charlevoixan raised here in the 40s and 50s this is what the sirens mean and used to mean.

See LETTERS, page 5

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The noon siren is just that — noon whistle — nothing more, nothing less to date. Dogs in the valley near city hall still howl.

The 9:30 p.m. siren as far back as I can remember was/is the city curfew for kids under 14. We were raised under this rule, we raised our children under this rule in the 1970s, 1980s.

It used to be if a kid under 14 was caught by the city police breaking curfew, the officer took the kid, even the youngster's bike to his home where the officer talked with the youngster's parents. If the kid was caught a second time, the parents and the kid had to meet with the chief of police. This was enforced in the 1950s. The curfew was important growing up in

Charlevoix.

As far as the valley is concerned, when I was growing up in Charlevoix the valley did not include the business district. The business district was known simply as downtown.

The valley went from below Hooker's Hill, Dodge's Hill, State Street, Antrim Street, up to the end of Antrim, back down Clinton Street on the outside, both sides of State Street and included the street in between. Park Avenue was Park Avenue.

It's really irritating by one of the past articles written for the Courier that the business district is now referred to by newcomers and "out-of-towners" as the Valley, "going to the Valley to shop." If a person was going to the valley to shop by my Neff Brothers free delivery training, they would be going to Staley's grocery. Hoop Skirt Alley was Clinton Street.

You may add my name to your list of Charlevoixans to verify information for your articles. I think enforcing the old curfew rule was best. Thanks for your time.
C. Marilyn (Neff) Gibbons
Charlevoix

(Editor's note: According to the Charlevoix City Police Chief the curfew for children is not 9:30 p.m. Children 12 and under have to be off the streets by 10 p.m. Those between 13-15 must be in before 11 p.m. and 16-year-olds have to be off the streets by midnight.)

Vote yes

Editor:
Charlevoix Township Zoning Ordinance is coming up for a vote on Sept. 18. I encourage all voters to review the new ordinance before they vote and would be happy to answer any questions about the or-

derance.

The township has spent much time and effort and money to give us a workable zoning ordinance. The last time our ordinance was updated was 1987.

The township hired a professional planner who owns property in Charlevoix Township to help us bring the ordinance up to current standards. The township also had the ordinance reviewed by a local attorney.

We've addressed sections on Telecommunications Towers and Sexually Oriented Businesses. The purpose of these changes is to protect your rights, your interests and your safety.

My job in Charlevoix Township is as trustee and chairperson of the planning commission.

I urge you to vote yes on Sept. 18.

Nancy E. Rajewski
Charlevoix Township

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 5:30 p.m. on Sept. 7 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Belvedere Avenue. A minor injury was reported.

• A 27-year-old Indian River man was arrested on Sept. 7 near the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club on US-31 for driving while his license was suspended.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 10 a.m. on Sept. 4 near the intersection of Bridge and Carpenter streets. No injuries were reported.

• A 57-year-old Charlevoix woman was arrested on a warrant around 4 p.m., Sept. 4 near the intersection of Petoskey and Ance avenues.

• A 19-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested on Sept. 4 for failing to register as a sex offender.

• A 41-year-old Naples, Fla. woman was arrested around 1 p.m., Sept. 3 on Auld Street for domestic as-

sault.

• A side window was broken around 4 a.m. on Sept. 3 at the Village Pub on Bridge Street.

• Several items were logged into the lost-and-found at the Charlevoix Police Department on Sept. 2. They were: A Bell South Cellular Telephone, a leather purse, a Fuji camera, a Kodak camera, a Nokia digital telephone, a Uniden cellular telephone, a plain silver band ring, a gold ring with stones, an Erika cellular telephone, a blue zip bag with \$2 in change, an orange baseball cap, a paper bag filled with gifts, a wallet with money, rollerblades and a skateboard.

• Someone stole a wind sculpture around 6 p.m. on Sept. 2 from Elements on Bridge Street.

• A parked vehicle was struck by an unknown vehicle around 1 p.m. on Sept. 2 in the Glen's parking lot on M-66.

• A 25-year-old Pellston woman was arrested around 2 a.m., Sept. 1 on Antrim Street for domestic assault.

• A 64-year-old Sault Ste. Marie man was arrested around 2:30 a.m., Sept. 1 at Ferry Beach for having a warrant for his arrest.

• A vehicle struck a bicycle

around 4 p.m. on Sept. 1 near the intersection of Bridge and Hurlbut streets. No injuries were reported.

• Someone attempted to break into a concession stand sometime between 5 and 11 p.m. on Sept. 1 at Ferry Beach.

• Various items were stolen from a vehicle sometime between 6:30 and 10 p.m. on Aug. 31 when it was parked on Green Street.

• A 29-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 2 a.m. on Aug. 31 near the intersection of Ferry and Stover roads for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol.

• A 40-year-old Charlevoix wom-

an was arrested around 10 a.m., Aug. 31 on the 800 block of Bridge Street for a warrant on her arrest issued for failing to pay a parking ticket.

• A vehicle was hit by a fire extinguisher that fell off a garbage truck around 4 p.m. on Aug. 28 near the intersection of Petoskey Avenue and Mercer Boulevard.

• Fishing poles were stolen from a boat sometime between 7 a.m. and 11 p.m. on Aug. 28 at Northwest Marina.

• A 21-year-old East Jordan man was arrested for stealing money around 10 p.m. on Aug. 27 from the Villa Moderne Motel located at 1415 Bridge Street.

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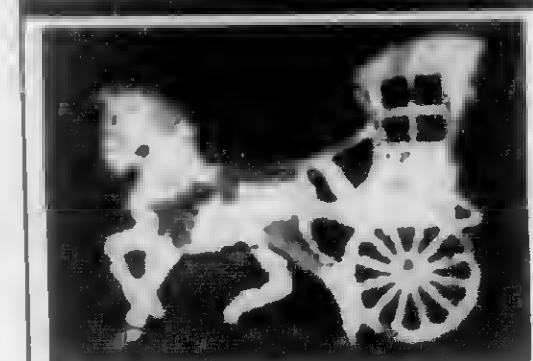
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Minister Phil Schairbaum and his wife Ginie will be leaving Charlevoix. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

Church minister leaving for Chicago congregation

By JULIE MUSILEK
Staff Writer

For the first time in 18 years, Charlevoix's First Congregational Church, located at 101 State Street, is searching for a new minister.

Current minister Phil Schairbaum has decided to be the "shepherd of a new flock" in a western suburb of Chicago, Ill. called Downers Grove. He will deliver his final sermon to his local parish on Oct. 7.

"I have another decade of ministry to fulfill. I'm ready to take advantage of new challenges and adventures," Schairbaum said.

A committee made up of members of the congregation have found four candidates to fill an interim position with the church. The chosen candidate will make their debut at the pulpit Oct. 14.

Phil and his wife Virginia, "Ginie," moved to Charlevoix 18 years

ago from Cincinnati, Ohio where they both taught school during the tumultuous 1960s. Phil said it was the social "stirrings" of the era that drew him to the seminary.

"I sought insight and strength in my own life and was lead to deeper places of the spirit. Out of difficult times comes a deepening of faith," he explained.

Before coming to Charlevoix, the Schairbaum family was stationed in two urban settings where Phil was associate on staff of two large churches, one of which was located in Fort Wayne, Ind. and one in Minneapolis, Minn. He soon found the demands of the job kept him at work long hours and he began searching for "the balanced life."

"I was ready to spread my wings a little, ready to take on new challenges. We looked around and found Charlevoix was a natural launch for us," he said.

Ginie said the real selling point for her was Charlevoix's small size and its natural beauty. She thought their three children would have more opportunities to excel in a smaller community and a smaller school system.

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Charlevoix to host Russian journalists

Russian journalists will be invading Charlevoix this November.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club is bringing a delegation of about 12 Russian journalists to the area to learn about the American publishing industry from Nov. 10-18.

The delegates are publishers, editors and directors of various Russian media outlets.

They are being brought to Charlevoix through the San Francisco based organization, Center for Citizen Initiatives. This organization is dedicated to economic re-

form in Russia.

Each member of the delegation must pass a rigorous screening process to take part in the program.

They will be visiting numerous publishing organizations throughout the area during the week — including the Charlevoix Courier and the Petoskey News-Review — and speaking with several business leaders.

Additionally, the delegation will be given tours of northern Michigan and Charlevoix.

In order to give the Russians a

true taste of American life, the Charlevoix Rotary Club is looking for area residents willing to open their homes to the visitors. The Russians will be staying in groups of two at the homes in order to team a strong-English speaking member of the delegation with a weaker one.

For more information on home hosting a Russian delegate, please call Jim Berlage at 347-6563 or 547-0360. For more information on the program, call Jeremy McBain at 547-6558.

Be aware of Nigerian bank scam asking for money

Over the past ten years it is estimated that between \$100 million and \$1 billion have been lost to a bank scam originating out of Nigeria, Africa.

The scam, commonly known as "4-1-9" plays on the greed of its victims and basically works as follows:

- The potential victim (target) receives a letter, fax or e-mail from a Nigerian "official" offering participation in a money laundering or other illegal proposal.

- An offer is made to transfer millions of dollars in "over invoiced contract" funds to the target's bank account.

- The target is asked to provide bank account numbers, telephone numbers and other identifying information.

- Numerous documents are sent to the target with official looking seals, stamps and others, testifying to the authenticity of the proposal.

- The target is eventually asked to provide bank account numbers, telephone numbers and other identifying information.

- Numerous documents are sent to the target with official looking seals, stamps, etc. testifying to the authenticity of the proposal.

- The target is eventually asked to provide up-front fees to cover taxes, attorney fees, among other items.

- The target is often, but not always, encouraged to travel overseas to complete the transaction. A US citizen was murdered in Lagos, Nigeria when he attempted to pursue payment of his money.

The scam has become such a problem that the U.S. Secret Service has become involved.

Victims of this scam are encouraged to forward all relevant documentation to the United States Secret Service, Financial Crimes Division, 950 H Street, NW, Washington, DC. Victims can also reach the Secret Service by telephone at 202/406-5850, or by e-mail at www.treas.gov/uss or contact your local sheriff's department.



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Featured artists

Two Charlevoix students will have their art featured during the Adrian College Juried Student Art Exhibition Sept. 25 through Oct. 27 in the Stubnitz Gallery at the college. They are: Brian Martinus, a senior art major, with his ceramic sculpture of a pike and Emily Martinus, a junior art major, with her acrylic painting.

Scholarship winner

Kylie Avery of Charlevoix has received the Zeiss Scholarship for the 2001-2002 academic year at Ferris State University in Big Rapids. Avery is a third year student enrolled in the Michigan College of Optometry at the university.

WMU graduates

Two students from Charlevoix received degrees from Western Michigan University recently. They were: Dawn Scanlan, with a bachelor of arts in theater and Steven Braun, with a bachelor of science in geography.

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Obituaries

Tadeusz Dobrowolski: Dec. 8, 1914 - Sept. 7, 2001

Tadeusz Dobrowolski, 86, of Newnan, Ga., died Sept. 7. He was preceded in death by his wife, Christina Simpson Oliver. There will be a private family service at a later date.

Edna Bell Drost: May 11, 1913 - Sept. 8, 2001

Edna Bell Drost, 89, of Charlevoix went to be with the Lord on Sept. 8 at the home of her daughter Arlene Korthase.

Friends visited the family on Sept. 11 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix and a graveside service followed in Brookside Cemetery.

Edna was born May 11, 1913 in Petoskey. In 1931 she married and was the loving wife of Ben E. Drost for 54 years. He preceded her in death on Dec. 19, 1985.

She will be missed by everyone whose lives she touched, but most of

all by her children, Arlene Korthase and her husband Ed of Walloon Lake, Naomi Capelin and her husband Gordon of Horton Bay, Eugene and his wife Margaret of Charlevoix, Nancy Spence and her husband Denny of Charlevoix, Dale Drost and his wife Patt of Elko, Nev. and Ben Drost and his wife Connie of Central Lake.

She is survived by 19 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren. One grandson, Steven Spence, preceded her in death.

Edna enjoyed sewing, crocheting

and spending time with her family. She will be remembered for her years of dedication to her family. Edna always set an example of honesty, hard work and devotion and there was always room for one more at her table.

Edna was a member of the Charlevoix Assembly of God Church. Those wishing to make contributions may do so in her memory to Northern Michigan Hospice of Little Traverse Bay.

Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

James Arthur Johnson: Aug. 23, 1939 - Sept. 8, 2001

Mr. James Arthur Johnson, 62, of Charlevoix joined his Lord on Sept. 8 at his home.

He was born Aug. 23, 1939 at Wahpeton, N.D., the son of Arthur William and Mable Emilia (Ehrens) Johnson and was educated in Wahpeton High School graduating in 1957. Jim served in the United States Air Force from 1957 until 1969 leaving the service with the rank of S/Sgt.

Jim came to Charlevoix in 1969 with employment at Big Rock Point Nuclear Power Plant in 1969 and served in many capacities until retirement in 1988.

Jim and Madelon Sue Troutwine were united in marriage on April 10, 1970 at Bethany Lutheran Church in Charlevoix and she survives.

He was a member of the V.F.W. in Wahpeton, N.D., the American Legion in Charlevoix, the Elks Lodge in Gaylord and Zephyrhills, Fla.

Surviving, besides his wife Sue, are three children; Cynthia (John) Whitley of Charlevoix, Curtis (Paula) Murdock and Donald S. Story; loving grand-

children; brothers and sisters, Gerald (Shirley) Johnson of North Dakota, Phyllis (Tom) Kohnour of North Dakota and Lois (Alden) Thiel of Minn. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Funeral services took place at 1 p.m., Sept. 11 at Winchester Funeral Home. The Rev. David Behling officiated and interment followed at Brookside Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Little Traverse Bay or the choice of the donor.

Dennis John Madigan: Dec. 8, 1939 - Sept. 4, 2001

Dennis John Madigan, 61, of Beaver Island and formerly of Chicago, Ill., died Sept. 4 at his home on Beaver Island.

Mass of the Resurrection took place Sept. 7 at Holy Cross Catholic Church on Beaver Island. The Rev. Pat Cawley officiated. Burial followed at Holy Cross Cemetery.

Dennis was born on Dec. 8, 1939 in Chicago, Ill., the son of John and Jessica Madigan. He was raised in the Chicago area. He was in the U.S. Army for two years where he served as an M.P. in Germany.

Dennis worked for the Chicago

Police Department from 1960 to 1971. When Dennis left the force he moved to Oswego, Ill. where he worked as a manufacturing representative, which he did up until his retirement in 1988.

In 1994 he married Jacquelyn Deneau of Chicago aboard his boat the "Gun Runner." The couple moved to Beaver Island following his retirement. Dennis owned "Dirty Denney's Dogs" on the island. He was also an excellent chef and storyteller.

Dennis loved people and knew how to have a good time, but is

probably most noted for his collecting and wearing of outrageous hats. He was a member of the American Veteran's Post on Beaver Island.

Survivors include; his wife, Jacquelyn; one daughter, Eron Madigan; two sons, Kelly of Atlanta, Ga. and Sean of Oswego, Ill.; two loving step-children, Michael (Rebecca) Nilles of Big Rock, Ill. and Melinda (Mike) Baker of West Over, Md.; one granddaughter, Anne Nilles.

Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Sally J. McDonald: Oct. 1, 1941 - Sept. 8, 2001

Sally J. McDonald, 59, of Wildwood Drive, Greenville and Charlevoix died suddenly on Sept. 8 at Spectrum Health Butterworth Campus, Grand Rapids.

She was born in Owosso on Oct. 1, 1941, the daughter of Harry J. and Thelma I. Howell Lux. Her parents have preceded her in death.

Sally graduated from Chesaning High School in 1959 and then graduated from Ferris State College. She was an optometric assistant with Doctors Hansen and Martin in Greenville. She

was a member of St. Paul Episcopal Church and loved gardening, knitting, reading, walks — especially those on the beach — and watching sunsets while up at their Charlevoix home. Most especially she loved being with her family and spending time with her two grandchildren.

She was married in Chesaning on Aug. 25, 1962 to Charles K. McDonald. He survives her along with their son and daughter-in-law, Scott and Karen McDonald of Greenville and their granddaughter Nicole and grandson Mitchell.

She is also survived by a sister-in-law, Virginia McDonald of Atlanta, Ga.

Funeral services for Sally are at 11 a.m. today at the Hurst Funeral Home in Greenville with the Rev. John Kirkman of St. Paul Episcopal Church officiating.

Burial will be in Oak Hill Cemetery, Owosso. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Flat River Community Library or St. Paul Episcopal Church. Messages of condolence may be sent via e-mail at www.HurstFuneralHome.com.

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Council agrees to purchase Wharfside

WHARFSIDE

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City manager Mike Wiesner said the acquisition phase comes at a total cost of \$1,260,000. This figure includes incidentals, the relocation fee and the cost of the building.

Wiesner said the bulk of the cost, \$1,016,200 will be paid for through grants and the remaining \$240,000 is the local cost.

The city budgeted \$1,100,000 for the purchase of the waterfront building and in the purchase agreement reached a consensus with the McCarthys for \$1,150,000.

The city also agreed to an additional \$85,000 "relocation cost" to be used by the businesses currently located in the building including: Kilwin's and two McCarthy businesses, North Seas Gallery and North Seas Furniture.

Wiesner said the McCarthy's plan is to purchase the "old bank building" where the Bridge Street Bazaar is currently located, on the corner of Clinton and Bridge streets, as a new place to open up shop.

Rex said, as of now, the plan is to relocate Kilwin's and his art and antique gallery to the Bridge Street Bazaar, but he isn't positive the furniture store will also be moved to that location.

Wiesner said the city has no set timeline for phase two — demolition — and doesn't know how much it will cost.

But Campbell said the city can't get grants for the demolition phase and it will most likely be an additional \$60,000 or \$70,000.

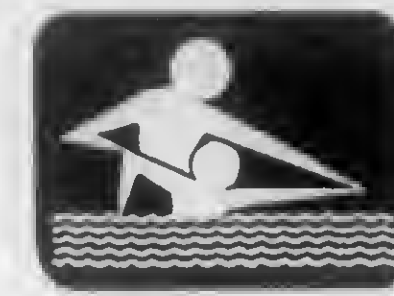
"It's (the Wharfside project) going to cost the city taxpayers \$279,000. I think that's a little much. A ton of people in my ward are against it and are against the marina expansion that's coming up. I'm sure that will pass too," he said.

Rex said he's sad to see the Wharfside go and is "relatively" pleased with the agreement he and his wife reached with the city.

Wiesner said the city plans to close on the purchase agreement by Jan. 10, 2002.

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SEPTEMBER 2001

Kiwanis honors Mitchell for community work

Caitlin Mitchell, an 11-year-old Charlevoix student, received two prestigious honors at a statewide Kiwanis convention held August 23-26 in Ypsilanti.

Mitchell, the daughter of Pat and Lori Mitchell was awarded the Kiwanis International Foundation K-Kids Leadership Award for her outstanding leadership within the K-Kids program at the Charlevoix Elementary School during this past year.

In making the award, Ben Probert, Michigan's Kiwanis Governor stated, "On behalf of K-Kids members throughout the world, The Kiwanis International Foundation and the Michigan District of Kiwanis, please welcome and congratulate the 2001 recipient of the K-Kids Leadership Award, Caitlin Mitchell, of the Charlevoix Elementary K-Kids Club."

Probert went on to outline Mitchell's activities including participation in the cancer walk, plant-

ing petunias, assisting seniors at Boulder Park, working on the Guatemala food project and being a conflict resolution manager on the playground.

All told, she worked more than 115 hours providing service to her community while serving as president of K-Kids is an international organization of third, fourth and fifth grade students who strive to make a difference in their community by contributing time and effort to various projects. The local club is sponsored by the Charlevoix Kiwanis Club and currently has 35 members.

The club also received an award for "Best Scrapbook."

Mitchell also received the President's Student Service Award, personally signed by President George W. Bush. This award recognizes all students from kindergarten through college for outstanding community service with over 100 hours of service within a 12-month period.



Caitlin Mitchell is presented the Leadership Award and Student Service Award by Kiwanis State Governor Ben Probert (left) and International President Bo Shafer (extreme right). Caitlin's parents, Lori and Pat Mitchell, help hold all her awards. (Courtesy photo)

Belvedere Club awards scholarships to students

Four Charlevoix High School graduates have received college scholarships for their dedicated work at their summer jobs.

Lindsey Carland, Shannon Nystrom, Abby Schaperkötter and Jessica VanGuilder were recently awarded Belvedere Scholarships from the Belvedere Scholarship Fund held at the Charlevoix County Community Foundation.

Carland has worked in the Belvedere Clubhouse and Casino for three years and will use her \$2,600 scholarship award to attend Michigan State University in East Lansing where she will be a sophomore this fall.

Nystrom has been a member of the senior wait staff in the Clubhouse and Casino and she received a \$4,000 scholarship to study music and business at Belmont University in Nashville, Tennessee.

Schaperkötter, who has worked as a Casino staff person and a Gang Leader for children's activities, will attend Grand Valley State University where she will use her \$3,000 scholarship to study Health Sciences.

VanGuilder, Belvedere's Children's Activities Director and Gang Leader, will use her \$2,400 award to continue to work on her Elementary Education degree at Calvin College in Grand Rapids.

They join two other Belvedere employees who are currently receiving scholarships. Keith Grunch, a junior at Aquinas College, has worked at the Golf Club Pro Shop for the past six years, and Jeff Popenhagen, Jr., a junior at Olivet Nazarene College, has worked

for the past five years on the Grounds Maintenance Crew.

Other area students who are still receiving Belvedere Scholarships from their past employment at the club are Christopher Meredith, Jeremy Rafacz and Todd Schaperkötter. Under the Scholarship Fund guidelines, the students will continue to receive assistance with educational costs until they complete their undergraduate degrees, depending on the availability of funds.

This is the fifth year the Belvedere Club has awarded scholarships.

Members of the club established a scholarship fund

through the Charlevoix County Community Foundation in 1995 to benefit employees and children of employees. Since its inception, the Belvedere Scholarship Fund has awarded \$67,000 in scholarships — \$30,200 this year alone.

The Belvedere Scholarship Fund is one of 118 separate funds managed by the Charlevoix County Community Foundation. About one-fourth

of the funds are designated for scholarships; others are earmarked to support certain areas of interest such as health improvement or the environment. Certain nonprofit organizations that serve the county or specific towns within the county.

The Community Foundation was established in 1992 by a group of local citizens as a way to build a permanent reserve of charitable capital to meet this

area's needs for years to come. Since it began, the foundation's assets have grown to more than \$7 million, and grants totaling more than \$2.5 million have been distributed to help a number of local initiatives.

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Zoning dispute to go to the voters on Sept. 18

ZONING

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Scherping and others, including Charlevoix Township resident Dale Boss, claim the ordinance is restrictive and violates the rights of private property owners.

"As it is now, the zoning ordinance infringes on personal property rights and is way too restrictive. I went through and found 40 to 50 items that need to be thrown out. I am bound and determined to get it defeated," Scherping said.

Some of these areas of the ordinance Scherping is opposed to include: regulations for hedge and fencing, regulations for home-based businesses and the right of the zoning administrator to search township property at any time for violations.

As the voting day gets closer, Scherping's main concern is that most people haven't read the 97 page document.

On the other end of the battlefield lies a group that calls themselves "The Charlevoix Township Citizens for Good Zoning," and they are backing the township's decision to adopt the zoning ordinance.

A member of this group, Ron Williams, said the township spent a lot of time tweaking this ordinance to make it effective and it is up to standard.

Rajewski said the township began

revising the "outdated" zoning ordinance two years ago; it had last been updated in 1987 and needed to be brought up to today's standards.

Nancy's husband, township zoning administrator Bob Rajewski, said the changes deal mainly with language updates and "making the ordinance more readable, so people can understand it better," but its content hasn't really seen much of a change.

"This ordinance has basically the same content. We tried to add more teeth to make it easier to enforce when we have a complaint," Nancy explained.

She added no major zoning has been changed, "commercial districts are still commercial" but, they did away with commercial designations one, two and three, and lumped the three into one section.

She said some other changes include a reduction in density of multiple family housing from 15 to 8.7.

"Every time we had someone come to us with a proposal for a multiple family development it was a big fight. We didn't want any part of that," she explained.

Other changes she highlighted include the addition of a telecommunications tower section and a sexually oriented businesses section.

The definitions section was also expanded, to include five more pages.

On Sept. 18, popular vote will decide the ordinance's fate.



Generations

Two Charlevoix families celebrated their many generations this summer. Above, is Rod Smith of Charlevoix with his daughter Sandi Soley, granddaughter Magi Bryson, great-granddaughter Nicki O'Dell and great-great-granddaughter Kaelyn O'Dell. Right, (clockwise) grandmother Jackie Boog, great-grandmother Shirley Matern, child Elliott David Bennett and father Michael Bennett. (Courtesy photos)



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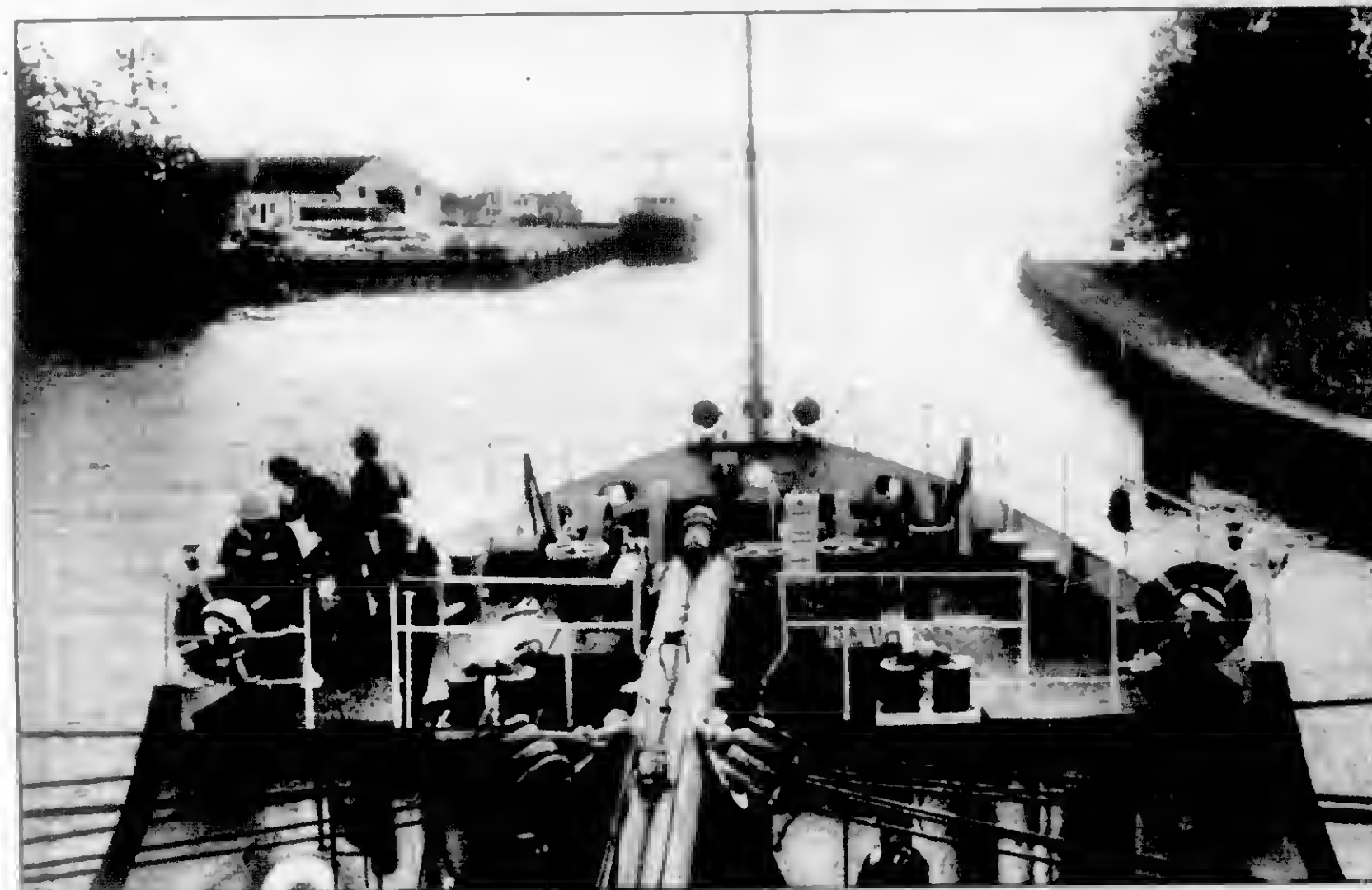
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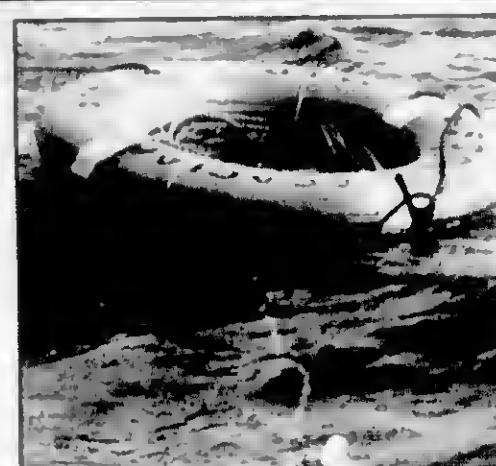
A day on the Coast Guard ship Acacia



Recently, several members of the community were invited to tag along with the U.S. Coast Guard on the Acacia as they practiced in Lake Charlevoix. Above, the Acacia passed through the channel into the lake. Right, after simulating a man overboard with a dummy, the crew works to bring in the "victim." (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



Above, after pulling the dummy from the water, a live crew member acted like the victim so the crew could practice their first aid techniques. Many of the crew members of the Acacia are trained in various duties of the ship's operation. The 150 foot Acacia has a crew of 50. Newer Coast Guard ships have fewer crew members due to military budget cutbacks. Right, a life ring floats in the water where the fake crew member fell in.



Above, during the trip, the crew of the Acacia practiced setting and removing buoys from the lake. The Acacia monitors buoys from the southern tip of Lake Michigan to Lake Huron, just south of Alpena. Most of the buoys are located near the Mackinac Straits.



Above, after every trip on the lakes, the crew of the Acacia gather on the deck for "quarters." This is a formal proceeding that is used to pass information from officers to crew.

Congregational Church looking for new minister

CHURCH

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The couple's children have all since moved away from Charlevoix's "nest;" Anne, 26, Mark, 24, and Laura, 20.

The Schairbaum's made the move to Charlevoix on Aug. 1, 1983 and will be leaving on Oct. 15.

Since 1983, they have become closely connected to the Charlevoix community. Phil said that there is a very strong sense of belonging amongst both members of his congregation and members of the community.

Ginnie has also found her niche locally, as both coordinator of a welcome service and for the past two years, as director of the Charlevoix Senior Center.

"When I leave they (center users) will find out that I don't do that much. They do all the work — it's

the spirit of the place. They help each other, they belong to that center and are willing to give of their skills and try new things," she said.

Fostering the sense of family that Phil described has come out of numerous successful outreach programs the church has been involved in.

"I very much appreciate this churches readiness to reach out to the community and beyond," he said.

These projects include; the local food pantry, youth work, social services like CHIPS and the Ezra House, community lunches, the Rainbow Shoppe and donations to world missions.

He said the move to Chicago may give them time to see the direction they want to move in.

"We are very engaged in Charlevoix life at so many levels. This will give us the opportunity to shift or reposition our priorities," Phil said.

The two said their time in Fort

Wayne and Minneapolis has prepared them for urban living.

"We are looking forward to being in a city again," Ginnie said.

Phil will be the pastor at a sister church of Charlevoix's First Congregational. First Congregational is of the Church of Christ denomination, as is St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Downer's Grove, Ill. where Phil will start his new ministry.

They will be living in a home that is set on church owned property so they hope to be able to keep their Charlevoix home too.

Phil and Ginnie have nieces and nephews living in Chicago and numerous other family members in Indiana and Ohio. They also hope to do a little more traveling.

They know some of these travels will bring them back to Charlevoix.

"We have 18 years of history here, that's one third of my life, so Charlevoix will always be a part of me," Phil said.



Future captain

Coryn Richey, 7, of Charlevoix, took the captain's chair during a recent trip on the U.S. Coast Guard ship Acacia. Recently, several crew members were allowed to bring their families along for a trip. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Charlevoix Middle School greets two new teachers

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Pam Swenor, 49, of Charlevoix and Sarah Muladore, 23, of Ellsworth are the latest additions to the Charlevoix Middle School English and social studies departments.



Pam Swenor

Swenor was brought in to replace longtime Charlevoix School District English educator, James Kanine who taught at the school for 14 years and is now assistant principal and athletic director at Charlevoix High School.



Sarah Muladore

Swenor brings with her Kanine's veteran status in the classroom. She has taught for 15 years in both public and parochial schools. She said she decided to join the Charlevoix district because she

thinks it's "a quality system."

When she and her husband, Charlevoix Elementary School principal Dick Swenor, married, she started out teaching various subjects at Adrian High School for three years. The family made the move north in 1977, and Swenor taught at both St. Ignace middle and high schools for seven years.

Over the last five years she has taught sixth, seventh and eighth grades at Ebenezer Christian School.

"My goal is to help kids become lifelong learners — to enjoy learning. I want to push them to their potential but not push them beyond what they are capable of; I don't want to frustrate them," she explained.

Members of the hiring committee included: Amy Pott, Kathy Howell, Mark Drenth, Tori Fisher, Pat Conway, Barb Yenglin and Keith Haske.

In a recommendation letter written by Haske to the school board he stated, "She (Swenor) brings excellent experience as a teacher and a parent. Pam is also an excellent role model for our students."

Swenor will be joined at the middle school by a first time, full-time teacher, Muladore, a native of Ellsworth.

Muladore will be teaching sixth grade social studies. She said the Charlevoix School District was her number one pick. And, according to

the selection committee that recommended the school board hire Muladore, she was a top pick for them too.

When the selection committee checked Muladore's references they found past employers thought highly of her skills in the classroom.

"Sarah is a natural and was born to be a master teacher," a comment presented to the board stated.

Muladore said she is looking forward to integrating subjects and explained integrating as bringing music and technology into lessons to enhance the students' cultural perspective.

She also hopes to get involved in sports and music at the middle school. She said she's also willing to take part in after school tutoring.

Muladore is happy to have been warmly welcomed by other members of the middle school teaching staff who have helped her transition into the position.

Muladore is a graduate of Grand Valley State University in Allendale and her husband Matt is a police officer in Bellaire.



Close race

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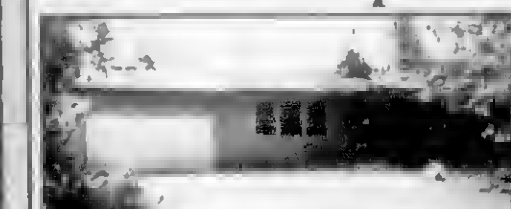
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'I don't want my wife to be stuck out in the cold'

HOMELESS

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credit checks.

"For someone who doesn't have a whole lot of money to pay bills on time, credit checks make it hard to find a place to live," he said. Sage added he and his wife are paying their bills the best they

can.

For help with this problem, Sage said he went to the Charlevoix Emmet Housing Coalition, but they do not have funding available at this time.

He received some help from the Family Independence Agency for a down payment on an apartment, but he couldn't come up with the rest of the money he needed. He said, generally landlords in this

area require a down payment of at least \$925 — this includes security and first and last month's rent.

And his search for a job is not going great either, he said. Sage, who does not have a high school degree, has found a market with few jobs in Charlevoix.

"There is mostly housekeeping and maintenance jobs. Other than that, there doesn't look like too much, maybe restaurant jobs," he

said. But even with these jobs on the market and his previous experience — he has been a cook, dry-walled homes and cleaned dishes among many other jobs — Sage has not even had an interview.

So why does Sage stay?

"I have thought about leaving Charlevoix many times. But, my wife doesn't want to leave because she has her job secure here. It means a lot for her to be work-

ing," he said.

While he spends his days looking for work and a permanent home, Sage said his mind goes back to the period he and his wife spent sleeping outside, especially as winter looms on the horizon.

"We have to find a place before then," he said. "I don't want to be stuck out in the cold. I don't want my wife to be stuck out in the cold. It weighs a lot on my mind."

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"It's hard for me not to take this personally; I care for this school

Bartz said some students stepped

As of the morning of Sept. 5 Halverson was unaware of the ori-

"As I told the students, I'm not going to let the actions of three diminish how proud I am of our students," he added.

For more information on these programs or other programs, contact the coalition at (231) 535-5166.

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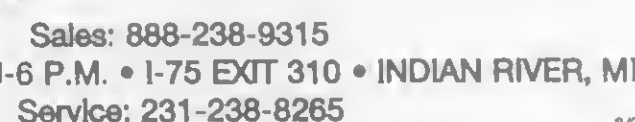
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Visions from the 2001 Red Fox Regatta



Sailors in this year's Red Fox Regatta sent in pictures, they took during the race. Left, a view from a sailor's point of view in the race. Above, the ship ORIGINAL SIN experienced some problems when its mast bent in half. (Courtesy photos)



Above left, Another view of the damage to the boat ORIGINAL SIN. Above right, the race was not all work as these sailors show. They were able to squeeze in a bite to eat while they fought the wind and the other boats. (Courtesy photos) Left, A cluster of boats almost strike each other during the race. Right, this larger boat seems to easily pass the smaller vessel. (Photos by A. Nony Mouse.)



Woman injured in car accident

A 76-year-old Hudson Township woman received minor injuries in a traffic crash around 11 p.m. on Sept. 6 on McGregor Road near Coash Road in Hudson Township.

The woman was injured when she lost control of the 1997 Mazda she was driving. The car slid off the roadway on a curve and rolled over in a heavily wooded area. She was temporarily trapped upside down in the car.

Alcohol was believed to be a factor and her name is being withheld pending possible criminal action.

The Sheriff's Department was assisted by the Hudson Township First Responders and Fire Department and the Boyne City Ambulance Service.

Northern Lights to be on Oct. 20

St. Mary's School of Charlevoix will have the 6th annual Northern Lights Celebration - Dinner, Auction, Dance "Sounds of Yesterday," from 6 p.m. to midnight on Oct. 20.

Music will be by "Class Act Productions," and Scott MacKenzie will be the auctioneer. There will be live and silent auctions and three raffles at 102 West Garfield in the Family Center.

The cost is \$55 per person. There will be a preview night from 6:30 to 8 p.m. on Oct. 19. Silent bids and raffle tickets will be available that evening.

Raffle tickets are available now. Please contact one of these people: Anell Roach 547-6311, Amy Pischner 547-2062, Laura Stebe 547-4505 or the school office 547-9441.

Events include complimentary champagne, Carvery dinner, silent and live auctions, including the children's art gallery. Dancing to the music of "Class Act Productions." Auction and dance tickets are available for a donation of \$30.

Other highlights of the evening include: "Crystal Corner" which features 4 round-trip train tickets to Toronto for a 3 day-2 night stay at a luxury hotel, donated by Passageways Travel.

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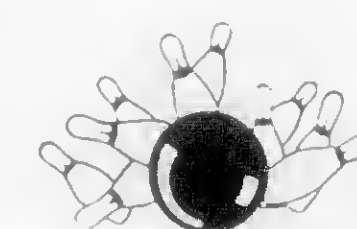
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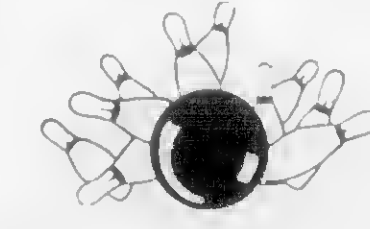
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Charlevoix pool to have many fall activities

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool will offer a wide variety of classes, programs, and recreational activities this fall.

Programs include swim school (group lessons), private lessons, swim team, aqua exercise, twinges in the hinges, water polo, lap swims, senior, teen and open recreation. Rental times are also available.

Registration by mail, fax, and drop off is now going on for all fall programs. Mail registrations to the Charlevoix Area Community Pool, 11905 US 31 North, Charlevoix (49720) or fax to 231-547-1754.

Swim School starts Sept. 22 and Nov. 10. Swim School classes are Red Cross certified and meet once each week for six weeks. Classes are available between 9:15-11:30 a.m. on Saturdays. A class is also available from 8-8:45 p.m. on Tuesday for adults who would like to learn to swim or improve their

swimming skills.

Masters Swim Team is a competitive program for those 19 and older which is offered from 8-9:25 p.m. on Wednesday. Written workouts to be followed during lap swims are also available for those who want to practice more than once a week. This program will start Oct. 3.

Aqua-Aerobics with Michael Smith is offered eight times each week. These classes meet from 8-9 a.m. on Monday through Saturday and from 5-6 p.m. on Tuesday through Thursday. Participants can pay \$5 each time or purchase a six week pass for \$50.

Twinges in the Hinges with Linda Shomin is offered three times each week. These classes meet from 9:00-10:00 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. This class is designed for those with arthritis. Shomin is a certified instructor with the National Arthritis Foundation. Participants can pay \$5 each time or

purchase a six week pass for \$50. This program starts Sept. 10 and will continue until mid June, 2002.

Water Safety Instructor Course is an American Red Cross certified course for those interested in becoming swimming instructors may be offered this May if there is sufficient interest. Students need to be 17 years of age and have an intermediate swimming ability. The fee is \$150 for the course and required books. Several scholarship programs are available. Call Al Gooch for more information and to be put on a waiting list.

Lifeguard Training Special is an American Red Cross certified course for those interested in becoming lifeguards is being offered the weekends of Sept. 22 and Sept. 29. Students need to be 15 years of age and be able to swim 500 yards. The fee is \$70 (normally \$150) for the course and required books. A special fund is available for this one

session, which will pick up the other \$80. Call the pool for more information.

Public Swim Times will include Open Swim (all ages) from 6-8 p.m. on Monday through Friday, from 3-4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays, from 1-4 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays, On Your Own (OYO for adults) from 1-3 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and lap swimming from 6-8 a.m., Monday through Friday, from noon-1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and from 5-6 p.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 11:30-1 p.m. on Saturdays and

noon-1 p.m. on Sundays. Senior swims for the young at heart are from 11 a.m.-Noon on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The OYO swimmers share the pool with rehab programs from Charlevoix Area Hospital. Teen swim is from 8-9 p.m. on Mondays.

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Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series, Final Race, Sept. 5: Spinnaker 1: HOI POLLOI, SLAPSHOT, WINDRUNNER, HOOTIE, GOTCHA! and MINT JULEP. Spinnaker II: BABE and SAFFRON; BALD EAGLE retired. P-26: LOST VERMONTER, TIRELESS, ARTEMIS and CYGNUS. Mike Miller of ORIGINAL SIN again had to fill in for the Race Committee. JAM: FLASH, APOTHECARY and CHEEMAUN. J-22: SWINE FLEW, EAU DE VIE, PALEFACE LITE, ROCK STEADY, HUSSY, SUPERFLUOUS, CRAZY HORSE, H S MOISTURE MISSILE, FIRST DATE, H RECKLESS, WHATS HER NAME, HIGH MAINTENANCE and HOG-TIDE.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Summer Series, Final Standings: Spinnaker I: SLAPSHOT 9, GOTCHA! 13 over HOI POLLOI 13; most First Place Finishes, HOOTIE 17, WINDRUNNER 27 and MINT

JULEP 31, Spinnaker II: BABE 8, BALD EAGLE 10 and SAFFRON 14. P-26: CYGNUS 9, LOST VERMONTER 11 over TIRELESS 11; most First Place Finishes, ORIGINAL SIN 21, 14, ARTEMIS 25 and SANDPIPER 36. JAM: FLASH 6, APOTHECARY 13, CHEEMAUN 16 and POCO LOCO 21, J-22: HUSSY 11, SWINE FLEW 15, H RECKLESS 16, SUPERFLUOUS 22, FIRST DATE 24, PALEFACE LITE 25, EAU DE VIE 32, ROCK STEADY 33, H S MOISTURE MISSILE 49, CRAZY HORSE 52, HIGH MAINTENANCE 65, WHATS HER NAME 72, HOG-TIDE 75, THUNDERSTRUCK 76, SCURRY 80, NO NAME YET 91 and BANZAI 96.

Congratulations to all 36 qualifying participants! Despite more than average weather problems, it was a good Summer Series. Don't Forget: Kids' Night at the Charlevoix Yacht Club on Sept. 14. It starts at 6 p.m.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Sunfish Championship: There will be five short races to determine the 2001 Sunfish Championship Sept. 23. Come join us, but if you have not been out for any of the summer Sunday races, please call Don Bowerman (536-7975) to register. You must be a Charlevoix Yacht Club member to be eligible. The sail out will be at ARTEMIS (near the "B" buoy) before 1 p.m. Your

best four of the five races will determine your score and final position in the Sunfish Fleet.

There will be a Charlevoix Yacht Club Work Party from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Sept. 22. Call Ron Plocki, 547-3965 or e-mail rplocki@freeway.net for more information.

Nautical Trivia: For the 2000 Charlevoix Yacht Club Trivia Championship! Two different ship

profiles have been reproduced hundreds of thousands of times. One is of the first great merchant ship (300 tons) built in the Americas. For one point, what is this ship's name? For two more points where did you see it? (Yes, you have!). The other was also built in the Americas, originally for fishing but better known for her speed. For yet another point, what is this ship's name? For two more

points; where is it seen?

E-mail answers to joshb@chartermi.net or leave word at 231-547-2000; be sure to include your name! Answers in two weeks, a hint or two next week.

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SPORTS

Soccer team fell to Roscommon last week

Despite outplaying most of their opponents this season, the Charlevoix soccer team saw their record fall to 2-4 after another 1 goal loss to perennial conference power Roscommon, Sept. 4.

After a scoreless first half, Roscommon got on the board about halfway through the second half. Roscoe Serrels then knotted the score with a header off of a throw in from Spencer Bryan.

The celebration didn't last long. It took only 5 seconds for Roscommon to catch the young Rayder team napping to score and take the lead for good.

Charlevoix had several opportunities down the stretch to tie the game but couldn't convert.

Keil Tilly continues to play strong in goal and the defense was once again lead by Colin Shuster. Serrels and Travis Smith are playing well in the midfield position.



A Charlevoix player fights with a Roscommon player over the ball. (Courtesy photo)

Coach Josh Block said that he is proud of his young team and noted that out of his squad's four defeats, three of the teams are undefeated and the other has but one loss.

Charlevoix hosts Bellaire on Tuesday (score was not available at press time) before traveling to McBain to take on Northern Michigan Christian.

Girls' basketball team beats Petoskey, 63-58

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix girls' varsity basketball team picked up a big win Sept. 4 over Petoskey on their home court.

The final score of the game was 63-58. The Rayders came from behind at the half, 26-35, to win the game.

"They just never gave up," said Jim Parrish, interim head coach. "It was a fun win for everybody."

Parrish was particularly happy with the work Alyssia McDonough put in near the end of the game. After each of his post players fouled out, McDonough was called from the bench and ended up taking 9 points.

Added to this was Kathryn Ricks' ability to get a three point basket in every quarter.

Ricks ended the game as the high

point scorer with 18. The second highest was Grace Farrell with 10 points.

Other points were collected by Kati Swenor with 8, Jennifer McClellan with 8, Rachel Wyniawskij with 4 and Krista Swenor with 6.

In the fourth quarter, when the Rayders were down 40-43, they scored 23 points to win the game.

"That was our best quarter so far," Parrish said.

But, Parrish said the team does have some problems it needs to work on, most notable its foul trouble. The Rayders lost Krista Swenor and Farrell to fouls and McDonough had four fouls against her by the end of game. All of them were in the post position against a tall Petoskey player.

Charlevoix faced East Jordan last night. The results of that game were not available before press time.

Rotary Club golf outing

The Charlevoix Rotary Club will be having its annual "Porker Golf Classic" Sept. 20 at the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course.

There will be a shotgun start at 4:30 p.m. for the four-person teams in the tournament. The event is limited to the first 80 golfers.

There will be contest holes of skill and luck. Registration is \$35 per person and

includes: Tournament entry, a porker dinner and a chance at a multitude of prizes.

The dinner will be at 6:30 p.m. at Giuseppe's Restaurant.

All proceeds benefit charitable projects supported by the Charlevoix Rotary Club.

For more information, contact Gary Grundman at the Charlevoix High School by calling 547-3222.

Golf team loses to Petoskey

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix varsity and junior varsity golf teams both lost Sept. 5 in a close match with Petoskey at the Belvedere Club.

The final score was 172-170 in the varsity match and 201-190 in the junior varsity match.

Charlevoix Coach Jim Glynn said his team simply did not shoot very well that day. He added the Petoskey team also had a bad day.

"It was just one of those days," he said.

Varsity golfer David Shearer was the medalist for the match with a score of 40. Other Charlevoix scores were: Jordan Nystrom with 43, Nick Cole with 44, York Smith with 55, Allen Brooks with 45 and Allen Couture with 50.

Scores for the junior varsity team were: Kreg Wager with 48, Jake Burns with 50, Ryan DeYoung with 49, Sparky Nitchman with 56, Adam Wager with 54 and Gene Fo-

ley with 65.

Glynn said there has been some improvement on the junior varsity team. He added a real battle has formed for the sixth spot on the varsity team between Couture, Wager and DeYoung.

He said the real test for the team will come Sept. 18 when they face tough competition from Harbor Springs at Harbor Springs.

"That is the key to playing...we will see what we can do," Glynn said.

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Venetian Festival swim results for pool

The Third Annual Venetian Swim Festival took place July 25 at the Charlevoix Community Pool and sponsors said this was by far the largest swim festival that the pool has ever hosted.

This year was the first year adults joined us in the festive competition. Swimmers ranged in age from six to 52 years of age. Fifty swimmers competed in 11 different events representing seven different age groups.

Results of the Third Annual Venetian Swim Festival are:

Boys age eight and under

•Alex Gooch — third, 40 Free; second, Back; and first, 40 Fly.

•Kyle Shomin — first, 40 Free; first, 40 Back; and second, 40 Breast.

•Kyle Krantz — fourth, 40 Free.

•Austin Lobenherz — third, 40 Breast.

•Stoney Crockett — third, 40 Back.

•Tanner Roe — first, 80 I.M.; second, 40 Back; and first, 40 Breast.

Girls age eight and under

•Kristen Gooch — second, 40 Free; and first 40 Back.

•Erin Guralnick — first, 40 Free.

Boys ages nine and 10

•Colin Campbell — second, 40 Free.

•Nick Berlage — first, 40 Back.

•Dylan Hescott — first, 80 I.M.; first 40 Fly; first, 100 Free; and first, 200 Free.

•Ben Gretzinger — second, 80 I.M.; first, 40 Free; first, 40 Breast; and first 100 Breast.

Girls ages nine and 10

•Devon Guralnick — third, 40 Free.

•Alexandra Myers — first, 40 Free; second, 100 Free.

•Kristal Lubellier — second, 40 Back; first, 100 Free.

•Dana Baier — fourth, 40 Back.

•Chrystal Schemanski — first, 80 I.M.; first, first, 40 Free; second, 40 Fly.

•Gina Gero — second, 80 I.M.; second, 40 Free; first, 40 Back; first, 40 Fly.

•Channa Grebe — third, 40 Back; first, 40 Breast.

•Alexandra Lobenherz — third, 40 Breast.

•Ashley Ploussard — second, 40 Breast.

•Alyse Ploussard — third, 80 I.M.

•Caroline Dupuis — sixth, 40 Free.

Boys ages 11 and 12

•Calvin Schemanski — third, 40 Free; second, 40 Breast; and first, 100 Breast.

•Spencer Roe — first, 80 I.M.; second, 40 Free; and first, 40 Back.

•Andy Rosenblatt — first, 40 Free; and first, 40 Fly.

Girls ages 11 and 12

•Bethany Peason — first, 80 I.M.; first, 40 Fly; first, 40 Breast; and first, 100 Free.

•Lauren Dupuis — first, 40 Free; and second, 40 Breast.

Boys ages 13-16

•Matt Roe — first, 40 Breast.

•Thomas Zarichney — first, 80 I.M.; first, 40 Free; first, 100 Free; and second, 100 Free.

•Andrew Miner — second, 40 Free; second 40 Breast; second, 100 Free; and first 100 Breast.

•Steven Ciske — third, 100 Free.

Girls ages 13-16

•Libby Campbell — first, 80 I.M.; and second, 200 Free.

•Lynne Blomberg — first, 40 Free; and first, 100 Free.

•Anna Step — second, 80 I.M.; and first 40 Breast.

•Taryn Rex — third, 40 Free; and third, 100 Free.

•Renae Linton — second, 40 Free; and second, 100 Free.

•Kristen Dupuis — second, 40 Breast.

Boys ages 17-20

•Matt Smith — third, 80 I.M.; first, 40 Fly; second, 40 Breast; first, 100 Fly; and second, 200 Free.

•Bradley Older — first, 80 I.M.; second, 40 Free; second, 40 Fly; third, 100 Free; and second, 100 Fly.

•Nathaniel Miller — second, 80 I.M.; third, 40 Free; third, 40 Fly; and second, 100 Free.

•Sam Ciske — first, 40 Free; first, 40 Breast; first, 100 Free; first, 200 Free.

Men ages 21-40

•Mark Bums — second, 40 Free; second, 40 Back; second 40 Fly; and first, 100 Free.

•Mark Dunn — first, 80 I.M.; first, 40 Free; first, 40 Back; and first, 40 Fly.

Men ages 41-60

•Peter Roe — first, 160 I.M.; first, 40 Free; and first, 40 Fly.

•Mike Shomin — second, 40 Free; first, 100 Free; and first, 200 Free.

•Al Gooch — first, 40 Breast.

•John Cowing — first, 80 I.M.; third, 40 Free; first, 40 Back; and second, 40 Fly.

Women ages 41-60

•Debbie Horan — second, 40 Free.

•Marilyn Early — first, 80 I.M.; first, 40 Free; first, 40 Back; and first, 40 Fly.

Charlevoix hospital awards scholarships

The Scholarship Committee of the hospital Guild announced the recipients of the annual scholarships totaling \$1,500.

Three \$500 scholarships were awarded to three medical students from Charlevoix County. Presen-

tation of the scholarships was made at the Guild's Aug. 13 meeting.

The scholarship winners were: Patricia Kelly, who will study nursing at the University of Michigan; Michael Czerkes, who

will attend Michigan State University and Nancy Johncheck, an employee of Charlevoix Area Hospital's lab — where she is a certified phlebotomist — who will further her education at North Central Michigan College.

Each year the Guild gives medical scholarships for a maximum of four years.

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ing a high school diploma who has been accepted into an approved school for a course of study leading directly into a health care profession.

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**CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS
September 4, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.**

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

After a public hearing, Council approved Ordinance No. 668, a tax exemption for a multi-family residential Housing Development identified as May Street Apartments, located at 1007 May Street.

Council tabled a public hearing for a Zoning Ordinance amendment requested by Hoffman, Soderberg and Kirby, of Belvedere Avenue.

Council generally agreed to allow the Belvedere Avenue Reconstruction Project to start after Labor Day as stated in the contract, and to allow the Michigan Avenue Reconstruction Project to be altered to narrow the road at the curve and place a sidewalk on both sides of the street.

Council appointed Dan Nuttle as a full time member to the Zoning Board of Appeals and Howard Horton as an alternate.

Council approved purchase of the Wharfside Building for \$1,150,000.00.

Council adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
TAX EXEMPTION ORDINANCE
Ordinance No. 668 of 2001

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR A SERVICE CHARGE IN LIEU OF PROPERTY TAXES FOR A PROPOSED MULTIPLE FAMILY DWELLING PROJECT FOR PERSONS OF LOW INCOME TO BE FINANCED OR ASSISTED PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF THE STATE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY ACT OF 1966, AS AMENDED.

THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX ORDAINS:

Section 1. Title.
This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the "City Tax Exemption Ordinance."

Section 2. Preamble.
It is acknowledged that it is a proper public purpose of the State of Michigan and its political subdivisions to provide housing for its citizens of low income and to encourage the development of such housing by providing for a service charge in lieu of property taxes in accordance with the State Housing Development Authority Act of 1966 (Act 346 of the Public Acts of 1966, as amended, MCLA 125.1401, et seq., MSA 116.114(1), et seq.). The City is authorized by this Act to establish or change the service charge to be paid in lieu of taxes by any or all classes of housing exempt from taxation under the Act at any amount it chooses, not to exceed the taxes that would be paid but for the Act. It is further acknowledged that such housing for persons of low income is a public necessity, and as the City will be benefitted and improved by such housing, the encouragement of the same by providing certain real estate tax exemption for such housing is a valid public purpose. In addition, the continuance of the provisions of this Ordinance for tax exemption and the service charge in lieu of taxes during the period contemplated in this Ordinance are essential to the determination of economic feasibility of housing developments which are constructed and financed in reliance on such tax exemption.

The City acknowledges that MERCER STREET LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, or their assigns (the "Sponsor") has offered, subject to receipt of a Mortgage Loan from the Michigan State Housing Development Authority, to erect, own and operate a housing development identified as May Street Apartments on certain property located at 1007 May Street, in the City of Charlevoix, to serve persons of low income, and that the Sponsor has offered to pay the City on account of this housing development an annual service charge for public services in lieu of all taxes.

Section 3. Definitions. As used in this Ordinance,
(a) "Authority" means the Michigan State Housing Development Authority.

(b) "Act" means the State Housing Development Authority Act, being Act 346 of the Public Acts of 1966, as amended.

(c) "Annual Shelter Rent" means the total collections during a calendar year from all occupants of a housing development representing rent or occupancy charges, exclusive of charges for gas, electricity, heat or other utilities furnished to the occupants.

(d) "Housing Development" means a development which contains a significant element of housing for persons of low income and such elements of other housing, commercial, recreational, industrial, communal, and educational facilities as the Authority determines improve the quality of the development as it relates to housing for persons of low income.

(e) "Mortgage Loan" means a loan to be made by the Authority to the Sponsor for the construction and/or permanent financing of the Housing Development.

(f) "Utilities" means fuel, water, sanitary sewer service and /or electrical service which are paid by the Housing Development.

(g) "Sponsor" means person(s) or entities which have applies to the Authority for a Mortgage Loan to finance a Housing Development.

Section 4. Class of Housing Developments.
It is determined that the class of Housing Developments to which the tax exemption shall apply and for which a service charge shall be paid in lieu of such taxes must be multi-family residential developments that are financed or assisted pursuant to the Act. It is further determined that the housing development identified as "May Street Apartments" is of this class.

Section 5. Establishment of Annual Service Charge.
The Housing Development identified as May Street Apartments and the property on which it shall be constructed shall be exempt from all property taxes from and after the commencement of construction. The City acknowledges that the Sponsor and the Authority have established the economic feasibility of the Housing Development in reliance upon the enactment and continuing effect of this Ordinance and the qualification of the Housing Development for exemption from all property taxes and payment in lieu of taxes as established in this Ordinance, and in consideration of the Sponsor's offer, subject to receipt of a Mortgage Loan from the Authority, to construct, own and operate the Housing Development, agrees to accept payment of an annual service charge for public services in lieu of all property taxes. The annual service charge shall be equal to 4.5% of the Annual Shelter Rents actually collected.

Section 6. Limitation on the Payment of Annual Service Charge.
Notwithstanding Section 5, the service charge to be paid each year in lieu of taxes for the part of the Housing Development which is tax exempt and which is occupied by other than low income persons or families shall be equal to the full amount of the taxes which would be paid on that portion of the Housing Development if the Housing Development were not tax exempt.

The term "low income persons or families" as used herein shall be the same meaning as found in Section 15(a)(7) of the Act, as amended.

Section 7. Contractual Effect of Ordinance.
Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 15(a)(5), of the Act, as amended, to the contrary, a contract between the City and the Sponsor, with the Authority as third party beneficiary under the contract, to provide tax exemption and accept payments in lieu of taxes, as previously described, is effectuated by enactment of this Ordinance.

Section 8. Payment of Service Charge.
The annual service charge in lieu of taxes as determined under this Ordinance shall be payable in the same manner as general property taxes are payable to the City, except that the annual payment shall be paid on or before February 28 of each year on the Annual Shelter Rent collected in the preceding year.

Section 9. Duration.
This Ordinance shall remain in effect and shall not terminate so long as the Mortgage Loan remains outstanding and unpaid or the Authority has any interest in the property, provided that construction of the Housing Development commences within one year from the effective date of this Ordinance.

Section 10. Severability.
The various sections and provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed to be severable, and should any section or provision of this Ordinance be declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any section or provision of this Ordinance other than the section or provision so declared to be unconstitutional or invalid.

Section 11. Effective Date.
This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after enactment.

Motion by Councilman Campbell and seconded by Councilman Chamberlain to adopt Ordinance No. 668 at the September 4, 2001 Regular Council Meeting.
Yeas: Councilmen Bellows, Campbell, Carlson, Chamberlain, Haggard and Witthoeff.
Nays: None.

Elizabeth A. Gooch, City Clerk

Crooked Tree center to have several classes

It's back to school time at the Crooked Tree Arts Center!

Autumn is the time for learning and enrollment is being accepted at the arts center for the Community School of the Arts Fall 2001 session. Many new classes are offered in addition to perennial favorites.

Home school families are encouraged to enroll students for a variety of classes, including fine art and music. Schedules, with class times and fees are available at the arts center.

Dance classes, beginning with age 3 and up, including adult classes are offered on Saturdays. Instructor, Tanya Renkiewicz is offering pre-ballet, ballet, jazz, tap, and hip hop.

She has just returned from Chicago and is eager to share her experience with area dancers.

"I believe there can never be enough dance opportunities, no matter what age," said Renkiewicz, who grew up in northern Michigan and has training in ballet, jazz, modern, hip-hop and swing.

Renkiewicz will be using the facilities at Concord Academy for her classes. Dance classes begin Sept. 15 and run through December.

Sandra Cook is a new instructor at the arts center. As the kindergarten teacher at Cranbrook Educational Community, Cook garnered many honors, including Award of Excellence in Teaching and the Miro Faculty Excellence Award for her guidance and inspiration of students.

She will share her enthusiasm for the arts with a class she calls "Drip, Dip, Drop & Drag It!" for ages 5-9.

In this class, students will create art through experimentation and exploration, using a variety of tools and objects.

Drawing and design for students in grades 6-8 is offered by Mary Jill Lemieur. Young artists will sharpen basic drawing skills for realistic and detailed still lifes, figures, faces and nature. This class will be conducted in a studio atmosphere with individualized projects.

Students will be introduced to design process to learn from their own ideas from the sketching stage to final piece. Lemieur, is a trained graphic design artist that has turned toward the fine arts. She exhibits her work in many galleries and outdoor shows, as well as accepting commissioned work.

Traditional favorites for kids include children's art, beginner or advanced pottery. A new children's class includes a hands-on pottery class for parents and pre-school children offered by Tom Castiglione. Kindermusik introduces you and your child to the world of music and movement. Classes are offered to children as young as one month and up to age 7 on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Adult classes include Catherine Carey's popular watercolor class and a drawing class. Acrylic and oil painting on canvas with instructor Manna McGrew is available for

ages 17 and up. Two instructors, Mark Ward and Tom Castiglione will offer pottery for adults and young adults. Jake Jakab brings back his photography class on Wednesdays. A list of required materials is available at the arts center for all classes.

Chad Pastotnik will offer workshops in printmaking and bookbinding. Pastotnik established Deep Weed Press on the Cedar River in northern Michigan where he publishes limited editions, hand bound, fine press books, the text of which are hand set in lead types and printed via letterpress.

Pastotnik has shown his print and book work in such venues as the Art Institute of Chicago and the Metropolitan Museum of Art. Students in the printmaking workshop will learn the basics of the intaglio printing processes of drypoint and engraving.

Those with some experience will

be able to review more advanced processes of mezzotint and roulette. Students will also learn of the evolution of printing and the various processes the media has evolved with throughout the past 700 years to contemporary means of production. Drawing skills are a must. The fine craft of bookbinding will be taught over viewing the history and contemporary evolution of the form in both eastern and western cultures. Students will design and make at least five original books during this course that can be used for poetry, photographs, gifts or journals.

Music students can audition for the Crooked Tree Youth Orchestra on Sept. 13 and rehearsals will be on every Thursday. Treble Choir (formerly Crooked Tree Youth Choir) with Kathy Trumble is offered Wednesday afternoons.

A one day, Breath Support Workshop will be held on Friday

October 26 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. with Fran Tollas. Private music instruction is available throughout the year at the Crooked Tree Arts Center. Piano, voice, guitar, woodwinds and string instruments are all offered by professional instructors. A new music teacher, Christopher Ames, offers instruction in percussion instruments. Please call John Van Patten at the arts center for more information.

Most classes begin the week of Sept. 24, although some start sooner.

Scholarships are available to assist those who request financial assistance, including the new Nancy S. Drew/Perry Hotel Scholarship Fund for Children's Art Classes.

Please call the arts center with any questions. The Crooked Tree Arts Center is located in downtown Petoskey at 461 E. Mitchell Street. The phone number is (231) 347-4337.

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SPECIAL NOTICES 076

FOSTER FAMILIES NEEDED immediately in your area! To find out more about becoming a foster parent or respite provider, please call Cindy at The Child Guidance Center's Professional Parenting Program at (231) 929-1783 or 1-800-872-5861. Training classes are now forming.

(8-8-7-076)

SERVICES AVAILABLE 084

INSURANCE
Charlevoix Agency, Inc.
Locally owned and operated,
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(8-19-11-084)

HELP WANTED 086

PREVENTION COORDINATOR for regional substance abuse coordinating agency. Responsibilities include developing, monitoring and evaluating substance abuse prevention services. Minimum of a bachelor's degree in health education, public administration or related human services field. Full-time position based out of our Gaylord office requires strong writing skills, critical thinking, problem solving skills and ability to organize and manage multiple projects. Computer skills, including word processing, spreadsheets, and use of databases required. Competitive wages with full benefit package. E.O.E. Mail letter of intent and resume to: Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, Human Resources One MacDonald Dr., Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770, Fax: 231-347-1241. E-mail: hr@nmcmmh.org

(9-12-1-086)

*To the most beautiful
woman in Charlevoix...*



**Happy Anniversary
Valerie**
- Love Jeremy

HELP WANTED 086

SECRETARY - Northern Michigan Community Mental Health is seeking full-time secretary to work in the Community Support Services/Developmental Disabilities Program in Gaylord. Position requires excellent computer skills, strong transcription and communication skills. Duties include clinical chart maintenance, filing, billing documentation and other secretarial duties. Medical background helpful and database experience preferred. NMCMMH offers competitive wages starting at \$8.59 per hour and excellent benefits. Send resume to Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, Attn: Human Resources, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770 or hr@nmcmmh.org or FAX: (231) 347-1241. E.O.E.

(9-12-1-086)

ADULT ACTIVITY AIDE - Northern Michigan Community Mental Health (NMCMMH) has a full-time position in our Walloon Developmental Workshop in Boyne City, Michigan. Successful applicant will assist developmentally disabled individuals develop daily living and vocational skills within their communities. Must be dependable, flexible, self-motivated and team oriented with a high degree of confidentiality and organizational skills. Requires H.S. diploma/GED with related work experience will train. NMCMMH offers competitive wages starting at \$8.55 per hour, benefits and paid training. E.O.E. Mail letter and resume to: Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, Human Resources One MacDonald Dr., Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770, Fax: (231) 347-1241. E-mail: hr@nmcmmh.org

(9-12-1-086)

PETOSKEY BASED sales representative, representing wholesale/retail appliances to the trades. Established clientele for 80-year-old business, 5 days, 40 hours a week. Send resume to: P.O. Box 20161, Detroit, MI 48220 or call John O'Sullivan, (248) 646-1300.

(9-12-2-086)

Career Seminar
Discover the unlimited opportunities in a real estate career!

Learn about license requirements, training, earning potential, choosing the right company, and much more. Attend our **FREE CAREER SEMINAR** Sept. 18 at 7 p.m. in the Coldwell Banker Schmidt Realtors office at 710 Bridge St., Charlevoix. To register, call Helen Norman, Manager, at (231) 547-4444.



**Helen
Norman**

HELP WANTED 086

SEMI-PRIVATE GOLF club located in northern lower Michigan has immediate opening for Club Manager with strong financial/accounting and food/beverage management experience. Send resume and salary requirements by September 22 to: G.I. Rader, Box 885, Indian River, MI 49749.

(8-22-4-086)

SERVICE/SUPPORTS Coordinator for persons with mental illness: Full-time position based in our Charlevoix office to provide service coordination for adults with mental illness. Duties include organizing individual plans of service adhering to consumer choice and person-centered planning principles, linking, advocating and providing support to maximize the consumer's ability to live independently. Require at least one year of prior experience working with adults with mental illness. Require a minimum of a Bachelor's degree in social work or other appropriate mental health related field. Possess or capable of obtaining Michigan Social Work registration. Please send resume and letter of application to: Human Resources, Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, One MacDonald Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770, e-mail to hr@nmcmmh.org or FAX to 231-347-1241.

(9-5-2-086)

SOCIAL WORKER - HOME HEALTH - VitalCare is seeking Social Workers with a graduate degree in social work (MSW) with adult experience in medical/health care/case management experience to make an occasional Medicare home visit on patients with physical health care problems. Flexible home visits in any of the following counties: Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Gaylord, Emmet and Mackinac. Call Sandy Earnest, M.S.N., R.N., Director, Clinical Services at 888-626-2031, ext 2106. Fax: 231-627-4416. VitalCare, an Equal Opportunity Employer. Visit us at www.vitalcare.org.

(9-12-1-087)

NEEDED - Mature person for after-school help with reading and home work. Light housekeeping, 4 to 5 days a week, 2 to 3 hours a day. \$8 an hour. 547-1289.

(9-12-1-087)

DRIVER NEEDED for the afternoon shift at the Petoskey Club, a psychosocial clubhouse program, to transport members home at 4 p.m. Must possess or be able to obtain a Michigan driver's license and chauffeur's license. Must have a good driving record. Position is part-time, 15 hours per week, M-F \$8.06/hr to \$11.09/hr. Training and fun work environment provided. E.O.E. Please complete an application at Northern Michigan Community Health or mail letter and resume to: Northern Michigan Community Health, Human Resources, One MacDonald Dr., Suite A, Petoskey, MI 49770

(9-12-2-070)

CHARLEVOIX SOUTHSIDE - 14503 Vernida Ave. off Marion Center. Country living close to town, bi-level, four bedrooms, 3 full baths, all appliances, family room with fireplace, large deck, 3/4 acre with garden and play area, year lease preferred. \$1,000/per month plus utilities. 231-547-5803.

(9-12-2-170)

VICTORIAN HOME - 407 Antrim St. Furnished, 3 bedroom, 3 bath. From 9/1-4/30. \$675 per month plus utilities. Call 248-545-1010.

(9-12-3-170)

MISC. ITEMS FOR SALE 134

STEEL BUILDINGS, new must sell. 40x60x12 - was \$17,500, now \$10,971. 50x100x16 - was \$27,850, now \$19,990. 80x135x16 - was \$79,850, now \$44,990. 100x175x20 - was \$129,650, now \$84,990. 1-800-406-5126.

(9-12-1-134)

FRESH FOODS/PRODUCE 141

U-PICK BLACKBERRIES, apples, fresh garden vegetables, maple syrup, honey, jams and more. Pick your own bouquet of flowers at Kitley's Farm Market, 03805 Brock Rd., Charlevoix. 547-2318.

(9-12-11-141)

LAKE HOMES/FRONTAGE 161

BURT LAKE - 120' frontage, 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 4,200 square feet. 2 1/2 car attached garage and 4 car unattached. Much more. Price reduced, \$799,900. 231-238-4267.

(4-11-11-161)

BUSINESS PLACES/RENT 168

COMMERCIAL BUILDING, approximately 2,000 square feet. Two floors plus basement storage. Available May 1st. 1101 Bridge Street. 248-681-7999.

(3-21-11-168)

CHARLEVOIX INDUSTRIAL PARK 4800 square feet. 3 phase power, loading dock 231-347-7222

(8-8-11-168)

CHARLEVOIX: Wanted to lease or purchase office space/building, 1,000 to 1,500 minimum. Must be ground level within the city of Charlevoix. Respond to File Box 510, c/o Charlevoix Courier.

(7-5-11-168)

APTS. FOR RENT 169

BOYNE CITY: Parkview Apartments in Boyne City - 1 & 2 bedroom apartments available for immediate occupancy. Rent starts at \$325. Barrier-free units available. No pets. For application or information call Tresa, 231-582-7071, or stop in the Parkview Office, 326 E. Division Apt 27, TDD 800-649-3777. Equal Housing Opportunity.

(8-15-11-169)

HOME FOR RENT 170

FOR RENT - New 3 bedroom home, 2.5 baths, 2 car garage, on 11.5 acres in the country west of Ellsworth on blacktop road. \$950 a month plus utilities. Requires 3 references, including current landlord. No pets. Available after 9/23. 231-588-7138.

(9-12-1-170)

CHARLEVOIX CONDO for rent, weekend, weekly or monthly. Downtown near the bridge. (231) 547-6311.

(6-27-11-171)

RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT

CHARLEVOIX LAKEFRONT CONDOS 171

CHARLEVOIX LAKEFRONT condos. Sleep 2 to 8, pool, cable, air, Jacuzzi, walk to town. Weeks available July 15, July 22, July 29 and August 5th, August 19 and August 26. 248-363-3885 or 248-855-3300.

(6-28-11-171)

LAKE CHARLEVOIX RENTAL - 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, sleeps 10. Newer home, fireplace, dock and boat lift. \$3,400 per week. Call Carol Amick, Amick Lakeside Realtors, 547-2222. Can be seen on web site at charlevoixrealstate.com.

(5-30-11-171)

LOG HOME on Lake Susan, Charlevoix, for rent. Weekend rate \$1,000, weekly rates available. Phone 517-463-3937. Ask for Linda.

(11-1-11-171)

STORAGE SPACE FOR RENT 174

SELF STORAGE UNITS 50 to 5,000 square feet, drive-in units, heated areas, Charlevoix northside. Call Bob Kern, Real Estate One, 547-5100.

(9-1-11-174)

STORAGE UNITS available. 174

Charlevoix Mini Storage. 547-5838. Closed Thursdays.

(12-28-11-174)

WANTED TO RENT 175

PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE educated husband and wife looking for house to rent in Charlevoix area, have a neutered and declawed male cat. Can provide references for cat and husband. Both well trained. Please reply to Box 1075, c/o The Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

(7-11-11-175)

HORSES 182

APPLEGATE FARMS BOARDING \$300 per month TRAINING INDOOR-OUTDOOR ARENA US-31 & Boyne City Rd., Charlevoix Please call Bob or Marsha 231-237-0238

(9-5-2-182)

BOATS & MARINE 203

TWO 1999 SEA-DOO Jet Skis with trailer and covers. GTX with fuel injection. Less than 20 hours use. \$10,000. Call 231-547-7777.

(9-5-4-203)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

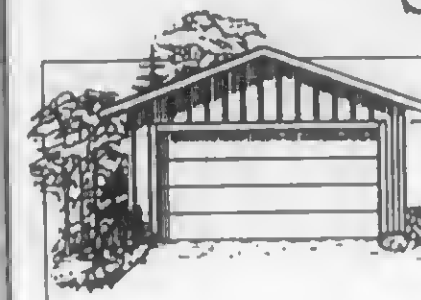
(7-11-11-203)

A sale of the following property to the highest bidder will be held at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, October 11, 2001, on the front steps of the main entrance to the Charlevoix County Courthouse, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan:

September Special Classified Deal STORAGE SPACE

For:

**Boats, Automobiles,
Equipment, Recreational Vehicles**



BOAT AUTO RV winter storage, low rates. M & M Storage, 348-2749 between 8 and 4:30, Monday through Friday.

BOAT/AUTOMOBILE and RV storage, inside heated and non-heated. Boyne City. (231)582-9455.

BOAT/WINTER storage, ranging from \$200 to \$250 through May 1, 2002. For a real deal. Call (231)529-6210.

FRANKLIN PARK Self-Storage, Harbor Springs. All new cement block lighted buildings. Water on-site. 12x25, 16x30, 20x40. Call Graham Management, 163 East Main, Harbor Springs, 526-9671.

NEW UNITS are open in a variety of sizes. Safe and secure. Northland Self-Storage, Petoskey, (231)348-5680.

SEASONAL INDOOR storage \$1.50 per sq. ft., Also outside fenced storage. \$99/year. (231)582-2309.

WINDJAMMER MARINA US-31 North, (6 miles north of Petoskey on Crooked Lake). Inside/outside storage, shrink wrap, free pick-up. 347-6103.

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Call the Classified Department

News-Review & SUPER SHOPPER Charlevoix Courier
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www.petoskeynews.com

PROPERTY LOCATED IN WILSON TOWNSHIP, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN, described as:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 25, Town 32 North, Range 6 West; thence South 87°59'59" West 659.37 feet along the South line of said section to a point in the centerline of Rogers Road, being the POINT OF BEGINNING of this description; thence continuing South 87°59'59" West 329.04 feet along said section line and along said centerline; thence North 00°00'06" East 663.62 feet; thence North 88°13'06" East 329.00 feet; thence South 00°00'06" West 662.36 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4, Section 25, Town 32 North, Range 6 West.

The sale being held to foreclose the mortgage given by Robert J. Manary to GreenPoint Credit, LLC on

April 12, 1999, and recorded on May 19, 1999 in Liber 394, page 842, Charlevoix County Records. The amount due on this date is \$83,731.83. The redemption period will be six months unless this property has been abandoned.

September 12, 2001

Gary C. Rogers
Fraser Trebilcock Davis & Dunlap, P.C.
1000 Michigan National Tower
Lansing, MI 48933
517-377-0828

L(9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3)

LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
CIRCUIT COURT-FAMILY DIVISION
PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
OF HEARING**

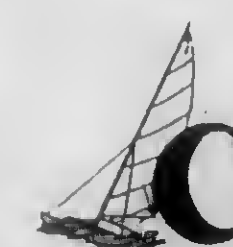
FILE NO. 01-010227-NC
In the matter of Andrew Jason Sandow
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including: those whose address(es) are unknown and whose interest in the matter may be barred or affected by the following: TAKE NOTICE: A hearing will be held on Wednesday, September 26, 2001 at 2:15 p.m. at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser P28895 for the following purpose: The Petition(s) to Change Name filed by Andrew Jason Sandow requesting that the name of Andrew Jason Sandow be changed to Andrew Jason Moats.
September 7, 2001
Andrew Jason Sandow
200 Elm St.
Charlevoix, MI 49720
231-547-4986

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ENTERTAINMENT

Area events

Ranger to speak

The Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library will feature Pat Ranger speaking about "The Life and Times of William Ratigan" at 7 p.m. at the library on Thursday.

Ranger, daughter of the late William Ratigan will talk about her father's writing and read excerpts from his published works. She will also share some newly discovered

poems found in the attic of his home in Charlevoix. The late Ratigan was a Great Lakes historian, writer/author, professor and owner of the Dockside Press.

Parent walk-through

From 6:15 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. on Sept. 17 the staff of Charlevoix High School will be hosting "Parent Walk-Through."

The purpose of this program is to introduce parents to their student's teachers here at the high school and for individual interaction between teacher and parent. The high school Annual Report will be presented at 6:15 p.m. The "Walk-Through" sessions will begin at 6:30 p.m.

They encourage all parents to come and enjoy this evening at the high school.

Community hymn sing

At 4 p.m., Sept. 23 at Christ Episcopal Church on State and Clinton streets there will be a community-wide hymn sing of the favorite old chestnuts which go back before our parents were born, but that have stood the test of time.

Don Neidert will be the pianist for the event. For more information contact Ron Wiley at 237-9392.

Blood drive

From 1 p.m. to 6:45 p.m., Sept. 27 the American Red Cross will be at the Community Reformed Church on the corner of US-31 North and Meech Street in Charlevoix.

Call 347-5984 for more information or to make an appointment. Walk-ins are welcome.

Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday in the cafeteria of Charlevoix High School. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a

women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month.

For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-

7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club's general membership meeting is 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, shooting times and activities, call the club at 547-2785. For membership information, call 547-0552.

Michigan Antique & Collectible Festivals

Midland, Michigan Fairgrounds (US-10 at Eastman)

	1000 Booths - Our 33rd Year Antique Show & Sale Collectibles Market Folk Art & Unique Crafts	September 22-23
\$5.00 each Under 11- Free! No Pets!	Special Interest Auto Show Sales Lot & Parts Swap Meet	Gates Open: 8am both days. Rain or Shine
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 Thursday - 1pm 2 person teams
Friday - 7pm
 4 person teams
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 Thursday Casino League 7pm

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 Contact John or Teresa to sign up for Fall & Winter Leagues

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Captain Corelli's Mandolin • 7 & 9:15 Nightly • Sat & Sun 2 & 4:15	R
ROCK STAR • 7:15-9:15 Nightly • Sat & Sun 2:15-4:15	R
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Thursday Matinee - all shows at 2 & 4 Senior Day on Thursday for 2:00 show only \$2.50 EVENING PRICES: ADULTS \$6.25, CHILD \$4.75, SENIOR \$5.25 MATINEE PRICES: ALL SEATS \$4.75	

SCRAPBOOK

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY CHICAGO CLUB

PROGRAM FRIDAY EVENING
 WILL DEDICATE 50TH YEAR
 OF ITS EXISTANCE—FOUNDED
 NOVEMBER 1880

Brayton Saltonstall, One of Founders, a Resident of Charlevoix—Four Generations Represented in Families of Present Members—Old Customs Have Been Preserved

A half century ago in August 1880, Caleb F. Gates, Silas M. Moore and Rev. E. O. Goodwin, prominent Chicagoans, came to northern Michigan on a fishing trip and, incidentally, seeking a summer resort site. At the same time another Chicagoan, Brayton Saltonstall, was in the north on a similar mission.

A spot at Charlevoix attracted their fancy, and in November of the same year, the group of three and the individual mentioned combined their dreams, and at the West Monroe Street residence of Mr. Moore in Chicago, the Chicago Summer Resort Company was formed. A 30 acre tract was purchased from John Dixon, one of Charlevoix's first pioneers. Others were interested in the project and it soon became a reality.

Through 50 years this club has lived and progressed, and on Friday evening, Sept. 4, its 50th anniversary will be observed by members of what is now known as the Chicago Club of Charlevoix.

One of the founders was Melville E. Stone, late owner and publisher of the Chicago Daily News and for many years general manager of the Associated Press of the United States. In 1880, Mr. Stone wrote in the old Chicago News the following article concerning the Chicago Summer Resort Company:

"During the past summer a company of Chicago gentlemen, desirous of taking a breathing spell during the hot July and August days, took a trip up in the region of the 'fishing line.' They visited

Mackinac, Petoskey and Charlevoix. At the latter place they stayed several days, charmed by its surroundings, its cool nights, the pleasant breezy days, the pure air, the absence of dust and heat of the city, all of which combined to make their stay very pleasant. One of the gentlemen, liking the place so well, secured a piece of land intending it for a summer residence lot. The three gentlemen meeting some time after and comparing notes and opinions regarding Charlevoix, agreed to purchase a large tract of land and set it apart for a summer resort. This has been done, and a stock company formed, a charter obtained and enrolled under our state laws as the 'Chicago Summer Resort Company.' Their capital stock has been placed at \$10,000 in shares of \$100 each, subject to call. The land has been paid for and title secured. As soon as spring opens the place will be improved and made as beautiful as its situation demands. It is the intention of the company to spare no pains or expense to make the place every attractive to summer visitors. They have a fine location, high and dry, between two lakes, fronting on both. This will give fishing and fine boating grounds; besides this the resort is but a few miles from three of the best trout streams in the State of Michigan. Charlevoix is naturally adapted for a quiet, healthy summer resort.

"The officers of the company consist of the following well-known gentlemen: Caleb F. Gates, president; Silas M. Moore, vice-president; Harvey Dean, secretary; Brayton Saltonstall, treasurer; directors, Jas. M. Scoville, Robert M. Cherrie, Jas. H. Moore, Caleb F. Gates, Silas Moore, Cuthbert Sprong, J. K. Harmon, T. M. Avery, Rev. J. W. Dinsmore."

Since the above article was written the resort has grown to its present status and many men prominent in national affairs have been members. Among them was Adlia Stevenson, vice-president of the United States under Grover C. Cleveland; Judson Harmon, former governor of Ohio; Edwin F. Uhl of Grand Rapids, former ambassador to Germany and many others.

In several instances the fourth and others the third generation of families identified with the resort's early history are members of the summer colony. The Uhl family built 50 years ago one of the first cottages and it is still occupied by their son-in-law and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. Babst of New York whose grandchildren are of the fourth generation. The Edward G. Shumway family of Chicago, are also represented in the fourth generation by the grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. John Stuart, both of Chicago, whose grandchildren also are of the fourth generation through the Robert Stuarts of Chicago, also early members of the club. The Judson Harmon family are represented by a fourth generation in the child of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wright of Cincinnati, Ohio.

"The officers of the company consist of the following well-known gentlemen: Caleb F. Gates, presi-



Picture and story courtesy Cynthia Postmus

The late John P. Wilson, prominent Chicago attorney, joined the resort in 1883, and three generations of his family have been identified with Charlevoix summer life ever since. Mr. Wilson was the president for many years and under his guidance, the club progressed notably. One of his successful undertakings in association with the late Edward C. Waller of Chicago, was founding of the Charlevoix Golf Club in 1896, identifying it as one of the earliest in the United States. Originally the course was nine holes, but since has been enlarged to 18. John Stuart is now president of the Golf Club. Mr. Wilson was succeeded as president by William B. McIlvaine who became a member in 1885. Three generations of McIlvaines as well as of the John B. Lord family, both of Chicago, have all been active in the club life for many years.

Many old customs have been preserved. Sunday evenings the members gather to sing hymns as they did 50 years ago. Mrs. Edwin F. Uhl was for many years organist at these services. Her place has been taken by her daughter, Mrs. Earl D. Babst, who as a child was present at the opening of the resort.

Sports have always featured activities at the resort. In early days, before the railroad and motor era, rowing was popular and fishing. In keeping with the times, the resort now has an 18 hole golf course, a battery of four tennis courts and the largest fleet of six meter sailboats on the fresh water. This summer there are 10 such craft, all nationally and internationally famous, and a smaller group in the Manchester class.

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THANK YOU...

To all those of you who purchased a ticket or tickets for this year's car raffle. We would especially like to thank the Beaver Island Boat Company and the crew of the Emerald Isle. Many thanks are also due to Roger Nesburg, who chaired the raffle, and his crew from Charlevoix Screenmasters, along with Judy and Jerry Corley for all their help, both in preparing the event and during the shipboard activities. We also want to thank Pat McKeown, of Pat McKeown Ford/Lincoln/Mercury, and Pat Henige of Village Inn Pizza, whose efforts made the raffle possible.

The real winners of the raffle are the members of the chamber of commerce and the Charlevoix community. Your support makes it possible to continue to update our equipment, and therefore serve YOU more efficiently. We take seriously that portion of our mission statement that says, "our goal is to unite all individuals, retail, and industrial types of business for the promotion of commerce and the betterment of the community."

As we now begin to make our plans for the coming year's activities and events, we welcome your input as to how we might serve you better. The more we can promote your business, the more all of Charlevoix will prosper.

AND THE WINNER IS...



Congratulations to the winners in the Chamber of Commerce Car Raffle. First Prize, a 2001 Ford F-150 XLT Super Cab 4x4, won by Richard Hodgson, of Charlevoix with ticket #226.

Cash Prize of \$500 won by Ed Whitley of Charlevoix, with ticket #069.

Cash Prize of \$250 won by Dick Traub, of Lansing, Michigan with ticket #093.

Cash Prize of \$250 won by Robert James, of Ann Arbor, Michigan with ticket #272.

Golf Outing a Great Success!

Jim Kanary, Chairman of this year's golf outing couldn't have requested a more perfect day than August 29 for the 6th Annual Chamber Golf and Dinner Extravaganza, which was held at Dunmaglas Golf Club.

We want to thank Jim Kanary, from Citizens Bank for his outstanding organizational skills, and our volunteers: Derek Chowen, Jacqueline Krusch, and Jerry & Judy Corley for their efforts in making this membership program a success.

A special thank you to the following business sponsors for making it possible to have such an outstanding event: Ace Hardware, Big Rock Restoration Project, Blue Cross/Blue Shield of Michigan, CEMEX, Inc., Charlevoix Country Club, Charlevoix Screenmasters, Charlevoix State Bank, Citizens Bank, Crown Motors, Designer Installation Services, Inc./Michigan Officeways, Dry Harbour Motor Sports, East Jordan Iron Works, Ferguson & Chamberlain Associates, Grey Gables Restaurant, Joseph, Corcoran, Telgenhof, and Snyder, PC, North Central Michigan College, Pat McKeown Ford/Lincoln/Mercury, Preferred Title Company, South Point Collision, Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant, Top Rank Disposal, Victories Casino, Window Butler, and Wojan Window and Door Corporation. Please remember these community-minded businesses when you are in need of a product or service.

We also owe a great deal of thanks for the success of this membership outing to the outstanding efforts of the Dunmaglas Golf Club and its staff, especially Mike Granger, Lynn Descamp, and Joan Waha.

Congratulations to Michael Shemin, who was recently promoted to Commander, USCG Cutter Acacia

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

Sep. 29 - Crop Walk (Kay Smith 547-2920)

Oct. 5 & 6 - Northern Bass Anglers Association Tournament

Oct. 12-14 - 22nd Annual Apple Festival

Oct. 12-14 - Daffodil bulb sale - Charlevoix Area Garden Club (Marge 547-5421 or Rhea 547-5301)

Oct. 23 - Halloween Party (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)

Oct. 25 & 26 - Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild Book Sale 7am-2pm (Rosemary McGee 547-4260)

Oct. 30 & 31 - Coast Guard Cutter Acacia Ghostship 7:30-9:30pm

Nov. 7 - Spaghetti Dinner (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)

Nov. 11 - Veterans Day Ceremony - 11am American Legion & VFW (Charlie Bulcher 547-4724)

Nov. 23 - Community Christmas Tree Lighting

So Long,

Phil & Ginny Schairbaum

Phil and Ginny have been with us in Charlevoix since August 1, 1983. As pastor of the First Congregational, United Church of Christ in Charlevoix, Phil has been instrumental in the spiritual growth of many of our citizens. Phil and Ginny were also an integral part of the Food Pantry and Homeless Shelter. Ginny worked in an organization that was formerly called "Welcome Wagon", but later became her business called "Welcome Services". She has welcomed many of us to the Charlevoix Area with her pleasant smile, and her willingness to help wherever possible. Ginny is also the Director of the Charlevoix Senior Center, where she organizes another segment of our community. In the eighteen years they have been with us, they have raised three children, and feel that Charlevoix was a great place for their children to grow up. They leave us in October for Downers Grove, Illinois, where Phil will be the pastor of St. Paul's United Church of Christ. Phil and Ginny, you have been a wonderful asset to Charlevoix, and you leave with our very best wishes. Charlevoix is a better place because of you!

FROM THE DESK OF THE DOWNTOWN COORDINATOR

The next Charlevoix Retail Committee meeting will be September 20th. There was no meeting in August!

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Inside...

School suit

The school suit against the Charlevoix School District was recently ruled in favor of the district. This means a sewer extension can be constructed to the school site on Marion Center Road.

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New teachers



Northwest Academy has three new teachers for this school year that will further strengthen the school's emphasis on music and language.

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Ship fire



Read about a devastating fire on the ship the Champlain in this week's SCRAPBOOK.

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Security increases in wake of attacks

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

In the morning hours of Sept. 11 America was attacked by terrorists. Shortly after the incident in Charlevoix, local reaction came in the form of solemn faces and heightened security.

"Once we heard of the attack, plant management and security made the decision to go to a heightened state of security," Tim Petrosky, director of public affairs at Big Rock Point said.

He added that shortly after the nuclear power plant staff made the decision to step up security measures at the plant, located off US-31 North, the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission ordered all nuclear power plants across the country to increase safety measures.

Although Big Rock was shut down four years ago and has since been in the decommissioning pro-

cess, plant management and security personnel aren't taking any chances.

"We have a number of additional actions we have implemented and we will stay in this condition as long as necessary," Petrosky assured.

He was unable to elaborate on all measures being taken at Big Rock so as not to compromise the security.

But, Petrosky did say that passersby will notice increased security along access roads into the plant. Readers may have noticed security vehicles stationed along US-31 North that aren't otherwise there.

"All vehicles entering and exiting the plant are being stopped and looked at," Petrosky said.

Employees, or those escorted by employees, are the only people allowed access to the site.

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Summer resident finds life in New York not the same

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Read about Jocey Florence's experiences first-hand in her column on page 4.

Life will never be the same for Charlevoix Courier summer intern Jocey Florence and her neighbors following Sept. 11.

The high school senior, who summers in Charlevoix, lives about 20 miles outside of New York City and will always remember the day the skyline changed forever. It was on the morning of Sept. 11 that Florence discovered that hijacked planes had crashed into the World Trade Center in New York City and the Pentagon in Washington D.C.

"I was in total disbelief. Then it dawned on me that my dad works in the city. So, I called my mom and found out he was ok," she said. Florence also found out all of her friends, who also have family who work in

New York City, were all safe.

"We have just been so incredibly lucky," she said.

But, that didn't end the shock for her and her community.

Florence said for the rest of that beautiful September day, classes and after-school activities were canceled and the skies were filled with fighter jets.

"It was very strange as the day progressed," she said.

Another shock came when Florence and her friends visited the beach near her home.

See FLORENCE, page 13



Charlevoix Fire Chief Doug Carver (second to the right) and Charlevoix Fire Department shift commander Lyle Gennett (third from right) stand amid two United States Coast Guardsmen as they honor the flag and the victims of last week's terrorist attack in New York City. There was a community wide ceremony in memory of the Sept. 11 attack Tuesday on the lawn of Winchester's Funeral Home on State Street. (Above left) Charlevoix firemen and police officers have placed a black band around their badges to honor the dead. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Joseph Edward McCleese Jr., 34, Boyne City. Malicious destruction of fire and police property; attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer; and domestic violence. Bound over to circuit court.

Michael Anthony Dwornick, 21, East Jordan. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Chad Michael Crills, 22, Akron, Pa. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Six months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$805 in fines and costs.

Joseph Adam Salcinski, 22, Boyne City. Receiving and concealing stolen property, under \$200; and larceny, less than \$200. Six months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for six days, serve 14 days, 70 days held in abeyance; \$405 held in abeyance.

Lucas Isaac Kinney, 26, Sault Ste. Marie. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$990 in fines and costs.

Justin Forrest Muma, 17, Charlevoix. Retail fraud-third degree. One year probation; 90 days in jail, serve 20 days, 70 days held in abeyance; \$231.47 in fines and costs.

Patrick George McKay, 41, Mt.

Clemens. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-second offense; and motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 365 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 293 days held in abeyance; \$1,570 in fines and costs.

Donald Lee Courtright, 36, East Jordan. Marine safety-driving while under the influence of alcohol. Jail for 90 days, serve 90 days.

Amy Marie Stepanski, 26, Bay City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$935 in fines and costs.

James Joseph Campana Jr., 18, Fort Worth, Texas. Minor in possession of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$180.

Sylvia Ann Novoselski, 34, East Jordan. Domestic violence. Jail for 45 days with credit for 45 days.

John Raymond Contreras, 37, Elmira. Indecent exposure. Jail for 56 days with credit for 56 days.

Edward Lavern Yearling Jr., 23, East Jordan. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$500.

Stewart Curtis Chipman, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Danielle Kristin Vogelheim, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community

service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Cory Mylon Haight, 21, Boyne City. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Attend IMPACT panel; \$210 in fines and costs.

Christal Starr Wood, 17, Ellsworth. Minor in possession of alcohol. Attend IMPACT weekend; \$60 in fines and costs.

Michael Anthony Dwornick, 21, East Jordan. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Cathy Ann Bedard, 42, Charlevoix. Disorderly person. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Dustin Wade Marr, 17, East Jordan. Disturbing the peace. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Allison Kerry Noble, 19, Clinton Township. Minor in possession of alcohol. Eighty hours of community service work; \$60 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Heather Lynn Steimel, 19, Charlevoix. Larceny, \$200 or more, less than \$1,000. One year probation; substance abuse evaluation; defendant shall be fully employed (at least 30 hours per week) within seven days of sentencing and arrange mental health counseling within seven or serve 90 days in jail; 90 days in jail with credit for two days, serve two days; \$2,270 in fines and costs.

Amanda Brooke Bullock, 20, Charlevoix. Attempted sex offender failed to register. Jail for 45 days

with credit for two days, serve 45 days.

Anwar Tawfiq Madanat, 44, Boyne Falls. Criminal sexual conduct-second degree (relationship.) Five months in jail with credit for 27 days, serve five months.

Patrick Michael Balgenorth, 30, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license revoked; work release denied; six months in jail with credit for one day, serve six months; \$1,060 in fines and costs.

Nicholas David Slattebo, 19, Boyne City. Poison-food/drink/medicine/wells. Two years probation; nine months in jail with credit for 87 days, serve six months; \$710 in fines and costs.

Jordan Lee Burke, 18, Charlevoix. Controlled substance-delivery to minor (schedule 4 and marijuana.) Jail for a minimum of three years and a maximum of eight years with credit for 99 days.

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The following people have been

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Charles Edward Moreau, 41, East Jordan and Debra Kay Merrow, 40, East Jordan

Todd James Urman, 30, Boyne City and Connie Marie Snover, 30, Boyne City

Victor C. Ruggles, 46, Boyne City and Mary Irene Poole, 43, Boyne City

Richard Alan Gallant Jr., 36, Monument Beach, Mass. and Stephanie Ann Balch, 33, Monument Beach, Mass.

John Glenn Perron, 39, Charlevoix and Paula Maria Newell, 33, Charlevoix

James Donald Sweet Jr., 22, Charlevoix and Amanda Jane Fenton, 20, Charlevoix

Births
Elizabeth Namira Mae, weighing 6 pounds, 5 ounces, was born to Jesse and Donna Bacon of East Jordan on Sept. 12 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Gabrielle Anne Marley was born to Jodi Marley of Charlevoix on Sept. 13 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Maritime moment

The Cemex Cement company's ship has been seen lately just off shore of Lake Michigan Beach as it drops off and picks up shipments. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Low income housing a fight for developers

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Needed low income housing for the city of Charlevoix was almost turned away by city officials.

But on Aug. 9, 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas signed a consent order that settled the case between the city and low income housing developers.

Scott Dietze of Boyne City said he and his partner Robert Brooks want to develop low income housing in Charlevoix, a vision that has taken them 10 years to make a reality. And in 1991, Charlevoix's City Council admitted to a need for local low income housing and made a zoning change to pave the way for it, but in 1999 they denied the development

application at the rezoned site which proposed a government subsidized apartment complex.

"We felt the zoning ordinance should be adhered to. Until it is proven wrong, it should be followed," first ward councilman in 1999, Bob Timms, said.

"I suppose if the constituents were for it we would have been able to say we'll let it go."

Almost three weeks after council's Oct. 4, 1999 development application denial, developers Robert Brooks and Scott Dietze of Boyne City, filed suit against the city. The two claimed the "automatic reversion" section in Article IV of the city zoning ordinance, which council cit-



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ed as their basis for denial, was "invalid, unconstitutional and unenforceable."

And, 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas agreed.

The section of the ordinance, according to city planner Gerry Harsch, is still part of the city zoning ordinance, but is "inoperative." It stipulates that if construction of approved buildings and improvements don't begin within 12 months of the city rezoning to R-4 or within such additional times as may be autho-

rized then the area which has been zoned R-4 by the city shall lose that status and revert to and be rezoned to its former zoning classification.

Last year, Pajtas ruled the section of the city's zoning ordinance that blocked the pathway for the develop-

ment was unconstitutional and couldn't be used by the city as a basis to deny the plaintiffs' development plan.

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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed.

About \$10 was taken sometime between 3 p.m., Sept. 8 and 8 a.m., Sept. 9 from a coin machine at the Charlevoix Car Wash on Bridge Street.

Police responded to an alarm on Sept. 10 at the Charlevoix Car

Wash on Bridge Street. The business was secure.

There was a two vehicle accident around 2 p.m. on Sept. 10 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. No injuries were reported.

Someone drove off after filling their gas tank Sept. 15 at the Holiday gas station on Bridge Street.

There was a two vehicle accident around 8 a.m., Sept. 14 near the intersection of Petoskey Avenue and Burns Street. No injuries were reported.

A vehicle hit a parked car around 1 p.m. on Sept. 14 near the intersection of Ainslie Street and

Michigan Avenue. No injuries were reported.

A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle on Sept. 14 in the Charlevoix High School parking lot.

2nd Annual MUSTANG OPEN

Twenty-six women attended the 2nd Annual Mustang Open on September 8th in East Jordan at the Mallard Golf Course which was followed by a luncheon.

The two team, nine-hole, shotgun scramble finished with Judy VanderArk and Linda Ballentine in first place.

Organizer, Sally Nye donated the \$425.00 raised to the Charlevoix County Humane Society. This would not have been possible without the following individuals and businesses who donated their time and/or prizes:

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Suit ruled in school's favor

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

It may not have been spelled out on the ballot for the school bond election Oct. 11, 1999 but 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas said providing some form of sewage disposal was implied.

On Sept. 15 Pajtas said utilities such as electricity and sanitation services at the new high school site on Marion Center Road are included by necessity and granted summary disposition to the school.

The school is now free to use bond proceeds to fund a sewer extension to the site of the new Charlevoix High School that will be owned and operated by the city of Charlevoix.

"The question was whether or not we could use bond proceeds to pay for a sewer and we absolutely can, which we felt we could all along," Superintendent of Charlevoix Public

Schools John Sturock said.

This "necessity" referred to in Pajtas' ruling is precisely the line of defense attorney for the school, Bill Ewald of Braun, Kendrick and Finkbeiner in Bay City argued.

"It's common sense. The sewer system is necessary for appropriate running of the school building. It's the best method," Ewald said in his opening statement.

Ewald claimed the plaintiffs, six private citizens living in Marion Township, were using the court to "create further problems for the school system."

Attorney for the plaintiffs, Jim Olson of Olson and Bzdok in Traverse City, followed Ewald by saying that the plaintiffs are not trying to stop construction of the school at the Marion Center site, nor are they attacking the ballot language, deference or zoning.

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The deeds show we are a strong nation

EDITORIAL

Words cannot amply describe the horror of Sept. 11, 2001.

Words cannot end the pain the families of the dead and missing are experiencing. Words cannot describe the anger we feel. Words cannot describe the fear we now have. Words cannot turn back the clock.

It is times like this when words fail us. But, there are the deeds that we can talk about.

We can talk about the heroic firemen and police officers who rushed into the World Trade Center to save the injured just before the buildings collapsed on them. We can talk about the passengers on the airplane that crashed in Pennsylvania, who voted to attack the hijackers and may have saved many lives in the process. We can talk about the many people who have given their blood and/or donated money or time to help those in need.

And we can talk about how our nation has become truly united. All our disagreements, political and personal, have been set aside for now. Now we stand together as a country, ready to help and ready to

fight.

In a time of great tragedy, we stood tall as a nation. We pulled together and continue to pull together. We showed the world that we will not be beaten down by any enemy, known or unknown.

America is truly a great country. It was proven last week.

As for those responsible for the horror, we know they will be punished. We know time is running out for them and they will be found.

And these terrorists will find out all they have done is anger the American people. Any of our past enemies will tell you that angering the American people is the quickest way to ending your cause.

As Admiral Yamamoto, commander of the Japanese Forces that attacked Pearl Harbor during World War I, said after the assault: "I fear all we have done is to awaken a sleeping giant and filled him with a terrible resolve."

This giant may not be wordy, but its deeds speak for themselves.

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Attack changes life in writer's New York town



Jocey Florence

Guest column

Last Tuesday morning, I pulled my car into the senior parking lot of Mamaroneck High School, located in a town on the Long Island Sound and 17 miles outside of New York City.

My mind was troubled by the math homework that I hadn't completed and the stack of college applications sitting on my desk that I had left untouched. It was not until an hour later, on my way to the dreaded math class, that these concerns were replaced by thoughts and emotions of a far greater magnitude.

At around 9:30 a.m., as I walked toward math, a friend grabbed my arm as he rushed out of the assistant principal's office. "A plane crashed into the World Trade Center," he told me.

"Oh no, that's so sad," I replied distractedly. I envisioned a six person private jet that had somehow flown off course and accidentally hit one of the towers.

When I arrived at math, I realized how incredibly wrong I had been. My teacher had turned on the television and the entire class was watching the footage of the flaming building with horror and disbelief. All 23 students watched the picture silently, most with their mouths open and unblinking eyes. I was completely immersed in the screen.

My next thought was one that the shock of the event had caused me to haphazardly push to the back of my mind: Mamaroneck is a suburb of New York City, and each morning, the train platform is clogged with men and women commuting to their jobs in Manhattan. My dad works in the city, and my friends' parents work in the city, some in the very building that we were watching on the screen.

I suddenly realized that we were watching something that was taking place 25 minutes away, not halfway across the world to nameless citizens.

Every student in the classroom knew somebody who was in the city.

I called my dad quickly and found that he was safe and had been nowhere near the financial district when the plane had hit. Although I was relieved to hear that my dad was ok, my relief was overshadowed by the worried faces of my peers and teachers as they struggled to get in touch with parents, siblings, cousins and spouses.

All of the students continued to drift through their day in a state of bewilderment and shock. The administration canceled classes, but did not let students return home for fear that many would be returning to an empty house.

We talked in quiet groups at lunch, but our conversations were interrupted by the deafening roar of a fighter jet flying over our parking lot. There were countless stories of fathers who worked on the 98th floor, but had been at meetings on the seventh floor and had thus been able to escape or moms who had missed their usual train that morning, only to arrive at work to see their building replaced by a pile of rubble.

There were also the stories of students who had not yet been able to contact their parents, or of the father who worked on the 101st floor that had called his wife to say good-bye soon after the first plane had hit.

Many teachers realized that they would not be able to return to their homes in the city that night and began to call relatives and friends in search of a place to stay. The next day, my European history teacher recounted his story of how he had run into many displaced MHS teachers at the drug store the night before as they bought toothbrushes and contact lens solution.

After school on Tuesday, I walked to a park on the Long Island Sound. On a beautiful clear day, as it was on Tuesday, the towers of the World Trade Center were visible from the park. All that I could see that afternoon was the ominous cloud of black smoke that had erupted over the city.

The towers had been a definite part of my memory. I used to stop during jogs through the park to look at the towers. My family always pointed them out to visitors when we sailed on the Long Island Sound. Flying home from vacations, the towers were always visible from the air. Seeing them meant that I was home, and had always filled me with the sense of complacency and affection for my hometown.

All New Yorkers shared different memories of the World Trade Center and what it meant to them. However, our last memories of the buildings are ones that we now all share.

On my way home, I watched ragged commuters disembark from the train with a dazed look of disbelief on their faces, their minds full of the scenes of destruction that many of them had witnessed earlier on in the day. Many commuters found alternate rides home from the city that night — some hitchhiked, some went by boat, I even know of a father who bought a bike from someone on the street and rode it home.

The next day, relief drives sprung into action. People waited in lines at blood drives for hours. Almost every house and car in my town now displays American flags in their windows. We held a school-wide assembly to address the tragedy that had the largest turnout of any school event in history. All high school athletic events were canceled for the rest of the week, as well as countless other events and meetings. Teachers tossed aside their lesson plans and TVs in the school were left on all day.

If the terrorists' intentions had been to halt our lives, they certainly succeeded. Like the rest of my town, my life was also halted. In my 17 years, I have never been so affected by a national event or action. I feel indescribably less naïve than I did on last Monday and my perspective has been irreversibly broadened. The applications on my desk remain untouched and my math homework was never finished.

Somehow, they just don't seem as important anymore.

Jocey Florence was a summer intern with the Charlevoix Courier. She lives in a suburb just outside of New York City and spends her summers with her family in Charlevoix.

Letters to the editor

Response to attack

Editor:
I am listening to the news, as I have for more than 36 hours. I live in Oakland and work in San Francisco. My mother woke me yesterday at 6:30 a.m. She was crying. It took me almost all day to understand those feelings. Others have expressed the shock and disbelief and yet I am compelled to express it again.

I lived in New York City for 9 years, having moved here only two years ago. My sister and her husband are safe. I spoke to my friend who has the job I used to have at Pace University. Pace is 6 or 7 long blocks from the Towers. It was turned into an emergency triage center. He said the first explosion brought him out of the building and then they watched as the second plane flew into the other Tower. I cannot fathom this.

I spoke to another friend who had not slept well the night before and had decided to go to work a little late. As she walked to the subway she saw it unfold. She works next to the World Trade Center.

There are others that I know but have no idea about. The thousands that are injured, trapped and dead.

I work for the International Diplomacy Council, an organization that works directly with the international community. Our goal is to foster diplomacy, personal, human connections, between the people of the Bay Area and our counterparts in the world.

I feel now more than ever that this is important, maybe the most important thing we can do on an individual basis. In this tragedy we must not jump to conclusions. We must show restraint in our anger or rage at this atrocity. Those who have committed this cannot go unpunished. Yet we must not blame an entire religion or region as a friend of mine has. We would not bomb the Midwest in response to Timothy McVeigh and his militia associations.

The Middle East is a complicated complex mix of views and interpretations of religions. Not all Jews share the beliefs of the various governments that have run Israel, just as not all of Islam is united in the directions of how the Palestinians should go about dealing with Israel. The differences between the sects and parties of the Jews of Israel, the PLO, the Taliban, the Hamas, the Shiites, and the many lesser known groups, are striking.

Be patient America

Editor:
I sit looking out this morning at my beautiful home, fall is approaching, the leaves are turning, there's a nip in the air, but God knows I am not alone.

I grieve for those lost, who will never see this glorious kaleidoscope, or watch the birds and the deer as they prepare for winter's white hope. This hope brings spring, and a new rebirth of promise and tough spirit, that we as Americans will save our earth.

It is said that this will be a Holy war, as have been in past times, but our gracious God who loves each soul, will grant us peace in His own time. Be patient America, be wise and giving, so that with His help our great democracy will go on living.

Sandy Fowler
Ellsworth

Not good planning for Charlevoix

Editor:
My husband and I were first attracted to Charlevoix some ten years ago. We have loved our very special area of Michigan and the town bordering on Round Lake. We have also loved the Wharfside, with its unique northern Michigan architecture, home of Kilwin's great ice cream shop and the beautiful North Sea Gallery. Now we are spending \$1,260,000 to buy and destroy this building, plus an \$85,000 relocation cost, and "incidental" (which supposedly covers anything else that comes into these fertile minds of our town leaders) so we may better see the planned addition of

many new boat slips.
What happens to our beautiful Round Lake with boat slips extending so far out, decreasing the natural beauty of the lake and adding to the congestion of traffic which is a continuing problem with bridge rising for boats entering and returning from Lake Michigan?
We foresee our future years as being more congested and frustrating and resent the exorbitant amount of money being spent in achieving this end. This may very well encourage us to go north to Petoskey for our shopping, which still to this day is an example of forward planning of their town and adjoining waters.
Let us not fool ourselves into thinking this is good forward planning for our community.
Ellen Jesmore
Charlevoix

Don't destroy Charlevoix

Editor:
Have all of you who insist on the "great marina plan" lost your collective minds? You want to remove the Wharfside building to provide a better view of Round Lake and then you want to add longer docks for bigger boats and obstruct the only good view of Round Lake left?

Does this mean we will have to build a stadium so we can view the Venetian Boat Parade or are you planning on incorporating the boats into the street parade? Did it ever occur to you that many people come here for the view of Round Lake and surrounding environs?

Don't destroy what we treasure. Wake up and think about the ramifications!
S.M.S. Miller
Charlevoix

Memories of aunt

Editor:
As they say, Aunt Jo "passed on." She was Charlevoix native Josephine

Stevens Bergmann Wood and I am feeling such a poignant sense of loss.

She personified all my cherished memories of growing up in Charlevoix in the 1940s and 1950s. It was a much less complicated time. The two drugstores in town had soda fountains and served the best malted milkshakes I've ever had. There were no fast-food chains, no stoplights and no condominiums. There were no dial phones, no touch-tone phones and no cell phones. An operator (Marie Rabach) said "Number please" and I said "372-J" which was Aunt Jo's phone number.

Fourteen cents of my quarter allowance got me into the Palace Theater, 10 cents paid for a bag of popcorn and I had a penny left over for candy. We had no televisions and the movie theater was open only in the summer months.

Teachers could discipline without fear of reprisal and a stern look from any adult was enough to keep kids in line. Doctors Grate and Saltonstall made house calls, and the boys' basketball team wore Converse athletic shoes. It was the best time and the best place to grow up.

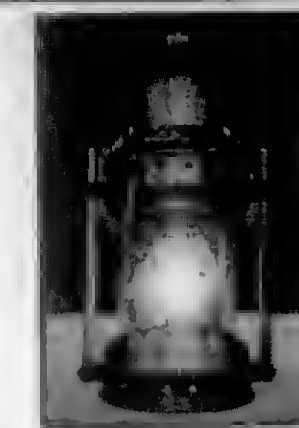
The winds of change have blown and I am struck by the changes in my hometown each time I visit. However, Aunt Jo remained the same: warm, loving and kind. She was always eager to hear news of her "other kids," me and my brother Dave (Schuchard).

She and my mom (Lillian Bergmann) were best friends and Aunt Jo filled a parenting role for me and Dave after mom died in 1999. I'll be ever grateful for her love, support and understanding during our time of grief.

Aunt Jo "passed on," but she, and my treasured memories of Charlevoix in my youth, will live in my heart forever.

Mary Mol
Manlius, N.Y.

Where Is It?



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In an effort to add a little more fun to our lives and yours, the Charlevoix Courier is working on creating interactive areas of the newspaper for our readers. In the spirit of this, we are announcing the creation of a new contest called "Where is it?"

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for "1000" that will take place on December 31, 2001.

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Answers for the 9/19 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m. Wednesday, September 26.

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COMMUNITY

Senior Center programs

The Charlevoix Senior Center has announced its fall schedule of activities and services.

Please call the center at 547-5361 to sign up or ask questions about the center's schedule.

Five programs have been enhanced by the Fine Arts for All grant received from the Charlevoix County Community Foundation. All these activities are free to participants because of volunteer instructors and the grant money that provides supplies.

The wood carving class meets at noon on Mondays under the instruction of Chris Scuto. The craft group continues to meet at 10 a.m. on Tuesdays focusing on a variety of interesting projects. On Oct. 9 Barb Bowly will assist the craft group with paper embossing.

At 10 a.m. on Thursday mornings Betty Potter teaches calligraphy.

Beginning Oct. 5, artists Sharon Davis and Marilyn Kur will begin a two-month acrylic painting class. This class will involve the basic brush strokes so beginners are encouraged to sign up.

Music will begin again on Fridays with volunteers Bonnie Goss, Lori Henderson, Catherine Hynes and

Fran Tollas accompanying the sing-alongs at lunch time and/or teaching piano lessons afterward.

Seniors should be reminded that the computer labs are fully staffed by center volunteers — Dick Mayhew, George Pollak, Richard Tunison, Louis Warner and Bob Westfall. Lab hours are from 10 a.m. to noon on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday evening. Specific computer courses can be scheduled at other times by contacting George Pollak.

The center will also have the elevator fully functional by Oct. 1. The elevator will make the lower area of the building accessible to everyone. Many grant sources, as well as individual donations and fundraisers, have made this addition possible.

Contact Earl Muma or Bette Coen with any questions about other proposed renovations/remodeling projects planned for the center.

Other programs and services available at the Charlevoix Senior Center include: Monday night line dancing, noon Wednesday speakers, hot lunches delivered or served every weekday at the center, monthly hearing and foot clinics and more.



Work starts

Construction work on Belvedere Avenue started recently. While businesses along the street are still open, customers must take an alternate route to get to them. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Wedding

Boss — Wyglendowski

Melissa Ann Boss of Charlevoix and F. Jason Wyglendowski, of Erie, Pa. were married June 30 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix in front of 175 guests.

Boss is the daughter of Dwight and Joyce Boss of Charlevoix. Wyglendowski is the son of Claire and Dale DeCecco of Erie, Pa. and Frank Wyglendowski of Stevenson, Mt.

The Rev. Larry Grooters performed the double-ring rites.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father. She wore a sleeveless diamond white satin full length gown with a scoop neckline and a bodice accented with hand-applied beadwork. She also had a waist length veil that was attached to a circlet of rhinestones and pearls. She carried a bouquet of white roses and calla lilies accented with ivy and periwinkle larkspur.

Music was provided at the ceremony by Margaret Thompson and Dean Miller.

The maid of honor was Jennifer Kolinke, a friend of the bride.

Bridesmaids at the wedding were Stacy Field, Camisha Dickinson and Chantelle Wyglendowski. They wore two-piece taffeta periwinkle dresses that had tops with floral embroidered overlays and full length a-line skirts that ended in a short train.

The flower girl was Sherry Boss, a cousin of the bride. The ring-bearer was Beau Boss, a cousin of the



bride.

The best man was Dal DeCecco. Groomsmen were Robert Birdsall, Michael Killkenney and Jeffrey Boss. Ushers were Matthew Burt and Chris Lewis.

A reception was given at the Mt. McSaubia Ski Lodge.

The couple took a seven day wed-

ding trip to a resort in Girdwood, Alaska near Anchorage.

The bride is an insurance processor at Madigan-Pingatore Insurance in Sault Ste. Marie. The groom is a BM-11 on the USCG cutter Buckthorn in Sault Ste. Marie. The couple plan on making Sault Ste. Marie their home.

COMMUNITY

AARP, sheriff to have driver safety program

Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater will sponsor the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) 55 ALIVE/Driver Safety Program.

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A local volunteer instructor trained by AARP, Bud Kohler, will conduct the course.

Classes will convene at Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office training room, located at 1000 Grant Street. The first session will meet 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Sept. 25 and the second and final session during the same hours on Sept. 26.

The fee for the course is \$10, payable by check to AARP and collected by the sponsor.

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Beacons of Blessings in the midst of chaos

By FR. JIM GUNN
Rector, Christ Episcopal Church

Beacons of Blessing

It seems impossible to write anything without speaking of the horrendous and demonic attacks on the United States just a few days ago. As I said to my wife, it will be a long time — if ever — before I can put out of my mind the image of that second airliner crashing into the World Trade Center, knowing that the pilot was aiming it there. I have no trouble calling these attacks demonic because I am convinced that such acts of unprovoked hatred and murder could only be prompted and driven by Satan himself. Such wanton disregard for innocent human life can only originate in the depths of hell. It is difficult to assess the range of emotions that have been generated by these acts of war. Disbelief, shock, anger, outrage, compassion, sympathy — all swirling around in our heads and our hearts while, for most of us, feeling a deep sense of helplessness. Many would probably say, "All I could do was pray," but in reality that is the first and most powerful thing that a believer can do. This column is entitled "Beacons of Blessings," but what beacons of blessings can be found in the midst

of the World Trade Center, the shootings at schools or natural disasters. This is unprecedented to me and I hope and pray that a good that may come out of this is people turning to God; people recognizing the shortness and uncertainty of life and looking to the Source of Life for direction. May we all continue to pray for our nation. May we especially pray for all those who were injured or killed in this tragedy. May we ask God to give comfort and strength to the families of those who lost their lives. May we also pray for peace to descend on the hearts and minds of all of us who have been horrified by the images with which we have been bombarded for the last few days.

Also, while our government looks at military options in response to these acts of aggression, may we raise our prayers in spiritual warfare against the evil that has been unleashed. I will close with the familiar words of Philippians 4:6-7: "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus."

First of all is the outpouring of love, concern and selfless acts that have been manifested by so many people. I just heard on the day I am writing this that so many people have given blood that the Red Cross has had to ask for a temporary halt to the gathering of blood. There are all the ordinary citizens who have risked their health and even their life to aid in the ongoing rescue attempts. With very few exceptions, the public's response has been one of offering themselves in whatever way possible to aid in the recovery from this tragedy.

Second, is the noticeable statements, both in frequency and intensity, of people turning to God. There have been calls for prayer. There have been thanks given to God for people being spared. In my opinion and memory, I cannot recall such a recognition of God in response to anything else — not earlier tragedies, like the bombing

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Dave Garland of Dixon Avenue in Charlevoix has been named the 2001 Charlevoix Historical Society Volunteer of the Year.

In addition to serving as treasurer of the organization, he has spent hundreds of hours working on the Harsha House Museum's renovation and on planting and caring for the Ronald William Haggard Memorial Rose Garden at 103 State Street.

A retired fifth grade teacher from the Ypsilanti district, Garland has lived in Charlevoix for four years. In the 1980s he was chosen DAR History Teacher of the Year for the State of Michigan. At the time he was the only elementary teacher to ever receive the award.

The Charlevoix Historical Society usually meets the first Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m. New members are always welcome.

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Obituary

Josephine Wood: Jan. 12, 1918 - Sept. 7, 2001

Josephine Wood, 83, life resident of Charlevoix died Sept. 7 at her home.

Graveside service took place at 1:30 p.m., Sept. 15 at Brookside Cemetery. Her grandson Wayne Bergmann officiated.

Jo was born on Jan. 12, 1918 in Charlevoix, the daughter of Charles and Geneva (Jackson) Stevens. She attended Charlevoix Public Schools. Jo also worked for the school food system for 10 years.

In 1938 Jo married George Bergmann who preceded her in death on July 16, 1969. In 1983 she married Ralph Wood who survives.

Survivors include two sons, Lawrence G. (Sandra) Bergmann of Charlevoix and Steven R. (Sally) Bergmann of Harrison Township; two grandsons, Alan (Carol) Bergmann of Okemos and Wayne (Teresa) Bergmann of Peoria; numerous great grandchildren; three brothers, William (Donna) Stevens of Charlevoix, Byard (Lorraine) Stevens of Grand Rapids and Bruce (Dottie) Stevens of Charlevoix; two sisters, Joanne Graves and Phyllis (Warren) Allison both of Charlevoix; six step-children, Richard (Delores) Wood, Rexine Schepley and Sandra Clark all of Arizona, Ray

(Carol) Wood of Oxford, Mike (Julie) Wood of Kinchloe and Chris Wood of Charlevoix; one daughter-in-law, Dottie Wood of California; numerous step grandchildren and great step grandchildren; one sister-in-law, LaReine Stevens of Boise, Idaho.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Northwest Michigan Community Health-Hospice, 220 West Garfield, Charlevoix, MI 49720 or to the Bergmann Center, 08855 Martin Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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Christopher Jay Anthony Henkel: Died Sept. 12, 2001



Christopher Henkel

Christopher Jay Anthony Henkel, 40, died in Washington, D.C., on Sept. 12, 2001, of heart failure after complications from surgery. Chris is survived by his children, Rudy II and Leilani; his parents, Helen and Rudy Henkel of Charlevoix; sisters Pam Taunt, Mary Henkel, Cheryl Lawton, Kathryn Krug and Deborah Halasz; also, numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. Chris graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1979. He was Governor of Boy's State in 1978. He was on the Red Raider football team and was a member of the band.

He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1983 and served as a lieutenant on the nuclear submarine Kamechamcha. Since leaving the Navy he had been a systems engineer. He was a long-time resident of Montgomery Village, MD. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Francis Solanus Church in Bay Shore. In lieu of flowers, donations should be made to the American Heart Association.

Another obituary on page 9

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Area agencies beef up security measures

SECURITY

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The dry fuel storage container overpack that was recently unveiled at an open house is empty at this time. Petrosky said the container which will eventually hold spent fuel was designed to withstand extreme conditions but, "a direct plane crash into it would be a challenge."

According to Chief John McLean of Coast Guard Station Charlevoix, similar security measures as those described by Petrosky are being taken by the local Coast Guard station.

McLean explained that he and his men have not received orders from the government and he doesn't foresee them being called to duty. At this point he said they

are needed in Charlevoix.

However, the station has increased security. All cars entering or exiting the station must pass through security, stationed in a guard shack, and show identification, 24 hours a day.

An armed guard was also welcoming anyone who came into the Charlevoix County Building, on State Street Sept. 11 and 12.

The sheriff's department had all doors locked, with the exception of the main entrance off of State Street.

"You have to have only one entrance if you are going to have security," said Earl Muma, who has been with the county department for 21 years and was guarding the building Sept. 12.

"I'm looking for someone I don't know, carrying something suspicious, a suitcase or a backpack. I've also got a metal scanner on

my belt I use at random," he added.

Whether or not people think the county building is vulnerable to attack, Muma said he had numerous building employees tell him his security efforts helped make them feel safe.

Muma said the last time he stood guard was in 1962 at the United States Air Force Base in Las Vegas, Nev.

"We were armed with full combat weapons, ready to deploy to stop the Russians at Kennedy's order. It was heated then, the only difference was the loss of lives in the United States," Muma said.

No armed guards were stationed at the Charlevoix airport but, on Sept. 11, no one was at the airport.

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) grounded all commercial flights, which meant locals and visitors would have to travel to

Beaver Island by boat or not at all.

Airport manager Karyn Brooks said the last flight went to the island early in the morning Sept. 11 and all subsequent flights to Beaver Island were canceled.

"After that, (the last flight Sept. 11) if you were on the island, you were on the island and if you were over here (Charlevoix) you were over here," she said of the transportation squeeze.

However, the island relies on air travel for transporting emergency and non-emergency patients in need of medical attention to the mainland. Around 11 a.m. Sept. 12 a Coast Guard helicopter, the local authority, transported a non-emergency patient to Charlevoix airport as planes were still grounded.

According to Rachel Teague, general manager for Island Airways, the planes were grounded for a "solid 48 hours." The first plane

was back in the sky at 11 a.m. on Sept. 13.

Brooks added that the airport is back to full travel at this point.

And, from what Teague said, regular Island Airways customers probably won't notice a change.

"Nothing has changed as far as our check in policy. The only change is in our in-flight procedure," she said. Teague explained that the planes are tracked more closely.

The Beaver Island Boat Company has also received information from federal regulators pertaining to standard procedures and safety measures to be taken if they receive threats or in the case of hijacking.

Margo Marks, general manager for the Beaver Island Boat Company said, "We are keeping our eyes open and following the direction of the Coast Guard."

How to help out the victims of the Sept. 11 attack

Many of us want to do something to support those directly impacted by the terrorist attack on Sept. 11. Here are some suggestions from the American Red Cross:

- Support your local blood drive: The burn patients from the attack will require months of recovery and will

use countless blood products. Make sure your local blood drives over the next two months are strong; roll up your sleeve and donate. Call 800-691-6059 for blood drive dates and times.

- Give a financial contribution: The relief efforts are costly. Give

what you can by one of these ways: American Red Cross, Northern Michigan Chapter, 1349 S Otsego Avenue, Suite 9, Gaylord, MI 49735; www.redcross.org (Accepts credit cards); (800) HELP NOW (800-435-

7669).

Those wishing to help are strongly encouraged to make financial donations instead of donating goods.

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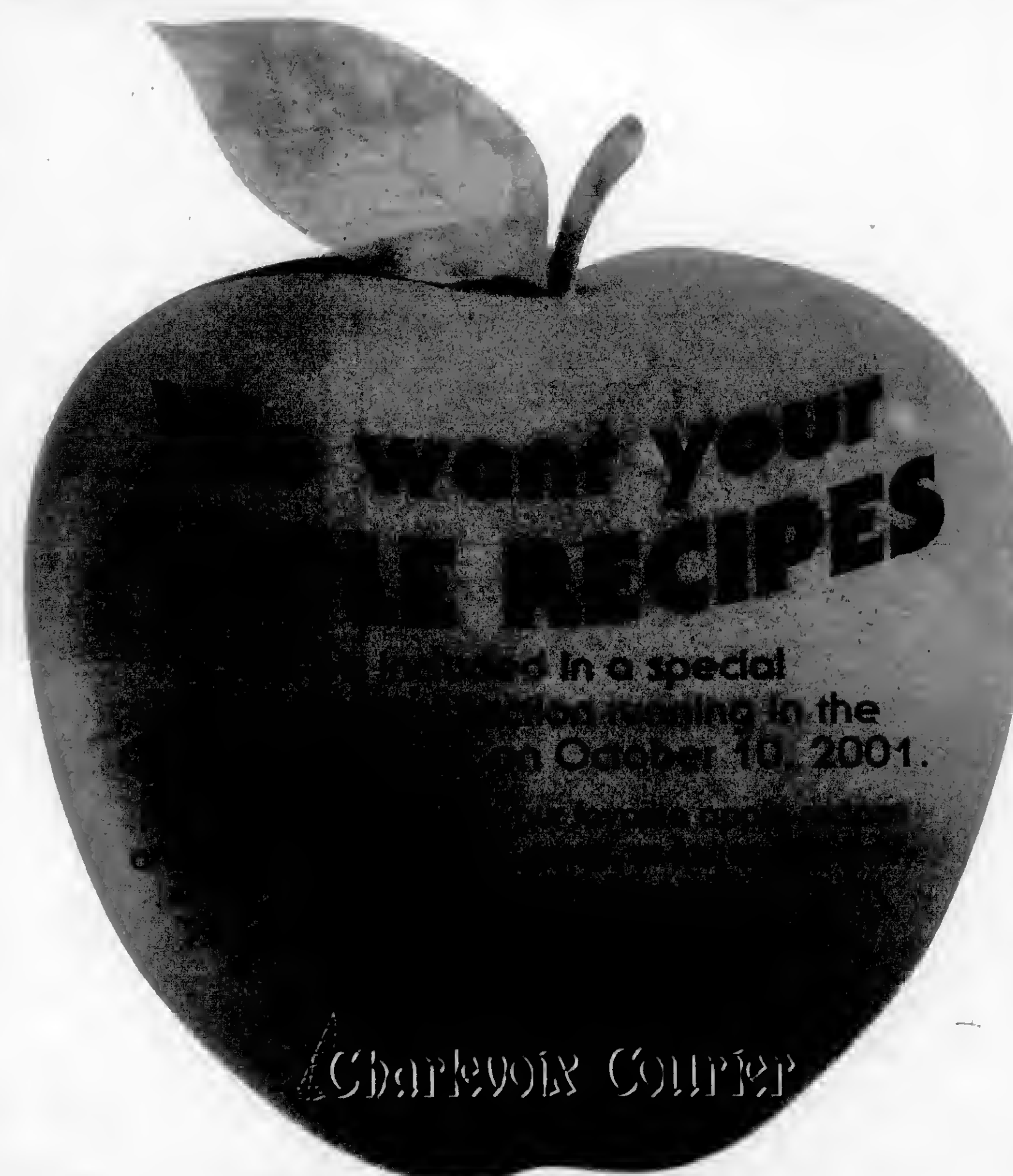


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Florence says community still in shock, disbelief

FLORENCE

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On a clear day, she said you can see the New York skyline and the towers of the World Trade Center, but not that day.

"All you could see was smoke. A black cloud was over the city," she said. "Living in New York, you get used to seeing the World Trade Center. Now a symbol of the city is completely gone."

Since that day, Florence said her community has really come together. The school has been of-

fering students plenty of counseling and she has never seen so many American flags decorating her town.

Mostly, she said, people have been getting their thoughts out by talking about the attack.

"Most of the school is in disbelief. It is hard for a lot of us to understand," Florence said.

One thing Florence does understand is that the world will never be the same for her and her community.

"I grew up more in that one day than in all four years of high school combined," she said.

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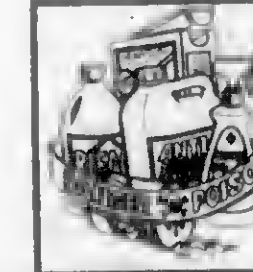
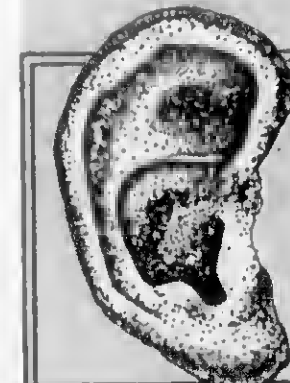
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By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

match a slight increase in the cost of a barrel of oil.

"Tell everybody to calm down," he said.

Niswander said he had customers

trying to fill 5, 6 and ten gallon gas cans in addition to the tank on their vehicles.

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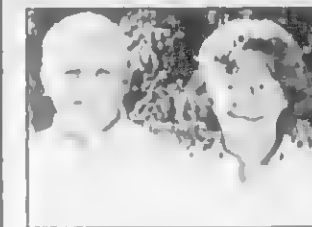


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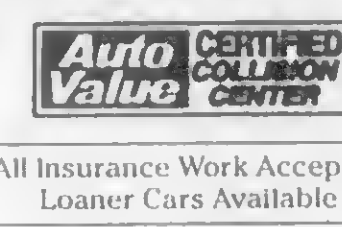
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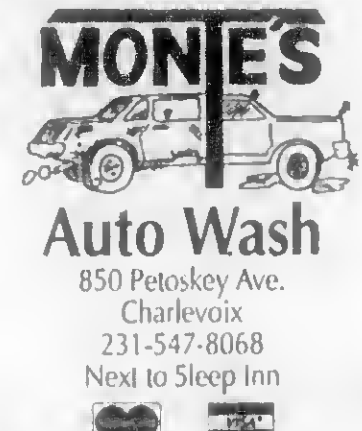
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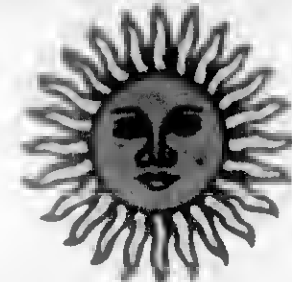
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Rumors cause long lines at local gasoline stations

GAS

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"Hoarding is not the answer," he said. "I was stopping people from filling gas cans (on Sept. 11) just to be fair to everyone."

However, the Shell station on Bridge Street in Charlevoix did raise its prices over \$2 a gallon briefly on Sept. 11.

According to a written statement by Jere D. Johnson of the Alpena Oil Company, which owns the Charlevoix Shell station, the company briefly raised the price of its gasoline to slow buying down. He stated their gasoline supplier placed a daily allocation on the company making Alpena Oil fear it would run out of gas if it didn't

slow the gas run down.

Johnson added the extra profit from this price rise — \$18,500 — will be donated to the American Red Cross.

But, according to some customers, this is not much of an excuse for Alpena Oil.

Charlevoix resident Jack Russell, who was buying gas at the local Shell station when it raised its prices, said the company was just adding to the public's fears.

"By the price going up, it pushes people to go out and get it," he said.

Russell added he was told that if he had a receipt he could get a refund from the company and whatever money wasn't refunded would go to the American Red Cross.

"I just let them have it," he said.

Patriotism in full force as nation grapples with terror

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Patriotism is in full force in Charlevoix and the rest of America as we grapple with the terror of last week.

Throughout Charlevoix, flags can be seen flying at half-mast, many vehicles have small American flags attached to their antennas and people are proudly wearing red, white and blue. Even the city of Charlevoix — as the result of a suggestion by a citizen — has lined Bridge Street with flags.

"It is support. Support for the president, the people killed and support for their

families. It says we are together," said Charlie Butcher, commander of the American Legion and senior vice-commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars post in Charlevoix, about the many flags around town.

Butcher said this was an attack on all of us and an "act of war."

"The country will come together, just like in World War II. The American people are pretty patient, but when it comes to disasters like this, we aren't. It is like a take no prisoner attitude," he said.

This surge of patriotism has also made it hard for anyone who doesn't already own an

American flag to find one. Many area businesses that sell them have already run out.

"The flags are long gone," said Mark Greyerbiehl, owner of Ace Hardware in Charlevoix. "Everything that we had that is patriotic is gone. Everything that has the U.S. on it is out the door."

Greyerbiehl said he has even run out of flag poles and has been custom making them in the basement of his store to meet demand. He said he has sold more flags and patriotic symbols than before a holiday.

"I think I would rather sell from for another holiday, than this case here (the terrorist attack)," he added.

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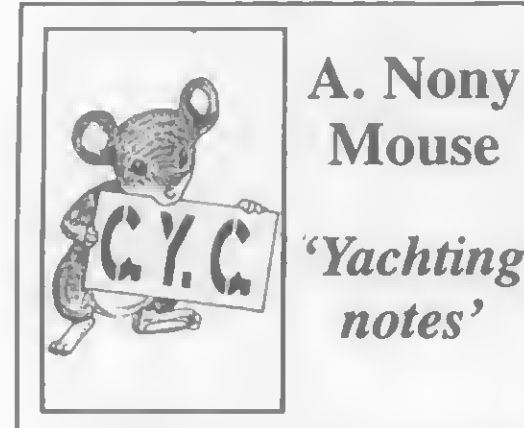


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SPORTS

Start of Fall Series debated last week



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'Yachting notes'

The Charlevoix Yacht Club Fall Series, First Race, Sept. 12 felt the effects of the mood of the nation as the Race Committee debated whether to sail or cancel.

Their decision was to respect the wishes of the individual skippers and their crews. Some felt that get-

ting back to normal was important, others preferred not to sail under the circumstances. Twelve contested on the shortened course with one more (H S MOISTURE MIS-SILE) to be scored its average position over the balance of the series as Tom Barnes filled in for the Race Committee.

Spinnaker 1: HOI POLLOI, HOOTIE, WINDRUNNER, J HAWK and BLASEN IV, P-26: CYGNUS and ORIGINAL SIN, JAM: CRAZY HORSE, J-22: HUSSY, SWINE FLEW, FIRST DATE and BANZAI.

There is a Charlevoix Yacht Club Work Party from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Sept. 22. Call Ron Plocki, 547-3965 or e-mail rplocki@freeway.net.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Sunfish Championship: Five short races to determine the 2001 Sunfish Championship will be this Sunday. If you have not been out for any of the summer Sunday races, please call Don Bowerman (536-7975) to register. You must be a Charlevoix Yacht Club member to be eligible.

Sail out to ARTEMIS (near the "B" buoy, off Pine Point) before 1 p.m. Your best four of the five races will determine your score and final position in the Sunfish Fleet.

Sailors and spectators are invited to join us on the beach at the Barnes residence from 12:30 p.m. on. (BYOB.) It's northwest of the

"B" buoy - with a white dock near a Christmas Tree. By land, when you're at the end of C&O Club Drive, you're there!

The Charlevoix Yacht Club will have its Annual Mini-Vegas Night starting at 7 p.m. at the club on Sept. 29.

Nautical Trivia: As we go to press only three responses, none have the first part correct. Repeating the challenge: Two different ship profiles have been reproduced hundreds of thousands of times. One is of the first great merchant ship (300 tons) built in the Americas. For one point, what is this ship's name? For two more points where did you see it? (Yes, you have!). The other was also built in

the Americas, originally for fishing but better known for her speed. For yet another point, what is this schooner's name? For two more points; where is it seen? E-mail answers to joshb@chartermi.net or leave word at (231) 547-2000; be sure to include your name. This is for the 2001 Trivial Trophy, to be awarded Nov. 3.

Answers next week. Now two hints: Ancient Seasoning; What you did when you had sniffles.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the "warm" months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its web site at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

Several on cross-country teams place in meet

The boys' and girls' cross country teams had a nice showing at the recent Ludington Invitational Sept. 15.

The Charlevoix boys' team finished first in the meet with a score of 35. There were 10 schools that took part.

Individual final standings for the boys' were: Tim Daining in first,

Peter Gorkiewicz in third, Gordie Selph in fourth, Josh Popenhagen in seventh, Zach Bajos in twentieth, Abe Dhaseleer in twenty-sixth and Tom Aepelbacher in thirty-eighth.

The girls' team was tenth out of

20 teams with 265 points. In the Division III standings they were fifth with 105 points.

Individually, Liz Ulrich was sixth place overall and first in Division III and Kati Swenor was tenth over-

all and fourth in Division III.

Other places for Charlevoix in Division III were: Brenna Bergmann in thirty-first, Michelle

Rowe in thirty-fourth, Natasha Kleiber in thirty-fifth, Elizabeth Madison in thirty-ninth and Jayme Murray in forty-first.



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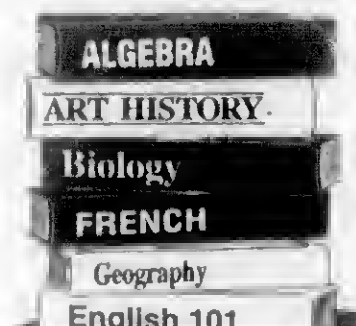
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SPORTS

Rayders win in overtime against Harbor Springs

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

The Charlevoix Rayders stayed unbeaten in the Lake Michigan Conference in dramatic fashion with a 26-25 overtime, come from behind win at Harbor Springs.

The Rayders appeared to have their backs broken by a Charlevoix fumble on the Ram one-yard line. Charlevoix appeared poised to go in for a score that would have given it the lead. Instead the fumble was followed by a 99-yard Harbor Springs drive that put the Rams ahead 19-7 with just over 8 minutes remaining in the game.

"After the fumble, we were disappointed, but thought our defense would hold them and we'd get the ball right back," Rayder Coach Todd Klinger said. "But that drive put us in a huge hold."

The Rayders responded with a quick drive of their own, scoring in just over a minute on a Nick Pizzurro five-yard run to cut the Ram lead to 19-13. The extra point attempt was no good. The key play in the drive was a screen pass from Nate Teuscher to Keith Daly that went for 28 yards.

"It gave us some life and helped us pick up some momentum," Klinger observed. "I felt like the kids were down and we needed something to pick up our spirits."

Charlevoix spirits continued to rise as the Rayders quickly forced the Rams to punt, taking possession with just under 6 minutes to go on the Charlevoix 23 yard line.

Teuscher fought off more adversity for the Rayders, hitting Daly for a first down on a fourth and 11, but the play was called back due to clipping by Charlevoix. Undaunted, on the fourth and 14 that followed, Teuscher hit Rafacz for a first down.

Todd Carey capped the drive with a seven-yard TD run. Teuscher's extra point kick, narrowly missed, and the game was knotted at 19-all.

Girls' basketball team wins

The Charlevoix varsity girls' basketball team beat Boyne City Sept. 13, 72-43.

This win leaves the Rayders at 3-1 overall and 1-0 in the league. According to reports, Grace Farrell scored 19 points and Katherine Ricks scored 12.

Charlevoix faced Elk Rapids at home last night. The results of that game were not available before press time.

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Tawnya Sweeny, 24, of Charlevoix, fought this large salmon for about 20 minutes Sept. 7 on Lake Michigan. After landng the fish, she discovered that it weighed 25 pounds and was 40 inches long. (Courtesy photo)

Charlevoix golf team beats East Jordan Sept. 11

The Charlevoix High School varsity golf team beat East Jordan Sept. 11, 160-180.

Coach Jim Glynn said this was a good match for the team. As of this win, the Rayders are 4-0 in the conference.

David Shearer was the individual medalist for the team. He shot a 36. Other individual scores were: Jordan Nystrom, 42; Allen Brooks, 40; Nick Cole, 42; York Smith, 45 and Kreg Wager, 46.

Charlevoix faced a tough Harbor Springs last night. Results of that match were not available before press time.

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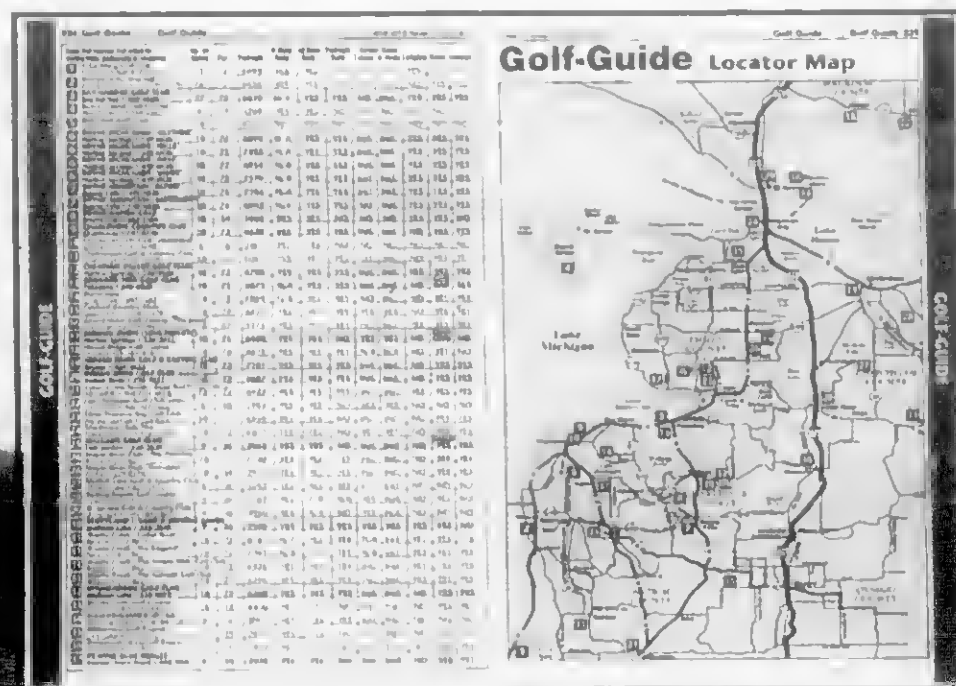


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New Northwest teachers

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix's charter school, Northwest Academy, is known for its musically talented student body and this year the school has developed its fine arts program to further cater to student's interests.



Cindy Romero

has taught piano and voice in town for the past two years.

Last year he expanded his client list after receiving a call from Northwest principal Steve Bennett. Londgren

was asked to work with five students who were interested in developing vocal skills.

Londgren has a degree in music and was a voice major. He has been studying music for 36

years.

Londgren's work at the school last year was so successful that this year he was asked to start a choral program which meets for one hour, five days each week. He currently has 10 students enrolled in the class and foresees two more joining after back-to-school madness settles down.

His goal is to create singing ensembles, successful soloists and duet groups. Londgren said he can see a school musical on the horizon too.

East Jordan resident Cindy Romero, 42, is joining Londgren in the fight to further fine arts at Northwest.

Romero is a mother of four who substitute taught last year at Northwest and taught Spanish for some time at Harbor Springs. She said she got a call from Bennett who asked her to head up a solid foreign language program at the school.

She accepted and is thrilled to be working closer to home. Romero is instructing Spanish at the high school level, art one and two to all students at Northwest and is also filling in as seventh and eighth grade science teacher.

She is well versed in the Spanish language and lived in Mexico for four years. While in Mexico she studied at the University of Americas.

After returning to Michigan she earned her associate's degree from North Central Michigan College in Petoskey and her bachelor of arts and teaching certificate from Grand Valley State University.

"I hope to build a solid program

and to get the kids to where they can understand and speak Spanish," Romero said.

The third addition to the fine arts team is Joyce Wardwell who has reunited with Northwest after a brief sabbatical. Wardwell is a 43-year-old Petoskey resident and a mother of four. She said she's thrilled to be back to head up the drama program.

Her plans for the drama program include starting a debate team and putting on a Christmas show. During the Christmas holiday, the students will perform a 1920s Prohibition Era rendition of Shakespeare's Twelfth Night.

Wardwell is working with the original language and shortening the play some.

She's encouraging the band program to join in the performance and her hope is that the two will work together as a unit to put on the production.

She is also helping the students develop the audio-visual component of a drama program in terms of creating and editing video. She foresees this helping the students create video resumes.

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Earl Muma, a county officer, keeps an eye on everyone entering the Charlevoix County Courthouse Sept. 12. Only one entrance to the building was open for security reasons. (Photo by Julie Musilek)

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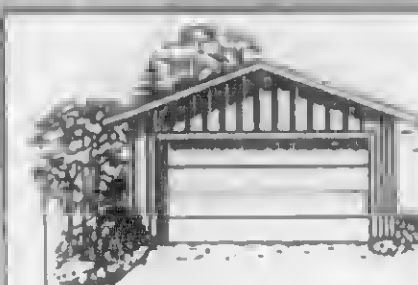
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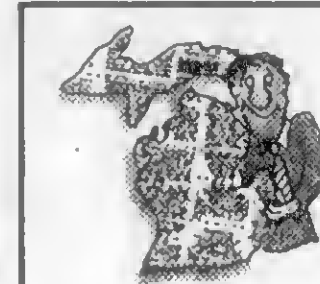
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Janet Troppman, St. Mary school principal, Jan Novotny, Ace assistant manager and Mark Greyerbiehl, owner of the Charlevoix Ace pose with some of the items at this year's Northern Lights celebration. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Northern Lights celebration

St. Mary School will have the Sixth Annual Northern Lights Celebration — Dinner, Auction and Dance fundraiser. This year, the event will take place at 6 p.m. on Oct. 20.

The theme for this year's celebration is "Sounds of Yesterday." The event will take place at St. Mary's Family Center, 1003 Bridge Street. Musical entertainment will be provided by Class Act Productions lead by conductor Scott MacKenzie. The performance will follow the live auction.

Up for bid this year will be the famous "Loeb Farm Dinner" hosted by Dick and Gina Lepman; a beautiful quilt made by St. Mary's students; a Marantz stereo receiver and CD player with Boston compact speakers; and numerous golf packages and service items. Donations are being accepted at this time. Contact the school at (231)

547-9441 for more information.

Also featured will be items from the "Children's Art Gallery," a collection of unique artwork created by St. Mary students, under the direction of Mel Morrison, Danielle Baier and Sharon Peters.

In conjunction with the dinner, auction and dancing, St. Mary's is also sponsoring three raffles. You need not be present to win. The raffle items include "The Key Club," which includes two round-trip airline tickets to Anaheim, Calif., a four-day, three-night stay at the Castle Inn and two Disneyland flex passes. "The Crystal Corner" includes four round-trip tickets from Windsor or Port Huron to Toronto, Canada with accommodations at the Sheridan Center. "The Men's Corner" includes numerous items including a two-person hammock, igloo set, volleyball set, horseshoe set, two

Travelmate deluxe chairs, a Holland grill and picnic supplies. Tickets for the raffles are now on sale. For more information, contact the school.

The Northern Lights Celebration is the largest fundraising event for the school. Auction expenses are kept at a minimum with all proceeds going directly to the school.

Tickets for the event are \$55 per person for the evening. Tickets for the auction and dancing are \$30 per person. The event is open to the public. Call the school to make reservations.

A preview night will take place from 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Oct. 19. This is open to the public and is free of charge. Bids will be accepted on silent auction items during this time and raffle tickets will be available. Sealed bids will be accepted this year for the first time.

Area events

Banks Township Bazaar

The Ellsworth Lioness Club will be sponsoring the 21st Annual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at 231-544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.

Harbor Light fundraiser

Harbor Light Christian School is hosting a fundraiser at 6 p.m. on Oct. 13. They hope to raise money for their operating fund. James Muffett, founder of the Foundation for Traditional Values and the Student Statesmanship Institute of Lansing, is the featured speaker.

Cost is \$20 per person which includes a gourmet meal, entertainment and the speaker. A free-will offering will be taken at the end of the evening for the school. Call (231) 347-7859 for reservations or further information.

Sale for moms

There will be a "Mom-to-Mom" sale from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sept. 22 at the Charlevoix High School gym. Over 20 women will be selling used infants, children's and big kids clothing, toys, books and furniture. There will also be a booth of clothing just for women.

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SCRAPBOOK

The loss of the Champlain



Marilyn Boss

'Days gone by'

I was looking through a copy of the April, 1983 issue of *Traverse*, the magazine, and came across the story I wrote for them about the tragedy of the steamer Champlain, which burned off Fisherman's Island, with great loss of life. The entire story is documented in Bob Miles book, "Bob Miles Charlevoix," which he took verbatim from the *Charlevoix Journal*, the local newspaper.

The tragedy took place at midnight, June 23, 1887, as the steamer was chugging its way from Norwood to Charlevoix. At the time, there were 23 propeller ships which sailed the great lakes, and were owned by the Northern Transit Company. The Champlain was built in 1870 and was valued at \$30,000. It was very seaworthy, having been rebuilt in recent years. The captain of the ship was Edward Casey. The passengers were numbered at 27, and the crew at 29. There are many accounts by survivors, and I shall write their sto-

ries as they were told to the Charlevoix Journal.

The passengers were sleeping peacefully, knowing that they would soon reach Charlevoix, their destination. The second fireman, Charles A. LaComb, awoke when he heard the loud oil lamp on the wall fall to the floor. The corner of his room was instantly ablaze, and the fire quickly raged out of control. He frantically awakened the second engineer, Triffly Morin, and sounded the alarm. The first engineer, John McCaffrey, opened the door of LaComb's room, and the flames shot out and caught his clothes afire. Mary Wakefield of Charlevoix, awoke to screams shattering the darkness. She jerked open her cabin door, as McCaffrey, engulfed in flames, rushed up the ladder to the hurricane deck and jumped into a water tank to extinguish the flames which covered his body. Mary quickly called to cabin mates, Mrs. Michael Kehoe, and Mrs. Kehoe's little daughter, Mabel, to alarm them.

The whistle of the ship began to blow ceaselessly, drowning the frantic screaming. A crewman had placed a prop under the lever to keep it blowing. The governors on the steamer's engine, which normally held the Champlain at a steady pace, became stuck, and no one could

reach the throttle. The ship raced out of control, and this fanned the roaring fire, and made it difficult to jump overboard.

Mary Wakefield and Mrs. Kehoe could not reach their life preservers, so they had to go on deck without them. According to testimonies from survivors, the lifeboats did not have their plugs in the bottom, and thus hung useless as terrified passengers dove into the water. One group of crew members launched a boat which promptly filled with water, and sank with them aboard. The rest of the boats could not be launched because the ship was speeding so fast.

The ship ran aground on a sand bar as it approached Fisherman's Island. The captain ripped fenders and doors from the ship, and threw them overboard to help the struggling passengers in the water. He then let down ropes so that Mary Wakefield, Mrs. Kehoe, and little Mabel could drop into the water. The captain gave Mrs. Kehoe a cabin door to hang on to, but she was unable to grasp it after going under the water, and she drowned.

Little Mabel sank under the waves. Miss Wakefield then grabbed her, and placed her clothing between her teeth to keep the child's head out of the water. She managed to reach Fisherman's Island, by clinging to a



The smoldering hull of the Champlain, docked at a pier in Charlevoix. (Courtesy photo)

fender. After helping several passengers off the boat, Captain Casey swam the mile to shore to Smithson Camp. The camp was located at the mouth of Inwood Creek, which is inside the present Fisherman's Island State Park. The captain then rowed a boat back to help others reach the mainland.

Another passenger, W.B. Albright of Chicago, said that he and Captain Charles H. Russell of Jackson, Michigan were on the deck together, waiting for the last moment before they would have to jump. As the fire crowded the bow, Mr. Albright pulled the jack staff out and they jumped. They struck away from the boat to get out of the heat, which was so intense they had to put their

heads under several times to escape it. The smoke and fire were sweeping down over the water. In every direction, people were struggling for life and crying out for help. Albright and Russell headed for shore, clinging to the jack staff. Captain Russell became very chilled in the biting cold water and said that he was perishing and was going back to the ship. In spite of Mr. Albright's pleading, the captain left him and that was the last he saw of him until daybreak when his body washed up on the sand.

There were many more first hand accounts of the fire, and I will continue the story in my next column, with a list of the passengers and crew, and a map of the location.

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Sewer extension can be built to new school site

SCHOOL

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Olson said the case was about preventing the use of bond proceeds for unauthorized uses.

"An important fact here, is that prior to the ballot hearing, the question of the sewer and all that will go along with it was not disseminated to the voters and was not made known," Olson said.

Olson said the plaintiffs were in court to make sure proceeds were not misapplied. He argued that the ballot language made no mention of an off-site sewer extension.

"There is this question of these voters in the community: what did they vote on, a new sewer or a new

high school," Olson argued.

He said money raised through the bond should not be diverted to purposes that are not for the school.

"\$200,000 could be used for good things besides being spent on the extension of the city sewer," Olson said.

This was the third lawsuit filed against Charlevoix Public Schools since the start of the new high school building project.

Sturock said the school is still negotiating with the city as to the specifics of the line. It has not yet signed an agreement.

As of now, the building project is right on schedule and will be open for classes in the fall of 2002. The plumbing in the building can be completed without the sewer line in.

Charlevoix police thwart possible armed robbery

Charlevoix police may have thwarted an armed robbery attempt around 9:30 a.m. on Saturday at Nanny's Restaurant, located at 219 Ferry Avenue, when they arrested an 18-year-old East Jordan man.

The restaurant was broken into twice last week and an undisclosed amount of money was taken. Police believe the man arrested on Saturday is connected with the break-ins.

Charlevoix Police Chief Dennis Halverson said officers received a

tip that the man was going to hold-up the restaurant on Saturday morning. In response, city officers with the assistance of the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, went to the restaurant and waited.

When the suspect drove in the restaurant's parking lot, officers approached him and found a pellet pistol and hunting mask in his possession.

The man is lodged in the Charlevoix County Jail.



America mourns

(Right) Community members took part in religious services Friday to mourn those killed in the terrorist attack in New York City Sept. 11. (Photo by Julie Musilek) (Above) Throughout the city, flags are flying at half-mast. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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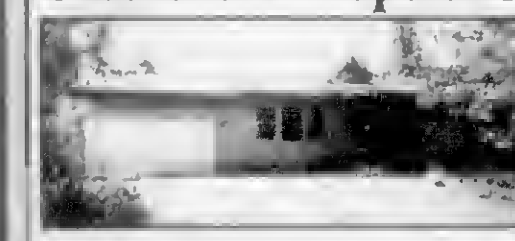
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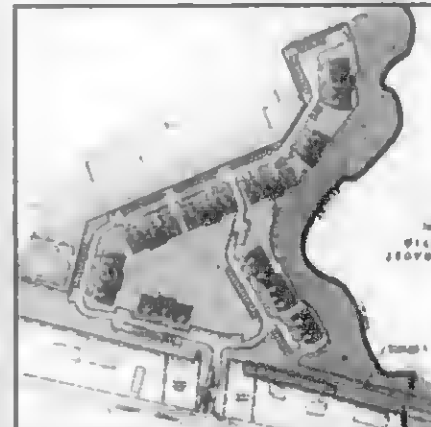
Handicapped



Staff writer Julie Witthoef found out, somewhat, what it is like to be handicapped.

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Development



A new housing development is being constructed near Stover Creek, behind Kmart.

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Dolphin care



Charlevoix resident Tonya Mann uses dolphins in a Florida program to help children with handicaps.

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Cost to purchase building criticized

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

At the Charlevoix City Council meeting Sept. 17 Charlevoix residents stood up and spoke in opposition of the city's plans to acquire and demolish the Wharfside building, only to find out they were too late.

After hearing the concerns of former first ward councilman Bob Timms and D.J. Way, who is running against councilman Bill Bellows for the second ward slot in the November election, third ward councilman A.J. Witthoef asked city manager Mike Wiesner if it would be possible to table the grant agreement they were about to vote on. This would give council time to discuss plans for the Wharfside.

But city attorney Jim Young informed council that they were already too far along in the process to turn back.

Wiesner told Witthoef "the numbers haven't changed since the last council meeting."

Wiesner was referring to the Sept. 3 meeting when the city of Charlevoix entered into a purchase agreement with Charlevoix residents Rex and Ineke McCarthy to acquire the waterfront property, "the Wharfside," for \$1,235,000. This figure includes a \$1,150,000 purchase price, an \$80,000 relocation fee for busi-

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Township zoning ordinance loses

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix Township voters defeated the revised township zoning ordinance by a vote of 223 to 114 sending township administrators, who spent almost two years making the revisions, back to the drawing board.

"We probably won't do anything for a while, hopefully we'll go back to the drawing board and

tweak the ordinance to be something people can live with. It was a good ordinance. It's too bad it went down," Nancy Rajewski, Charlevoix Township Planning Commission Chairman and township board trustee said.

Charlevoix Township resident Chuck Scherping, a staunch advocate for defeating the revised ordinance, said the revisions made the ordinance too restrictive and he would be willing to work with the

township on making changes to the ordinance.

"I think people got a hold of the ordinance and read it and decided it wasn't in the best interest of Charlevoix Township," Scherping said.

However, Rajewski thinks that people didn't read it and that is why it was defeated. She said from the feedback she received people didn't understand the ordinance.

Rajewski said that during the zoning ordinance revision process, people came to the meetings. She said most township residents attended public hearings that took place toward the end of the process.

She said those meetings were productive and the revised ordinance that voters shot down on Sept. 18 incorporated "most of those suggestions."

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American pride



Above, students performed for a pre-game ceremony Friday at the Charlevoix High School football field in honor of the missing and dead in the terrorist attacks Sept. 11 on New York City and Washington D.C. Left, as the band played the patriotic songs, the crowd waved the American flag. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)

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District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Dennis John Beer, 29, Harbor Springs. Check, non-sufficient funds, greater than \$100. Fines and costs totaling \$577.43.

Scott Gerard Paniwoski, 21, Grand Rapids. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Brandon Mitchell Markel, 18, Boyne Falls. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Clark Smith Collins, 57, Beaver Island. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 46 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$945 in fines and costs.

Michael David Wood Jr., 22, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 10 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 72 days held in abeyance; \$1,195 in fines and costs.

Michael John Pelofske, 23, Mackinaw City. Driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Rosemarie Louise Bogaert, 36, East Jordan. Embezzlement, under \$200. Two years probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 30 days of community service work in

lieu of 30 days in jail, 62 days held in abeyance; \$1,900 in fines and costs.

Patrick Jon McKeown Jr., 34, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$635 in fines and costs.

Lawrence James-Anderson Skippergosh, 25, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$635 in fines and costs.

Tanya Maria Gibson, 37, East Jordan. Attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer. Jail for 19 days with credit for one day, serve 18 days; \$500 in fines and costs.

Erika Ann Scott, 25, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 365 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 10 days, 30 days of community service work in lieu of 30 days in jail, 30 days on electronic monitor, 294 days held in abeyance; \$1,590 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Nathan Charles Cleary, 19, Charlevoix. Criminal sexual conduct-fourth degree-victim between the ages of 13-16. Jail for six

months with credit for 63 days, serve six months.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:
Artesian Plumbing & Heating Inc., 1104 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by David Knepp
Northern Michigan Welcome Services, 12458 Country Club Drive, Charlevoix, by Amber A. Witthoef
John's Automotive Sales and Repair, 1516 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by John Dobulis
Kuebler Enterprises, 00433 High Country Drive, Boyne City, by Douglas L. Kuebler II
Flaming Cabbage Productions, 10985 Burnett Road, Charlevoix, by George Joseph Scholey II and Sharon Sue Scholey
Nature Works, 2850 Boyne City Road, Boyne City, by Derek Jacobson
L.M. HoverLink, 1010 Stroud Court, Charlevoix, by David S. Smith

Steve's Towing Service, 6365 Behling Road P.O. Box 714, East Jordan, by Steve Bernier
TKD Consulting, 210 West Carpenter, Charlevoix, by Theodore K. Duckworth
Janelle Schanbeck Massage Therapy, 103 State Street Apartment #3, Charlevoix, by Janelle Schanbeck
Northwest Auto Tech., 8093 Ellsworth Road, Ellsworth, by Steve Ingersoll

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:
Robert James McEwen, 52, Charlevoix and Karen C. McEwen, 60, Charlevoix
Michael Timothy Martin, 24, Charlevoix and Darcy Bain Weeks, 24, Charlevoix
Erik Glenn Schreiber, 37, Boyne City and Jennifer Sue Mapes, 30, Boyne City

Divorces
The following people have been granted judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:
Heather May Toton vs. Jeremy Toton
Alexis Donnelly vs. Thomas Donnelly
Dawn Knapp vs. Adam Knapp
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Births

Hayden Taylor James Prevo, weighing 6 pounds, 8 ounces, was born to Dennis Prevo and Teresa Seese of Charlevoix on Sept. 19 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Daryan Alexandre, weighing 7 pounds, 4 ounces, was born to Arthur and Melissa Grawey of Petoskey Sept. 18 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Kathryn Joyce was born to Shirley and Philip Peterson of Charlevoix Sept. 19 at Northern Michigan Hospital. Kathryn weighed 6 pounds, 15 ounces at birth. Her siblings are Cheyenne and Hunter. Grandparents are John and Bernadette Peterson of Charlevoix and Charley and Shirley Bourdo of Charlevoix.

Isabelle Bevana Witthoef, weighing 6 pounds, 5 ounces, was born to Marvin and Amber Witthoef of Charlevoix Sept. 16. Isabelle has four sisters, Jasmine Emerald, Stirling Elizabeth, Juliann Colson and Lukila Faith. Her grandparents are Ivan and Lucy Witthoef of Charlevoix and Judi Wamsley and Butch Angel of Bethesda, Md.

Conner Michael Jones, weighing 7 pounds, 3 ounces, was born to Angela Patton of Charlevoix on Sept. 13 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Bailey Jean Massey, weighing 8 pounds, 12 ounces, was born to Jeremiah Massey and Toni Bellmore of Boyne Falls on Sept. 16 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Raymond Austin, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Ray and Kim Raymond of Charlevoix on Sept. 19 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Raymond has one sister named Juliana.

Cheyenne Lauren, weighing 8 pounds, 2 ounces, was born to Thomas and Joan Scott of Charlevoix on Sept. 22 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Grandparents are Ralph and Dianne Scott of Wyoming and John and Jan Tobin of Gaylord.

Staff Writer experiences life in a wheelchair



Julie Witthoef
Staff Writer

I've never broken a bone, I had a blood infection once when I was only three, or so my parents tell me, but all in all my health has been good and I'm thankful for that.

I remember when my sister was pregnant with my nephew, we kept wondering how cute he would be and what color hair he would have, but my dad just kept saying I hope he's healthy.

Our health is something that we easily take for granted in our daily routine. I get up out of bed, stretch my arms and legs, step into a warm shower and hit the road for another day at work.

But, during the day as I frantically run from interview to photo shoot I'll pass people confined to wheelchairs or otherwise disabled and I'll wonder what it's like to be them. What challenges do they face in this fast paced world?

So, last Friday, I tried to see life from the eyes of Pati Lunsford, a 50-year-old diabetic woman from East Jordan who lost the use of her right leg in 1995 after a gangrene infection.

I didn't talk to her right away. Instead, I started by going over to the Charlevoix Area Hospital where she volunteers and I picked up a

wheelchair they agreed to let me borrow.

I dragged the heavy, awkward apparatus out to the parking lot, wedged it into my car and brought it into the Courier office. After fully inspecting things and working on my turns within the confines of the office, I was ready. Around 2 p.m. Sept. 21, I took to the streets of Charlevoix.

I only experimented for one hour, but I quickly learned that Lunsford has more to overcome than the lack of movement in her leg.

My wheels got stuck in cracks in the sidewalks and road leaving me stranded. I occasionally picked up too much speed, scaring myself and those around me. And I often came upon inclines that were too steep for my arms to carry me up.

A note to those feeding the ducks in East Park; I also found that any-

thing on the street, including duck poop, got stuck to the wheels that I used with my hands to push forward — totally gross.

Then, there were counters I couldn't see over and shelves I couldn't reach.

Just 20 minutes into my investigation my arms were rubbery and tired from pushing the wheels and my hands were blistered from the friction. I thought that if this weren't an experiment there would probably be few days that I would leave the house.

Aside from my tired arms and unsanitary hands, I was very surprised at the reaction from people. Some asked what happened and were relieved to find out it was just an experiment while others pretended they didn't see me.

Then there were the middle school students coming back from class who don't know it's rude to stare. But, after a while I didn't know if it made me feel more awkward to be stared at or totally ignored.

I got back from the excursion with a taste of what Lunsford's life might be like and was ready to hear from her.

She talked openly about her experiences over the past six years. She said, like I had discovered, for disabled people there are many bumps in the road that can't be crossed and inclines that can't be climbed by wheelchairs and people who won't look you in the eye.

Life for Lunsford is anything but easy.

"Emotionally, I feel like I'm not normal anymore. I grew up being normal and now I'm not," she said.

Normal seems like such a relative word, but think for a moment how it relates to you. Normal — waking up and walking to the bathroom, driving to work, being independent. Imagine if it was all taken away, would you still feel "normal?"

When Lunsford volunteers at the hospital she relies on Charlevoix County Transit to pick her up and bring her home. Getting out isn't easy, so she's learned to shift her daily conception of normal, time she used to spend on long walks she now spends learning. She searches the Internet and takes classes "to keep her mind busy."

See WHEELCHAIR, page 6



Julie Witthoef tries to figure out a way to get out of this hole she rolled into on the street. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Above, staff writer Julie Witthoef tries in vain to open the door to the Charlevoix City Hall. She ended up having to get help in order to get in the building. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act.

• A 35-year-old woman was arrested around 11:30 p.m. on Sept. 21 for transporting an open intoxicant in a motor vehicle on St. Mary's Street.

• A 44-year-old man was arrested around 11:30 p.m. on Sept. 21 for domestic violence on St. Mary's Street.

• Someone wrote a non-sufficient funds check on Sept. 20 at the Village Pub on Bridge Street.

• Someone wrote a non-sufficient funds check on Sept. 20 at the Shell Station on Bridge Street.

• A vehicle hit a post around 9:30 a.m. on Sept. 19 in the parking lot of Citizen's Bank on State Street.

• Sometime between 1 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. on Sept. 18, someone stole a stereo and a basketball from a vehicle located on the 400 block of Antrim Street.

• Sometime between 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 17 and 7:30 a.m. on Sept. 18, someone stole compact discs from a vehicle parked on Wood Street.

someone stole a radar detector from a vehicle located on the 100 block of Carpenter Avenue.

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A few thoughts from the head of an editor



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

I have just too many thoughts on a variety of subjects lately for just this little column.

So, like other times, I have compacted them into one to give you little tidbits of the ramblings stored up in my head.

City spending

Sometimes local government just makes me shake my head in utter disbelief, especially when it comes to spending taxpayer money.

Take for example the city of Charlevoix's recent plan to purchase the Wharfside building on Bridge Street. I have written about my opposition to this before.

The city is going to buy this building, which is on less than an acre of waterfront, for \$1.15 million. Of this money, \$240,000 must be paid by the city out of its budget. This building will then be demolished to make way for more park

space. No one is sure what kind of park space, because the city wants to get public input — wow — before it draws up some plans.

Where does the money in the city budget come from? The taxpayers.

This means city residents will be paying for the purchase of a building that will be demolished. The businesses in that building must move, thus adding to urban sprawl and the taxes generated in the city coffers from that building will no longer be there.

Plus, the city is not even sure what it will do exactly with the space this building is on yet. And the decision to enter into purchase agreement, and spend \$1.15 million, came before the city received final approval on the grants that will be used to help purchase it.

This means, if the city does not get all of the grants it requested, that \$240,000 that will come out of the taxpayers' pockets may get higher.

Am I missing something here? This still does not make any sense.

Housing series

Sometimes the reactions people give on stories astound me. Take for example the series we have been writing on the lack of affordable housing in the Charlevoix area, as well as northern Michigan.

According to my reporter, some people are telling her that I should stop writing about this topic because it is, "making them mad."

Hmmm.....so I should stop reporting about a problem that could negatively impact the economy of the area because some people don't like it?

I know some people would rather I only report on the good news out there, and we do to a large extent. In fact, most of the news in the Charlevoix Courier is positive about the community.

But a journalist's job is to report both the good and bad in a community.

We want to give our readers as much of the information that we can to enable them to make informed decisions in their daily lives. This is information from both sides of the fence.

With the housing story, we just want to show you the problem the community is facing and give you some possible solutions. It is up to our readers to decide, in the end, what must be done.

I am not going to stop writing about something because it is forcing some of our readers to look at their local community through anything other than rose-colored glasses.

As you may have noticed, we do not have an story for the housing series this week. This is because I felt this week's story needed a little more work before publication. Look for it in next week's edition of the Courier.

Effects of terrorism

Last week's terrorist attacks on the United States had me, like the rest of the country, experiencing a multitude of emotions.

There was the sadness of the deaths and pain that the attacks created, anger at the attackers and pride in how the American spirit has been shining so brightly. Like everyone else, I want to see the terrorist behind this brought to justice. But, I will stop short of giving my idea of a way to give out that justice.

Lately, I have been hearing a lot of talk about "bombing Afghanistan to the stone age...." or some other war-like phrase. But, let's look at reality.

Afghanistan is already a very poor country after decades of war. Simply put, they are already in the stone age and there is really nothing to bomb.

So, some people say, "Send in the troops." Well, that may be just what the terrorists want. By sending in the troops, they can call a jihad

— holy war — which may tick off other Muslim countries and we will find ourselves in one heck of a messy situation.

So, what do we do? That I do not know.

One thing is certain, the attackers will be brought to justice.

All I ask is that as we figure out how to bring them to justice, we use calm and rational thinking.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com.

On a side note: Remember to send in your responses to our "What do you think?" question. The question is: "What do you think should be the state bird: the chickadee, the robin or another bird?" Due to a layout mistake, the wrong question box was published last week.

Keep your responses under 250 words and send them to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI, 49720; fax them to (231) 547-4992; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com or drop them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street.

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Housing development had many obstacles

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

A density battle brought on-by Charlevoix Township residents and officials, may have lowered the number of units developers will construct on the 11 acre site behind Charlevoix's Kmart, but it also bumped up the per unit price significantly.

Co-owner of Charlevoix Real Estate One, Dennis Martin, along with John Watson of Bay Harbor are developing the property. Martin said, had the development been able to follow the 15 units per acre allowed by the township zoning ordinance in the R-4 district, each would be between \$10,000 and \$20,000 cheaper.

The units are currently listed between \$124,900 and \$142,000.

"It's a really good value. We tried to keep it as affordable as we could," Martin said.

At public hearings that took place in the winter of 2000, prior to the Charlevoix Township Board rezoning the land, from C-3, commercial, to R-4, multiple family residential, residents said 15 units per acre is too much.

But, according to Watson, the property's fate was condos or 12 boat storage buildings 12,000 square feet each.

If 15 units per acre was permitted at the site it would have allowed for 165 units to be placed there. Martin said the current capacity is now 104 condominium units.

The developers also faced opposition from environmental groups, including Friends of Stover Creek and the Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council who weren't concerned about per unit

cost but were worried about the safety of Stover Creek. The long-range development plan shows 50 units will be placed along the north edge of Stover Creek.

Martin and Watson said they worked closely with the groups. The layout now includes a double row silt fence that runs around the perimeter of the property, three retention ponds and an agreement that the developer will consult the friends if they cut any trees in the proximity of the creek.

But Jo Anne Beemon, Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner and a member of the Friends of Stover Creek, still isn't satisfied.

"The development is built in the creek bed, it's re-contoured the banks. Building condominium units so close to a creek and clearing so much highland with trees falling is all really negative for a creek," Beemon explained.

She later added that they have re-contoured the site so stormwater runs away from the creek and repacked dirt around exposed tree roots.

Martin said 15 units have already been sold in phase one which will ultimately consist of 32 units. Construction was started on phase one in the spring of 2001 and he expects it to be completed between mid-October and the end of the year.

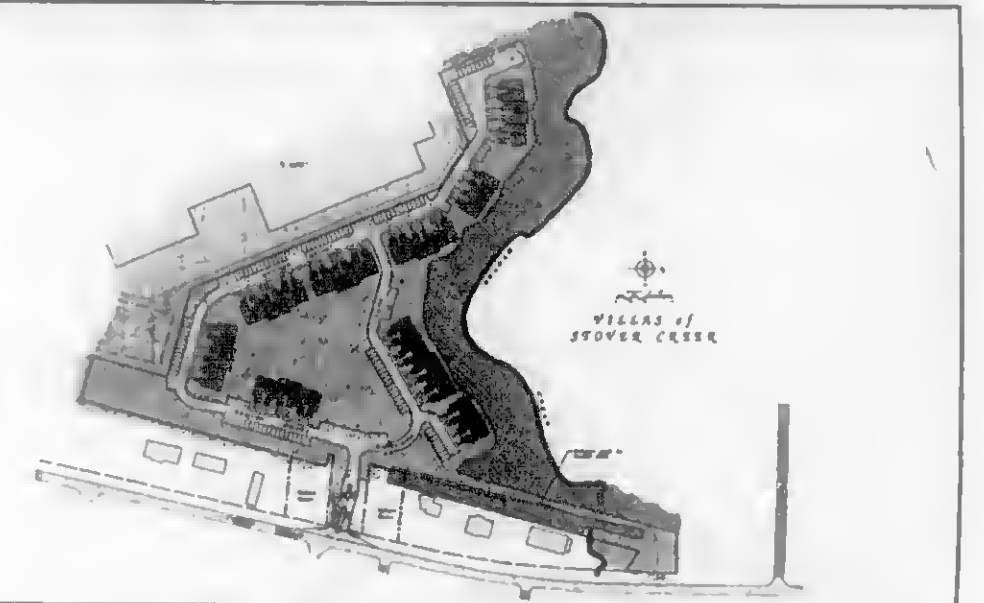
He said most of the people who have bought the units are retirees, boaters, younger people and resorters who were previously priced out of the market.

Martin described the design as two story, single level units ranging from 950-1,050 square feet, each of which will include; two-bedrooms, two full baths and a full kitchen.

He added that one of the benefits of



Above, the Stover Creek development being constructed. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft) Right, the layout plans for the project. (Courtesy graphic)



the development's location is the owner's or renter's ability to walk to Kmart, the post office, Glen's Market, Rite-Aid and Blockbuster.

Summer rates for rented units will run between \$800 and \$1,000 weekly. They are unsure about long-term renter pricing.

While some will be enjoying the convenience of the development's location and Martin and Watson may enjoy a profit, Beemon believes the creek will ultimately suffer.

"There's a trade off when you maximize profit on a piece of land. What is good for profit is bad for the creek," she said.

Watson said that he and Martin received a letter commending their environmentally sensitive efforts from the Friends of Stover Creek.

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Bud Kohler
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Editor:
On behalf of the Bay City Wolves AAU fifth and sixth grade basketball team we would like to extend our overwhelming gratitude to those responsible for making our visit on Aug. 17 and 18 so wonderful. Shawn McDonough and his fellow coaches

put together a very well organized tournament in your very beautiful high school gymnasium. Their help in making this a great tournament must not go unrecognized.

After our competition we were hosted to a cookout in the pavilion at Ferry Beach. Parents of your players treated us to a feast along with fun activities for the children. The entire experience was a class act through and through. It is no surprise why Charlevoix consistently builds talented and competitive sports teams.

Again, thanks to all who made the experience so wonderful. Keep up the great work players, coaches and parents. Hope to see all of you again next year.

Fellow athletes, coaches and parents of the Bay City Wolves
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Editor's note: While the following picture may not be a letter, we felt it was an appropriate addition to the letters to the editor section considering the age of the artist and its topic.



Policeman catching the bad guy at the World Trade Center.
Andrew Robarge, age 6
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Ron and Wilma Sitzema, of Ellsworth, will be celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Oct. 6.

They were married in 1951 at the Church of God in Charlevoix. Ron and Wilma have four children: Ronald Jr., Gregory, Steven and Dawn.

They also have 13 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Ron worked at American Mold, now known as DME, for 34 years and Wilma worked at Hoskins Manufacturing for 27 years.

The family is inviting anyone who has worked with or known the couple to join them for a buffet dinner in their honor at 4 p.m., Oct. 6 at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Bells Bay Road in Charlevoix.

Writer thankful for health

WHEELCHAIR

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Her body, like mine, doesn't like the inclines. Lunsford said after all these years there are still places her arms won't take her. To try and increase her mobility, she's in the market for a new electric chair, but they cost money.

And money doesn't come easily. She has not only faced physical barriers, but has also stared discrimination in the face. Volunteer work isn't Lunsford's trade because she's rolling in money. In fact, she rarely

gets to do one of her favorite things, going to the movies, because she's low on cash.

She said employers won't hire her because she's in a wheelchair.

"They're afraid I am going to get hurt on the job so they don't hire me and I'm stuck volunteering at jobs," she said.

My experiment taught me sometimes we need to be reminded of how lucky we are for our health and how quickly our luck can run out.

So, next time you pass by someone who is disabled look them in the eyes and say hello. Their daily struggles are real and we all need support.

Wedding

Birr — Schnackenberg

Jessamyn Birrer and Matthew Schnackenberg were married in August at the Lawson Gardens in Pullman, Wash.

Jessamyn is the daughter of Terry and Eddy Birrer of Spokane, Wash. Matthew is the son of Leola and Dick Schnackenberg of Charlevoix.

The Rev. King Rockhill performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore an airy pink dress and carried a bouquet of pink gerbera daisies. The groom wore a silken yellow shirt and black cotton pants and had a sprig of ivy and herb on his chest.

The best woman was Doryjane Birrer, sister of the bride. The best man was Chris Nelson.

A reception was given at the American Legion cabin in Moscow, Idaho.

The couple traveled to Disney World in Florida for a honeymoon.



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The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

Approved site plan for Supernaw, 808 Bridge Street.

Approved final design plans for Lake Michigan Beach and Depot Beach projects.

Approved additional engineering costs for the Belvedere Avenue and Michigan Avenue projects.

Approved contracts for gasoline and diesel fuel purchase and refuse collection.

Approved a MDOT Contract for snow removal equipment at the airport.

Approved a MDNR Trust Fund Grant Agreement for the purchase of the Wharfside Building.

Council adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Elizabeth Gooch, City Clerk - Alvin Russell, Mayor

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COMMUNITY

Local resident helps heal with the help of dolphins

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

"They don't care about anything in the world except that you are their friend."

Tonya Mann,
Charlevoix resident about those in her program

dolphins and believes the interaction, coupled with other factors, may have healing power.

The power of the human/dolphin relationship is referred to by the institute as "biophilia," which they define as, "the intense emotion of love and connection to nature that dolphins generate in humans."

Throughout history dolphins have been said to share a unique and docile relationship with humans.

And, nobody believes in the power of this relationship more than Charlevoix resident Tonya Mann, 29, director of the Florida dolphin institute's child empowerment program. Mann has experienced first hand, the magical relationship between humans and

Her husband, Daniel Mann, who is a family practitioner at Pine River Medical in Charlevoix, visits and volunteers at the institute too.

During the program, the families snorkel, canoe, swim, cruise the ocean, encounter dolphins and undergo Watsu, expressive arts and massage therapies.

Mann said while at the institute families can really bond and see the changes in their children. The setting lends itself to relaxation and can be therapeutic.

Through a day-trip the institute calls "The Dolphin Odyssey" the general public is also invited to partake in a dolphin encounter.

Each year from mid-May to mid-August families come for three, seven or 14-day programs.

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Tonya Mann and one of her students, Emily, work on a painting at the Florida program. (Courtesy photo)



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Class of 1965

The Charlevoix High School class of 1965 had its reunion this summer in Charlevoix. Instead of just giving you the names of everyone in this photo, some readers have suggested we let you have fun by guessing who they are. We will publish their names next week. (Courtesy photo)

Obituaries

Betty Lockton: May 1, 1915 - Sept. 20, 2001

Betty (Cull) Lockton, 86, of Monee, Ill. and Beaver Island and formerly of Dolton, Ill. passed away Sept. 20 in Frankfort, Ill.

A funeral mass will be at 11:30 a.m., Sept. 29 at the Holy Cross Catholic Church on Beaver Island. The Rev. Patrick Cawley will officiate and burial will be in Holy Cross Cemetery on Beaver Island.

Betty was born May 1, 1915 on Beaver Island, the daughter of Mike and Mabel Cull. She was a registered nurse and served in the US Army during World War II, she retired from the Illinois Cen-

tral Gulf Railroad Hospital after over 30 years of service.

She is survived by her children, Tom (Monica) Lockton, Susie (Ted) Kocol, Pattie (Pat) Crawford and Alice (Andy) Klees; grandchildren, Tammy (John) Pointkowsky, Mary Lockton, Mark Kocol, Joe (Amy) Kocol, Tom Crawford, Dan Klees and Sarah Klees; great-grandchildren, Ben, Ashley, Megan and Kaitlyn; brother, Roland (Shirley) Cull; sister, Sally Hammermeister; sisters-in-law, Nancy Cull and Claire Cull; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, Jack, Ray and Larry Cull.

Visitation took place Sept. 23 at the Schroeder-Lauer Funeral Home in Lansing, Ill. A wake will take place from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m., Sept. 28 at her home on Beaver Island.

Contributions made in Betty's memory may be directed to Camp Quality Illinois, P.O. Box 641, Lansing, Ill. 60438.

The family is being served locally by Winchester Funeral Home, Charlevoix.

David J. Dick: Sept. 19, 1914 - Sept. 16, 2001

David J. Dick — husband, father, grandfather, educator and friend — passed away on Sept. 16 at the age of 86.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jason and Gertrude; his sister, Helen Frink and his beloved wife, Alyce.

He is survived by his children: Robert (Margaret) Dick of Cincinnati, Ohio, John (Nancy) Dick of Naples, Fla. and Marilyn (Eric) Walline of Saline; eight grandchildren, Michael, Kevin, Anthony,

Andrew, Laura and James Dick and Brian and David Walline.

David was born Sept. 19, 1914 in Freesoil. He graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1932 and later earned his bachelor of science degree in chemistry from Michigan Normal College (EMU) and his masters in Education from the University of Michigan.

He married Alyce Usher in 1940, they were married for 56 years before her death in 1996. He was an educator at the Tecumseh Public

Schools for over 30 years having been a teacher, coach and junior high principal.

After retirement, he and Alyce spent many winters in Florida and summers in Tecumseh and Charlevoix. Their favorite pastime was golf which he enjoyed well into his 80s. He was an avid reader, gardener, photographer and mentor to his many grandchildren.

A celebration of his life took place at 2 p.m., Sept. 19 at the Purse Funeral Home in Tecumseh.

Kathryn N. Wahl: June 7, 1919 - Sept. 18, 2001

Kathryn N. Wahl, 82, of Charlevoix and formerly of Morton Pa., died Sept. 18 at Charlevoix Area Hospital in Charlevoix.

Kathryn was born June 7, 1919 in Philadelphia, Pa., the daughter of John and Edith Mae (Anderson) Wahl.

She was raised in Philadelphia and worked for General Electric for 15 years before leaving to raise her son.

Kathryn was a graduate of the Philadelphia College of Art and was known for her painting of China art, jewelry art and knitting talents.

On Jan. 26, 1953 she married George Wahl in Red Bank, N.J. The couple resided in Morton, Pa. for 47 years before moving to Charlevoix in May. He survives.

No services are scheduled. Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

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Charlevoix resident heads up Florida dolphin program

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A feature of the program is all the dolphins are wild, none of those that participate are in captivity. Mann said they used to feed the dolphins at the location where they base the program, but feeding has been banned and she thinks the dolphins continue to return for the interaction.

Mann earned her bachelor's degree from the University of Connecticut in art therapy and her master's from the University of Wisconsin.

Her involvement with the in-

stitute started in her final year at Wisconsin when she needed to get practicum hours in to write a thesis. In her topic search she ran across the dolphin institute on the Internet.

When she got there, they were without a director for this program and she went for it. The following year she was asked to be the new permanent director and the rest is history.

Mann said that the groups that come year after year have become a whole new set of best friends.

"They don't care about anything in the world except that you are their friend," she explained.



One of the dolphins that take part in Mann's program. (Courtesy photo)

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Failed ordinance to get some 'tweaking' ORDINANCE

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"It's a good ordinance, a well-written ordinance, easy to understand. We'll try and tweak it," Rajewski said.

She said one of the major complaints she received and an area that may need "tweaking" concerns the requirement for residents to get a permit for fencing.

Rajewski explained that the revised ordinance is less stringent in regards to fencing than what is currently in effect. But the permit process is not required in the existing ordinance, and that is one part of the revised ordinance that may be tweaked and taken out.

She explained that until the tweaking can be done, the township will operate under the old ordinance.

Rajewski estimated that the ordinance costs to the township, in-

cluding: paying the planner, drafting the ordinance, paying for the special election and lawyers' fees rose to around \$20,000.

"It is a lot. We didn't go into it lightheartedly," Rajewski said of the cost.

She hopes to not have to call in the professionals again, but rather be able to make the changes on the township level.

"We have a great ordinance, we can tweak it, reword some parts or take parts out, like the permit requirement for fences. That upset people; I had no idea people would get that upset over having to get a permit," she said.

The township will begin the whole process over, in terms of public hearings and meetings but they won't write the entire ordinance over.

Rajewski said a timeline for the rewrite is up to the planning commission and the township board but she doesn't foresee it happening right away.

Balzer to join this year's CROP walk on Sept. 29

Johanna Balzer, associate director of Michigan Church World Service/CROP, has announced her plans to walk with the Charlevoix County CROP walkers on Sept. 29.

She will start with the Charlevoix walkers and meet with the East Jordan and Boyne City groups as they arrive at the Ironton Congregational Church walk destination.

Balzer meets with local coordinators each year to help plan and set goals. This is the first time she has participated in the local walk.

Come rain or come shine the 2001 walk will start in all three cities at 9 a.m., but it's suggested that those planning to walk come early to register and obtain an orange vest (necessary for all walkers).

There will be a rest stop along the way, if necessary and a driver in a marked CROP car will pick up any person who feels he or she cannot complete the walk. The distance is approximately six miles for each of the communities.

Transportation will be provided back to the starting point in each city.

As the name indicates, this is a walk, so bicycles, skateboard and in-line skates are not allowed. Children may be pushed in strollers or pulled in wagons and wheelchairs are allowed.

To obtain a sponsor form contact Marge Teske in East Jordan at 536-3128, Diana Walls in Boyne City at 582-6485 or in Charlevoix Kay Smith at 547-2920.



Class of 1981

The Charlevoix High School class of 1981 had its reunion this summer in Charlevoix. Above are the students from this class who attended the event. Do you know who they are? (Courtesy photo)



Environmental consultant named to board

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix County Stormwater Board has invited an environmental consultant to join their team of stormwater ordinance revisionists.

Steven Voice, 44, of Boyne City's Voice & Associates brings with him years of experience in the field.

Voice has specialized in land and water management services

since 1983 and founded Voice & Associates in 1986. He said his work is closely related to the work he will do with the board.

"This is what I do for a living. I help people understand how to use their property in an environmentally or ecologically sensitive manner," Voice said.

He added that there is also the matter of what is reasonable. He said he thinks a balance between being ecologically sensitive and the contents of a stormwater ordi-

nance needs to exist.

"I don't think the idea of a stormwater ordinance is a bad idea, it just needs to be done in a reasonable fashion," he said.

He added that his specialty is wetland mitigation services.

Voice attended his first stormwater board meeting, Aug. 31. Also in attendance at the meeting was an alternate from the conservation district, Marion Township resident, Tim Matchett. Matchett will vote when another member of the board

cannot attend.

Chairman of the board, Shirley Roloff said at the meeting the group reviewed civil infractions with county prosecutor John Jerema. At the next meeting, which will take place at 9 a.m., Sept. 28, the board plans to look at the relationship between zoning and the ordinance with county planner Larry Sullivan. Roloff added that the controversial "buffer" language will also be discussed with Sullivan.

"Other than that we're pretty much there," Roloff said. She explained that the primary changes that were made to the ordinance were wording related such as "may" converted to "shall." In this instance, Roloff explained the ordinance was made easier to enforce.

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High school searching for new teacher

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The resignation of former Charlevoix High School coach and teacher Jason Otter left the girls' basketball team and a special education classroom in a bind.

The fact that Otter resigned Aug. 22, just 13 days before Charlevoix High School opened its doors for the first day of school, left administrators searching for his replacement.

The basketball position was quickly filled, temporarily, by former assistant coach Jim Parrish. Charlevoix Elementary School principal Dick Swenor was brought on to assist Parrish.

However, the untimely resignation had a greater impact in the classroom as most teachers had already signed contracts with other school districts and were preparing their classrooms for the school year.

"This is a tough position to find, but a critical position because of the type of work they do. It's a real important hire," Gary Grundman, Charlevoix High School principal said at the September school board meeting.

However, this important hire won't come easily. Grundman said he has spoken with experienced candidates from southern lower Michigan who are interested in moving to Charlevoix but they have contracts with other districts they

wish to honor first.

Other options Grundman highlighted at the meeting include looking at student teachers and graduating classes in December.

Currently, the position is being filled by Charlevoix native Kim

Keller. Keller is a certified teacher who will fill Otter's position for the rest of the semester.

Grundman said Keller will fill the position while school administrators expand their search for a qualified special education teacher.

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SPORTS

Varsity soccer team is on a roll with fourth win

The Rayder soccer team won its fourth game in a row and is playing their best soccer of the year going into this week's game against conference rival Harbor Springs.

The Rams are 9-1 and rated third in the state. On Sept. 18, the Rayders beat a pesky NMCA Burt Lake 3-1 behind the scoring of Spencer Bryan, Jason Hass and Roscoe Serrels.

Bryan started the scoring with a first half header on a nice cross from Serrels. NMCA tied the score on a penalty kick on a soft

takedown in the box. Charlevoix took the lead midway through the second half when Jason Hass took a pass from Trevor Kline and blasted a shot from the 18 to beat the Eagles goalie.

They broke the game open a few minutes later when Serrels scored unassisted.

Coach Josh Block said, "Hass has been playing on a bum knee. He really came in and gave us a lift emotionally by playing aggressive."

Defensively, Bryce Daly held Spencer Chatfield scoreless.

"We've had this date marked on the calendar, even before the end of last year."

Greg Bryan,

Assistant soccer coach about playing Houghton Lake

Chatfield is arguably the best player in northern Michigan. Colin Sequin once again took care of the sweeper position and Kiel Tilley had some nice saves in goal.

In Thursday's match up against Houghton Lake, motivation was not a problem. Last

year, the Bobcats embarrassed the Rayders 10-0.

Assistant coach Greg Bryan said, "We've had this date marked on the calendar, even before the end of last year."

After falling behind in the first half, Charlevoix tied the score when Serrels popped the ball in

from in front of the net assisted by Kline.

Later in the half, Charlevoix got the winner on a perfect direct kick by Colin Sequin from 40 yards out. Tilley had several saves to seal the victory. Block credited Travis Smith, Bryan, John DeMartino, and Kline for stepping it up and his whole team for playing team defense and is looking forward to a rematch with Harbor.

The Rayders raised their record to 6-4 overall and 4-3 within their conference.

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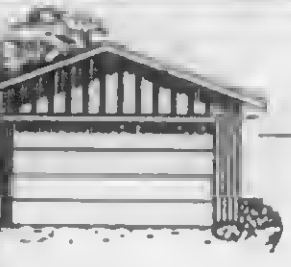
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The Homecoming Dance is at the Elementary School Gym from 8:30 - 11:30 p.m., Oct. 6. For more information, see any student council member or call Gail Cherry, student council advisor, at 547-3165 or the high school at 547-3222.

Ghost stories

At 7 p.m. on Oct. 2, at the historic Charlevoix Depot at the end of East Dixon Avenue, the Charlevoix Historical Society will share "Ghost Stories of Charlevoix." The public is invited and new members are always welcome.

Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information.

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The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club meeting on Oct. 2 will include a business meeting, plus a lecture, "Pesticides and Their Environmental Impact" by Michelle Biddick of WATCH.

Persons interested may call club President, Tansley Stewart at 547-5353. Visitors, perspective members and the media are all welcome.

Christmas Cantata

The Community Choir Christmas Cantata rehearsals begin at 7 p.m. on Oct. 7 at the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix, located at the corner of Meech and Oak streets. The presentation of the Cantata, "Sing We all Noel," is scheduled for 7 p.m., Dec. 15, and 6 p.m., Dec. 16. Any questions may be directed to Cindy Mansen, 547-6862.

Banks Township bazaar

The Ellsworth Lioness Club will be sponsoring the twenty-first Annual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at (213) 544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.

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The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

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The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.



Chorus concert

The Charlevoix Area Men's Chorus will present a concert at 4 p.m., Oct. 7 at the First Congregational Church, located at 101 State Street, in Charlevoix.

The event is the first concert of the 2001-2002 series sponsored by "Sundays at Four." The 20 member male chorus was organized seven years ago and has enjoyed increasing popularity.

A reception following the concert will honor Dr. Philip Schairbaum, the group's accompanist. Schairbaum, who has been the pastor of the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix for the past 18 years, will be leaving to assume ministerial duties in Downer's Grove, Ill.

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By DAVID L. MILES
 Charlevoix Historical Society

After the Olney/Ross disaster of 1919, nothing drastic happened to Elmer Johnson for about nine years. The very model of a bridge tender and civic employee, he was at his post night and day, still faithfully keeping watch over his charge even in the few winter closing months.

But around 1928, a lapse in attention almost spelled calamity when he closed the bridge on one of the most beautiful yachts on the great lakes, the Sylvia IV, owned by Logan Thomson of the Belvedere.

Thomson was a millionaire paper manufacturer in Hamilton, Ohio, north of Cincinnati, and one of the most prominent members of the Belvedere resort. His series of Sylvias was named after his wife, starting with small motorboats and racing vessels, culminating in 1926 with the magnificent number four built at the Defoe Boat & Motor Works in Bay City. One hundred and thirty-three feet in overall length, she required her own boathouse, which Thomson proceeded to construct on the south shore of Round Lake, the prominent barn-like building in which the Harbour Club condominiums are now located next to Cross Fisheries. The vessel was considered to be the last word in design and technology of the time, lacking nothing in equipment and the expenditures necessary to include them.

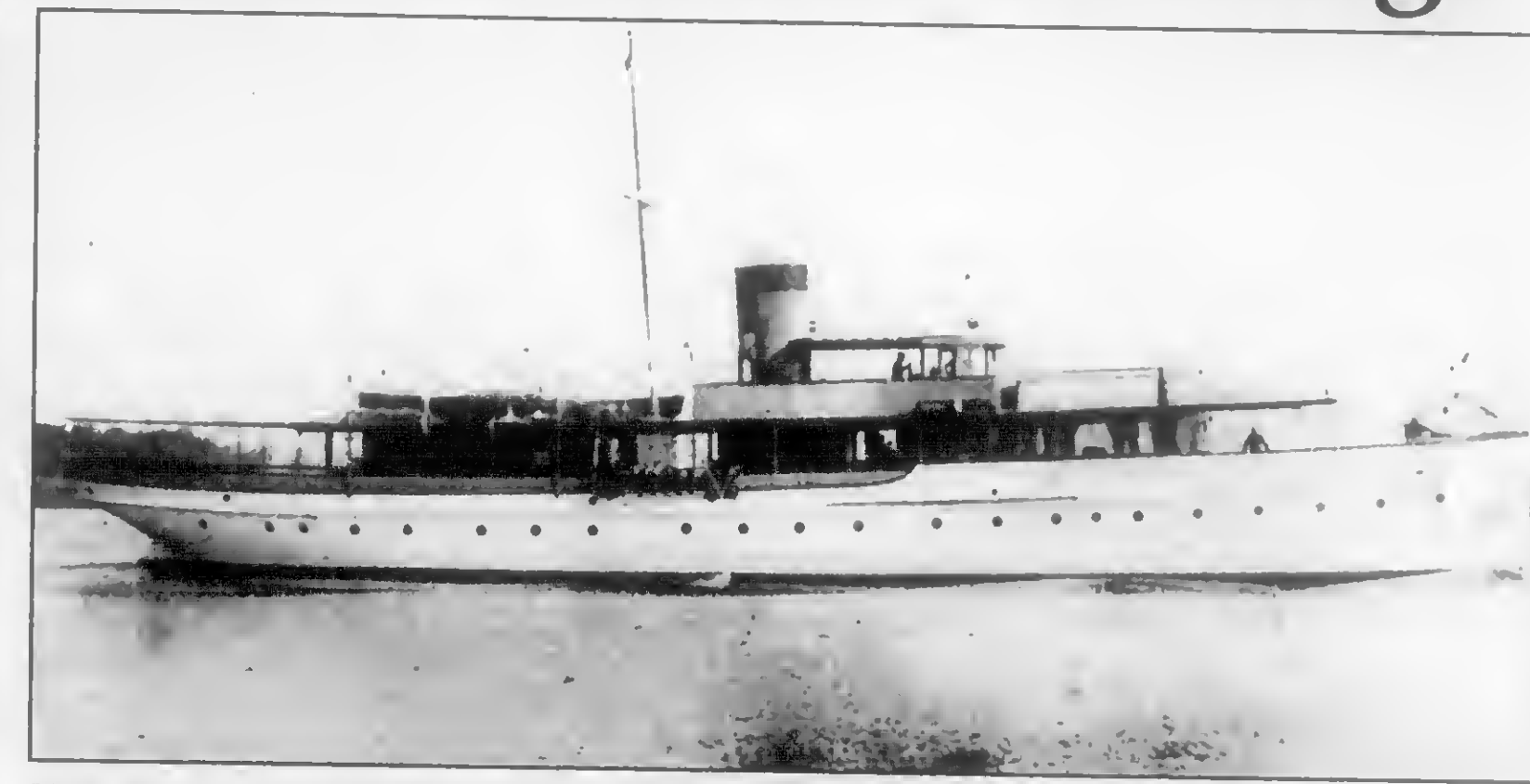
One dark evening, she entered the channel from Lake Michigan and signaled for the bridge to open. From the bridge-house, it was impossible to see

all the way down the channel because of its bend to the right and the fact the Argo Milling Company building next door sliced off some of the view. Johnson had seen a small sailboat in the channel close by, assumed its signal was the one he heard, and opened the bridge. With his attention focused on the sail's entry into Round Lake, when it cleared the tip of the opened bridge he began to close it only to see to his horror the Sylvia IV entering the draw to his right under full power. It was too late for either to stop. The bridge raked over the deck of the yacht, snapped off the mast, caved in half of the pilothouse and sent windows crashing into the deckhouse.

People on Bridge Street could hear the women inside screaming for their lives. Wrenching sounds of the collision reverberated all over Charlevoix. There were those who swore they could hear the captain's oaths further away than that.

The momentum of the bridge's closing combined with the speed of the boat brought both to a dead halt. When the bridge could swing off the battered Sylvia IV, it revealed an unholy mess. But Thomson recognized it was an accident, pure and simple, and was grateful that no one was hurt. Elmer Johnson's self-esteem took as great a battering as the boat, the worst moment of his career for which he was responsible.

Thomson sent the vessel, still able to operate under its own power, back to Bay City for repairs, and by 1930 he had his eye on one of the five spec vessels built at the Bath Iron Works Corporation in Bath, Maine. He purchased what would be the last of the



The Sylvia IV. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

Sylvias (with no V), and sold the repaired boat to Ransom E. Olds, founder of Oldsmobile and for many years one of Charlevoix's most prominent summer residents, along with the boathouse (at 191 feet the glorious new boat wouldn't fit by a long shot.)

Olds named his as the latest in a series, his pride and joy, the Reomar IV. For just over a decade the two

palatial yachts graced our waters, but the outbreak of World War II saw them confiscated and in 1942 both boats left for war duty, never to pass the bridge again.

Around 1930, an unusual circumstance kept Bridge Street traffic at a standstill several times.

A man named Robert Mitchell, in the sand and gravel cartage business, used two sorrel horses to transport his

loads. Both horses shied at the narrow cracks at either end of the bridge where planks met highway, and refused to cross onto or off the bridge.

So Mitchell carried a 10 foot board that he used to cover the crack and the horses stepped readily over it onto the span. He had to repeat the procedure at the other end to get them off

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Official Notice

NOTICE

LAST DAY TO REGISTER

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS OF CITY OF CHARLEVOIX, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

All electors are hereby given notice that a General Election will be held in the City of Charlevoix on Tuesday, November 6, 2001.

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Bridge had many stories from the Depression era

BRIDGE

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and on their way. Even the planks played hob with the animals, when he pointed out caulk of their horse-shoes became wedged in between them and the shoes pulled out of their hooves, causing a stop at a blacksmith for repairs.

But the usual 10 to 30 inconvenienced drivers endured the delays with smiles and few complaints, the only times in our history when the bridge caused gridlock when it was closed.

During the early years of the Depression, when diving off the bridge was not forbidden, a destitute man appeared in town and offered to dive from the top of the structure for a fee, paid by the city, as part of the July 4 festivities. But he broke his neck in the attempt and died at the hospital three days later. His fee was used to bury him properly here since he had no known kin or friends who could be notified.

And for all the years that Elmer Johnson devoted his entire life to the second swing bridge, the local youth loved nothing better than to try to sneak, undetected down onto the timber framework island and up into the undercarriage to hitch a thrilling ride while the passenger vessels paraded in.

Once Johnson's attention was focused on an opening, that was the time to move, since once in motion the bridge alone occupied its tender's every thought and moment. Passenger liners caused the longest opening which allowed time for bravado dangling and horseplay, catcalls and raspberries to onlookers on either shore and those on the

lower parts of a passing ship. If he caught them, Johnson gave them a good lecture and bawling out. It was said that he just as often turned the other eye when he detected surreptitious movement from one of his eight bridge-house aerie windows.

Toward the end of his tenure, he was given an assistant who took over on days while he took the less strenuous night shift, but he was on duty at any time whenever one of the larger vessels came into port.

It had been a remarkable career by the time he retired in 1932 after over three decades of service. Elmer Johnson's eyes, from their vantage point high over the crossing of channel and highway, probably witnessed more history passing through Charlevoix than any other resident before or since.

Eventually, bridge number four had to face the reality of age and changing times. But the Depression was upon us and there was no money. Plans were actually drawn up and submitted to the state, but couldn't be acted upon so they were stored away and eventually ended up in the basement of the new city hall after 1939.

Then came the war, and all critical materials went to the war effort. So old number four had to suffice well beyond its intended life-span for a total of 46 years, antiquated but serviceable and still part of the memories of many residents. They can recall even today the coal still being delivered to fuel the bridge-tender's stove in cold weather, arriving by truck to be hoisted up in canvas bags, just as they did when horses brought a load of coal onto the bridge.

But all that was soon about to change.

(To be continued...)

Wharfside's price tag faces criticism at council meeting

WHARFSIDE

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nesses located in the building and what Wiesner calls "incidentals."

"This is three times the amount the city paid for the Parkside. I think the property owner sees a cash cow," Way said.

Council then voted to approve the Michigan Department of Natural Resources grant agreement by a vote of 5-1. Second ward councilman Gabe Campbell voted against it.

The grant will fund 40 percent of the purchase price, \$1,150,000, which is \$460,000.

Jim Wood, manager of the resource section of the grant administration division of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources said he wasn't surprised by the big ticket price of the Wharfside building.

"There are a lot of extremely expensive per acre property acquisitions done by the trust-fund," he said.

Even though the city was seeking grant assistance to fund the acquisition costs, Timms and Way were still upset about the use of money.

"This is money someone had to work for. The people of Charlevoix really deserve something more than this for their dollars," Timms said to council.

"Don't dump taxpayers money into an over-priced piece of property to turn it into a piece of grass."

Timms said that he hadn't spoken out against the project at the previous meeting when the city entered into the purchase agreement, but he said the city "knows how he feels."

He said he spoke out this time because of the terrorist attacks that took place Sept. 11 and the subsequent possibility of the declaration of war by the United States. He thinks that the city

should be saving their money. At the meeting, Timms added that the city is paying almost \$300,000 to acquire and demolish the Wharfside, taking the building off the tax role and turning it into a piece of grass.

In a previous interview, city manager Mike Wiesner said the local cost to complete the acquisition is \$240,000, the additional cost referred to by Timms is his estimate of what it will cost the city to demolish the building.

The city's funding coupled with the grant, brings the total the city has secured thus far to \$700,000 leaving \$535,000 unaccounted for.

The city has applied for grants that they are counting on picking up the remaining cost. Granting agencies include the Frey Foundation, the Charlevoix County Community Foundation and the Waterways Commission.

Mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell said the unsecured funding sources don't make him nervous.

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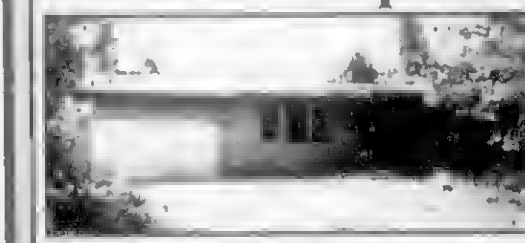
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Park costs over estimate

Council may have to make cuts in projects

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The City of Charlevoix may have to scale back the extent of their renovation plans for Michigan and Depot Beaches as cost estimates are \$200,000 more than they had anticipated.

Project engineer Jim Malewitz of Charlevoix's Performance Engineering said that the grant requests were gauged "way back when." He added that as the city continued to reapply, their request increased by a percentage, rather than through a site reevaluation.

Malewitz said when the performance crew did the evaluation and added in site corrections that needed to be made, but weren't estimated before, their number exceeded that of the grant by over \$200,000.

The Michigan Beach project has \$425,000 in grant funding available and the project estimates exceed the available funding by \$160,440.63. The construction estimate came in at \$522,986.28 and the engineering estimate came in at \$62,454.35.

Possible deduction items that were brought before city council at their regular meeting Sept. 17 included subtracting a picnic shelter along with the sidewalk and free standing wall that were supposed to border the shelter. The subtraction of the shelter and its accompaniments would save the project, \$60,782.25.

Malewitz explained that the beach won't be without a picnic

shelter; the picnic area marked for deletion is one of two that are planned.

Other deductions include the proposed basketball court and the retaining wall that would go with it. The erasure of the court from the plan would save \$44,520.

"I'm hoping we can put the basketball court in and the only deduction we'll have to make is the picnic shelter," Malewitz said.

But, the Park Avenue section of the park, also known as the old water tower site, made the list of possible deductions too. Improvements at this site were estimated to cost an additional \$66,873.28.

Rather than allowing the water tower project to fall to the side council decided to request that the

Downtown Development Authority (DDA) consider funding the park improvements. The city property is located within their development district.

On Sept. 24 the DDA voted unanimously to give financial assistance to "Water Tower Park" for an amount not to exceed \$81,273.28. Malewitz said the additional \$14,400 will pay for engineering and site inspection.

The site where the park will take shape is located across from the First Congregational Church's Park Avenue entrance. Plans include construction of a mulch trail from Park Avenue up the hill and down to the channel.

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Who will be named to royalty?

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

A pre-game glimpse into the accomplishments of 12 senior Charlevoix High School students who make up this year's homecoming court royalty reveal their athleticism, humor and academic strengths.

The king and queen for 2001 will be crowned at half time of the homecoming game Oct. 5 when the Rayders face Elk Rapids. The game starts at 7:30 p.m.

After reading through information provided by the students on the court it seems their preferred out of school pastime is spending time with Patrick Gowell's dog Ginger — 10 of the 12 listed time with Ginger as one of the things they like to do most.

The first candidate for queen to take the field will be Chelsea Newcomb, 17. Chelsea is the daughter of Dr. Edward Newcomb and Pamela Newcomb.

During high school she has become a member of the National Honor So-

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Two of these Charlevoix High School students will be crowned homecoming king and queen during half time of the Rayder football game Oct. 12 at Kipke Field in Charlevoix. This year's royal court pictured above includes candidates for queen (front row from left) Krista Swenor, Kati Swenor, Taryn Drost, Marie Serrels, Danielle Vogelheim and Chelsea Newcomb. And, candidates for king (Back row from left) Patrick Mailloux, Patrick Gowell, Keith Daly, Ryan Rafacz, Landon Brown and Elijah Pace. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Justin William Whisler, 18, East Jordan. Attempted armed robbery. Bound over to circuit court.

Justin William Whisler, 18, East Jordan. Breaking and entering a building with intent. Bound over to circuit court.

Lydia Sue Murphy, 44, Boyne City. Fraud-welfare over \$500; and fraud-welfare fail information over \$500. Bound over to circuit court.

Richard Michael Arnott II, 20, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third or subsequent offense. Fines and costs totaling \$400.

Richard Michael Arnott II, 20, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third or subsequent offense. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; perform daily portable breath tests; 20 hours of community service work; \$865 in fines and costs.

Brian Carl Stanek Jr., 18, East Jordan. Reckless driving. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Daniel Harold Wagenschütz, 33, Walloon Lake. Driving while under

the influence of alcohol-third or subsequent offense. Bound over to circuit court.

Shannon Michael Rake, 26, East Jordan. Home invasion-second degree; and controlled substance/obtain by fraud-attempted. Bound over to circuit court.

Daniel Joseph Jenkins, 19, East Jordan. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

James Samuel Vargo Jr., 20, Boyne City. Retail fraud-third degree. Three months probation; \$210 in fines and costs.

Steven Robert Bush, 18, Boyne City. Breaking and entering a motor vehicle under \$200. Restitution to be determined.

Steven Robert Bush, 18, Boyne City. Attempted unlawful use of a motor vehicle. Jail for 75 days with credit for 55 days, serve 20 days; restitution to be determined; pay \$205 by Oct. 1 or serve an additional 30 days in jail.

Danny Charles Dice, 38, Indian River. Malicious destruction of personal property, over \$200, but under \$1,000; and attempted resisting and obstructing of a police officer. Jail

for 365 days with credit for 41 days, serve 60 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 254 days held in abeyance; \$1,765 in fines and costs.

Robert Ray Kenney, 21, East Jordan. Possession of an operator's license/revoked/suspended/alters/fals e ID. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Pati Kay Dittich, 32, Ionia. Two counts of check, non-sufficient funds, greater than \$100. Two months probation; 93 days in jail with credit for seven days, 86 days held in abeyance; \$597.53 in fines and costs.

John Robert Barron, 40, Walloon Lake. Disorderly/obscene conduct. One year probation; 90 days in jail with credit for two days, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 73 days held in abeyance; \$370 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Kathleen May Barnadyn, 37, Indian River. Attempted larceny in a building. Jail for six months with credit for two days, serve six months; \$313.27 in fines and costs — defen-

dant must pay restitution by Oct. 1, 2001 or serve an additional three months in jail.

Charles Raymond Pemberton, 24, Elmira. Controlled substance delivery/manufacture marijuana; and controlled substance-possession of marijuana. Nine months in jail with credit for one day, serve nine months.

Dana Eugene Crandell, 40, Petoskey. Malicious destruction of fire and police property. Jail for a minimum of two years and a maximum of four years with credit for 37 days; \$35 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Maikie Services, 00358 South Peninsula Road, East Jordan, by Brandon Maikie

John's Cleaning Service, 3021 Kidder Road, East Jordan, by John Hull

Bingham Well Drilling Inc., 2425 M-32 Highway, East Jordan, by Gerald L. Bingham II and Kelly S. Bingham

B & B Custom Furniture, 06685 North M-66 Lot 139, Charlevoix, by

Merrilee A. Bailey

Simple Things, North M-66 Retail Bay 185, Charlevoix, by Billie Kurkiewicz and Theresa Duncan

Marriage

The following people have been granted a marriage license by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Gene Stanley Cebulski Jr., 20, East Jordan and Crystal Kay Taylor, 21, East Jordan

Divorce

The following people have been granted a Judgment of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Kenneth Goike vs. Joyce Squire

Births

Abigail Rose, weighing 6 pounds, 11 ounces, was born to Brian and Kimberly Vandeyacht of Alanson on Sept. 28, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Raymond Austin, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Ray and Kim Swidorski of Charlevoix on Sept. 19 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Raymond has one sister named Juliana.

Fire chief dismissed in fireworks lawsuits

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

"It was tragic, I'm glad it's over."

Doug Carver.
Charlevoix fire chief about 1997 fireworks accident

Fire Chief Doug Carver is the last City of Charlevoix employee to be dismissed from the lawsuits that followed the 1997 Venetian Festival fireworks explosion.

"It (the accident) was tragic. I'm glad it's over," Carver said.

The incident leading to the nine original lawsuits occurred in July 1997 when a fireworks shell prematurely exploded in its mortar causing shrapnel to be launched into the crowd of spectators.



Doug Carver

The explosion killed Charlevoix resident Mark Yager and injured at least 15 others. Fireworks litigation attorney for the city, Gretchen Olsen of Plunkett and Cooney in Petoskey, said that following the tragedy the plaintiffs named those persons principally involved in the permit process and those who had any potential oversight of the fireworks. Many of those, the plaintiffs claimed, were city officials.

She said case law that was ruled on by the Michigan Supreme Court in July of 2000, Robinson v. City of Detroit, 462 Mich. 439, defines the proximate cause as the most direct, immediate and efficient cause.

In text submitted by Olsen to the court on behalf of Car-

ver, she states that "absent evidence on plaintiffs part that Doug Carver was 'the' cause of plaintiffs' injuries as opposed to one of the causes" and further states that because he is not "the" cause summary disposition, or dismissal is "appropriately entered by Pajtas on behalf of Carver."

Now, the case may be closed for the city, but multiple defendants in the nine cases that were originally filed remain.

Remaining defendants include: Fireworks North, a non-profit group hired to transport and shoot the fireworks the night of the accident and Richard Davis who, according to testimony by mechanical engineer Roger Schneider, was the operator of the display who worked for Fireworks North. Schneider, who was an expert witness brought in by the plaintiffs, also testified that it was Davis who chose the site for the display and chose the separation distance at the site.

Other defendants include Second Chance which is a bullet proof vest manufacturing company, Wolverine Fireworks and Sunny International.



Fall decorating

(Above, from left) Anthony Diaz and Jim Ledahl of the Chamber of Commerce fastened festive cornstalks to trees around town last week. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

Man injured in US-31 accident

A 34-year-old Boyne City man was injured in an accident around 12 a.m., Oct. 1 on US-31 near 9 Mile Point in Hayes Township.

Michael Edwin Nelson of Boyne City was injured when he tried to avoid hitting a deer and swerved into

the guardrail at the railroad viaduct.

The 1997 Honda he was driving left the roadway, traveled across the small field and then down a steep embankment.

Nelson was unconscious for about one hour. When he awoke, he called

911 from his cell phone and rescue personnel were able to locate him after a brief search. Nelson was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital.

According to Sheriff George T. Lasater, Nelson escaped more serious injuries by wearing his seat belt.

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The results of last month's question

The results of last month's question, "What do you think should be the state bird?" are in.

We received three responses, one of which was unsigned. All three agreed that the robin should remain the state bird.

Margenite Mason, of Charlevoix, wrote, "This is what I think. Let's keep our robin. It is a beauty of a bird. If we have the Chickadee, it will be a big mistake. We have had the robin for years, so keep it. Everyone is used to it by now, it will be a shame to change."

Alene and Jim Anderson, of Charlevoix, wrote, "Robin, robin with the red chest." We will not give the third response because it was unsigned.

While three responses may not be a lot, remember our question for August, "What should be done about drugs in school?" received no responses.

On to this month's question... In keeping with our latest theme of affordable housing in Charlevoix, this month's topic will deal with this issue.

A lot of ink has been put down about the issue of affordable housing. Charlevoix, along with much of northern Michigan, is facing an affordable

What do you think?

housing crunch which could spell out economic trouble in the future.

Basically, if no one can afford to live here year-round, who is going to keep the businesses open? It is a nasty cycle.

Many solutions have been given, such as having the city build affordable housing or giving developers special perks to build affordable housing. But, we want to hear about your solutions to this issue.

Therefore, this month's question is: "What should be done about affordable housing in Charlevoix?"

As usual, keep your answers under 250 words and remember to sign them. Send your responses to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; fax them to (231) 547-4992; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or drop them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street.

The deadline is 5 p.m., Oct. 26.

What do you think?

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Cornish singers delight the crowd



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

was among those fortunate to have six delightful guests in my home.

They relished my pecan rolls and promised to send me the recipe for their Cornish specialty, Saffron cake! Now I, too, have a Cornish connection, since they invited me to visit them in return!

Singing in Cornwall started back in the mist of time with miners and fishermen. The miners in particular had the opportunity to sing in large underground caverns with fine acoustics, that, combined with Celtic and Methodist Chapel backgrounds, was enough to set them singing.

I learned this and more from the beautiful, colorful books my guests gave me as a departing gift. Cornwall is a peninsula, with a rocky coast, and many coves and harbors.

Here, it is said, King Arthur was born. His castle, Tintagel, was built in the Twelfth Century, and one of the oldest known post offices built in the Fourteenth Century of stone is located nearby. Like Charlevoix, Cornwall is also a popular tourist resort with fine beaches, numerous old fishing villages, which are a Mecca for artists.

Consequently, our Cornish guests felt quite at home in northern Michigan, although one remarked, "I have never seen so many trees!"

Charlevoix County hosted 24 members and their families and I

Letters to the editor

Series response

Editor:

In regards to your housing series: When my husband and I decided to purchase a home in this area we were flabbergasted that the going prices were so high. After living in four different states (including downstate), I couldn't believe that the going rates for housing in the Charlevoix area is 15-25 percent more than the other markets we looked into.

In your Sept. 26 column, you mention the housing series. You

also stated that people are telling your staff to stop writing about the topic because it is "making them mad." I'm so relieved that you have continued writing about the unavailability of affordable housing in our area, no matter what some of the seemingly "better off" residents think. They must be making a lot more money than some of us if this issue doesn't affect them in some way!

It seems that some of the locals have taken a snobby stance on this issue. Why? "They don't want affordable housing in their area."

"They don't want to hear about it." Not only is this an ignorant stance, but it will continue to drive the working people who can't afford housing out of town. Anyone with common sense knows that this is not good for the economy in Charlevoix!

It's truly a shame that this problem is actually continuing. Kudos to you for keeping this important issue in the forefront.

John and Bobbie Rathjens
Charlevoix

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LETTERS

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School donation

Editor:
How can the schools donate \$500 plus to the Venetian Festival?
Isn't that tax money?
Dorothy Irwin
Charlevoix

(Editor's note: According to Charlevoix superintendent of schools, John Sturck, this was not a monetary donation to the Venetian Festival, but in-kind donations. For example, the schools donated space to performers to practice and one of its stages for Bridge Park.)

Thank you

Editor:
Thank you for the article in the Sept. 19 edition of the Courier outlining the many activities and services available at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

I have been especially pleased to be the director at the center since September of 1999. I have met so

many hard working seniors who are extremely generous with their time, energy and financial support. Those mentioned in the article last week only included volunteers with major responsibility for teaching classes and administering activities. Not recognized are the volunteers who deliver meals, help in the dining room and kitchen, edit, write and collate the newsletter, fill out reports, answer the phone and others too numerous to name in this short letter.

One person left out of the article does need special mention, Rosalyn Goldstick. At "eighty-something" she tires me out watching her.

Rosalyn along with other board members, Earl Muma, Richard Tunison, Bette Coen and George Pollack as well as the other over 200 Charlevoix Senior Center members deserve the community's continued support for the wonderful facility that provides many services for the entire Charlevoix area.

Thank you Charlevoix senior citizens, I have enjoyed working for you!!

Virginia Schairbaum
Charlevoix

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The Courier editor reserves the right to edit letters for length, correct grammar and libelous statements. We do not publish letters we judge are a personal attack.

Letters to the editor must be signed by the author, and the name of the author will appear with published letters.

We do not publish unsigned letters. Letters should be typed, double-spaced, and not exceed 450 words.

An address and daytime phone number should accompany the letter for verification purposes.

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Stop racial profiling

Editor:

The country is dealing with a tragedy of unimaginable magnitude. The President is weighing advice from experts of all backgrounds. The situation is complex and decisions difficult.

A specific hot issue is racial profiling: whether it would be appropriate to single out individuals of Middle Eastern/Arabic appearance for special scrutiny at airport and other security check points. That some TV pundits would support such action is stunning.

Racial profiling is not just abhorrent, it will not work and its consequences could be terrible.

Obviously not all Arabs are terrorists. Equally obvious, not all terrorists are Arabs. If Al Qaeda has a network that encompasses 60 plus countries, obviously not all its operatives will fit the profile of the hijackers of Sept. 11. Not even all people of Arabic descent fit that profile. And what about women? Will we search them as well?

Then consider Abu Sayyaf - the Al Qaeda linked group of Basilan Island in the Philippines. Must we add Filipinos to our list? But that probably means all Southeast Asians. How about the potential threat from Al Qaeda links in Indonesia? What about the Sudan? Then the profile broadens to all

people with dark skin.

Isn't this the scene of West versus the rest of the world for which the likes of Osama bin Laden dream?

Finally, think of the groups who may not be linked with Al Qaeda but who might see profit in further stirring up this dreadful situation. Consider home grown all American boy fanatics - a la Terry Nichols and Timothy McVeigh.

No. Racial profiling is a waste of time. It is unethical and it violates all our principles. And, it plays into the terrorists' motives.

If security depends on hand searches, we must all be searched.

Sara Gay Dammann
Charlevoix



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Anniversary



Roger and Elaine Westenbroek

Roger Westenbroek and Elaine (Bussies) Westenbroek celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary July 19.

An anniversary party was given on July 21 at the home of Mike and Denise Westenbroek. It was attended by all of the children of the couple.

Roger and Elaine were married on July 19, 1951 in Holland by the Rev. Schipper, an uncle of Roger's.

The couple have lived in the Charlevoix area for 37 years, where Roger is an electrical consultant and Elaine was a homemaker.

They have five children: Mike (Denise) Westenbroek, the late Mark (Ruth) Westenbroek, Sherry (Dan) Hawthorne, Susan (Joe) Kaufman and Sally (Serge) Weiss.

The couple also has 13 grandchildren.

Sheriff investigates rollover

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office is currently investigating a one vehicle rollover crash that occurred on Behling Road near Dutchmans Bay Road at approximately 2:50 p.m. on Sept. 30.

The driver, a 17-year-old female

from East Jordan was driving a Ford Ranger pickup eastbound when she lost control, left the roadway and rolled over.

The driver and her two teenage passengers, also from East Jordan, were extracted from the vehicle by the East Jordan Fire Depart-

ment Rescue Unit and transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital via the East Jordan Ambulance.

All three occupants of the vehicle were wearing their safety belts.

The crash remains under investigation.

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Engagements

Chardoul — Johnson



Susanne Chardoul and Ted Johnson, both of Vail, Colo., were recently engaged to be married.

Susanne is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Chardoul of Charlevoix. Ted is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnson of Vail, Colo.

A wedding is being planned for July 6, 2002 at the Lake Creek residence of the groom's parents.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Michigan State University and is currently employed by Chatfield Corners Development Corporation in Vail, Colo.

The groom-to-be is a graduate of Montana State University and is currently the owner/operator of Edwards Excavating with his father.

Ewald — Dill



Anne Ewald, of Iowa City, Iowa, and Adam Dill, of Chicago, Ill., were recently engaged to be married.

Anne is the daughter of Barbara Yared, of Charlevoix. Adam is the son of Michael and Sharon Dill of Champaign, Ill.

A wedding is being planned for the fall of 2002 in Grand Rapids.

The bride-to-be is a 1995 graduate of East Grand Rapids High School and a 1999 graduate of DePauw University. She is currently employed at KGAN-TV in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

The groom-to-be is a 1995 graduate of Champaign Centennial High School and a 1999 graduate of DePauw University. He is currently enrolled in law school at DePauw University.

Consumers Foundation gives out employee grants

The Consumers Energy Foundation has awarded \$2,500 in grants to three area organizations to recognize the volunteer efforts of three Big Rock Point Restoration Project employees.

Herman Madison, corrective action administrator, performed 100 hours of volunteer work for the Charlevoix 4-H Soccer in the past 12 months. He was a head referee for games in Charlevoix and at other area fields. The \$1,000 Volunteer Investment Program (VIP) grant will help pay for equipment and offset fees for the youth involved in the soccer program.

Charles Barsy, senior technician, performed 100 hours of volunteer work for the Boyne Area Hockey Association in the past year. He served as a head coach, and assisted with ice maintenance and fund-raisers. The \$800 VIP grant will be used to provide equipment, maintain the ice and help pay player fees.

David McIntosh, senior engineer, performed 110 hours of volunteer work for the Char-Em Hockey Association in the past 12 months. He served as an assistant hockey coach for 11- and 12-year-olds. The \$700 VIP grant will help pay ice, referee and team tournament fees for the Bantam A travel team.

The grants were doubled as a result of the Consumers Energy Foundation's CEEPSACER Program. CEEPSACER (Consumers Energy Employees Providing Service Around Children's Essential Resources).

The mission is to provide children and young people in need with the right combination of resources for them to develop into healthy, responsible, productive and happy adults.

The Consumers Energy Foundation sponsors the Volunteer Investment Program to recognize employees and retirees who donate personal time to nonprofit groups.

Official Notice

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on September 26, 2001, in Boyne City, Michigan.

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When people get ready to walk across a public road, they usually look both ways first to see if any motor vehicles are coming. Unfortunately, this isn't the case with animals, including certain large ones.

Too often, the result is a motorist's nightmare: a collision with a deer, moose or elk. The animal usually comes out second best in this type of close encounter, but the toll on vehicles and their occupants can also be substantial.

The National Safety Council said that each year, about 100 people die and another 9,000 are injured in animal-vehicle collisions. And the Insurance Information Institute estimates that about 500,000 such crashes cause \$1 billion in damage annually.

While animal-vehicle collisions can happen any time of year, fall is

the peak season for deer-car crashes.

No foolproof way has been found to keep deer, moose and elk off highways and away from vehicles. Deer whistles have their advocates, but the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety says there's no scientific evidence to support claims that they work as intended. Some studies suggest roadside reflectors designed to reflect light from the vehicle headlamps and cause deer to "freeze" rather than cross the road-reduce crash frequency to some extent.

State Farm Insurance Companies, the largest insurers of automobiles in the United States offers these tips:

- Be aware of your surroundings.
- Pay attention to "deer crossing" signs.
- Look well down the road and far off to each side. At night, use your high beams if possible to illuminate

the road's edges. Be especially watchful in areas near woods and water. If you see one deer, there may be several others nearby.

• Be particularly alert at dusk and dawn, when these animals venture out to feed.

• If you see a deer, moose or elk on or near the roadway and think you have time to avoid hitting it, reduce your speed, tap your breaks to warn other drivers and sound your horn. Deer tend to fixate on headlights, so flashing them may cause the animal to move. If there is no vehicle close behind you brake hard.

• If a collision seems inevitable, don't swerve to avoid the animal; your risk of injury may be greater if you do. Hit it, but control the vehicle. Report the crash to the police.

• Always obey the speed limit and wear safety belts.

Obituaries

Clara B. Przybylski: Dec. 4, 1915 - Sept. 26, 2001

Clara B. Przybylski, 85, of Charlevoix, died Sept. 26, 2001, at Boulder Park Terrace nursing home in Charlevoix.

She was born Dec. 4, 1915, in Fort Wayne, Ind., the daughter of John and Virginia (Herzog) Leininger.

She was married to Vincent Stoneham and he preceded her in death. She later married Joseph Przybylski in 1946 and he preceded

her in death on Oct. 30, 1992.

She made her home in Royal Oak before moving to northern Michigan in 1953.

She is survived by her sons, James L. (Donna) and Ronald D. (Marla) Stoneham and Michael S. (Judy) Przybylski all of Charlevoix; daughters, Marilyn F. (Richard) Blauman of Vero Beach, Joyce (Donald) Brown of Charlevoix, Rose M. (Charles)

Thompson of Pensacola, Fla., Mary Louise McClanathan, Frances L. (Thomas) Grose and Patricia L. Loper, all of Charlevoix. She is also survived by several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Virginia Streetman.

No services are planned. The family is being served by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Sandra Kay LaFreniere: April 5, 1948 - Sept. 20, 2001

Sandra Kay LaFreniere, 53, of Beaver Island, died Sept. 20 at her home.

The funeral service was at 11:30 a.m. Sept. 24 at Holy Cross Catholic Church on Beaver Island. The Rev. Pat Cawley officiated and burial followed at Holy Cross Cemetery.

Sandra was born April 5, 1948 in Flint, the daughter of Albert and Helen (Lucas) Dudzik. She was raised in Flint where she graduated from Holy Redeemer High School.

On Sept. 22, 1979 she married Gerald "Jerry" LaFreniere in Charlevoix and they made their home on Beaver Island.

Sandra served as the office manager for the Beaver Island Boat Company for 18 years.

She was a member of the Holy Cross Catholic Church.

In life, as well as at the time of her death, Sandy was surrounded by family and friends. She is survived by her husband, Gerald; her children, Michelle Gray, Gerald N.

"Jerry" Jr. and his wife Tammy, Debbie Robert and husband John, Becky LaFreniere and Rory Conaghan, Hannah Robert and Katie LaFreniere; mother, Helen Dudzik and sister, Joyce Wilson who both live in Swartz Creek; several nephews, nieces and many friends.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions be made to the Beaver Island Hospice.

Arrangements were handled by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Dr. Robert L. Vedder: April 24, 1928 - Sept. 28, 2001

Robert L. Vedder, D.D.S., 73, of Royal Oak died Sept. 28 at Mercy Hospital in Grayling.

Robert was born April 24, 1928 in Royal Oak. In 1946 he graduated from Royal Oak High School. He then graduated from the University of Michigan Dental and earned his master's degree in Orthodontics.

Robert then went off to fight for the U.S. Army in World War II and was stationed in the South Pacific. He served as a technical sergeant from 1946-1948.

His knowledge of dentistry lead him home and into a dental practice, a field in which he worked for 35 years.

He was even the past president of the Oakland County Dental Society. Robert has offices in Huntington Woods, Charlevoix and Pellston.

Later on in his career his focus

was set on children. He was a member of the craniofacial team at the Children's Hospital in Detroit and for the past 10 years devoted his practice to caring for children with special dental needs.

He was the past president of the Greater Royal Oak Chamber of Commerce and was a member and past president of the Royal Oak Kiwanis Club. Robert was also a board member of Royal Oak Boys and Girls Club and served on the Royal Oak Prevention Coalition.

He was also involved politically as a member of the city of Royal Oak Planning Commission.

Robert was a member of the St. James Episcopal Church in Birmingham.

Survivors include his wife; Barbara H. (Henson) Vedder and his children; Lynn (Gary) Wong of Honolulu Hawaii, Michael (Gail)

Vedder of Minneapolis, Minn., Kurt (Shari) Vedder of Cincinnati, Ohio, Jill (Scott) Howell of Royal Oak and Lee Vedder of Pasadena, Calif.; his sisters and brothers, Glenn H. Vedder of Denedin, Fla. and Marilyn Finn of Traverse City; and ten grandchildren.

Visitation was from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and again from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., Oct. 2 at the William Sullivan & Son Funeral Home in Royal Oak.

Services will take place at 11 a.m. today at St. James Episcopal Church of Birmingham. Cremation followed at Evergreen Cemetery in Detroit.

In lieu of flowers the family asks contributions be made to the Children's Hospital-Attention: Marie Carl; Dept. Communications Disorder Center-3901 Beaubien Boulevard, Detroit, MI 48201.

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Evening Service	6:00 p.m.		
Wednesday Evening	7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Michael Dennis	547-4121
Pastor Mike Mitchell	547-6430		or 9765

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L. Scott Swanson
'Guest column'

When my brothers and I were young and Dad came home from work, we used to pounce on him. Gregg and I would each grab an arm while Nick, who was a few years younger, latched on to an ankle. All three of us hung on while Dad laughed and wrestled us around until he eventually had all three of us stacked in a pile and ready to surrender. The four of us thought this was great fun, but Mom took a dim view of it.

"One of you is going to get hurt," she would shout over the fray. "You're going to break the furniture."

We never broke any furniture. And we only had one injury. When Nick was about nine years old, he accidentally caught Dad with an elbow and knocked out a tooth.

Mom was at the store at the time. When she got home, Dad gave her a big smile.

"What did you...you were roughhousing with those kids again weren't you," she said accusingly.

Dad just chuckled and the next day had the dentist fix the tooth.

Three years ago, my Dad went to the Mayo Clinic in Minnesota and was diagnosed with ALS, which is also known as Lou Gehrig's Disease. The Mayo Clinic is the finest hospital in the world. Although they didn't happen to meet, King Hussein of Jordan was there at about the same time as my Dad.

At the Mayo Clinic they have huge buildings, millions and millions of dollars worth of high tech equipment and hundreds of the smartest doctors in the world. Yet there wasn't anything they could do for Dad.

So Dad came home to northern

Michigan where he had a pole barn, a family who loved him and many wonderful friends.

I don't know if the king had these things. Pity the king.

My brothers and I and our friends from the neighborhood played basketball in our driveway. With Dad being in the family construction business and paving driveways for a living, we had a nice big blacktop driveway. A lot of evenings when Dad pulled into the driveway, he found a hot game in progress and had to park his truck in the grass off to the side.

He gave up the driveway without complaint and often joined in the game. Dad wore heavy work boots, blue work pants and a work shirt. One of his pants pockets contained a handkerchief, fingernail clippers and a ring with keys to half a dozen buildings, several vehicles and a variety of heavy equipment. The other pants pocket held a wallet, jack knife and a measuring tape. His shirt pocket was home to a small note pad, two ink pens, a pen light and a couple of toothpicks. Dad shot the ball left-handed from the chest. He jingled when he played basketball and couldn't jump very high.

As diseases go, Lou Gehrig's Disease ranks among the most evil. It slowly shuts down the body's voluntary muscles, one-by-one. The disease doesn't touch the mind. A person with Lou Gehrig's Disease can remember everything he could do yesterday and envision all the things he won't be able to do tomorrow. For someone with Lou Gehrig's Disease the future is as clear as clear can be. Medical science doesn't even really know the cause, let alone the cure.

When Dad was first diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's Disease, the news blew a big hole in life. There were times during those first few days when I would be in the house and suddenly stand up and walk quickly to the garage because I did

n't want my wife and daughters to see me in tears.

I told my Dad I loved him. I told him he had always been a great Dad.

I reached my own terms with Lou Gehrig's Disease. I knew it was going to take my Dad and I couldn't stop it. But I decided not to let it take anything more than I had to. I wouldn't let it take a week, day or even a moment of my life and make it miserable. I resolved that to the degree possible I would just go about my life and continue being happy. I didn't see this as denial. Defiance maybe, but not denial.

My Dad was firm when it came to discipline. He had no tolerance for disobedience or stupidity in his sons. But he was fair and had a sense of humor about discipline.

When I was about 16 years old, my grandfather became ill and Mom and Dad and Nick would go stay with my grandparents every other weekend. This left Gregg, who was about 13, and me home alone.

Gregg and I were well behaved, but for some reason, one Friday evening before they left, Mom wanted Dad to warn us of repercussions should we go astray.

Dad happened to be sitting at the dining room table and Gregg and I were in the room when Mom announced, "Now before we leave, your Dad's going to have a word with you two."

Gregg and I were taken by surprise and Dad was just as curious about this development as we were.

"Huh?" I said.
"That's right," Mom continued.
"Larry, I want you to talk to these two and lay down the law. Now go ahead," she prompted.

Dad looked puzzled for a second, then with a stern face looked at Gregg and me and gravely decreed, "All beer cans WILL be picked up."

"Larry!" Mom exclaimed as Gregg and I burst out laughing.

"All women WILL be out of the house by morning," Dad continued.

Seeing she was outnumbered, rogues on all sides, Mom salvaged what she could of the situation and said, "You two had just better behave this weekend."

And we didn't get into any trouble. We knew better.

About eight years ago, Dad built a pole barn beside the house. He had a wood stove for heat. He had woodworking equipment and tools to fix his lawn tractor or whatever else needed fixing. Dad was pretty handy.

Supposedly when some people are diagnosed with a terminal illness, their friends come over once or twice and then don't come to see them any more. They're just not comfortable.

During the past three years, my Dad had more than 200 people, an average of six to 12 people every day, come and see him. Some of these were people Dad had been friends with for years. Others just started stopping in and became friends.

Dad's pole barn became a com-

munity gathering place. He and his friends sat in that pole barn and told stories by the hour. Dad loved being around people. In the pole barn, swapping stories, people could forget that Dad was sick and so could he.

Had my Dad sat home alone for three years waiting to die, it would have been a living Hell. As it was, things were tough. But the friendship and kindness shown by the people who came to the pole barn made it bearable.

I've tried to go through life with my eyes open. Over the years I've seen and written about some rough things. But after witnessing the compassion shown by the many people who came to that pole barn, you will never convince me that there is not enough good in people to more than offset the bad.

About three weeks ago Dad suffered a heart attack and had to be taken to the hospital. By this time, he had been wheelchair bound for more than a year. He could move the index finger on his left hand about enough to operate the joystick on his electric wheelchair. That was essentially all the movement he had. If his eyebrow itched, he couldn't scratch it.

When you placed his right hand down, you had to carefully stretch the fingers out flat, because if they were curled, they cramped and he couldn't straighten them.

My Mom, brave soul, tended to his every need with such strength.

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Dennis M. Joy, M.D.

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Fall is here and with the coming of colder weather also comes increased crowding and opportunity for exposure to communicable diseases. One of the most important and prevalent is influenza. Influenza is not the three day illness accompanied by vomiting and diarrhea that is often misnamed "flu." It is a very contagious illness characterized usually by high fever, headache, muscle aches, sore throat and cough which takes often 1 to 2 weeks for recovery. In an average year more than 20,000 deaths nationwide and more than 100,000 hospitalizations occur because of this illness. Complications occur most frequently in the el-

derly and in those with chronic medical problems.

Epidemic influenza is caused by a virus named either type A or B. Every year a new vaccine is produced to combat the "new" virus as the influenza virus is constantly changing to maintain its ability to infect humans. In some years the change is greater than in others. When great change occurs, worldwide severe epidemics with greater mortality and morbidity follow; witness the 1918-1919 "Spanish flu" with 20 million deaths worldwide, the "Asian flu" 1957-58 with 70,000 deaths in the United States and the "Hong Kong flu" of 1968-69 which claimed 34,000 lives in the U.S.

Influenza can be prevented with vaccine; its effectiveness ranging from 70-90 percent. In those in which the vaccine is less effective the severity of the illness is modified. This occurs even when the virus changes greatly. Studies have shown the vaccine can reduce hospitalization by about 70 percent and death by 85 percent among the elderly.

Some people are not vaccinated because of misconceptions about the vaccine. The vaccine will not cause influenza nor will it prevent the numerous other viral illnesses that occur such as the common cold. Vaccine side effects are limited to mild soreness at the injection site which lasts for up to 2 days. In some children who have not been exposed to influenza in the past, a mild fever and body aches may occur for 1 to 2 days. Serious reactions to the vaccine are limited to 1-2 cases per million persons vaccinated.

Last year there was vaccine shortage and many persons, who usually do so, did not get vaccinated. We might predict that the reservoir of susceptible persons will be greater this year and we may expect a more severe epidemic. This year there have been delays in manufacturing the vaccine. However, there is not expected to be a shortage.

Vaccination is recommended for persons over age 50, for those who are residents of chronic care facilities, those

who have chronic pulmonary or cardiovascular conditions including asthma, renal disease, diabetes, immunosuppression, women in the 2nd or 3rd trimester of pregnancy, and those children who take long term aspirin therapy. Persons who provide "essential" services such as police, firemen, and health care workers should also be immunized. The vaccine can be administered to anyone in the general population who wishes to reduce the likelihood of becoming ill with influenza including children as young as 6 months. Children who are vaccinated for the first time will require two injections, four weeks apart, with the second dose given before December if possible.

The vaccine is now available in many locations. You are urged to arrange for your "flu shot" before the expected epidemic usually in December of January.

Dr. Dennis M. Joy can be contacted by calling Pine River Medical at 547-6554.

Counseling center gets accredited

CHIP Counseling Center with offices located in Bellaire, Charlevoix, Cheboygan and Petoskey has achieved accreditation from the Joint Commission of Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations.

Founded in 1951, the Joint Commission is dedicated to continuously improving the safety and quality of the nation's health care through voluntary accreditation. The Joint Commission's on-site survey of CHIP Counseling Center occurred in August.

Scott Hickman, executive director says that accreditation shows that "we make a significant investment in quality on a day-to-day basis from the top down. We seek accreditation for our organization because we want to be the best and we view obtaining Joint Commission accreditation as another step toward excellence."

He added the accreditation is attainable only throughout the cooperation and communication among staff members.

Charlevoix 7-Eleven store stops going 24 hours

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix residents and visitors who count on making late night runs to 7-Eleven for munchies, slurpies and whatever else they may need will have to change their destination this winter.

The local 7-Eleven store that is commonly known for its 24 hour service will close its doors every night at 10 p.m.

The Charlevoix store which is now owned by the 7-Eleven corporation started their new hours just before the Sept. 11 terrorist attack. They are now open from 6 a.m. and call it a day at 10 p.m.

"The main reason is we only have three employees. With three shifts every day everyone would have to be here every day. You can't run a store like that," Charlevoix store manager Charles Fallon, 27, of Petoskey said.

Fallon was transferred to the Charlevoix store from the Petoskey 7-Eleven at the beginning of the summer to help supplement the employee shortage.

He said the store tends to get more help in the summer and in the winter business drops off significantly so the store can't afford to pay employees overtime.

He said so far the change has been relatively well received by the patrons.

"I've seen a couple people give me strange looks when I tell them about the new hours. I'm sure a few people who need their cigarettes late at night will be a little put out. But, it's not like there's not a place to go. That place just isn't here anymore," Fallon said.

Fallon said Charlevoix is the only store he knows of that has changed their hours for the winter.

He added that the store has interviews set up for Sept. 28 with prospective new clerks that may result in a change of policy.



Charlevoix's 7-Eleven store pictured above is no longer open 24 hours. The change in policy was made in September. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

Keep an eye out for the bicyclists

Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater wishes to remind Charlevoix County residents of the probability of a large number of bicyclists using area roads this coming weekend, Oct. 5-7.

Approximately 1,000 bicyclists will be participating in the annual "Biketoberfest" in the Boyne Falls

area. Some of them are expected to take daily rides, which will take them around Lake Charlevoix and back to Boyne Falls.

Motorists are reminded that bicyclists are allowed to ride as near as practicable to the right side of the roadway and no more than two abreast. Bicyclists are required to

obey all traffic laws, the same as any other driver.

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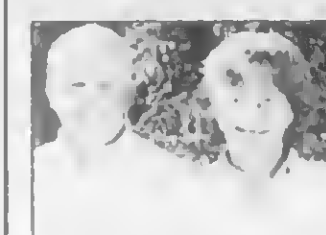


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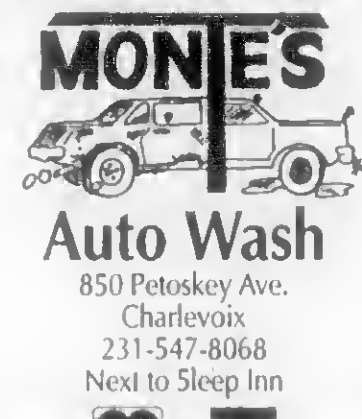
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BUSINESS

Business offers rental help

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

People looking for rentals, both short term and long term, and those looking for someone to manage their rental homes have a new source of help, Vacation Home Services.

The company, owned by Judy Winter, will manage your resort or rental property and provide information to those looking for rentals in the area. This includes properties that are rented by the week to by the year.

In addition, Vacation Home Services provides clients with contractual cleaning and maintenance

and a Winter Watch program. In the Winter Watch program, a Vacation Home Services employee will inspect your summer home throughout the winter for any problems.

According to Winter, the difference between Vacation Home Services and other property management companies is her company specializes in year-round and commercial rentals, while the others concentrate on resort rentals.

"This type of service is not normally seen in small towns," she said.

Winter started Vacation Home Services in May 2001. She said she has been involved

in local real estate for the last five years. During this time in real estate, she said she received many calls from people looking for rentals or looking for someone to manage their rental, but the real estate office she worked for was too busy with sales to handle them.

This gave Winter the idea that eventually created Vacation Home Services.

The company, located on M-66 in Ironton, is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. It is also open on Saturday by appointment.

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Swanson remembers his father in column

SWANSON

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Dad knew the end was near. He had made his peace with God and was ready to move on. Despite the devastating toll the disease had taken on his body, his sense of humor remained.

In the emergency room, a nurse asked him how he felt about being resuscitated were he to have another heart attack. Dad knew he was dying and figured dying once would be often enough.

"If your heart stops, what do you want me to do Larry?" the nurse asked.

"Go have a cup of coffee and come back in 15 or 20 minutes," Dad replied.

Dad made it out of the hospital and spent the last two weeks of his life at home. Last Thursday (Aug. 30), although he couldn't talk above a faint whisper, he spent the afternoon in the pole barn with his

friends. He came back into the house at 5 p.m. and a short time later drifted off to sleep and died.

We had the funeral Sunday. More than 360 people attended. My brothers and I spoke. We told people what our father had meant to us. We offered our gratitude to those who had done so much during the three years of his illness. We told stories of my Dad's sense of humor and the way he made people laugh and smile.

My Dad lived a good life. Even when a disease made life incredibly difficult, he faced life with a sparkle in his eye and made people around him comfortable and happy. I refuse to remember my Dad with sadness. That would be a disservice to him. He lived life with joy and expected me to do the same.

I'll miss him, but it was time.

L. Scott Swanson is a former editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He is currently the editor of the Straightsland Resorter in Indian River. He can be contacted by calling (231) 238-7362.



Turmoil Overseas

Pictured left is Charlevoix resident Sara Gay Dammann. She spoke about the conflict between the Middle East and the U.S. at Charlevoix High School Sept. 24 Dammann resided in the Middle East during the 1970s. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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Four arrested for high school destruction

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Four Charlevoix youths were recently arrested for a Sept. 4 destruction of property at Charlevoix High School.

Doug Reick, a former Charlevoix High School student; Thomas Scubel Moore Jr., currently a senior at the

school; Michael Allen Cornett, currently a senior at the school and Patrick Mailloux, also a senior at the school, were arrested recently and charged with entering without permission and malicious destruction of property.

The entering without permission charge is a 90 day misdemeanor and the malicious destruction of property

charge is a one year misdemeanor. Cornett and Mailloux both pled not guilty in their arraignments Sept. 25 in the 90th District Court. A pre-trial date has been set for Oct. 16.

Reick and Moore were arraigned at 10 a.m. today in the district court.

According to police, the youths allegedly entered the high school on Sept. 4 and poured cooking oil on

the floors. The damage is estimated at \$2,168.80.

In addition to facing trial, the school has also handed out punishments to three current students charged with these two crimes.

According to Charlevoix High School vice-principal Jini Kanine, all were suspended from school, had to write a letter of apology and make

restitution for the alleged damage. Those who were on sports teams, were removed from those activities.

One of the students, Mailloux, is also on the school's homecoming court. Kanine said neither the school handbook or precedent lists this as an extracurricular school activity or sport, therefore he will remain on the court.



CROP walkers

(Above, from left) Charlevoix residents Susan Mossman, Joseph Seidel and a fellow CROP walker enjoyed a sunny afternoon Sept. 29 for the six mile CROP Walk that raised funds to feed the hungry. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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SPORTS

Charlevoix golf gets two more wins

The Rayder golf team has had some great recent wins under their belts as they entered the conference championships last night in Harbor Springs.

The results of the championships were not available before press time.

According to coach Jim Glynn, of all the conference teams, Harbor Springs was the team to beat.

"They are a solid and fine team. The Rayders have it within them to pull out a victory. It should be fun and very competitive," he said before the match.

On Sept. 24, the Charlevoix team beat Kalkaska at the Belvedere

Club, 178 to 197.

According to Glynn, the cold and rainy conditions of the day caused the team to post some higher than normal scores.

"But, this was a good win to finish out the conference play," Glynn said.

David Shearer was the top golfer with a 38. Individual varsity scores were: Nick Cole with a 44, Jordan Nystrom with a 48, Allen Brooks with a 48, York Smith with a 48 and Jake Burns with a 55.

Individual junior varsity scores were: Allen Couture with 49, Kreg Wager with a 50, Adam Wager with 54, Sparky Nitchman with 61. Ryan

DeYoung with 65 and Chris Golski with 66.

On Sept. 27, the Rayders also beat the non-conference team Inland Lakes, 172-184.

Shearer was, once again, the top scorer with a 39.

Individual scores were: Nick Cole with 42, York Smith with 44, Jordan Nystrom with 47, Allen Brooks with 47 and Allen Couture with 57.

Individual junior varsity scores were: Kreg Wager with a 47, Jake Burns with a 47 and Adam Wager with 52.

Before last night, the varsity team was 7-3 overall and 5-1 in the conference.



Charlevoix wins

The Charlevoix girls' basketball team topped East Jordan Sept. 27, 46-39. Kathryn Ricks had six three-pointers in the game and finished the game with 20 points. (Above) A Rayder goes up for a shot in the show-down with the Red Devils. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Soccer team has tough week

The boy's soccer team had a rough week, losing all three games and dropping their record to 6-7.

In last Tuesday's game against Harbor Springs, the Rayders battled the monsoon like rain and a very good Ram team to a 0-4 loss.

Charlevoix never got into the flow after giving up two first half goals. It appeared that the Rayders got back into the game midway through the second half with an apparent goal that was later nullified.

The visibility was so bad that neither the linesman or center referee saw the ball go to the back of the net. That seemed to take the fight out of the young Rayders.

On Friday, Charlevoix traveled to Suttons Bay for a rematch with the Norsemans.

Playing without a key player in

the midfield, who was injured on a red card foul against Harbor Springs, the Rayders had shot after shot on the Suttons Bay goal but could not convert. They lost the match 1-2.

Coach Josh Block credited Spencer Bryan, Trevor Kline, Travis Smith, John DeMartino and Jason Hass for playing tough on offense. The defense was anchored by Colin Segean, with support from Esera Baker, Bryce Daly.

Charlevoix returned to action on Monday against a physical Pine River team.

Kyle Tilly was stellar in goal and Alex Callahan had perhaps his best game of his young career in the 0-1 loss. Craig Stockman gave Block quality minutes off the bench.

Despite his team's recent 3 game

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Gutter Gals Sept. 27, 2001				Monday Madness Sept. 24, 2001				Young At Hearts Sept. 27, 2001			
Team	W	L	Score	Team	W	L	Score	Team	W	L	Score
Pine Lake Waves	56	24		Laurel & Co. Hair Design	102	48		Spartan	12	4	
Argonne Supper Club	46	34		Paul Bunyan Lanes	95	55		Funny Four	9	7	
Paul Bunyan Lanes	39	41		Argonne Supper Club	92	68		Has Beens	9	7	
Burger King Charlevoix	19	61		Argonne Supper Club	75	75		3 Guys & 1 Gal	8	8	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
Series	Game			Series	Game			Series	Game		
Jane Pittman	568	205		Leanna Mosoryak	539	198		Alley Cats	8	8	
Mary O'Brien	490	187		Jane Pittman	552	189		Midstis	7	9	
Connie Pischner	439	161		Jane Pittman	506	192		Irish Rollers	7	9	
Double Deckers Mixed League Sept. 16, 2001				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
Series	Game			Series	Game			Series	Game		
Webb	3	1		Sheryl Denny	657	197		Eldon Potter	495	190	
Blanchard	3	1		Jim Bowman	678	179		Don Bambach	496	187	
Spencer	3	1		Lisa Nicola	658	184		Nancy Birmingham	437	160	
Huttelton/Mosoryak	3	1		Vicki Nettleton	182			Zettie Kitson	432	167	
Ostrum/Chamberlain	3	1		Monday Night Footbowl League Sept. 24, 2001				Church League Sept. 26, 2001			
Hough/Skeel	3	1		Team 1	2-5	1-5		St. Mary's	126	74	
Sladek Lisa/Jerry	2-5	1-5		Team 2	1-5	2-5		Ferguson & Chamberlain	111	89	
Sladek Laura/Lee	1-5	2-5		Team 3	1-5	2-5		Howard's Optical	110	90	
Dixon/Crain	1	3		Team 4	0	30		Paul Bunyan Lanes	101	99	
Russell Amy/Jerry	1	3		Team 5	5	25		Townhouse Bar	98	102	
Kent/Tunison	1	3		Team 6	5	25		Marlinchicks	95	105	
Sloan	1	3		Team 7	5	25		Luthetans	90	120	
Duckworth/McDonald	1	3		Team 8	0	30		R & C Roofing	79	121	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
Series	Game			Series	Game			Series	Game		
Gary Spencer	569	214		John Fiedorek	457	245		Robert Alexander	648	226	
Roger Crain	583	213		Josh Holchek	358	214		Tom Browe	621	226	
Jerry Russell	539	203		Robert Russell	195			John Fiedorek	607		
Michael Webb	551	212		Russell Ward	347			Randy DeYoung			
Lynette Webb	551	212		Kelli Blanchard	302	170		Larry Potter			
Dabioe Blanchard	496	197		Diana Tank	261	139					
Glenda Ferguson	168			Suzanne Dixon	196	99					
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SPORTS

Rayders win at Kalkaska in tough away game

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

Success in fourth down situations told the story last Friday night as the Lake Michigan Conference leading Charlevoix Rayders disappointed a homecoming crowd in Kalkaska by beating the Blazers, 22-16.

The Rayders failed to convert on three fourth down chances inside Kalkaska territory in the first half as they trailed 16-6. Charlevoix rebounded by going four for four on fourth down in the second half and turning Kalkaska away twice in similar situations.

The Blazers sent a message early by marching 44 yards for a touchdown following a short Rayder punt. The two-point conversion gave them an early 8-0 lead.

Charlevoix responded with a drive of its own, however, and a Jeff Urban four-yard run cut the lead to 8-6. The Rayder extra point attempt failed.

The first key fourth down situation came on Charlevoix's next possession. Ryan Rafacz intercepted a Kalkaska pass and returned it to the Blazer 37 giving the Rayders great field possession. Charlevoix couldn't move the ball and found

itself with a fourth and one of the Kalkaska 28 moments later.

A run up the middle failed to pick up the needed yard and Kalkaska took over on downs.

After a three-and-out by the Blazers, the Rayders again had great field possession but couldn't convert on a fourth-and three in Kalkaska territory, handing the ball back over.

Conversely, Kalkaska drove to the Rayder 12 yard line on its next drive where the drive stalled and they faced a fourth and two. The Blazers went for it and were successful, scoring on a 12-yard run. The two-point conversion gave Kalkaska a 16-6 cushion.

Charlevoix again drove deep in Blazer territory, to the 11. With 39 seconds left on the clock, on a fourth and five situation, an incomplete pass killed another Rayder drive.

In the second half, however, things changed immediately. The Rayders took the opening kickoff and marched the length of the field, chewing up nine minutes off the clock.

Urban carried twice on successful fourth down runs, gaining seven yards on fourth and one at the Kalkaska 29 and getting two more

on fourth and one at the Kalkaska 13.

Fittingly, it was on a fourth and four that Nate Teuscher hit tight end Keith Daly with a touchdown pass over the middle. It was Teuscher to Daly again on the extra point that cut the deficit to 16-14, Kalkaska.

On its ensuing drive, the Blazers were stopped on a fourth and one on their own 45-yard line, giving the surging Rayders possession once again.

Charlevoix wasted no time punching the ball into the end zone on what else? A 4th and 1 TD run by Urban, covering six yards. Teuscher hit Todd Carey with a pass for the successful two-point conversion, completing the comeback and putting the Rayders up to stay, 22-16.

The Blazers weren't about to give up without a fight, however. The Kalkaska signal caller gained 39 yards on a scramble all the way down to the Charlevoix 11 midway through the fourth quarter. Minutes later, Kalkaska seemingly scored on a game-tying touchdown but the play was called back to holding.

Two plays later, Rafacz picked off a Blazer pass in the end zone on a fourth and eight to turn Kalkaska



A Charlevoix Rayder runs for the goal in a recent game. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

away. After a Rayder punt, Kalkaska drove deep into Rayder territory again but this time an interception by Daly sealed the win.

Teuscher finished 10 for 17 passing for 76 yards. Daly led the receivers with five catches for 42

yards. Urban led the ball carriers with 67 yards on 26 carries.

Chris Loper, Rob Boss and Kyle Dobrowski keyed the defense with seven tackles apiece.

Charlevoix (4-0, 4-2) hosts Elk Rapids (0-4, 1-5) this Friday.

Charlevoix cross country teams are running strong

The Charlevoix boys' and girls' cross country teams both recently had strong standings at the Cedar Bend Invitational Sept. 29 in Gladwin.

The boys' team placed first in the meet out of 11 teams with a score of 28. The girls' team placed second

out of 12 teams with a score of 76.

Individual results for the boys' team were: Tim Daining in first, Gordie Selph in second. Pete Gorkiewicz in fifth, Josh Popenhagen in seventh, Abe Dhaseler in thirteenth, Zack Bajos in sixteenth and Eli Pace in twentieth. The first

15 received medals.

Individual results for the girls' team were: Heidi Johnson in first, Liz Ulrich in second, Kati Swenor in seventh, Brenna Bergmann in twentieth, Theresa Martin in twenty-second, Natashia Kleiber in twenty-third, Elizabeth Madison in

thirty-second and Michelle Rowe in thirty-fifth.

Individual results for the junior varsity boys' team were: Grant Woods in first, Tom Apelebocker in second, Brian Christiansen in third, Ben Speigl in fourth, John Billington in fifth, Ethan Winchester in

sixth, Mike Castiglione in seventh, Andy Gels in ninth and Adam Richards in tenth.

Individual results for the junior varsity girls' team were: Sonya Plude in fourth, Jayme Murray in fifth, Betsy Tebeau in ninth and Brittini Simonti in tenth.

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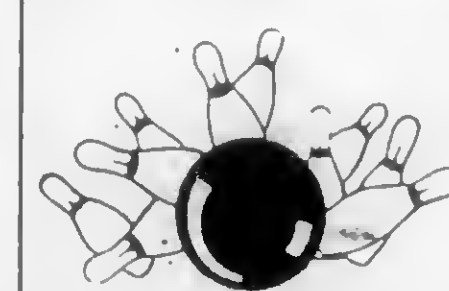
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The delegates are publishers, editors and directors of various Russian media outlets.

They are being brought to Charlevoix through the San Francisco based organization, Center for Citizen Initiatives. This organization is dedicated to economic reform in Russia.

Each member of the delegation must pass a rigorous screening process to take part in the program.

They will be visiting numerous publishing organizations throughout the area during the week — including the Charlevoix Courier and the Petoskey News-Review — and speaking with several business leaders.

Additionally, the delegation will be given tours of northern Michigan and Charlevoix.

In order to give the Russians a true taste of American life, the Charlevoix Rotary Club is looking for area residents willing to open their homes to the visitors. The Russians will be staying in groups of two at the homes in order to team a strong-English speaking member of the delegation with a weaker one.

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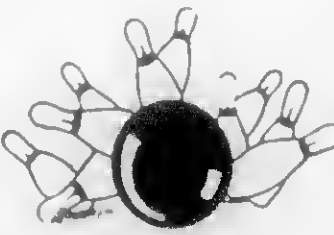
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Brazilian solo guitarist to perform at Crooked Tree

David Burgess will perform Brazilian solo guitar music at 8 p.m. Oct. 6 in the Ross Stokes Theater of the Crooked Tree Arts Center.

He has been praised by critics for a polished technique and flamboyant style and has performed throughout North and South America, Europe and the Far East. He was formerly a student of Andres Segovia and has won prizes in international guitar competitions in New York, Mexico City, Toronto and Munich.

Over the past 10 years, Burgess has taken numerous trips to Brazil, rediscovering guitar music from Brazil's past, as well as finding many progressive contemporary Brazilian works.

The program will include music by some of the finest Brazilian composers of all time: Ernesto Nazareth (1863-1934), who transformed the tango into a fascinating style of Brazilian ragtime; Joao Pernambuco (1883-1947), who never completed elementary

school, could not read or write, but composed some of the best loved Brazilian music from the 1920s and 30s; Pixinguinha (1898-1973), the legendary band leader who performed throughout Brazil for more than 50 years; Radames Gnattali (1906-1988), who brilliantly combined classical, jazz and popular styles in his compositions; and of course, Luiz Bonfá (b.1922) and Antonio Carlos Jobim (1927-1994), the two best known composers of Bossa Nova.

Currently residing in New York City, Burgess has performed in Town Hall, Carnegie Recital Hall and at Lincoln Center. He has recorded for Musical Heritage Society, Athena and Camerata Records as well as having recorded Rodrigo's "Concierto de Aranjuez" with the Philharmonia Virtuosi of New York on the CBS Masterworks label.

For an opportunity to meet David Burgess, a guitar workshop will be given at 2 p.m. on Oct. 6 at Ray's Guitar in

Boyne City. Ray's Guitar is located at 113 Water Street in downtown Boyne City. The telephone number is (231) 582-3599.

Ticket prices for the concert are \$15 for adults and \$8 for students. The fee for the workshop is \$25 per person.

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eddi Award recipients named at Sept. 21 event

The winners of the first "eddi Awards" were announced on Sept. 21 by the Crooked Tree Arts Council.

At a celebration at Stafford's Bay View Inn, the arts council honored eight recipients recognizing leadership and talent in the visual and performing arts in northern Michigan.

Categories in which eddi Awards were given by the arts council and those who received the awards include:

- The Visual Artist Award, presented to Douglas Melvin. Melvin, an art instructor at North Central Michigan College, was selected for the award in recognition of his work in media such as painting and sculpture and his role in helping expand art education offerings at the college.

- The Performing Artist Award, presented to Betsy and Larry Willis. The Willises have been involved extensively with the Little Traverse Civic Theatre for more than 20 years, handling tasks such as directing, acting, producing and serving as stage crew.

- The Arts and Cultural Organization Award, presented to the Bay View Association in recognition of its offerings of music, voice and theatrical performances, arts education and other cultural activities to northern Michigan residents each summer.

- The Arts in Education Award, presented to Patricia Stedman. Stedman, who teaches in Harbor Springs Public Schools, created the high-

school drama department there and has been active in artistic organizations and activities such as the Association for Harbor Arts and the recent development of a cultural plan for Emmet and Charlevoix counties.

- The Arts and Cultural Leadership Award, presented to Jack Perry, one of the founders of Crooked Tree Arts Center, in honor of his steady work in supporting the arts for several decades.

- The Individual Patron Award, presented to Sally and Jack Clark in recognition of efforts to support the arts locally in a variety of ways over many years.

- The Benefactor Award, presented to The Frey Foundation for its financial support of artistic endeavors and other enhancements to the quality of life in northern Michigan.

- The Lifetime Achievement Award, presented to Edith Gilbert, another Crooked Tree Arts Center founder, in recognition of her long-time advocacy of the arts.

The awards are named in honor of the late eddi Offield, an accomplished artist in her own right and a benefactor and advocate for the arts in northern Michigan. eddi Offield was a much loved and admired patron of arts and culture in northern Michigan, especially of the Crooked Tree Arts Center where she spent so much of her personal time and energy as a volunteer in support of the Center's programming. She was a co-founder of the Crooked Tree organization.



Kids helping kids

Kids Corner Preschool students did chores at home to help those families impacted by the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. The students raised \$175 in change for the New York Times 9/11 Neediest Fund. The money benefits those who were orphaned as a result of the attack. The students in the photograph above are from left: Makenna Doan, Ashley McGlinch, Gracie Smith, Cassey, Brenden Gregory, Carlie McGlinch, Sarah Robarg, Hannah Slabaugh, Bretton Sigwart, Hannah Fraley and Christian Kniat. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)



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DDA helps city cover the cost of park project

PARKS

Continued from page 1

Also proposed are several seating areas along the trail with low level lighting along the walkway.

The existing parking lot that sits at the bottom of the hill would be removed and a small park, similar to Hoffman Park, will be created. Historic plaques depicting the old water tower and its significance will be set at the site.

Plans for improvements at Depot Beach also took a major hit. The total project cost exceeded the total grant amount available by \$72,158.80.

Deductions include the loss of six inch PVC conduit at the site, a stone trail and plantings. These three would save \$33,905.80, almost half of the project deficit.

The other half of the possible

losses to the project are a volleyball court and sitting wall and bathroom deductions. The loss of these two items would save an additional, \$38,153.

Malewitz said that he thinks the estimates for the bathroom improvements at Depot Beach came in much higher than was estimated and the volleyball court plans ended up more elaborate than anyone had envisioned.

But, the city won't know for sure what will stay and go until the bids are returned.

Bids went out for advertisement on Sept. 29 and will be advertised until Oct. 11. Council is scheduled to consider bids on Oct. 15.

If council approves the bids at their Oct. 15 meeting, the contractors will be authorized to proceed with work Oct. 16. The construction phase will run from Oct. 22 until May 24, 2002.

2001 Homecoming Calendar

Oct. 3 — 50s Dress Up Day at Charlevoix High School.

Oct. 4 — Clash and Wild Hair Day at the high school.

Oct. 5 — Maroon and White Day at the high school.

- 1 p.m. Assembly in the Charlevoix High School gym.
- 5:30 p.m. parade starting at the Charlevoix Middle School.
- 7:30 p.m. kickoff, Charlevoix faces Elk Rapids.
- Half-time, coronation of 2001 Homecoming king and queen.
- Post-game bonfire/pizza party at the high school.

Oct. 6 — The Homecoming Dance, from 8:30 p.m. to 11:30 p.m. in the Charlevoix Elementary School gym.

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Blood drive



The Red Cross blood mobile pulled into the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix Sept. 27. The blood drive was booked solid all day. Even those with appointments had to wait. But no one seemed to mind. (Pictured left) Beth Conners, a Red Cross worker from Cheboygan preparing blood holding bags. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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OCT 2001

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WANT TO BUY men's ski boots in a size 12. (912) 598-2904.

(9-26-4-144)

BUSINESS PLACES/RENT 168

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(8-8-1f-168)

CHARLEVOIX: Wanted to lease or purchase office space/building. 1,000 to 1,500 minimum. Must be ground level within the city of Charlevoix. Respond to File Box 510, c/o Charlevoix Courier.

(7-5-1f-168)

APTS. FOR RENT 169

BOYNE CITY: Parkview Apartments in Boyne City - 1 & 2 bedroom apartments available for immediate occupancy. Rent starts at \$325.00. Barrier free units available. No pets. For application or information call Tresa, 231-582-7071, or stop in the Parkview Office, 326 E. Division Apt 27, TDD 800-649-3777. Equal Housing Opportunity.

(8-15-1f-169)

RESORT PROPERTY FOR RENT 171

FOR RENT on Six Mile Lake in Ellsworth. 1 bedroom cottage with basement. \$450 per month plus utilities 231-264-5358.

(9-26-2-171)

CHARLEVOIX LAKESIDE home - Pinepoint. 2+ bedrooms, 2 baths, fully furnished and stocked. \$1,000 per month plus utilities. Available to 5/31/02. 415-469-7800.

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(11-1-1f-171)

STORAGE SPACE FOR RENT 174

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(9-1-1f-174)

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(12-28-1f-174)

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(10-3-2-182)

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(10-3-1-183)

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(9-26-1f-203)

BID 209

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
BEACH PROJECTS
Contract 01-1661

Sealed Proposals will be received by the city of Charlevoix, Michigan at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, 210 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, 49720, at 2:00 P.M., prevailing local time on October 11, 2001 and then publicly opened and read aloud, for the construction of Contract 01-1661.

The work consists of construction of approximately: one restroom facility, two picnic shelters, one concession stand renovation, one playground facility, one basketball court, 128 LFT of vinyl picket fence, 11,820 SFT of concrete sidewalk, 5167 SFT of block wall, 448 LFT of field stone wall, irrigation, 320 SFT of timber stairways and miscellaneous plantings and other landscaping items.

The Drawings and Specifications under which the work is to be done are on file and may be examined at the Office of the City Manager, City Hall, 210 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, 49720, and at the office of Performance Engineers, Inc. located at 406 Petoskey Avenue, in Charlevoix, Michigan 49720.

Drawings and Specifications may be obtained from Performance Engineers, Inc. by submitting a fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per set. The purchaser must supply the telephone number, fax number, and street address of the individual or firm to whom addenda (if any) can be directed.

A certified check or bidder's bond for a sum not less than five percent (5%) of the amount of the proposal will be required with each proposal.

The right is reserved by the Owner to accept any Proposal, to reject any Proposal, and to waive irregularities in Proposals.

No bids may be withdrawn after the above date and time for receiving bids for a period of thirty (30) days.

CITY OF CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN
Elizabeth A. Gooch, City Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
AND INTERESTED PERSONS
Decedent's Estate
STATE OF MICHIGAN

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PROBATE COURT
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
File No. 01-010318-DE
Estate of Elsie May Mayhew
Date of Birth: February 28, 1914

TO ALL CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS:

ON SEPTEMBER 21, 2001, the undersigned was appointed Personal Representative of the above captioned estate and is serving without bond.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS: The decedent, Elsie May Mayhew, who lived at 605 Adams, Boyne City, Michigan, died June 27, 2001.

Creditors and Interested Persons of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate, or interest in the matter, will be forever barred unless presented to Dick L. Mayhew, named personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

September 4, 2001

Stanley A. Harwood P52891
316 Howard, Suite 2, P.O. Box 285
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 347-4800

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PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
File No. 01-010277-DE

Roy C. Hayes, III (P50042)
03488 M-66-N
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-1111

Dick L. Mayhew
05243 Bamard Rd.
Charlevoix, MI 49720
(231) 547-0351

LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
File No. 01-010290-DE

Estate of Frank Balogh, Sr.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including JULIE ANN HAMAN whose addresses are unknown.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Frank Balogh, Sr., who lived at 4599 River Road, Boyne Falls, Michigan died 6/7/01

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to David Thomas Balogh, Sr., named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
File No. 01-010305-DE

Estate of Frank Rostar, Deceased

Date of Birth: December 23, 1946

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, FRANK ROSTAR, DECEASED, who lived at 6398 Pincherry Road, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720 died December 5, 1998.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to Bruce A. Lockwood and Sharon A. Orebaugh, named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State St., Charlevoix, MI 49720 and the named/proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

Date: July 3, 2001

Cynthia Fullwood P57972
350 St. Andrews Road, Suite 250
Saginaw, MI 48603
(989) 793-9020

LEGAL NOTICE 210

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
File No. 01-010305-DE

Estate of Frank Rostar, Deceased

Date of Birth: January 5, 1926

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Geraldine C. Lockwood, who lived at 1850 E. 81st St., Indianapolis, IN 46240 died November 18, 2000.

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September 19, 2001

John A. Scott, P.C.
Diane Kuhn Huff P41106
1000 S. Garfield, Ste. 3
Auburn Oaks
Traverse City, MI 49686
(231) 933-5322

Bruce A. Lockwood and Sharon A. Orebaugh
25750 Schuller Rd.
Arcadia, IN 46030
(317) 251-6843

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

A sale of the following property to the highest bidder will be held at 11:00 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, October 11, 2001, on the front steps of the main entrance to the Charlevoix County Courthouse, 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan:

PROPERTY LOCATED IN WILSON TOWNSHIP, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN, described as:

Commencing at the Southeast corner of Section 25, Town 32 North, Range 6 West; thence South 87°59'59" West 659.37 feet along the South line of said section to a point in the centerline of Rogers Road, being the POINT OF BEGINNING of this description; thence continuing South 87°59'59" West 329.04 feet along said section line and along said centerline; thence North 00°00'06" East 663.62 feet; thence North 88°13'06" East 329.00 feet; thence South 00°00'06" West 662.36 feet to the point of beginning; being a part of the Southeast 1/4 of the Southeast 1/4, Section 25, Town 32 North, Range 6 West.

The sale being held to foreclose the mortgage given by Robert J. Manary to GreenPoint Credit, LLC on April 12, 1999, and recorded on May 19, 1999 in Liber 394, page 842, Charlevoix County Records. The amount due on this date is \$83,731.83. The redemption period will be six months unless this property has been abandoned.

September 12, 2001

Gary C. Rogers
Fraser Trebilcock Davls & Dunlap, P.C.
1000 Michigan National Tower
Lansing, MI 48933
517-877-0828

(9/12, 9/19, 9/26, 10/3)

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LEGAL 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 86TH DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF
GRAND TRAVERSE

EAST TRAVERSE CATHOLIC
FEDERAL CREDIT UNION,
Plaintiff,

STEVEN M. SCULLY,
Defendant.

Joseph T. Hubbell (P41996)
HUBBELL & HUBBELL, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
400 E. Eighth Street
Traverse City, MI 49686
(231) 947-5600

File No. 01-9140-GC

THIS IS AN ATTEMPT TO COLLECT A DEBT, ANY INFORMATION RECEIVED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

ORDER FOR ALTERNATE SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING

At a session of said Court held in the Courthouse in the City of Traverse City, County of Grand Traverse, State of Michigan, on the 7th day of Sept., 2001.

PRESENT: Honorable Thomas Gilbert
District Court Judge

On the July 11, 2001, an action was filed by Plaintiff, against Defendant, in the 86th District Court, Grand Traverse County, MI.

Upon hearing and consideration of the Plaintiff's Verified Motion, attesting to the fact that the exact whereabouts of the Defendant are unknown and Plaintiff having determined Defendant's aunt's address in Charlevoix; that therefore service upon Defendant of the Summons and a copy of the Complaint in this action cannot be otherwise effectuated, and it appearing to the court that the Defendant can best be

appraised of the pendency of this action by the publication of this Order in a newspaper, and mailing to his aunt's address in Charlevoix;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Steven Scully, Defendant, shall serve his answer on Joseph T. Hubbell, Attorney for Plaintiff, whose address is 400 East Eight Street, Traverse City, Michigan, 49686, answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 3rd day of Nov., 2001. Failure to comply with this Order may result in a judgment by default against this Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be published once each week with three consecutive weeks in Charlevoix and Chippewa County.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the first publication of this Order by made within 14 days from the date of entry of this Order and that prior to the date of the last publication of a copy of this Order, a copy of Order be enclosed in a

ENTERTAINMENT

Area entertainment

Disaster relief

Chefs from Mahogany's at the Charlevoix Country Club, Whitney's, Terry's Place and Grey Gables are teaming up for a four-course, five star meal Oct. 10 with all proceeds going to the American Red Cross' Sept. 11 fund.

The event will take place at Mahogany's.

The evening will begin at 6 p.m. with hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. The minimum donation is \$75 and all food, labor and tips are being donated. Checks should be made payable to the American Red Cross, with Disaster Relief in the memo line.

Entertainment will be provided by Chris Ventske and Chris Martin.

Discuss Sept. 11

The Friends of the Charlevoix Public Library invite you and your friends to a round table discussion in the Charlevoix Public Library basement on Oct. 9 at 7 p.m. to discuss two infamous dates — Dec. 7, 1941 and Sept. 11, 2001. The meeting will be chaired by Charlevoix resident and World War II veteran Klingbeil. Charlevoix Courier editor Jeremy McBain and Dick Lepman have agreed to help moderate the discussion. An excellent web site is aldaily.com/ (arts and letters daily) to keep up on the latest-world wide info.

Submarine veterans meeting

The Michigan Chapter of U.S. Submarine Veterans W.W.II will have its fall meeting Oct. 5 and 6 at the Weathervane Terrace Inn. Business meetings will be at 2 p.m. on Saturday followed by a memorial service at 4 p.m. at the Submarine Memorial in East Park. For more information call 547-9955.

Farewell to the Schairbaums

The public is invited to The First Congregational U.C.C. at 101 State

Street on Oct. 7. The church will wish farewell to Pastor Phil Schairbaum and his wife, Ginnie, as they take on a new position in Downers Grove, Ill. All are welcome to the 4 p.m. concert of The Charlevoix Area Men's Chorus (with Phil accompanying) and/or a reception at 5 p.m. with refreshments in honor of the Schairbaums.

Homecoming

All Charlevoix alumni and community members are invited to the homecoming activities at Charlevoix High School on Oct. 5. The homecoming parade will be a 5:30 p.m. traveling from Charlevoix Middle School up State Street to the football field. Game kick-off is at 7:30 p.m. with the crowning ceremony at half-time and a bonfire/pizza party immediately following the game.

The homecoming dance is at the Elementary School Gym on from 8:30 - 11:30 p.m., Oct. 6. For more information, see any student council member or call Gail Cherry, student council advisor, at 547-3165 or the high school at 547-3222.

Cantata rehearsals

The Community Choir Christmas Cantata rehearsals begin at 7 p.m. on Oct. 7 at the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix, located at the corner of Meech and Oak Street. The presentation of the Cantata, "Sing We all Noel," is scheduled for 7 p.m., Dec. 15, and 6 p.m., Dec. 16. Any questions may be directed to Cindy Mansen, 547-6862.

Bazaar

The Ellsworth Lions Club will be sponsoring the twenty-first Annual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at (213) 544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.



Mary Adams, President of the Charlevoix Historical Society, receives the portrait of Horace Harsha from Jennifer Harsha Carroll, great granddaughter of the Charlevoix pioneer. (Courtesy photo)

Horace returns to house

The Charlevoix Historical Society recently announced that Horace Harsha has come home.

A portrait of the 1880's Charlevoix businessman who was the first owner of 103 State Street has been donated by Ann Margaret Harsha and delivered from Maryland by Jennifer Harsha Carroll, his great granddaughters.

Harsha was involved in the early development of the real estate, insurance and banking businesses of Charlevoix and served as City Clerk, Justice of the Peace and Bank Vice President.

His portrait will hang in the front parlor of the Harsha House Museum.

Fall and winter hours at the Harsha House Historical Museum, located at 103 State Street, Charlevoix, are from 1-4 p.m., Tuesday - Saturday and 5-9 p.m., Thursday. Meetings of the Charlevoix Historical Society are usually at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. New members are always welcome.

Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information.

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SCRAPBOOK

Norwood's DeVries has ties to the Titanic

If Seblo DeVries' parents had not missed the boat on their first trip to America he would not be here to tell the story of his family history in the Atwood area.

Sometimes we are inconvenienced by airline flights that are overbooked but the phenomenon is not an entirely new thing. In 1912, DeVries' parents were scheduled to travel on an entirely new, high tech ship on its maiden voyage across the Atlantic but were "bumped" to a later date because the trip was overbooked. That ship was the Titanic, which we all now know met a tragic fate somewhere in an ice field.

DeVries' parents did make that trip from the Netherlands on another ship in 1912. The couple married in New York, traveled to Michigan and settled in the Atwood area where they began raising crops and a family of four children.

Farming was hard work and their main power was a team of horses. The potatoes harvested on the farm had to be hauled by horse-drawn wagon loads from Atwood to the farmer's CO-OP in Ellsworth. The seven mile trip took an entire day.

DeVries bought his first car at 18 for \$13, a Ford Model T Touring

sedan. It was a faithful car that ran well but occasionally needed assistance getting over some of the steeper hills on local roads.

The DeVries family attended church at the Atwood Christian Reformed Church and traveled there by wagon. The church is still open in Atwood. The schoolhouse the children attended is still there but has been remodeled into a beautiful home.

Electricity was another luxury the family lived without until 1944. Lanterns and candles were enough to get by. The parents lived out their lives farming on the same homestead south of Atwood.

DeVries, now 85, lived at home a few years into adulthood helping with the farm work. When he married in 1953 his new family lived in Atwood for seven years until moving to Ellsworth and remains at the same residence today. His sister, Pearl Alward, 86, still lives in the area and brother, Rink, 83, lives near Traverse City. His sister, Grace Vanderslick, 84, lives in the Grand Rapids area.

The DeVries family has had an exciting past. DeVries worked for Hodgkiss and Douma on a road

construction crew building many of the highways we travel on today. His next career began with door-to-door sales work, first in World Book encyclopedias and later Electrolux vacuum cleaners. DeVries worked for Electrolux for 20 years. While attending a sales convention in Grand Rapids, DeVries won a door prize consisting of an all expense paid trip-for-two to Disney World in Florida.

DeVries met and married Faye Strange of Atwood in 1953 and they shared their lives for 47 years taking many trips together and planning for retirement. Faye began working for Glen's Market in Charlevoix and was determined to work for 10 years before retiring.

Sadly, she fell ill with cancer and just made her goal before retiring due to receding health. Faye died in April of 1999. DeVries misses her greatly and thinks of all the plans they had made for retirement.

DeVries has had surgery to replace both hips and now gets around fairly well. His remaining daughter and friends in the area help out at his home, where he still lives on his own today.



The photo above is the DeVries family. This article tells the story of lifelong Atwood area resident Seblo DeVries, pictured front, center. (Courtesy photo)

How to get news-worthy items into the Courier

If you have a news item you think would be perfect for the Charlevoix Courier, feel free to call 547-6558, e-mail charlevoix-courier@charlevoixcourier.com or visit the Courier office located at

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It should be noted, each story and picture is dealt with on its individual merits. Any policies outlined above may be suspended by the editor or publisher of the Charlevoix Courier if necessary.

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House fire

A fire damaged a room and destroyed a couch at 230 Antrim Street around 9:45 p.m. Sept. 26.

The Charlevoix Fire Department responded to the call with three trucks and 20 firefighters.

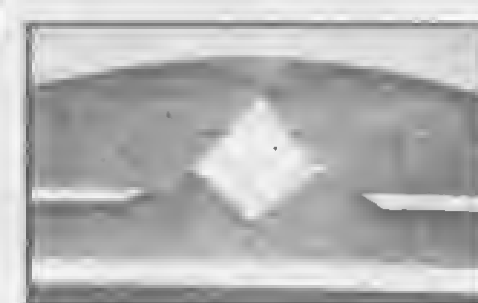
The cause of the fire is believed to be a cigarette that was accidentally dropped on the couch that was in the room.

While the couch was destroyed, other damage was limited to the one room where the fire started.

(Left) A resident of the home, Emily Chulick, watches in the pouring rain as firefighters put out the blaze. She is holding her dog, Samantha, to keep it warm and dry.

(Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for \$100 that will take place on December 31, 2001.

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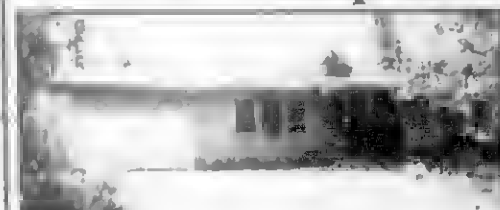


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School case appealed

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix residents are again taking their grievances against the Charlevoix Public School District to the Michigan State Court of Appeals in Lansing.

One of the plaintiffs, Kenneth Richard Tunison, explained what he and the four other Charlevoix residents are claiming.

"What is being questioned is whether or not money appropriated for education can be used for public infrastructure," he said.

The plaintiffs' claim that the

"I'm not against the school; they should have a sewer, but do it the right way."

Kenneth Richard Tunison,
Plaintiff against the school district on his lawsuit

sewer extension being funded by the school district to service the new high school, being built off Marion Center Road, is a misappropriation of school funds.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, Dr. John Sturrock, a defendant in the case, said Tunison's argument has been refuted by schools across the state and the district is in the right.

"We are contracting with the city to build the sewer," he explained. "If it were unlawful, why has it been allowed to happen in school districts across the state?"

Judge (Richard) Pajtas agreed with us.

On Sept. 14, in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, Pajtas ruled to dismiss the school from the plaintiffs' claim that the school's use of bond proceeds to construct a sewer did not meet the state statute.

Pajtas said while the sewer extension wasn't spelled out on the ballot, which was approved by voters in 1999, the need for the district to provide sewer service was implied.

See SCHOOL, page 29

Projects overbudget cause city fund shuffle

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner said heavy duty infrastructure work this year in the city means light work will be done next year.

This year numerous infrastructure projects fell in the laps of Charlevoix's city administration all at once requiring them to shuffle money from multiple unrelated funding sources.

Wiesner said all the borrowed money will be paid back next year with as much interest as the money would have generated for the fund.

"This is an unusual year. I've never had a busier year and I've been here for 17 years. It's just timing," Wiesner added.

However next year's infrastructure budget is a slim \$81,000 as opposed to this year's budgeted \$1,473,800 leaving the city with little room for more "timing" problems.

Brandi said all the borrowing coupled with the hefty infrastructure load may have ramifications.

"You are betting on the future some," he said.

If there is a local disaster the city will look to the general fund to pay for the needed improvements.

When this year's shortages and unexpected projects were realized, money was borrowed from the electric and perpetual care funds.

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King and queen

Taryn Drost and Elijah Pace were crowned Charlevoix High School Homecoming queen and king Friday night at the football game. For more photos see page 24. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Kenneth Orval Wingo, 27, East Jordan. Arson/dwelling house; arson/dwelling house conspiracy; arson/insured property; arson insured property conspiracy; and resisting and obstructing a police officer. Bound over to circuit court.

Jason Timothy Deming, 21, Boyne City. Telephone/malicious use to threat. One year probation; 180 days in jail with credit for three days, serve 20 days; \$710 in fines and costs.

Richard Harold Ferris Jr., 29, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Jail for six days with credit

for six days; \$260 in fines and costs.

David Jay Radle, 20, Charlevoix. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Christopher Michael Whisler, 17, Ellsworth. Driving without a license. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

AYS Plus, 09039 Lord Road, East Jordan, by Michelle Griffin

No Permit Building Company, 10279 Pincherry Road, Charlevoix, by Randall J. Price

and-Doug Kuebler Jr.

BLT's Truck Wash & Mobile Service, 702 Dickerson Road Suite

B. Gaylord, by Sylvia C. Baker
Riverside Custom Builders, 07705 Rogers Road, East Jordan, by Luke W. Smith and Gary Chrysler Jr.

Jordan Valley Satellite & Electronics, 206 Mill Street, East Jordan, by Carl Joseph Fyke.

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Jason B. Vanloo, 25, Charlevoix and Courtney Ann Shayne Hamilton, 24, Charlevoix

John Bertram Herzog II, 38, Boyne City and Sandy Lynn Chambers, 30, Boyne City

Terry Joseph Ragaller, 29, East Jordan and Paula Marie Dingee, 34, East Jordan

Kenneth Allen Teeple Jr., 24, Boyne City and Liberty Ann Amore, 25, Boyne City

Michael Dennis Christensen, 26, Boyne City and Jennifer Marie Lequia, 23, Boyne City

Births

Chloe Ann Huffman, weighing 8 pounds, 3 ounces, was born to Robert Huffman and Sara Sweet of East Jordan on Oct. 1, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Caitrin Ida, weighing 7 pounds, 13 ounces, was born to Mike and Kim Martin of Charlevoix on Sept. 30, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Jacob Michael Moses, weighing 8 pounds, 3 ounces, was born to Jeremy Moses and Jennifer McCombs of Charlevoix on Oct. 5, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Garret Lee, weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces, was born to Todd and Jill Veenstra of Charlevoix on Oct. 5, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Tyler Samuel, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce, was born to Scott and Angela Way of Charlevoix on Oct. 7, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. His sisters are Hilary, 7 years old, and Amber, 5 years old. Grandparents are Doug and Lorrie Way of Charlevoix, Jerry and Teresa Price of Petoskey and Robert Stephenson of Walloon.

and Robert Stephenson of Walloon.

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any further information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

A 19-year-old Charlevoix man was cited for trespassing around 11 p.m. on Oct. 2 at Pine Cove Apartments.

There was a domestic disturbance around 7 p.m. on Oct. 2 on Lincoln Street.

There was a two vehicle accident around 5:30 p.m., Oct. 2 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Carpenter Avenue. Minor injuries were reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 6 p.m., Oct. 2 near the intersection of Bridge and Antrim streets. Minor injuries were reported.

A vehicle hit a parked vehicle around 10:30 a.m. on Oct. 2 on Bridge Street.

There was a two vehicle accident around 8 p.m. on Oct. 2 near the intersection of State and Antrim streets. No injuries were reported.

A 19-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for trespassing on Sept. 29 at the Pine Cove Apartments on May Street.

There was a two vehicle accident around 4 p.m. on Sept. 29 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Lincoln Avenue. No injuries were reported.

A vehicle drove into a retaining wall around 1:30 p.m. on Sept. 29 in the parking lot of the Weather-vane Terrace. Minor injuries were reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 12 p.m. on Sept. 29 near the intersection of Park Avenue and State Street. No injuries were reported.

A liquor control violation was reported at Giuseppe's Restaurant on Petoskey Avenue on Sept. 29. Police allege an intoxicated person was on the premises.

A 24-year-old East Jordan man was arrested around 9:30 p.m., Sept. 28 on Clinton Street for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol and driving without a license.

A vehicle struck a pole around 8:30 p.m., Sept. 28 in the Belvedere Club. No injuries were reported.

Two children were spoken to by police for making false 911 calls on Sept. 27 at the Next Door Food Store on Bridge Street.

A door was broken some time on Sept. 26 at Pointes North Inn on Michigan Avenue.

There was a fight around 4:30 p.m. on Sept. 26 at the Pine River Place.

There was a two vehicle accident around 10:30 p.m., Sept. 26 near the intersection of Bridge and Clinton streets. No injuries were reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 11 a.m. on Sept. 25 in the parking lot of Charlevoix High

School. No injuries were reported.

Several items were stolen sometime on Sept. 24 off a sailboat docked near the Wharfside Condominiums on Belvedere Avenue.

Some marijuana was found by a teacher on Sept. 24 at Charlevoix High School.

Sometime on Sept. 23 someone drove onto the Charlevoix Golf Course and stole a flag.

Someone failed to pay for gasoline on Sept. 22 at the Shell Station on Bridge Street.

There was a domestic disturbance around 7 a.m. on Sept. 22 in the Pine Cove Apartments on May Street.

A black and green Trek mountain bike was found on Sept. 18.

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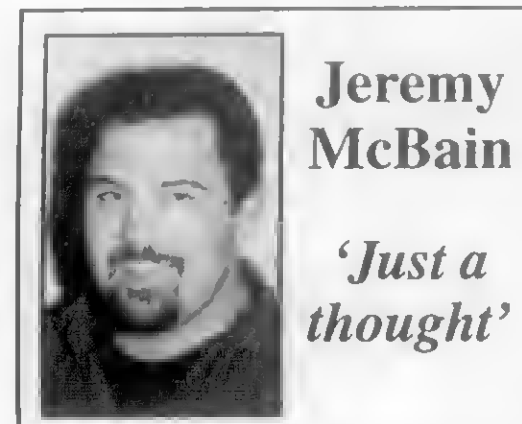
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OPINIONS

Sleep, a wonderful nighttime activity



Jeremy McBain
'Just a thought'

Sleep....what a wonderful and mysterious activity.

Each night, our bodies lie down and rejuvenate. We close our eyes and enter a personal world that can delight us or frighten us, it all depends on the images our mind gives us.

When the morning light comes — or the alarm clock jolts your eyes open — we get up, stretch, scratch and prepare for a new day. And this new day ends in another session of this magical activity called sleep.

But, lately, I have been thinking I am excluded from this activity.

Thanks to a combination of a raging cough and high stress both personally and professionally, I experienced what some would call a bout

of "insomnia." I would call it a bout of pure mental torture for three straight nights.

Thankfully, I have been sleeping just fine since then.

This first night of the insomnia was kind of fun. I got up and tried some home remedies: warm milk, reading a book, trying to meditate. When I realized that none of it was working, I thought, "Hey, this could be interesting at work tomorrow. It will kind of be like college again."

In the office the next day I was pretty much a zombie, one wired on five cups of coffee, but the walking dead none-the-less. I tried to avoid making decisions that day and even managed to keep myself out of trouble.

Then came the next night. Lying down in my bed, I knew right away this was going to be a bad experience. I was still wired and sleep was still an unreachable state.

Before trying the home remedies I lay in bed fighting with my mind and trying to force it to sleep. A couple of times I came very close to winning, but was hampered in my fight by a loving wife sleeping next

to me with a stuffed nose.

There is nothing quite as jarring as being on the edge of sleep, with your loved one softly cuddled with her head on your shoulder, and then having her let out a loud, "SNORK" in your ear. After about three of these I felt it was best to get up and go to the living room rather than attempt to plug up all noise making parts of her nose and mouth with tissue paper.

Once again, I tried the home remedies. Nothing worked.

So, I sat there staring at the darkness in my home, cursing the stupidity of sleep.

Once again, another morning broke and there I sat, wide awake. At the office that day, visions of pillows danced in my head as I edited stories on my computer. I was determined to sleep the next night.

When night came, I was ready. I had a nice cup of Kava Kava tea and took a sleeping pill with some milk. I was ready to enter a coma.

But, as soon as I hit the bed, my eyes popped open and mind started racing. All of my preparation for sleep left me wired, awake and

heavily drugged. Not a good combination for rational thought.

I began to make plans for a life of no sleep. I figured I could get a superhero outfit and roam the nights fighting crime in Charlevoix.

Of course, the only gangs of thugs in this area are those nasty raccoons that team up to figure out how to get into garbage. My arch-enemy would be called, "Furry face."

So, I thought on. Instead of fighting crime I would fight stupidity in public writing. I would roam the night as Editor Man, fighting against made up words, useless sayings and poor spelling for all humanity. I would spend my evenings copy-editing signs in Charlevoix with my big red marker.

My first stop would be that wonderful sign near the intersection of Bridge Street and Belvedere Avenue telling drivers which route to take to get to the businesses on Belvedere. If you haven't caught it yet, there is a wonderful spelling of the word "restaurant" that should not be missed.

But, as exciting as this plan was, I

decided it would be best to avoid it. Heck, I make enough grammar and spelling errors in my own writing.

So, once again I sat in the darkness, listening to my wife make sounds strangely like a dying bear as she dreamed. When morning came, I visited the Courier office just briefly, to tell the crew I would — wisely — not be in.

After spending the day relaxing and trying not to think of sleep — which is not hard when you haven't done it for three days — I discovered that my body was now ready to rest. What a joy it was to finally dream.

Sleep, what a wonderful thing. I should do it more often.

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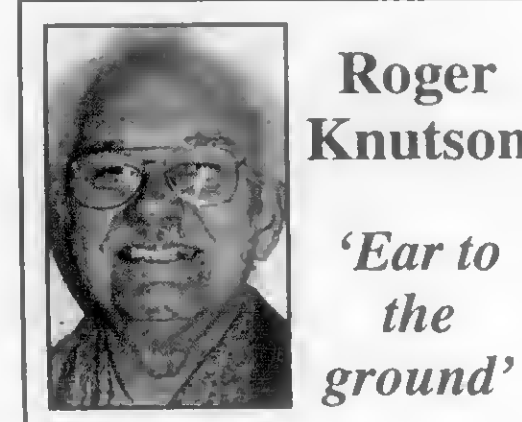
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Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

Cancer, as a word or as a disease, strikes fear into the hearts of most of us.

The important question to be answered is how fearful should we be? There are enough uncontrollable things in the world that we might legitimately fear. Does cancer need to be one of them?

What travels under the single word "cancer" is in reality many things. There are dozens of kinds of cancer, each with its own development, causes and outcomes.

Cancer is many different diseases that have in common only the rapid and uncontrolled growth of some kind of cells in the victim's body.

The causes of cancers are at least as many as the kinds of cancers. We all know by now of the connection of some lung cancers to smoking. Some stomach cancers are associated with the long term presence of certain bacteria living in that organ. Much of the current concern about cancers relates to the possibility of environmental or food related causes. Should I move because there have been a number of cancers found in people who live in my community or on my block? Should I eat fish from Lake Michigan or food products that may have been sprayed with pesticides? There are thousands of chemicals that have been shown to cause cancers at some concentration, under some condi-

tions or in some circumstances. Is there any way I can avoid contact with all of these chemicals? The short answer to this question is "no."

It is possible to isolate, from high quality organically grown food products, many different chemicals that can in one case inhibit cancer and in another can promote its development. Short of eating nothing at all, it is impossible to avoid substances that may in some unusual circumstances promote cancer or inhibit its development. Most such substances have an effect only in concentrations thousands of times higher than we will ever encounter from eating the foods containing them. You should most probably not worry about the latest reports of cancer promoting substances found in tomatoes, lettuce or parsnips.

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Letters to the editor

Article response

Editor:
In your issue of Sept. 12, you ran an article about a staff writer, Julie Witthoft, experiencing life in a wheelchair. My mom lives with me and is confined to a wheelchair at times. I can relate to the issues Julie encountered.

A wheelchair is a heavy, awkward apparatus that picks up and flings down whenever possible. I live down by Michigan Beach where seagull dung is as prevalent as duck dung is to East Park. I hose down my complete sidewalk every week because of small pebbles, beach sand, fishing hooks, dung or anything that could flick onto the rider. I take that opportunity to hose down beach spiders by the front door also! Other people in wheelchairs use my sidewalk to get to the fishing channel. I also understand their concerns.

Another experience Julie encountered was inclines. John Martin (Charlevoix Street Superintendent) has allowed the sidewalk and curb in front of my home to be wheelchair friendly. I'm also getting help from the city in making my lot and house compatible for mom. This city has eurbed many potential obstacles.

Thank you Charlevoix and thank you Julie for caring about wheelchair concerns. And thank you mom for always being there for me.

Diane Gustin
Charlevoix

Marina response

Editor:
We are writing to express our concern and opposition to the proposed expansion to the Charlevoix city marina in Round Lake.

While we agree that the existing facilities are in need of improvement/updates, the two plans (which either doubles or triples the number of berths) that are available for the public to view are of a scope that is not compatible with the location.

As you undoubtedly know, Charlevoix is influenced by seasonal residents and visitors who swell the population ten-fold between Memorial Day and Labor Day, usually arriving by automobile and in boats. This dramatic increase is generally appreciated by local retailers who typically have to make their year in this three-month tourism period. For local residents this period is a nightmare.

Charlevoix's Bridge Street (also US-31) is the only north/south road through town and literally all traffic traveling the western most side of the state must pass through downtown Charlevoix. This choked down route is further complicated by the bridge which opens each half hour to allow boat traffic to enter or leave Round Lake. Additional openings occur when the Beaver Island ferry, the Coast Guard and commercial vessels arrive or depart at off times. The result of this unfortunate situation is colossal traffic back ups sometimes

extending for miles in both directions. Needless to say, expanding berthing capacity equates to more boats whose passage into/out of Round Lake will cause the bridge to remain open for even longer periods of time.

Perhaps a more important issue is the effect a large marina will have on Charlevoix's single most precious natural asset, tiny Round Lake itself. Its value to residents and visitors alike is incalculable. The natural beauty is the very thing that attracts most people to Charlevoix. To exploit this jewel flies in the face of good judgment. The potential for pollution from bilge and fuel spills increases proportionally with increased berthing opportunities. Further, the nine month off season creates the equivalent of "visual" urban blight for residents and visitors who, instead of viewing a charming scene will look at empty floating docks covered with bird droppings.

There are many other practical and environmental issues which need discussion and we urge you to review this project. We think you will conclude that there is a large degree of overkill in the proposal.

Finally, our city council and city manager do not communicate well with the community and frequently, citizens are not informed sufficiently or timely on matters of importance to the community as a whole.

Lowell and Sharon Blossom
Charlevoix

The worry over cancer clusters

KNUTSON

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Most of the public concern about cancer causing materials in our environment comes from the examination of what are called "cancer clusters"; numbers of cases of cancers found in a small population of people. Should we worry about the health of our environment if six, 10 or 12 people have developed cancer within two blocks of where we live? Here too, the short answer is no. Hundreds of such neighborhood cancer clusters have been investigated most thoroughly by public health officials, and in no case has it been possible to identify an environmental cause.

Such cancer clusters are almost certainly the product of chance operating, not the product of some environmental contamination. Six cases of cancer on your block or in your neighborhood are most

likely not the same kind of cancer, and most likely do not have the same cause. With a population as mobile as ours in America, it is unlikely that most of the people affected in such a case have even lived in the neighborhood for a long time. A cancer cluster in a neighborhood almost surely means nothing about the contamination of the neighborhood with anything.

Worry if you must about the state of the stock market, or the impact of international terrorism, but don't put any excess worry into the occurrence of some number of cases of cancer in your neighborhood or in your community.

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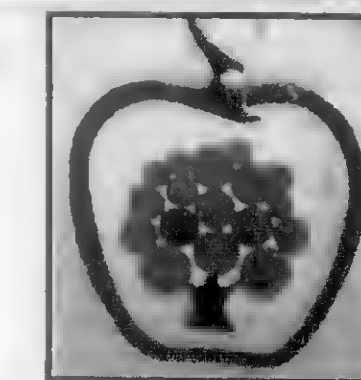
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Anniversary

Due to an error last week, we are republishing this announcement



Roger and Elaine Westenbroek

Roger Westenbroek and Elaine (Bussies) Westenbroek celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary July 19.

An anniversary party was given on July 21 at the home of Mike and Denise Westenbroek. It was attended by all of the children of the couple.

Roger and Elaine were married on July 19, 1951 in Holland by the Rev. Schipper, an uncle of Roger's.

The couple have lived in the Charlevoix area for 37 years, where Roger is an electrical consultant and Elaine was a homemaker.

They have five children: Mike (Denise) Westenbroek, the late Mark (Ruth) Westenbroek, Sherry (Dan) Hawthorne, Susan (Joe) Kaufman and Sally (Serge) Weiss.

The couple also has 13 grandchildren.

Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Stebe graduates

Robert John Stebe, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from the University of Northwestern Ohio. He is the son of Jean Stebe of Mt. Pleasant and Robert Stebe of Charlevoix.

FSU grads

Two Charlevoix students graduated in May 2001 from Ferris State University in Big Rapids. They, and their degrees, are: Courtney L. Wehh, associate of applied science in industrial electronics technology and Kylie L. Avery, bachelor of science in vision science. Avery also graduated with highest distinction.

Buntin named branch office administrator

Judy Buntin, of Charlevoix, recently graduated from a trainee position at the Charlevoix branch office of Edward Jones. She has been named branch office administrator.

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Charlevoix Courier wins eight state press awards

The Charlevoix Courier recently was awarded eight state news awards from the Michigan Press Association for its class of weekly newspapers.

"It's always nice to see such a hardworking staff as the Charlevoix Courier receive recognition. I am really pleased for them and the community. The paper is a reflection of the community," said Ken Winter, publisher of the Courier.

Courier editor Jeremy McBain added, "It is an honor for the Courier staff to be recognized by their peers for the hard work put into this publication week after week."

The newspaper won awards for general excellence, spot news, design, enterprise features, editorial writing, local columns and feature pictures.

The break-down is:
• Honorable mention to the staff for general excellence. The judges stated the Courier has a "nice modular layout and organization of stories."

• Honorable mention for spot news. This was awarded to edi-

tor Jeremy McBain for his story on the Beaver Island airplane crash last winter.

• Honorable mention to the staff for design.

• Second place for enterprise feature to McBain and staff writer Julie Witthoef. This was for a package of stories last winter on the ramifications of drunk driving that included a drinking test. The judges stated, "I enjoyed this timely, extremely informative piece. Have a couple of beers and drive? No way after reading this."

• Third place for enterprise

feature to Witthoef. This was for a story on how to contact council members.

• Honorable mention for editorial writing awarded to McBain.

• First place in local columns awarded to Witthoef for her series, "Stepping out." The judges stated, "Your style and flow kept me very interested while reading your columns. The approach was very real and fresh and gave me the facts and opinions in a readable format."

• First place for feature picture awarded to McBain.

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Wedding

Wheat — Lawrason

Lisa Lynne Wheat of Charlevoix and Jared Daniel Lawrason of Petoskey were married at 3 p.m. June 23 at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church.

The bride and groom reside in Murray, Ky. where Lisa attends Murray State University. She will graduate in December with a degree in journalism and political science. Jared has worked for six years at Huff Excavating in Gaylord and is a graduate of North Central Michigan College.

The bride is the daughter of Vicki and Jerry Wheat of Charlevoix. The groom is the son of Sherry and Dennis Lawrason of Petoskey.

Pastor Jerry Troyer of Eastport Baptist Church officiated at the ceremony. The bride's father provided a horse-drawn carriage ride for the couple after the wedding and the reception was at the Charlevoix

Knights of Columbus Hall.

The bride wore her grandmother's diamond necklace and her grandmother-in-law's diamond earrings. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses and daisies which matched the flowers in her headpiece. Her ivory dress was lined with pastel beaded designs.

The bride's sister, Jessie Ernst of Lapeer was matron of honor and stood with five other bridesmaids/matrons: Laurie Hauswirth of Rock; Mandi Meggison of Lansing; Sarah Lawrason of Petoskey; Kristin Hammerberg of Lansing and Melissa Smith of Mount Pleasant.

Flower girls were the bride's nieces, Hannah Ernst, 5, and Katie Ernst, 2, of Lapeer.

The groom's cousin, Jason Simon, of Lima, Ohio was best man and stood with five other grooms-

men: Jeff Brecheisen of Petoskey, John Billington of Charlevoix, Matt Moser of Alanson, Tom Skinner of Alanson and Adam Schrage of Petoskey.

Ring bearers were Nathan Ernst of Lapeer, nephew of the bride and Jacob Fleming of Petoskey, nephew of the groom.

Ushers for the ceremony were Jeff Ernst of Lapeer, Jeremy Hauswirth of Rock, Billie Morey of Gaylord and Cody Wheat of Charlevoix.

The bride and groom spent their honeymoon at a cabin on Lake Michigan in Cross Village.



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New Head Start program opens

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

A new Head Start full-day, full-year preschool opened its doors at the Early Education Building located in Charlevoix Township Oct. 9.

"I'm really excited about this program. It's going to be great. We have a great team here and I'm excited about them," program coordinator Phylliss Hess said.

Federal funding for the school came from the Department of Health and Human Services in July. Since then Hess, a Charlevoix resident who has worked with the Head Start program for 15 years, has labored feverishly to prepare the facility for its fall opening.

The program serves families who fall under designated poverty guidelines. Where the students live isn't a factor. The site will serve any eligible families from Charlevoix, Antrim and Emmet counties who are able to provide transportation to the site. Hess said this new school is the only program of its kind north of Traverse City.

The Ironton Head Start program in Charlevoix County which has 30 students enrolled, has been in place for some time and will remain open. At the Ironton school classes meet three days each week for a half day.

The new program is five full days — the school is open from 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Currently, there are six children enrolled in the full-day class, but the capacity is 15.

Eligibility requirements include: students must be at the school a minimum of six hours each day, students have to be between 3 and 5 years old and students immunizations must be up to date.

The program does accept special needs children. For those families that can't afford medical or dental care for their child, the grant has funding available for those services too.

During the day the school provides the students with breakfast, lunch, two full snacks and nap time. Hess has also planned weekly family fun nights.

They use the hands-on, creative curriculum which incorporates individualization. Hess said the curriculum is gradual so the children continue "climbing up the ladder as

"I'm really excited about this program. It's going to be great."

Phylliss Hess,
Program coordinator

they develop."

She said the staff also works diligently to help students develop their language, self-help and social skills and added that kindergarten teachers who have Head Start kids in their classes have given the teachers positive feedback.

"Schools have been positive about Kindergarten readiness and the skills that the students have developed," she said.

Hess explained that teachers have commended Head Start students' listening and conflict resolution skills.

The lead instructor at the new school is Ambre Flynn, 24, of Petoskey. Flynn, who has received her bachelor's degree from Central Michigan University in child development and has worked in other Head Start programs, said she's looking forward to working with the children. She will be assisted by Charlevoix resident Sharon Parrish, 51, who Hess said has extensive experience in the classroom.

Sandi DiSante, 44, who lives between Charlevoix and Petoskey, will assist Flynn and Parrish. DiSante received her bachelor's degree from Eastern Michigan University in art.

A fourth classroom aid, Susan Lalonde, 54, of Charlevoix will also work with the children. Lalonde moved to Charlevoix from Ithaca, N.Y., where she worked in preschools.

Sarah Rose is the school's family service worker who will work with enrollment. Rose will also help families with social services by training parents and providing referrals to counselors as needed.

The group is currently looking to fill the cook's position. An Open House for the new Head Start Preschool will take place from 4 to 7 p.m., Nov. 1 at the school.

For more information about the school or to enroll a student contact Rose of the Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency at (231) 547-1141.



Sandi DiSante, Ambre Flynn, Susan Lalonde and Sharon Parrish will lead the new Head Start program in Charlevoix, located at 12585 US-31. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Gilbert given lifetime achievement award

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix resident Edith Gilbert was recently given the lifetime achievement award for her many years of dedication to the Crooked Tree Arts Center.

Thirty years ago Gilbert traveled snow covered roads to the Carnegie Library in Petoskey where she and five other Emmet and Charlevoix county residents gathered in the basement to discuss the arts.

The seventh participant that stormy night was a man from Detroit who showed the group a film in an effort to promote the arts in northern Michigan.

The low turnout and the nasty weather left Gilbert feeling a little hopeless.

She said with a playful giggle, "I came home and said to my husband, well that was a waste of time."

The smile on Gilbert's face as she reminisced wasn't because she had wasted time in the winter. It was because she had no idea that what started that winter night in the library basement would grow to be the Crooked Tree Arts Center.

"Thirty years later we have a gorgeous building and programs in music, dance, drama and painting that covers a two county area," Gilbert proudly said.

After the infamous library basement meeting where the center's roots first took hold, the small group met at each others homes and discussed their vision. Gilbert said they were even given a tiny, windowless room at North Central Michigan College where they occasionally met.

Then, in 1982 the Methodist Church in Petoskey came up for sale.

"We didn't have five cents but we put in an option to buy in February and said that if we got the money by September we would buy the building," Gilbert explained.

Sure enough, come September the group that had braved that winter

storm had beaten the odds and raised \$120,000 to purchase the church.

So now, they had their building but they had a long way to go; Gilbert said they didn't even have a nickel for a janitor.

"But our philosophy was ask and you shall receive and that's how we've grown," she said grinning ear to ear.

Growth came easily because the interest existed in the community. She explained that "people are constantly willing to jump aboard and help out."

Gilbert said her decision to "jump aboard" came long before the center. In fact, she's an artist herself having studied sculpture under the late Walter Midener at the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit. She was also one of the early founders of the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair.

Gilbert's role in planting the Crooked Tree Arts Center and then working diligently to nourish it were recognized by the center Sept. 21 at their eddi Awards ceremony that took place at the Bay View Inn.

That night she was presented the lifetime achievement award by Northern Michigan Hospital representative Lyn Jenks.

Prior to presenting the award Jenks said that arts is a very important part of the health of a community.

And that is precisely why Gilbert said she has dedicated herself to the center.

"I have been actively involved in the arts center from the beginning and that's 30 years. That's why I got the lifetime achievement award," she said.

While working with the center Gilbert has been on and off the board, serving as board president for two years. She also helped coordinate fund-raising efforts and events.

"They can't get rid of me, I'm still on the board," she sarcastically whispered.

"It has been challenging. But I feel I'm making an important contribution to the children of the area," she

added.

Her latest task is working on the center's capital campaign. She said they have outgrown the facility, they need more staff, more space and a temperature controlled gallery so they can attract more exhibits.

"The demand is there but we have no space," Gilbert said.

She is also looking forward to expanding outreach programs. The center currently sends a violin teacher to Beaver Island once a week but she would like to increase their presence in Boyne City, East Jordan and Charlevoix.

The goal of the capital campaign which has been going on for a year is to raise \$4 million and they have raised \$3 million. Most of the financing has been brought in by foundations, corporations and private gifts.

"There is a lot to look forward to. If we grow as much in the next 30 years as we have in the last 30 years there's no telling where we'll be," she said.



Edith Gilbert shows off her new lifetime achievement award. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Planners say zoning is available for housing

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

This is the latest edition of our series on affordable housing in the area. There will be two more stories on this topic.

According to local community planners, the problems with getting affordable housing in the Charlevoix area are trying to get developers to build them and finding room for the developments.

Charlevoix County planner Larry Sullivan said the city of Charlevoix is pretty much developed out and the market price is favorable for higher priced homes. Thus, developers do not see much incentive in building affordable or low income housing.

"The market is just going to drive the price up," he said. Even in areas of the community with "affordable housing," the price of these units are much higher than what the average worker in the county can afford.

Sullivan said even in the local mobile home parks, residents are paying for the home and a monthly rental cost on the lot. Many times that adds up to an amount higher than what they can afford.

"What would be affordable housing? Five hundred dollars a month? I don't think you could get into a mobile home for that," he said.

Added to this problem is the factor of second home owners. Sullivan said in many cases when affordable housing is constructed, many units are bought by second home owners who previously couldn't afford to buy in Charlevoix.

Plus, as in the case of the city of Charlevoix, Sullivan said many of the homes are no longer owned by year-round residents.

"It hurts us because that is housing that has traditionally been available," he said.

But, there are very few solutions to this problem.

Charlevoix city planner Gary Harsch said "There is an affordable housing problem everywhere....I don't think there is a whole lot that can be done."

Sullivan said the basics that a community could provide for affordable developments is a well-built infrastructure; this includes good roads, sewer lines and water lines.

He added, Charlevoix Township has done the most in providing the necessary elements for affordable housing by paving roads, making other necessary infrastructure improvements and allowing for higher density areas.



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"Charlevoix Township is very progressive. It has fantastic recreation, fire department, water system and water towers," he said.

Both Harsch and Sullivan said there is local zoning on the books that could help bring in affordable housing throughout higher density and multiple developments. But, it is very hard to get any land that is available for that rezoned to this due to public backlash.

"I see a lot of people that don't even propose them," Sullivan said.

Since the private developers are not even proposing affordable housing developments, Sullivan said the local governments have some options.

Local government can offer tax incentives to developers to build affordable housing, mandate affordable housing be part of a development or build affordable housing itself.

Sullivan added if the local government were to build affordable housing, it would immediately be criticized as "being in competition with the private developers."

Harsch said he thinks affordable housing is a problem that needs to be addressed on more of a regional basis.

"In any of the successful resort areas in the US, there is a problem with a balance between service industry jobs and affordable housing. I don't think Charlevoix is any different," he said.

But, Sullivan added, until something is done, he foresees a bleak future for the area. Businesses that are looking at the area to relocate to or businesses already here, could realize that they can pay their employees less for the same quality of life in other towns.

"We will see businesses leave the area," he said.

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Two injured in accident on Oct. 7 on Townline

Two people were injured in a two vehicle accident that occurred at approximately 3 p.m., Oct. 7 on US-31 near Townline Road in Hayes Township.

Maclyn Heise, 26, of Charlevoix was traveling east bound on US-31 when she approached the Bayshore Food Market. As she passed the store, a vehicle traveling west bound driven by Michael O'Connor, 17, of Petoskey made a left turn into her path.

Heise was unable to avoid the crash and struck the O'Connor vehicle head on. The O'Connor vehicle spun around and crashed into the canopy of the Bayshore Food Market next to a gas pump.

O'Connor was driving a 1992 Pontiac four door and Heise was driving a 1995 Dodge van.

Heise was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital by the Charlevoix Emergency Medical Service to be treated for injuries. A passenger in the O'Connor vehicle, Angela Richards, 19, was also transported to Northern Michigan Hospital for her injuries.

O'Connor and his 4-year-old daughter were uninjured in the crash.

The Charlevoix Township Fire Department was called to the scene due to a possible fuel leak from the vehicle and the gas pumps.

The crash is still under investigation by the Charlevoix County Sheriff at this time. All occupants were wearing their seat belts and the 4-year-old girl was in a child restraint seat which greatly reduced injury.

The Emmet County Sheriff's Department, Petoskey Public Safety Officers and members of the Great Lakes Energy Co. who were working on the Bayshore Food Market when the crash occurred assisted the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office at the scene.

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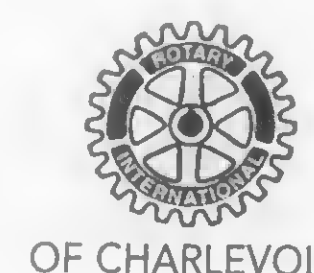
The Russian delegation will be visiting media businesses in northern Michigan the week of November 13-17 as a part of a program through the Center for Citizen Initiatives, a San Francisco based group dedicated to economic reform in Russia.

The delegation is composed of Russian newspaper and magazine editors, publishers and public relations directors. The Charlevoix Rotary Club, Charlevoix Courier and Petoskey News-Review are sponsoring their stay in the area.

The November 13 event is co-hosted by North Central Michigan College and the Michigan Press Association.

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Sheriff's seminar gives child safety seat tips

The following safety seat check up was distributed at a seminar that took place at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office Oct. 3.

The presentation was made by the Michigan Department of Community Health.

Does your child ride in the back seat?

- The back seat is generally the safest place in a crash.
- If your vehicle has a passenger air bag, it is essential for children 12 and under to ride in back.

Does your child face the right way?

- Infants should ride in rear facing restraints, preferably in the back seat, until about age one and at least 20-22 pounds. Infants who weigh 20 pounds before one year of age should ride in a restraint approved for higher rear facing weights. Always read your child restraint owner manual for instructions on properly using the restraint.

- Children over age one and at least 20 pounds may ride facing forward.

Does the safety belt hold the seat tightly in place?

- Put the seat belt through the right slot. If your safety seat can be used facing either way, use the correct belt slots for each direction.

The safety belt must stay tight when securing the safety seat. Check

the vehicle owner's manual for tips on using the safety belts.

Is the harness buckled snugly?

- Keep the straps over your child's shoulder. The harness should be adjusted so you can slip only one finger underneath the straps at your child's chest. Place the chest clip at armpit level.

Which kind of harness is best?

There are three kinds. The basic five point harness has shoulder, hip and crotch straps. The T-shield or tray shield takes the place of hip straps to hold the lower body in the seat. Most seats come with a plastic harness retainer clip that holds the two shoulder straps together. Keep it at armpit level on your child to hold the harness straps on the shoulders.

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A 5-Point harness is preferred by many safety experts because the lap part of the harness fits over the child's strong hip bones. This kind of harness can be adjusted to fit snugly on both very small infants and larger children. However, the straps may twist and tangle. Keep the straps flat for maximum protection.

T-shield

A T-shield harness is one where the shoulder straps are attached to a flat pad. The shield reduces twisting of shoulder straps. It can be buckled quickly with one hand. Some have

straps that adjust automatically to fit properly.

Tray-Shield

The Tray-Shield is a system whereby the shoulder straps are attached to a wide padded shield that swings up. Some trays may not fit over the child's head unless the straps are adjusted each time.

Does your child over 40 pounds have the best protection possible?

- Keep your child in a safety seat as long as possible, at least until 40 pounds. Then use a belt positioning booster seat which helps the adult lap and shoulder belt fit better.

- A belt positioning booster seat is preferred for children between 40-80 pounds. It is used with the adult lap and shoulder belt. Check on special products for heavy children too active to sit still in a booster.

How should a safety belt fit an older child?

- The child must be tall enough to sit without slouching, with knees bent at the edge of the seat, with feet on the floor. The lap belt must fit low and tight across the upper thighs. The shoulder belt should rest over the shoulder and across the chest. Never put the shoulder belt under the arm or behind the child's back. The adult lap and shoulder belt system alone will not fit most children until they are at least 4 feet 9 inches tall and weigh about 80 pounds.



Heather Hockanson, a child passenger safety specialist of the Michigan Department of Community Health, demonstrates the features of a child restraint system at the Sheriff's department on Oct. 3. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Next, combine the following:
4 medium apples, pared and sliced (4 cups)
3/4 C sugar
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/4 C flour
2 egg whites
• Spread over the crust and sprinkle the other half of the crumb mixture on top and bake at 350 degrees for 40-45 minutes. You can use a 13x9 pan or a 15x10x1 pan.
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Best Ever Apple Crisp
1 C flour
3/4 C rolled oats
1 C brown sugar
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/2 C margarine, softened
4 C chopped, peeled apples
Mix these ingredients until crumbly; layer half of the mixture in the bottom of a 9 x 13 pan.
Next, cook the following ingredients until thickened; keep stirring.
1 C sugar
2 Tbs. cornstarch
1 C apple cider or water
1/2 tsp. cinnamon
• Once thickened, remove from heat and add 1 tsp. vanilla. Pour over apple layer. Top with remaining crumb mixture.
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| 1 refrigerated pastry pie crust | 1 tsp. pumpkin pie spice |
| 1 can pumpkin (1 cup) | 1 can (5 oz.) evaporated milk |
| 1/3 C firmly packed brown sugar | 1 can (21 oz.) apple pie filling |
| 1 egg | 1/4 C chopped pecans (optional) |
| 1/4 tsp. salt | 2 Tbs. nonfat caramel ice cream topping |
- Place pastry in 9 inch glass pie plate according to package directions for single crust. Set aside.
 - In mixing bowl, beat together sugar, egg, salt, pumpkin pie spice and milk until smooth. Pour into pie crust. Using spoon, evenly dot pumpkin filling with apple pie filling.
 - Sprinkle with pecans and drizzle with caramel ice cream topping.
 - Bake on lowest oven rack at 375 degrees about 45 minutes or until filling is set and crust is deep golden brown. Cool completely before serving.
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| 1/2 C butter or margarine | 1/2 tsp. vanilla | 1/4 C brown sugar |
| 1/4 C sugar | 1 egg | 1 tsp. ground cinnamon |
| 1/4 tsp. vanilla | 1 1/2 C peeled and | 1/2 tsp. lemon juice |
| 1 1/2 C all-purpose flour | chopped apples | 1/2 C rolled oats |
| 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream | 1 1/2 C peeled and thinly | 1/3 C all-purpose flour |
| cheese, softened | sliced apples | 1/3 C packed brown sugar |
| 1/4 C sugar | 1 Tbs. apple cider | 1/4 C butter or margarine |
- In a bowl, combine 1/2 C butter, 1/4 C sugar and 1/4 tsp. vanilla. Beat in 1 1/4 C flour. Press crumbly mixture into bottom and up sides of a 9" pie plate. Bake at 350 degrees for 5 minutes. Cool.
 - Beat cream cheese, 1/4 C sugar and 1/2 tsp. vanilla till mixed. Beat in egg, pour over crust.
 - Mix apples, cider, 1/4 C sugar, 2 Tbs. brown sugar, cinnamon and lemon juice.
 - Spoon over cheese. Bake in 350 degree oven for 45 minutes.
 - Combine oats, 1/3 C flour and 1/3 C brown sugar. Cut in 1/4 C butter or margarine to resemble coarse crumbs. Sprinkle over Kuchen. Bake for 15 to 20 minutes more.
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1 C vegetable oil	
1/2 C orange juice	

• Combine first three ingredients; set aside. In a large mixing bowl, beat eggs and sugar.
• Combine oil and orange juice, and add alternately with dry ingredients to egg/sugar mixture.
• Mix until smooth; add vanilla and beat well.
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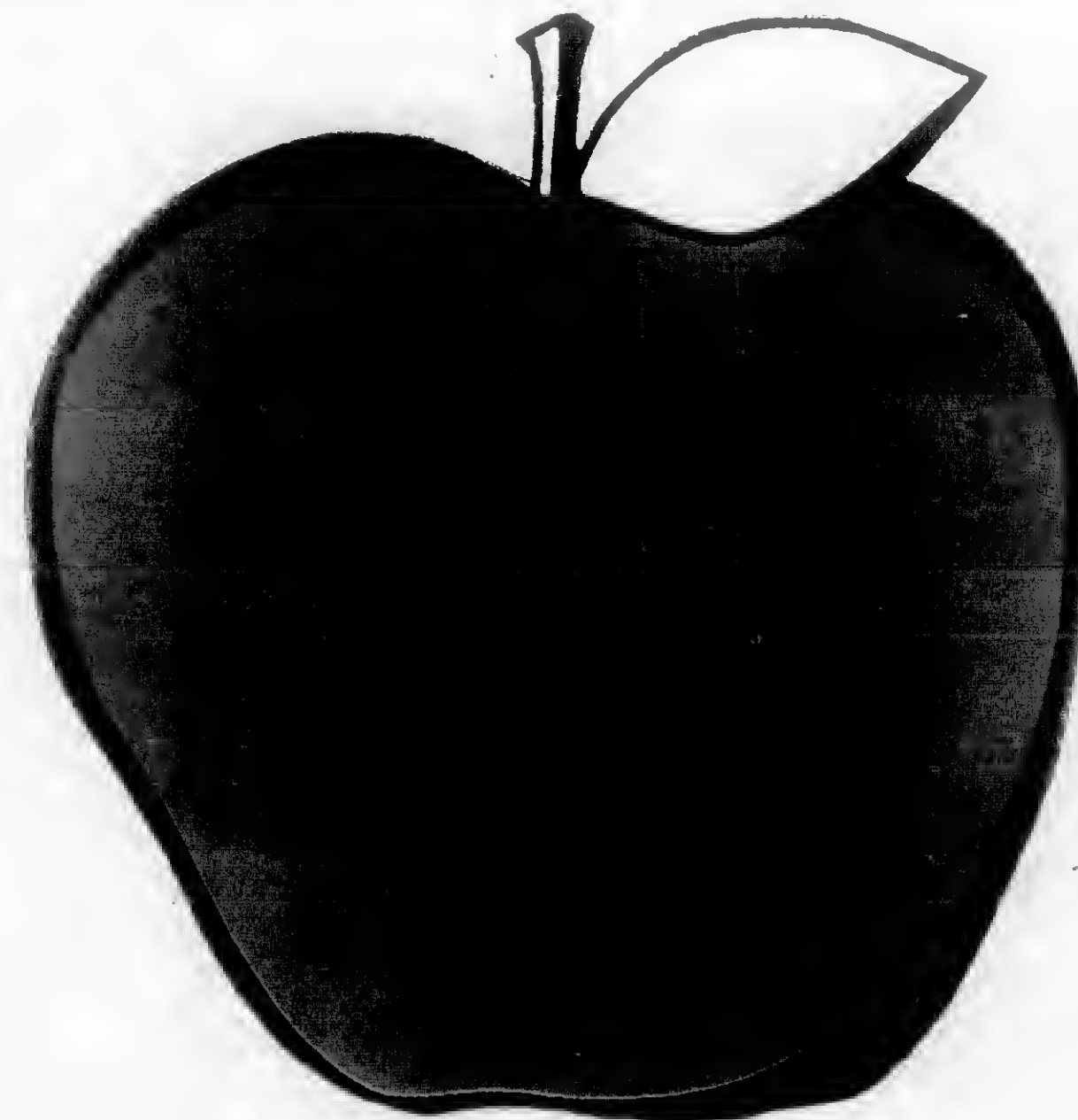
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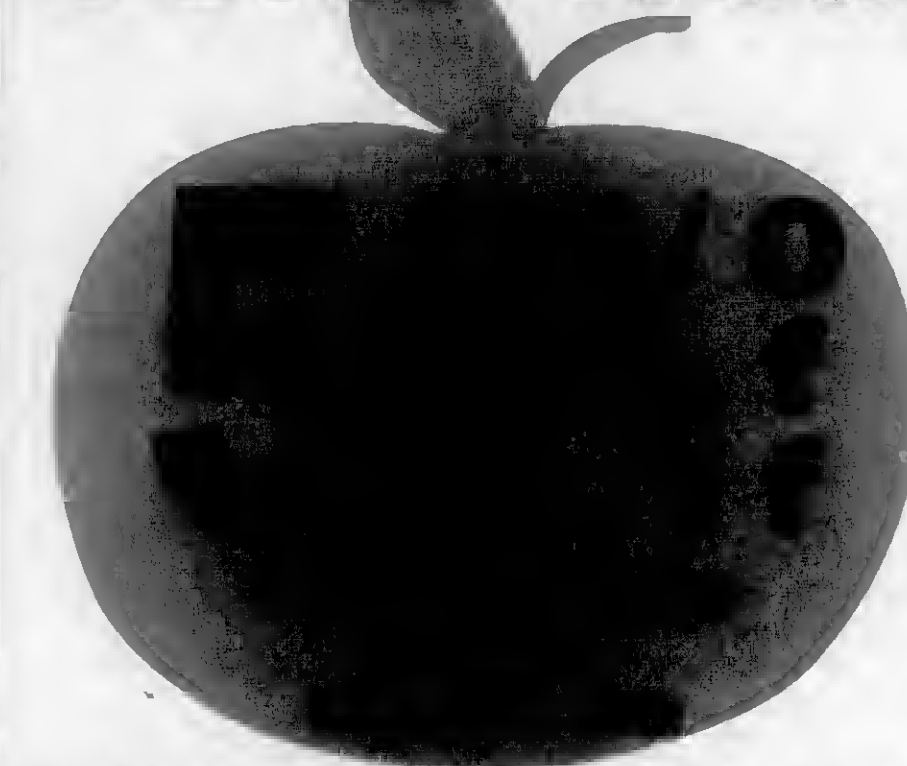
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Trees being harvested off of Martin Road

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

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The property that sits between Martin and Waller roads in Charlevoix Township looks as though it's being prepped for a big development. But, co-owner of the property, Elizabeth Hoffmann said she's harvesting the land and selling the wood.

Hoffmann added that all the trees will not be removed.

Elizabeth said the large vacant property originally belonged to Native American Charlevoixan, Andrew Aish-Ke-Bug who sold it to Anne Martin after a year of ownership.

Anne deeded the property to her son John in 1889. John cleared and began farming the triangularly shaped parcel until 1938 when he lost the property as a result of mortgage default.

It was sold at public auction to Willis "Doc" Kerns, a former Charlevoix druggist.

In 1955 Kerns sold the property to Elizabeth and her late husband Walter Hoffmann. Walter planted spruces and pines across the 50 acres to start a Christmas tree farm.

"The trees were supposed to be harvested when they were Christmas tree size," Elizabeth explained.

But after finding out about the costs and time involved in raising the trees, Walter abandoned the tree farm business venture.

She said because of its past, as the Martin farm prior to her family owning the property, the oaks and maples currently being cut are a maximum of 60 years old.

In the early 1970s Walter started out a second business venture involving the property. He and part-

ner, the late Clayton Scott, had the site rezoned from its original agricultural designation to planned urban development. But the project didn't go through and the property reverted back to agricultural.

In his will Scott left his half of the property to his wife, Daisy Scott of Birmingham and the other half Walter left to Elizabeth.

In 1998 Elizabeth offered to donate her half of the property to the school district to be used as the site of the new high school. But, the school district declined her offer, citing the amount of wetland as making the property too small for what it was looking to build on.

Elizabeth said that a creek used to run through the property but it was dammed when US-31 was built but the land is still about 50 percent wetland.

Since the Christmas tree farm days, some of the trees that the Hoffmanns planted have grown to full maturity, some have been stolen and Elizabeth said the area has been used as a local littering ground.

She said the site is already beginning to become a lush forest.

"Look where they have already cut you'll find new ash, red maple and oak trees. This will let the sun in and let the little ones grow. There are 10 inch oaks on the forest floor that are trying to grow, but they need sun," she said.

Elizabeth added that many local residents have called her about the work going on at the site inquiring about the deer.

She said by thinning the property out, the deer will be there "more than ever."

Charlevoix Township Zoning Administrator Bob Rajewski said the land is currently zoned commercial. According to the Charlevoix County building department, no permits for projects have been applied for, indicating that no developments are planned.



Machinery works to remove some of the trees on this 50 acre parcel located in Hayes Township, between Waller and Martin roads. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)



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CITY OF CHARLEVOIX REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING ~ SYNOPSIS October 1, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present. Council tabled a public hearing for a Zoning Ordinance amendment requested by Hoffman, Soderberg and Kirby, of Belvedere Avenue until December 3, 2001, 7:00 p.m.

Set public hearing date of October 15, 2001, 7:00 p.m. for consideration of a Revision to Tax Exempt Ordinance.

Set public hearing date of October 15, 2001, 7:00 p.m. for consideration of an application for a Tax Abatement for Harbor Industries.

Approved minor change to site plan for Supernaw, 808 Bridge Street.

Council adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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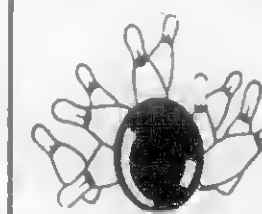
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The forum begins at 7 p.m. in Charlevoix City Hall.

Invited are Norman Carlson, First Ward; William Bellows and Douglas Way Jr., Second Ward; Shirley Gibson and Tom Rankl, Third Ward; and city clerk Elizabeth Gooch.

Five questions on current local issues have been sent to the candidates who also will be asked to respond to written questions from the audience. Mona Bergcon will act as moderator.

The non-partisan election is scheduled for Nov. 6.

County fire departments have drill

On Sept. 30, Charlevoix County fire departments had a joint "tanker drill," to practice their water hauling skills.

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Participating fire departments were Boyne City, Boyne Falls, Charlevoix, Charlevoix Township, East Jordan, Hudson, and Melrose.

Red Cross fund-raiser

Chefs from area restaurants are teaming up for a four-course, five star meal Oct. 10 with all proceeds going to the American Red Cross's Sept. 11 fund.

The event will take place at Mahogany's.

The evening will begin at 6 p.m. with hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. Dinner will be served at 7 p.m. The minimum donation is \$75 and all food, labor and tips are being donated. Checks should be made payable to the American Red Cross, with Disaster Relief in the memo line.

A Charlevoix High School homecoming



(Left) These Scream characters are not the latest rage in fashion at Charlevoix High School. The two boys dressed up for monster day, which was part of Spirit Week to prep students for homecoming. (Above) These three cheerleaders whispered back and forth during half-time at the football game Friday, trying to guess who would be king and queen. (Right) This senior float was just one of the many during the homecoming parade. (Photos by Julie Witthoef)



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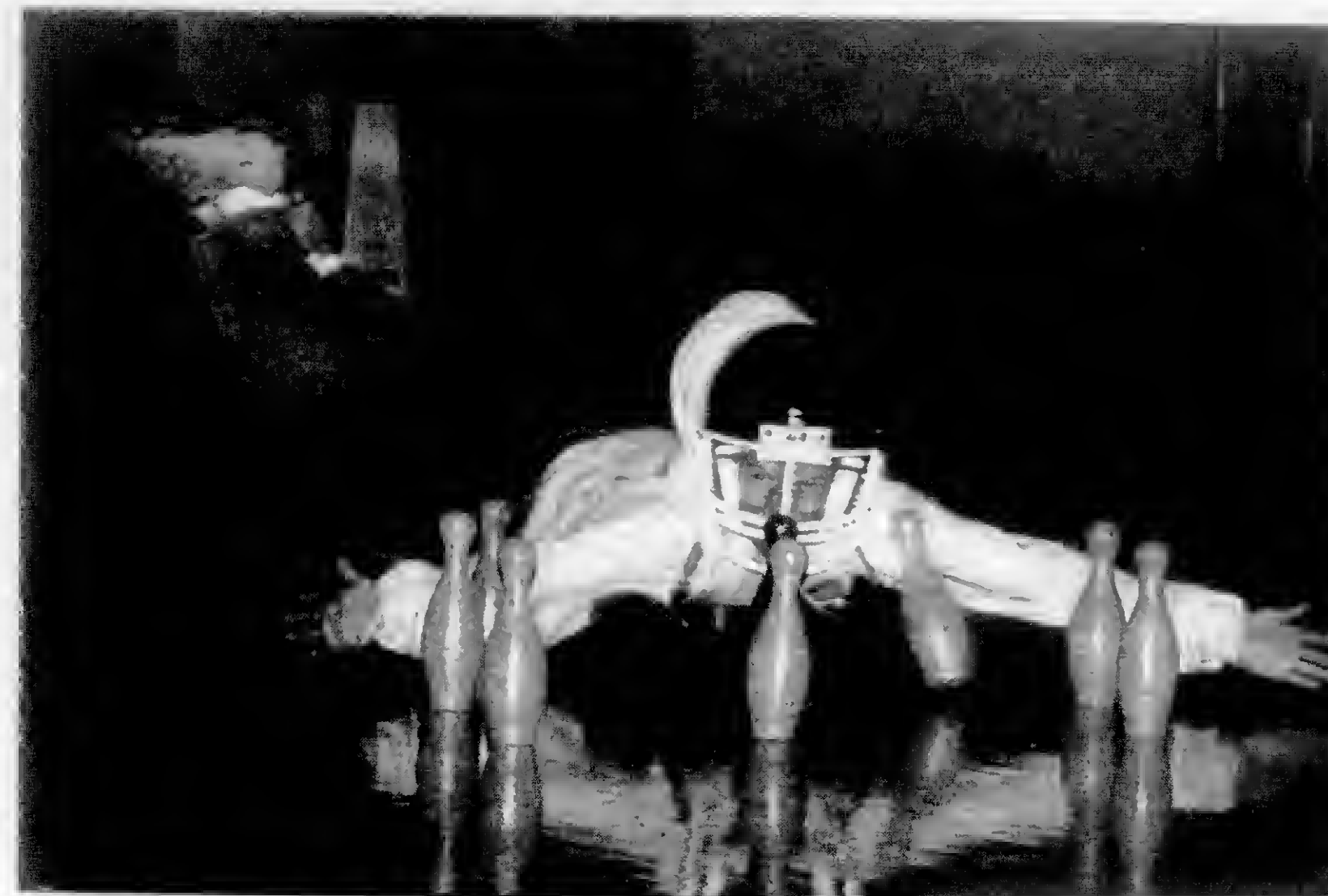
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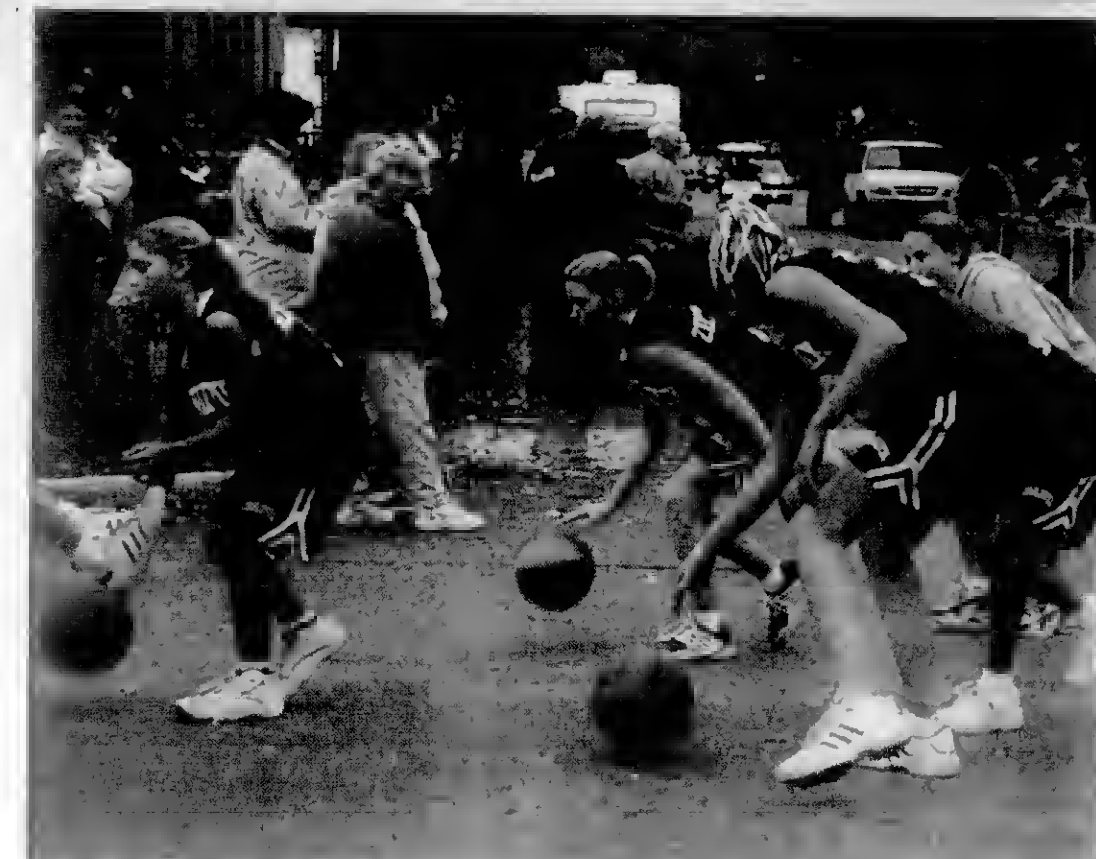
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(Left) This sophomore float took first place with its rendition of Las Vegas. (Above left) During Friday's pep rally at the high school, classes took part in their own style of bowling. (Above right) In addition to the fun games, each class performed a song for the crowd. (Right) The Middle School basketball players showed their stuff during the parade. (Float photo and basketball photo by Julie Witthoef. Others by Jeremy McBain)



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The meeting will be from 12 to 1 p.m. on Oct. 16 at the Health Agency office at 220 Garfield Avenue. Counselors and free materials will be available.

For those unable to attend we are also offering the Handling the Holidays seminar at 7 p.m. on Nov. 1 at Charlevoix Hospital. The Hospice Annual Memorial Service will be at 4 p.m. on Nov. 4 at the Charlevoix Methodist Church for anyone in the community that would like to join them in remembering someone who has died in the past year.

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Enrichment classes to be offered at school

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City borrows from self to pay for projects

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BUDGET

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A large transfer was required for completion of the Garfield Avenue sewer extension project. Council originally approved sewer construction along Garfield and then later agreed to extend a water line too. Originally there wasn't funding available to do both, but Wiesner said as more infrastructure projects were added to the list and bid packages grew the cost decreased.

The addition of the unexpected water line cost the city's perpetual care fund \$104,400.

A bill of \$10,000 was also paid by perpetual care following a second timing issue on Garfield. A Garfield Avenue resident wanted to build an addition on his home, but the proposed addition would run over a city easement that houses a storm sewer pipe.

Wiesner said it isn't a good practice to build over the pipes so if the addition on the house was to be built the sewer line would need to be relocated. Wiesner added that in order to plan for the future, the pipe size needed to be enlarged from 18 inches to 42 inches.

Because this part of the land is an easement from the city, the landowner will pay the cost of rerouting an 18 inch pipe and the city will pick up the remaining cost of the upgrade, \$10,000.

Landscaping and re-contouring work along the berm lining the entrance to the Charlevoix Municipal Airport was also not originally budgeted for but timing required

the project to get underway.

The city received a grant for the trees along the berm, but was counting on a project time extension for planting. However, the granting agency made their funding contingent upon the project being underway by Sept. 30. Wiesner said that in order for the city to utilize the grant the city had to borrow \$140,000 from the electric fund.

However, the sizable sum didn't leave the electric fund in jeopardy. In fact, Wiesner said the electric fund has been saving money for five years and currently has almost \$1 million that is not designated.

He added that he doesn't think the electric fund surplus is a reflection that user rates are too high. He said rates have not been raised in six years.

Another project that required more money was the Lake Michigan Beach project. Wiesner said the cost analysis showed the project would cost the city \$160,440.63 more than they had conceptualized.

Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority (DDA) has since agreed to fund \$81,273.28 which will pay for changes to the Park Avenue water tower park area. City treasurer Rick Brandt said the DDA has over \$300,000 in project funds from which to draw.

Parts of the park project were scratched from the plans in order to account for the remaining shortage of \$79,167.35.

Another major infrastructure project in the city this year is the acquisition of the Wharfside building. Wiesner said it has been a city

goal to purchase the lakelront property between Mason and Clinton streets since 1896 when everything was privately owned.

"We would have solid buildings between Bridge Street and Round Lake. What would Charlevoix be if the city didn't buy any of that property? It makes the park that much nicer," Wiesner said of Round Lake waterfront land acquisitions.

In 1998 the city reached an \$800,000 purchase agreement with Rex and Ineke McCarthy who own the Wharfside property. But, the purchase agreement fell through.

Wiesner said Rex took the position that the city approached him

and he was happy with the building.

"We couldn't dent the armor," he explained.

The purchase agreement that the city recently reached with McCarthy was \$70,000 over what was budgeted. The extra cost was paid for using money from the general fund. This money will not be reimbursed next year.

Also included in the budget period was the relocation cost of Marion Center Road. The \$250,000 price tag on the project included the purchase of property. Wiesner said the city felt the Harbor Industries expansion project "hinged on the road relocation."

He said conditions at the intersection of US-31 and Marion Center Road have since improved as is evidenced by the drop off of the accident rate at the site. He added that the city still owns an unused corner of the property that they hope to sell and get back the \$250,000 relocation cost.

Wiesner said that all the transfers mean the city will not be reconstructing Chicago and Mercer avenues and running a water main as was planned. He added that this project will most likely be on a one year delay but he expects it will still be on the top of the list once the city is ready to undertake more infrastructure projects.



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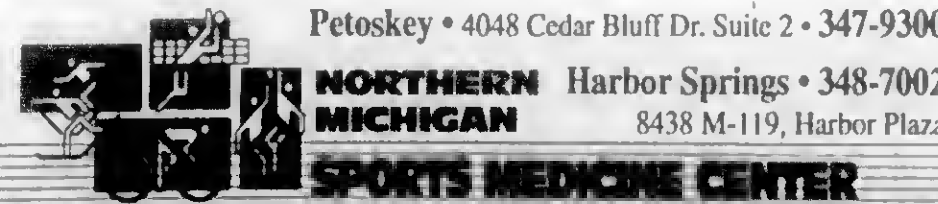
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Plaintiffs take their case to the Appeals Court

SCHOOL

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Sturock echoed Pajtas' ruling when he said that the extension is part of what the district has to do to service the site of the new high school.

But, Tunison disagrees with both

Sturock and Pajtas. He said he's a plaintiff in the case because he likes to see things done right and just because other schools have done it that way doesn't make it right.

"I'm not against the school (the new high school on Marion Center Road); they should have a sewer but do it the right way," he said.

Tunison added that the right way

to put a sewer into the township is not for a school to fund it. Rather, it's to create a sewer authority and then bring it to public discussion, he said. The two groups will then come together and decide how to manage the sewer into the future.

He said the township's master plan shows a sewer running up M-66 and then going to the school property.

Tunison believes by bringing the case to the appellate court, other school districts facing similar problems will have a voice.

The appeal was entered with the Lansing Court of Appeals by attorney for the plaintiffs, Jim Olson of Olson and Bzdok in Traverse City. Olson filed the claim of appeal on Sept. 27, just 13 days after Pajtas dis-

missed the school.

Plaintiffs in this case include: Tunison, Kenneth Stacey, Robert G. Mossman, Paul Richards and Joseph Seidel.

Defendants in the case are Sturock, the Charlevoix Board of Education, Charlevoix Public Schools and the Charlevoix Public School District.



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Erika and Taylor Smith, both in third grade at Charlevoix Elementary School, took a break from classes to sign this poster that will be sent to the victims of the terrorist attack that took place Sept. 11. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

Official Notice

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Charlevoix City Council will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 15, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720 to receive public input to discuss a proposed Tax Exemption Ordinance. This is an ordinance to provide for a service charge in lieu of property taxes for a proposed multiple family dwelling project on May Street for persons of low income to be financed or assisted pursuant to the provisions of the State Housing Development Authority Act of 1966, as amended and to repeal Ordinance 668 of 2001.

A complete copy of the proposed language is available at the City Clerk's Office.

Interested citizens can make comments at the public hearing or written comments may be sent to the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, Michigan.

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SPORTS



Candace Boss, of Charlevoix, fights off a couple of defenders in a recent basketball game against East Jordan. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Charlevoix Yacht Club Fall Series standings

(Yachting Notes' A. Nony Mouse is on vacation. Questions? Mike Miller, 547-6167.)

Spinnaker I: GOTCHA, HOI POLLOI, HOOTIE, WINDRUNNER and J HAWK. Standings, no drops: HOI POLLOI 6, WINDRUNNER 19, HOOTIE 21, tie; SLAPSHOT, GOTCHA and J HAWK 25 and LOCO MOTION 27.

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Basketball team on top

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix varsity girls' basketball team is alone at the top of the Lake Michigan Conference following its 64-61 win over Kalkaska Oct. 4.

"I have been nervous all year about playing Kalkaska," said interim coach Jim Parrish. "I always expect them to be tough."

And a tough game it was for the Rayders, as the game was back-and-forth but ending in a fourth quarter drive that finally put them on top.

"We try and do well in the fourth. They did it again," Parrish said.

The top scorer was Jennifer McClellan with 17 points. Katie Swenor was next with 13, followed by Grace Farrell with 11, Krista Swenor with nine and Kathryn Ricks with nine. Katie Swenor also had 10 rebounds and Farrell had nine rebounds. In assists, McClellan had seven while Ricks had four.

Both Charlevoix and Kalkaska were undefeated going into this match-up Oct. 4 and both play similar types of ball. But, this win leaves Charlevoix in first place of the Lake Michigan Conference.

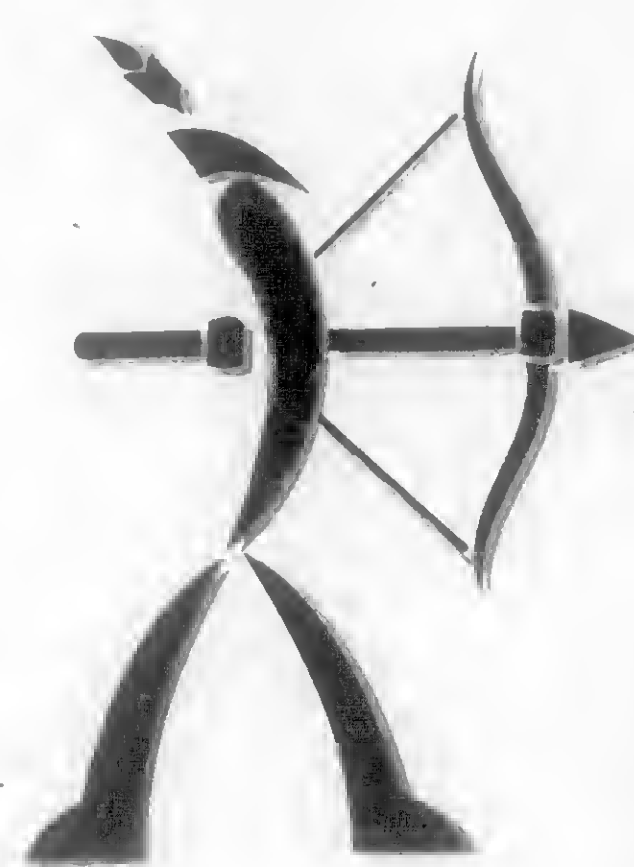
The Kalkaska win came after a win against Traverse City St. Francis on Oct. 2, 53-46.

The high scorer for this game was Farrell with 25, followed by Ricks with 10 and Katie and Krista Swenor both with nine. Farrell also had 13 rebounds and Katie Swenor had nine rebounds.

According to Parrish, this was another game where the Rayders were down at the half, but came back in the fourth to win it. However, he said it was probably the best game the team has had this year, as far as getting the ball inside and letting Farrell do the work.

Parrish added Kati Swenor did a great job playing defense.

As of these two games, the basketball team is 8-2 overall and 6-0 in the conference.



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Golf team on a winning streak

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix golf team continues to shine on the course.

On Oct. 5, the varsity team came in fifth place out of 14 schools at the Traverse City Invitational.

According to coach Jim Glynn, this is a strong tournament that brings in most of the state ranked schools.

"This was a good showing and a good tune-up for the regional at Grayling, (Oct. 12-19)," he said.

Of the Charlevoix team, David Shearer was the top scorer with 74. Other scores were: Allen Brooks with 87, Nick Cole with 86, York Smith with 90 and Jordan Nystrom with 93.

This match came during the same week as the Rayders first place victory Oct. 2 in their last Lake Michigan Conference match. With a score of 328, the Rayders beat out Traverse City St. Francis, Harbor Springs, Elk Rapids, Kalkaska, Boyne City and East Jordan.

Shearer was the top scorer for the day with 70. This also put him on the 2001 All Conference team. This score was also two under the school record.

Other scores were: Brooks with 85, Nystrom with 86, Smith with 87, Kreg Wager with 91 and Cole with 92.

Brooks and Nystrom were both named honorable mention on the 2001 All Conference team.

"It was a super team effort," Glynn said. "They were ready and they had a nice round."

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

Rayders win homecoming game

Ryan Rafacz did his part to set up a showdown this week in the Lake Michigan Conference, scoring three touchdowns and netting 217 yards from scrimmage to lead Charlevoix to a 32-18 win over Elk Rapids.

The Rayders host fellow conference unbeaten Boyne City this Friday in a game that will likely decide the league crown.

"He (Rafacz) just has a knack to get the ball when it's in the air," Charlevoix coach Todd Klinger said. "Whether it's high or low or he has to get into another gear, he just goes and gets it."

For the second straight week, though, the Rayders were forced to

come from behind. They fell behind the Elks early 6-0. Charlevoix's Kyle Dobrowolski blocked the extra point.

Following a Dennis Avery interception, Rafacz scored on a 10-yard run to knot the game at six-all. The Elks took a 12-6 lead later in the quarter but junior signal-caller Nate Teuscher responded by hitting Rafacz with a 19-yard scoring strike. Teuscher's extra point kick gave Charlevoix the halftime lead at 13-12.

Following the homecoming festivities at the half, a fired up Rayder squad was buoyed by a Matt Kochanny punt block giving Charlevoix possession at the Elk 42. Two plays later, Teuscher hooked up again with Rafacz, this time for 41 yards and a score.

Jeff Urban and Todd Carey each ran for touchdowns as well, as the Rayders upped their lead to 20 points before a late Elk Rapids score made the final 32-18.

"I felt that coming on with it being homecoming, it'd be tough to have a real crisp game with all the distractions," Klinger said. "Overall, I thought we played better in the second half. I felt all along that we were in control of the game."

Rafacz caught seven passes for 155 yards and rushed for 62 yards on only four carries. Urban ran 19 times for 81 yards. Teuscher was 9 for 17 for 171 yards.

Nick Schwein led the defense with eight tackles and a fumble recovery. Carey had seven tackles, including two sacks. Avery had two interceptions in the game.

Boyne City (7-0 overall, 4-0 in the league) visits Kipke Field Friday night to face the Rayders (5-2, 5-0) in a matchup of two high-scoring offenses.

Klinger gave a brief scouting report on the Ramblers.

"Boyne City has an excellent football team. Their offense is big play oriented," he said. "They run out of a spread, one back offense. They run wide with a lot of sweeps. They throw to the flat and let their guys run with it."

Boyne will be looking for revenge as the Rayders clinched the conference crown last year at Brotherton Field. Charlevoix will have not only their league championship to defend, but also a win will clinch a Rayder playoff berth for the second straight year.

Rayders' soccer team splits week

Cheboyan, the Elk Rapids squad thought they were going to march into Kipke field and destroy the young Rayder Team.

After going up 1-0 early it appeared that the Elks were on their way. Tilley then got into a groove, making stop after stop. He also had some massive punts and goal kicks which enabled the Rayders to get the ball out of their end.

This allowed Charlevoix's offense to get going. Charlevoix's best opportunity came midway through the second half when Serrels took a drop pass from Bryan, beat a pair of defenders and ripped a shot at the Elks net from the 18.

The Elks All-State goalie nicknamed "The Wall" made a great save to preserve the shutout. Elk Rapids added a late goal to finish

the scoring in this closer than expected contest.

Coach Josh Block credited his entire team for what he called the best loss he has ever had and feels that his team is starting to show signs of taking their game to the next level.

Charlevoix hosts Forest Area on Wednesday before traveling to Traverse City Christian to take on Leland on Saturday.

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Gutter Gals Oct. 4, 2001				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
W	L	Series	Game	W	L	Series	Game
Pine Lake Waves	64	36	60	Maury Dixon	550	234	
Argonne Supper Club	60	40	45	Jim Bowman	510	202	
Paul Bunyan Lanes	45	55	31	Chet Olanowski	522		
Burger King Charlevoix	31	69	89	Ralph Kilton	201		
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Monday Madness Oct. 1, 2001			
Jane Pittman	512	179		W	L	Series	Game
Mary O'Brien	463	172		Buzy Bees	132	68	
Mary Keen	453	145		Big Girls Enterprises	116	65	
Calby Sullivan	558	218		Joe & Co Hair Design	115	85	
Jane Pittman	558	218		Paul Bunyan Lanes	114	86	
				Flight Deck Top Guns	112	88	
				Friskery Farm Market	98	102	
				Argonne Supper Club	79	121	
				Team 7	0	80	
Men's Senior League Oct. 1, 2001				Church League Oct. 3, 2001			
W	L	Series	Game	W	L	Series	Game
Top Rank Disposal	11	5	6	Howard's Optical	150	100	
Mark White Paint & Stain	10	6	6	Paul Bunyan Lanes	141	119	
Cemex Cement	9	7	6	St. Mary's	136	114	
White Boyz	8	8	6	Martinecks	135	115	
State Farm	7	9	6	Ferguson & Chamberlain	131	119	
Central Drug Store	7	9	6	R & C Roofing	109	141	
Flight Deck Bar	7	9	6	Townhouse Bar	108	142	
Team 8	0	16	4	Lutherans	90	160	
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Young At Hearts Oct. 4, 2001			
Shawn Putman	620	247		W	L	Series	Game
Scott Kehrer	602	244		Sparetime	14	6	
Scott Dixon	602	244		Funny Four	11	9	
John Fiedorek	539	243		Has Beens	10	10	
				3 Guys & 1 Gal	10	10	
				Ally's Sals	10	10	
				Miffits	10	10	
				Irish Rollers	8	12	
				Twilighters	6	14	
Tuesday Night Ladies Secretary: Liz Meadows Oct. 2, 2001				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
W	L	Series	Game	W	L	Series	Game
Scott Mackinder	530	207		Randy DeYoung	636	241	
Jim Bowman	538	202		John Fiedorek	654	237	
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LEGAL 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE 86TH DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY OF
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Dated: 9/7/01
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FEDERAL CREDIT UNION,
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v
STEVEN M. SCULLY,
Defendant.

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Traverse City, MI 49686
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File No. 01-9140-GC
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ORDER FOR ALTERNATE SERVICE BY PUBLICATION AND MAILING
At a session of said Court held in the Courthouse in the City of Traverse City, County of Grand Traverse, State of Michigan, on the 7th day of Sept., 2001.

PRESENT: Honorable Thomas Gilbert District Court Judge
On the July 11, 2001, an action was filed by Plaintiff, against Defendant, in the 86th District Court, Grand Traverse County, MI. Upon hearing and consideration of the Plaintiff's Verified Motion, attesting to the fact that the exact whereabouts of the Defendant are unknown and Plaintiff having determined Defendant's aunt's address in Charlevoix; that therefore service upon Defendant of the Summons and a copy of the Complaint in this action cannot be otherwise effectuated, and it appearing to the court that the Defendant can best be appraised of the pendency of this action by the publication of this Order in a newspaper, and mailing to his aunt's address in Charlevoix;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Steven Scully, Defendant, shall serve his answer on Joseph T. Hubbell, Attorney for Plaintiff, whose address is 400 East Eight Street, Traverse City, Michigan, 49686, answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 3rd day of Nov., 2001. Failure to comply with this Order may result in a judgment by default against this Defendant for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this court.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this Order be published once each week with three consecutive weeks in Charlevoix and Chippewa County.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the first publication of this Order be made within 14 days from the date of entry of this Order and that prior to the date of the last publication of a copy of this Order, a copy of Order be enclosed in a properly sealed envelope, with postage fully prepaid, bearing the return address of Plaintiff's attorney, and same be deposited in the United States Mail addressed to the Defendant's aunt in Charlevoix.

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The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

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A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thurs-

day at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

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The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

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Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club's general membership meeting is 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, shooting times and activities, call the club at 547-2785. For membership information, call 547-0552.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-

3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m., Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

Charlevoix Senior Center lunches served at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Mondays through Fridays.

More accounts of the Champlain



Marilyn Boss

'Days gone by'

Less than two hours after the Courier edition of Sept. 19 came out with my article about the Champlain disaster of 1887, I received a call from Mary Dixon Moore.

She is a friend of mine who told me her great grandfather, Antoine Sharrow, was a passenger on the ship. Her mother, Elizabeth Sharrow Dixon, his granddaughter, had a piece of the mast from the ship which he clung to, making it to shore.

Antoine Sharrow was listed on the passenger roster as printed in the account of the tragedy in the Charlevoix Journal. He built the family home at 605 Norwood Road, located directly across the road from the Swanson Contracting business. Antoine would have been 45 years old at the time. His wife was Lydia Sharrow who died in 1934. Antoine died Nov. 3, 1909.

Mary Moore and her brothers Raymond, Thomas, Louie, Maurice and her sister Louise Dixon Wells have given this piece of the ship, which has been in the family attic for 114 years to the Charlevoix Historical Society.

Upon checking with old photographs at the historical society, David Miles discovered that the artifact we have is the oil lamp, which is mounted on a 15 foot mast at the very most forward position on the bow. The mast probably had a hinge on it so that it could be taken down to be refilled with oil. It is a generous gift and the society is very appreciative to have this artifact in the museum.

There is so much interesting information about the stories told by some of those who survived that I am going to continue writing many of these details.

The passenger list consisted of George W. Miller, Mrs. Harrison Bedford, Mrs. Ella Smith, Ms. Mary Wakefield, Robert Wilks, George W. Wrisley, Fred Wrisley, Antoine Sharrow and William Stevens, all of Charlevoix.

Also aboard were, Mrs. Jackson Ingalls and Ms. Ella Wilson and the captain, Edward Casey all from Petoskey; J.J. Rogers and his seven-year-old son from Fort Mackinac; Mrs. Michael Kehoe, Ms. Mable Kehoe, W.H. Albright, Mrs. Martin Beau, Ms. Aggie Beau and Ms. Ella Beau all of Chicago; Mrs. Mary Fall, Ms. Lulu Willard and Erastus Fall from Bear Lake; Captain

Charles H. Russell from Jackson; R. Whitman from Milwaukee; William J. Samson from Streator, Ill.; and Casper Schaub from Spring Prairie, Wis.

The dead from Charlevoix were: Mrs. Ella Cooper Smith, Robert Wilks and George Wrisley.

As the books of the boat were lost, and the clerk did not survive, it was never known just how many people were on board at the time, but the survivors gave the list of those they knew.

There were also passengers from other localities and a crew of 18, plus one white deck hand and 10 Indian deck hands who were unidentified. There is a plaque on a stone in the cemetery where the Indians are buried and I will elaborate on that later.

As written in the Charlevoix Journal of the time:

The following is an excerpt from the account of W.B. Albright, one of the survivors is especially poignant: "We all passed a very pleasant

day and evening. Just before midnight, while Mr. Russell, Mrs. Smith and her sister and myself were in the cabin, we heard the most unearthly shrieks. I afterward learned it was the poor engineer, who rushed up to the upper deck with his clothes all on fire, I returned to the cabin and told the ladies we would have to go out on the bow and get life jackets. An attempt was made to lower the boats, but we (the ship) were running so fast it could not be done. The flames kept crowding us more and more upon the bow. In less time than you can imagine, the fire came so close we had to jump into the water. George Miller was the first to jump and others followed his example.

I said to Mr. Russell, "When you get ready to go, tell me and I will follow you." I pulled the jack staff out and he said, "I'm all ready. It's too hot for me here," and he jumped. We struck away from the boat to get out of the heat which was so intense, I had to put my head under two or

three times. It was an awful site to see the steamer wrapped in flames with the smoke and fire rolling up and sweeping down over the water. In every direction people were struggling for life and crying out for help. My life preserver worked up so high on my back that I could hardly keep my head out of water. Mr. Russell and myself struck out for shore as well as we could, clinging to the jack staff. He became chilled though and in spite of all I could say, he became quite discouraged. Finally, he said he should perish with the cold if he did not get back to the wreck where it was warmer and he started back. That was the last time I saw him until I saw his corpse on the sand at daybreak."

Captain Edward Casey of Petoskey, after jumping into the water, pulled off his shoes and swam ashore, then got into a small boat and went back to rescue the floaters. There are many more accounts which I will write about in my next article.



Elizabeth Sharrow Dixon, holds a torch which came from the Champlain.
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October 12 • Noon - 6pm
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- Location: Downtown Charlevoix
- Area apple growers line East Park with 30 varieties of apples and Fall Harvest Sales.
- Food Booths with apple goodies galore.
- Craft Show featuring unique items for "Holiday Gifts."
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Business Briefs

Congratulations Ensign Stickley!

Ensign Richard Stickley, US Coast Guard, currently stationed on the USCG Cutter Acacia, has been accepted for Coast Guard Flight School. He departs in October for Pensacola, FL. Richard, our best wishes go with you.

Fall Color Cruise • Sat. Oct. 13

The Motorship Beaver Islander will sail at 3pm from the Beaver Island Ferry dock in downtown Charlevoix for a two hour fall color cruise. Cost is \$20 per person, and the cruise is sponsored by the Charlevoix Snowmobile Club and the Jordan Valley Trail Council. Tickets are available at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

- Oct. 12-14 - 22nd Annual Apple Festival
- Oct. 12-14 - Daffodil bulb sale - Charlevoix Area Garden Club (Marge 547-5421 or Rhea 547-5301)
- Oct. 23 - Halloween Party (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)
- Oct. 25 & 26 - Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild Book Sale 7am-2pm (Rosemary McGee 547-4260)
- Nov. 7 - Spagetti Dinner (Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373)

Welcome Aboard!

Ensign Jeremy Hall recently arrived to serve on the USCG Cutter Acacia. Ensign Hall is a recent graduate of the Coast Guard Academy at New London Connecticut.

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My Sister's Closet,

located at 1207 Bridge Street, was recently purchased by Patricia Dillon, a lifelong resident of Charlevoix. Pat invites everyone to stop by and see what she has to offer.

Jay Bingham

and the entire staff of Bingham Insurance Services, is pleased to announce they are now a locally owned and operated Independent Insurance Agency. The same staff, Donna DiMartino, Jeanne Way, Donnell Jones, and Shirley Ried-Daunter are excited to remain part of the team. Jay recently purchased the Charlevoix office of Fifth-Third Insurance. This agency has been serving the local community for over 25 years, and Jay stated he looks forward to many more.

No Ghost Ship

Based on heightened security measures throughout the US Military, the crew of the US Coast Guard Cutter Acacia regrets that it will be unable to host a "Ghost Ship" this year. We sincerely hope that we will be able, once again in 2002, to bring our haunted ship to the children of Charlevoix.

Business After Hours

The Charlevoix, East Jordan, and Bayne City Chambers of Commerce together will host a Countywide Business After Hours, Thursday, October 25th, from 5:30-7:30pm at Nanny's of Charlevoix. The event is sponsored by Raven Hill Discovery Center, Cellular One, Northern Michigan Title Company, The Learning Center of Northern Michigan, The Business & Professional Committee of Charlevoix Area Hospital, Nanny's and the Ironon Cave Landings. Don't miss this great opportunity to network with fellow businessmen and women from throughout the county.

First Friday Business Breakfast

The next First Friday Business Breakfast will be on Friday, November 2nd, 7:30am at Grey Gables restaurant. The featured speaker will be John Tharp, from North Bay Crisis Response Team.

Retail Committee

The next meeting of the Charlevoix Retail Committee will be Thursday, October 18, 2001, 9am at Stafford's Weathervane Restaurant.



Charlevoix High School Students are a Big Help!

THANK YOU to all the students of Charlevoix High School, and teachers who helped us cut cornstalks to decorate the downtown area for Fall - Danny Hedrick, Valerie Reiter, Jared Martin, Delos Lanterman, Jordan Plumm, Patrick Wilson, Will Potter, Devin Shottmiller, Joey VanLoo. We especially thank Eric Meier, Chad Johnson, and Anthony Diaz for not only cutting the cornstalks but also working to tie them to the trees downtown. In addition, our special thanks to teachers Mary Lieberman and Dawn Hovie, who came out with the students to help the community. The Charlevoix Chamber also greatly appreciates the generosity of Ardeth and Tom Wieland who donated all the cornstalks to decorate our town. Thank You!

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Rain, rain, go away

Weather causes problems at festival

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Bad weather hampered this year's apple festival, causing damage to some crafters' tents and canceling the musical entertainment.

Crafters coming to Charlevoix for the festival were greeted on Friday with a steady rainfall. But, the rain let up Saturday morning and the streets of the downtown area became crowded with festival-goers.

However, the rain came back in the early afternoon and lasted the rest of the day. Many of the crafters in East Park packed up early and left as the crowds ran for cover.

The rain also shut down any hope of musical entertainment in Bridge Park on Saturday. Due to the water, crews could not turn on the electrical equipment and had to pack up.

By night, the rain mixed with a high wind that also caused problems. Several

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Coryn Richey, 7, of Charlevoix, hides from the rain under her homemade raincoat. The weather left many people wet and forced the cancelation of the music. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Retail could be coming to Hayes

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

A large piece of land in Hayes Township could become the site of commercial retail stores.

The Hayes Township Planning Commission came up with a split decision on a rezoning request made by Lange Limited LLC.

Lange requested that part of a 50 acre parcel of land in Hayes Township, on US-31, west of the Vidosh nursery, be rezoned R-4, residential and the remaining land be rezoned C-1, resort commercial. The property is currently zoned A-1, agricultural.

The planning commission voted to recommend to the Charlevoix County Planning Commission and the Hayes Township Board that the commercial designation be approved but voted against an endorsement of the residential request.

According to Hayes Township zoning administrator Ethel Knepp, Lange has since reapplied for all of the 50 acres to be rezoned commercial.

The property in question is located along US-31 north past Boyne City/Charlevoix Road. The parcel is owned by Country Club Park LLC which was founded by Charlevoix resident Rik Lobenherz.

Lobenherz said the rezoning request was made by a company interested in purchasing the land from Country Club Park LLC, Lange Limited LLC.

Lange, who Lobenherz said is not a Charlevoix resident, originally requested the property be rezoned resort commercial and multiple family residential.

Knepp said Lange originally applied for the portion of the 50 acre parcel that abuts the Vidosh property and is close to the Rod and Gun Club to be zoned C-1, commercial. The application also asked that the balance of the property be zoned R-4, residential.

See HAYES, page 21

Students make threats

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix City Police and Charlevoix High School administrators responded early last week to written threats of violence that were discovered by the school's counseling office.

City police chief Dennis Halverson said that three freshmen students had written graphic, threatening letters about other high school

students.

An investigation into the threats was conducted by the city police in conjunction with county prosecutor Mary Beth Kur. The two departments discovered that no violation of the law had occurred.

Therefore it was the responsibility of the school administration to handle the students who authored the letters.

"The school picked up the ball and followed through by meeting

with the parents and doled out the punishment," Halverson said.

In response to the punishment, high school principal Gary Grundman said, "This is a disciplinary situation that has been handled according to board policy."

Halverson said that the school's fast, firm reaction was wise, as they have now set the tone for how similar situations will be handled in the future.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Michael David Salagovich, 37, Springfield. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Kala Renee King, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Kristin Ryan Snively, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Douglas Edward Skrocki, 42, Boyne City. Attempted embezzlement, agent/trust, more than \$1,000, less than \$20,000. Bound over to circuit court.

Kyle Patrick Price, 18, Boyne City. Controlled substance delivering/manufacturing marijuana. Bound over to circuit court.

Jonathan Lee Snively, 19, Boyne Falls. Breaking and entering a coin operated device; conspiracy breaking and entering a coin operated device; possession of burglar's tools; and resisting and obstructing a police officer. Bound over to circuit court.

Jonathan Lee Snively, 19, Boyne Falls. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or subsequent. Attend alcoholics anonymous; \$500 in fines and costs.

Jonathan Lee Snively, 19, Boyne Falls. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or subsequent. Complete rehabilitative treatment.

Georgia Lee Turnbull, 19, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or subsequent. Six months probation, 80 hours of community service work; \$410 in fines and costs.

Ronnie Lee Ellenberg, 66, Owosso. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail, 40 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 43 days held in abeyance; \$895 in fines and costs.

David Paul Jankowski, 50, East Jordan. Driving while under the in-

fluence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 47 days held in abeyance; \$955 in fines and costs.

Raigan Rose Bowlin, 23, Mancelona. Larceny, under \$200. Nine months probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 82 days held in abeyance; \$540 in fines and costs.

Stephen Gerald Hawkins, 20, East Jordan. Larceny, \$200 or more, less than \$1,000. Jail for 130 days with credit for 11 days, serve 119 days; \$148 in fines and costs.

Kristene Ellen Wright, 37, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Nine months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$795 in fines and costs.

Leonard Leopold Lick Jr., 67, Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$795 in fines and costs.

Donald Lee Carroll, 27, Petoskey. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

William Christopher Markey, 20, Beaver Island. Minor in possession of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$220.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Angela Maxine Devers, 22, East Jordan. Arson-preparation to burn property, \$1,000 or more, but less than \$20,000. Three years probation; nine months in jail with credit for two days, serve nine months; \$98,705.79 in fines and costs.

Derek Charles Turnbull, 24, Boyne Falls. Controlled substance-

delivering/manufacturing marijuana. Two years probation; six months in jail with credit for two months, serve four months; \$560 in fines and costs.

Lori Gayle Bogart, 38, Charlevoix. Attempted FTD-theft/retain without consent. One year probation; 30 days in jail with credit for one day, serve one day; \$828.56 in fines and costs.

John Eric Giff, 36, Highland. Driving while impaired-third offense-felony. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license revoked; defendant shall undergo a substance abuse evaluation and follow any recommendations; six months in jail with credit for one day, serve six months; defendant shall complete 480 hours of community service work; \$1,260 in fines and costs.

Quincy Adam Olsen, 19, Charlevoix. Probation violation-stolen property-receiving and concealing-\$1,000 or more, but less than \$20,000. Jail for a minimum of two years and a maximum of five years with credit for 204 days; \$2,086.20 in fines and costs.

Raymond Lloyd Swadling, 41, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Two years probation; conviction reportable to the Secre-

tary of State; license revoked; defendant shall undergo a substance abuse evaluation and follow any recommendations; six months in jail with credit for two days, serve four months; \$560 in fines and costs.

Truchans Maple Syrup, 03590 Hemmingway Road, East Jordan, by James Truchan

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

David Lyle Wiebe, 20, Charlevoix and Amy Ouderkirk, 19, Charlevoix
Charles Justin Winnell, 21, Charlevoix and Breann Marie Daniel, 22, Charlevoix

Divorces
The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Leslie Reinhardt vs. Stacy Reinhardt
Amy C. Nelson vs. Michael E. Nelson
Kimberli DeRusha vs. David DeRusha

Births
Devin Austin Graham was born to Terri Schnizer and Robert Graham of Central Lake on Oct. 9, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Get lost this Halloween



Julie Witthoeft
'Stepping out'

When I first heard the Bolt Farm in Charlevoix was featuring a new corn field maze, I immediately thought of scary movies like The Shining and Children of the Corn.

But after taking a trek around I found this maze was much more Casper friendly than the bizarre story told in the two movies I had seen.

When I got into the thick of it I heard the giggles of Linda Moore's second grade students from St. Mary School in Charlevoix. They had excitedly ran ahead of the group and were winding their way toward what they thought was a way out.

I peeked through the stiff, but pliable, green leaves of the cornstalks only to see a flash of color from a bright pink hat attached to the round head of a young girl, who sprinted by and quickly made a left turn up another corridor carved out of the corn.

Even though we were cruising through the thick of the maze with Bolt Farm co-owner Cindy Bolt we were lost as lost could be. But the cool fall air and the crisp, colorful leaves on the trees made being lost great.

After the group agreed that we were in fact hopelessly lost and totally zonked from running up and down rows of corn, we made our way back to the farm. As we

walked, Cindy announced that before the group headed home there would be one more stop.

So, we trudged up a grass covered hill to one of the Bolt pumpkin patches. Kids quickly went to work scampering around to find the biggest pumpkin their little hands could hold.

Hauling the map from the maze, the pumpkin from the patch and an ear of Indian corn from the field they made their way back to minivans and on to home where I'm sure they took a long nap.

They were there to learn a lesson in the creation and consumption of products. A start to what will eventually evolve into the complex concept of capitalism.

For Cindy and her husband, Russ, production has been a way of life for over a decade. Cindy said they have been farming for 14 years.

Tucked away inside the family farm you'll find all the goodies that are their fall product. They carry sweet corn, wholesale pumpkins, a variety of peppers, apples, squash galore, decorative and useful gourds, pears, leeks, shallots, basil and fresh cut flowers.

If all those veggies aren't enough to convince readers that an afternoon outing to the Bolt Farm isn't a great idea, then I'll casually mention the clincher, what I like to call the frosting on the cake — the maze.

Everyone is bound to get lost in the corn maze. It may seem endless from the inside, but it's carved out of 10 acres of corn, which is a small chunk of the 220 acres of land the Bolt's own. From an aerial view, the maze, which was crafted by Brett Herbst of Utah, reveals a carved pumpkin and the words "Get Lost at Bolt



Cai Pan Merrill shows off colorful Indian corn she picked at Bolt Farm on Oct. 5 while touring the maze and picking out her Halloween pumpkin. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

Farms." They have contracted with Herbst to do the maze for at least the next three years.

Fresh produce and a mind bending maze aren't the only products at Bolt Farm. They also run a meat operation. Cindy said over a decade ago when she and Russ married, they only had four cows but the herd has grown to over 150 cows, calves and bulls.

See WITTHOEFT, page 17

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain
Oct. 9	61	32	.08"
Oct. 10	65	53	.02"
Oct. 11	67	52	.09"
Oct. 12	61	47	—
Oct. 13	55	49	.33"
Oct. 14	67	50	2.38"
Oct. 15	56	46	.11"

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OPINIONS

Is commercial really the answer in Hayes?

Call us concerned. Recently, moves have been made to rezone a portion of Hayes Township along US-31 into a commercial development right next to the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club. Currently the land is zoned agricultural.

The property was previously brought to the township planning commission for a rezoning to multiple residential zoning and resort commercial zoning. The residential rezoning was turned down, because — among others — the commission was not comfortable with having a residential area near the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club.

But, there are indications that a rezoning to straight commercial would be looked on as favorable by the commission because it abides by the township's master plan.

While we agree it is best for a planning body to follow its master plan, the creation of a commercial development in that area

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is concerning to us.

Sure, it may be beneficial to the people who live north of the bridge, but at what cost? First, there is the inevitable sprawl that it will create, then there is the issue of the gun club being right next door.

Why would it be better for a commercial area to be a problem next to the club, but not a residential area? This is confusing. A commercial development brings several more people to the area than a residential one and is generally louder than a residential one. So, how is this better than a residential zoning or even its present agricultural zoning?

In the aspect of sprawl, this rezoning could lead to some clustered commercial. This could mean a strip mall on the north side. Is this something the citizens of Hayes Township really want?

Maybe others will be concerned too.

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Benefit for the Red Cross called a success



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

The spirit in the room was almost one of defiance when 200 patriotic Charlevoixians stood proudly and sang "God Bless America."

Their voices rang to the rafters at the Charlevoix Country Club. Here, four local restaurants joined forces last Wednesday to serve a five course meal at \$75 a person with 100 percent of the proceeds going to the Disaster Relief Fund of the Red Cross, after the World Trade Towers disaster.

Acting as Mahogany's host, John Winn introduced restaurant owners Terry Left, of Terry's Place/Village Pub; Gary Anderson, of the Grey Gables and Chuck and Gina Whitney of Whitneys. Their original plan was to sell 160 tickets, but the demand was so great that 200 tickets were sold in 48 hours! After that, many people had to be turned away.

Lucky ticket holders were not disappointed when they entered the colorful dining room. Tables were decorated with large centerpieces of red, white and blue flowers, accented with American flags. As favors, guests received tiny American flag lapel pins. In addition there were two tall red, white and blue star studded candle cylinders on each table. As Chris Ventzke and Chris Martin alternated playing patriotic tunes on the piano, diners sang "America, the Beautiful." Impulsively they lifted the glowing cylinders high up in the air and sang with fervor, "And crown thy good with brotherhood from sea to shining sea!"

Such dramatic moments were accompanied with the sumptuous five



Lindy Smith shows off her patriotism at the Red Cross fund-raiser. (Courtesy photo)

course meal that was entirely cooked in Mahogany's kitchen. Beginning with hors d'oeuvres by Chef de Cuisine, Bill Baten of Whitneys, that included Oysters Rockefeller, the first seated course was presented by Chef de Cuisine Paul Bradley of Terry's Place, a crab-crusted whitefish with lobster mashed potato. This was followed by a spiced pear sorbet, courtesy of Mahogany's. Executive chef, Garrett Scanlon presented the entree, tenderloin of beef with wild mushroom hash and a cabernet reduction. Finally, Darren and Kelly Romano offered their Rose Cottage specialty, a white chocolate coconut cream tart, that Kelly accented with a 3 inch hand piped chocolate American flag.

Many of the guests wore red jackets and colorful head gear including attractive Lindy Smith, who caused much delight as she proudly displayed her red white and blue, star studded Statue of Liberty head-dress.

Both police chief Dennis Halverson and fire chief Doug Carver were introduced and accepted standing ovations. Thanks to the help of the contributors the grand total sum raised for this evening was \$18,472!

At the close of the evening, Winn invited all the chefs and wait staff to receive a hearty round of applause for contributing their time and talents to this momentous occasion. Winn chose just the right words to conclude by saying, "I hope this evening never needs to be repeated!"

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. Her columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.

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Letters to the editor

No playground

Editor: Depot Beach is a lovely, quiet place with a pavilion in keeping with our historic depot; a Victorian garden is being planned at the depot. Now comes the news that a playground is planned next to the pavilion. In my opinion a playground structure will destroy the ambience of this area. The pavilion is used for reunions, parties, family picnics, even weddings; a playground next to this would be disruptive to those events.

There are people who enjoy a swim in Lake Charlevoix and then a relaxing time on the beach reading a book or chatting with friends. As we are an aging population I would suggest that the character of Depot Beach remain as it is so there will be a place for those of us who appreciate its quiet charm. Children are certainly welcome and swings are there for them; they can play Frisbee and other games.

Presently we have three beaches of different character to appeal to different segments of the population; that is part of Charlevoix's charm and I feel it should remain so. Anne Marie Barnes Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor: It has truly been an honor to be able to serve the American Red Cross in a small capacity by coordinating the community blood drives in Charlevoix.

Since the tragic events of Sept. 11, I have seen and felt the Charlevoix area unite for the common cause of meeting

the needs of others.

I want to thank the exceptional young Charlevoix High School students who organized fund-raisers for the Red Cross and made appointments to donate blood and work at the blood-mobile Sept. 17.

The American Red Cross staff, who had already worked two 90 hour weeks since Sept. 11, arrived at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix on Sept. 27 in good spirits. They processed the maximum number of donors during the six hour period, collecting 122 pints of blood from 135 donors, 17 of which were first time donors.

In this difficult time, it has been heartwarming to witness the generosity, patience and kindness exhibited by all volunteers, donors, businesses and organizations who came forward to participate in the success of this blood-mobile.

I want to thank all of you, in advance, for considering the next Charlevoix community blood drive which is scheduled for Jan. 17, 2002. Your help will be needed by the sick and injured.

In the meantime, stay safe and warm. Ellen Schuiling Charlevoix Coordinator

Event was a success

Editor: Patriotism was the coin of the realm.

On Wednesday evening, Oct. 10, a patriotic "Disaster Relief Fund Dinner" was given at the Charlevoix Country Club.

One hundred percent of the proceeds went to the Red

Cross Disaster Relief Fund for the families of the fallen firemen and police officers killed during the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center.

Imagine the heroism demonstrated by the firemen and police officers. As every one was trying to run out of the trade center towers, these heroes were going in, running up the steps to save people. How lucky we are to have such dedicated professionals looking out for our well-being.

The planners and participants of this wonderful event were the owners, chefs and personnel from four of Charlevoix's fine restaurants.

Hosting and serving were Terry Left, owner of Terry's Place, his chef, Paul Bradley, and their personnel; Chef Garrett Scanlon of the Charlevoix Country Club and his personnel; Darren and Kelly Romano, owners and chefs of the Grey Gables and their personnel; and Chef Bill Baten of Whitneys and his personnel. Over 50 people worked on the project, donating their time and effort to the dinner.

Several Charlevoix business leaders also donated goods and services along with citizens giving anonymous financial support.

Honored guests included Sheriff George Lasater of Charlevoix County, police chief Dennis Halverson, Charlevoix City fire chief William (Doug) Carver and Charlevoix Township fire chief Curtis Thompson. These local heroes were given a

standing ovation at the gathering.

Every table setting had a picture of an American Eagle with a tear in his eye, looking down at the burning towers of the World Trade Center. Across the bottom it read, "To Honor the Fallen." Over 200 tickets were sold and over \$18,000 was raised, which will be sent to the Red Cross Relief Fund.

According to Charlevoix Country Club past president Robert Beaumont, people came from all over the state to be a part of this patriotic fund-raiser.

After the five-course dinner, patriotic songs such as Battle Hymn of the Republic, My Country 'Tis of Thee and America the Beautiful were sung. During the singing of God Bless America, a guest from Detroit lifted a red, white and blue candle over her head. Soon there were 40 other candles raised. With candlelight bouncing off the ceiling, everyone sang with their whole heart, shedding tears of pride. The room was bursting with patriotism and love for our homeland, America.

It was a clear message to the terrorists from this small community that has a heart. The message is that America and its citizens are united in support of their nation during this time of need and tragedy. God bless America and God bless the participants of this patriotic fundraiser.

Bill Schuiling Charlevoix

Where Is It?



Tell us where in the Charlevoix Area you think this is.

In an effort to add a little more fun to our lives and yours, the Charlevoix Courier is working on creating interactive areas of the newspaper for our readers. In the spirit of this, we are announcing the creation of a new contest called, "Where is it?"

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

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Answers for the 10/17 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m. Wednesday, October 24.

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Wedding

Balch — Gallant

Stephanie Ann Balch and Richard Alan Gallant Jr. were wed on Sept. 15.

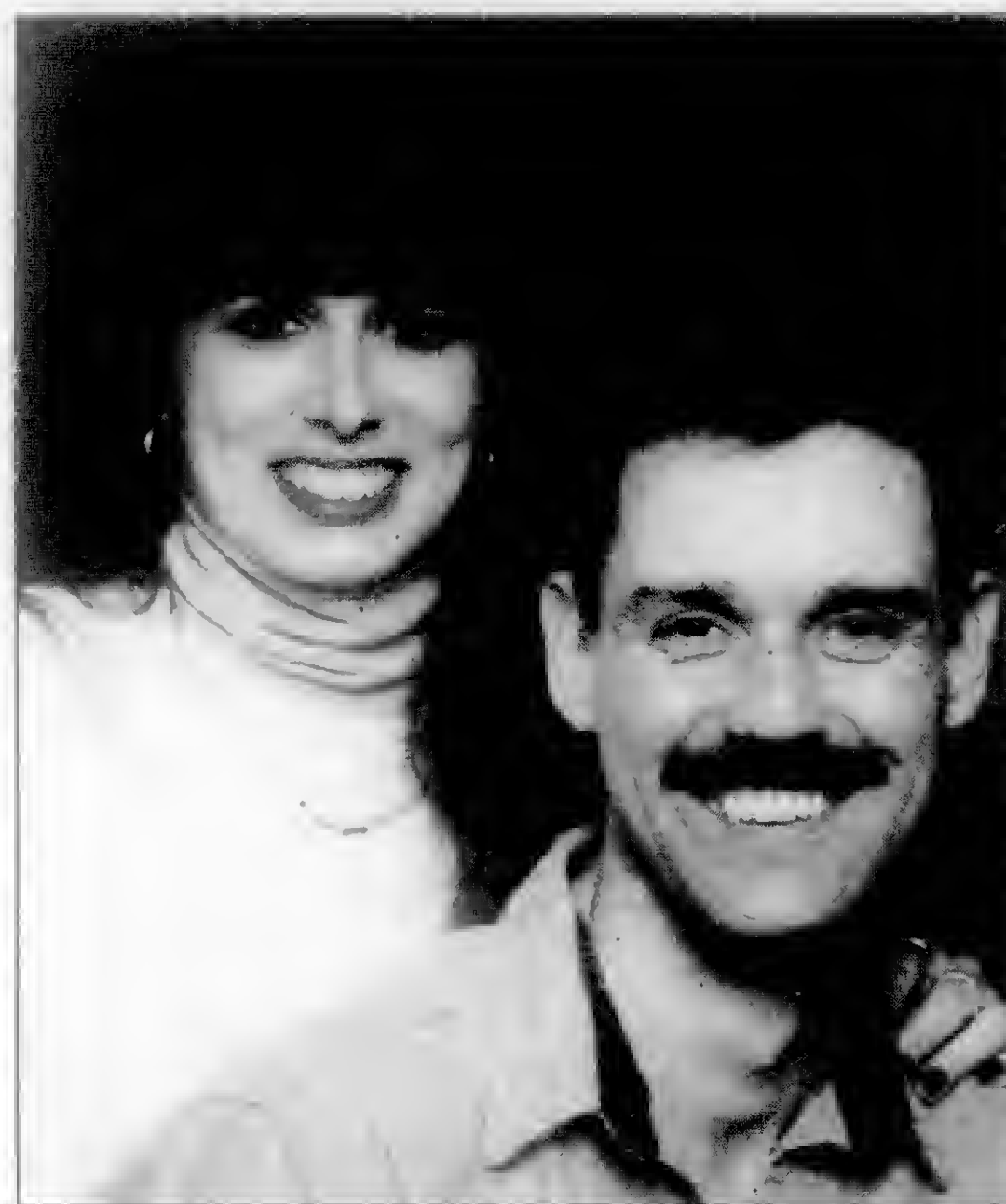
Stephanie is the daughter of Ronald "Bud" and Deanne Balch of Charlevoix. Richard is the son of Dick and Barbara Gallant of Charlevoix.

The ceremony took place at the UCC Congregational Church of Ironton. The Rev. Rex Kihler of the First Christian Church of Petoskey officiated the double ring ceremony. Louise Cole provided musical accompaniment.

Bambi Balch, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Dick Gallant, father of the groom, served as best man.

Following the ceremony, family and friends dined with the bride and groom at the Argonne Supper Club in Charlevoix.

The couple is currently making their home in Cape Cod, Mass., where Rick is currently stationed with the United States Coast Guard as an Aviation Electronic Tech First Class and H-60 Flight Mechanic. Stephanie is currently employed as an administrative assistant for an optometrist's office in Cape Cod.



Housing needed for Russian delegation

The Charlevoix Rotary Club is bringing a delegation of about 12 Russian journalists to the area to learn about the American publishing industry from Nov. 10-18 and needs home hosts for them.

The delegates are publishers, editors and directors of various Russian media outlets.

They are being brought to Charlevoix through the San Francisco based organization, Center for Citizen Initiatives. This organization is dedicated to economic reform in Russia.

Each member of the delegation must pass a rigorous screening process to take part in the program.

They will be visiting numerous publishing organizations throughout the area during the week — including the Charlevoix Courier and the Petoskey News-Review — and speaking with several business leaders.

In order to give the Russians a true taste of American life, the Charlevoix Rotary Club is looking for area residents willing to open their homes to the visitors.

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Wedding

Randall — Jarema

Molly Randall, of Ellsworth, and Tim Jarema, of Traverse City, were married on June 16 at St. Rita in Maple City.

Molly is the daughter of Bill and Betsy Randall of Ellsworth. Tim is the son of Chet and Judy Jarema of Sterling Heights.

The Father Chad Zielinski performed the double ring rites. Readers were Chris Randall of Ellsworth, Erich Randall of Fort Benning, Ga. and Jill Hebein of Ishpeming.

The bride wore a Dulciana and Italian satin gown with a natural neckline. She also had a simple back headpiece and an elbow length veil trimmed in satin ribbon. She carried stem-held, multi-colored Gerbera daisies.

The matron of honor was Kristin Podolinski, of Plymouth, a friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were: Nikki Louiselle, of Charlevoix; Kristi Graham, of Petoskey; Krista Jarema, of Charlevoix and Cynthia Jarema of Sterling Heights.

The best man was Don Malin, of Chicago. Groomsmen were: Tom Jarema, of Brighton; Matt Randall, of Ellsworth; John Jarema, of Charlevoix and Steve Hawn, of Traverse City.

Ushers were: Don LaFaive of



Traverse City and Steve Jarema of Boyne City.

A reception was given at the Park Place Hotel in Traverse City.

The couple went on a wedding trip to the Keweenaw Peninsula and the Porcupine Mountains.

They are making Traverse City their home.

The bride is a graduate of Ellsworth High School and Hills-

dale College. She taught for five years at Charlevoix Elementary School and is currently teaching at Crystal Lake Elementary School in Benzonia.

The groom is a graduate of Michigan State University and is currently working as the northern Michigan regional manager for Gulfmark Energy out of Houston, Texas.

Be careful out on the water this fall

The Coast Guard is warning boaters and sportsmen of the dangers of cold water.

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If you find yourself in the water, your first concern is to get out as fast as possible. If there is no way of exiting the water, then try to get as much of your body out of the water, by climbing on to any debris of floating objects. Get help as soon as possible.

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Grandvue honors its past volunteers

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Many family members, staff members, residents and friends were present for the 12 volunteers being honored.

Cheryl Sothard, activity director, shared that when long-time volunteer Bill Gaunt passed away this last spring and there was such an outpouring of grief among residents and staff, that became the impetus for the special plaque.

This memorial will now honor all such volunteers whose service has so positively impacted the lives of the residents and staff who live and work at Grandvue.

The inscription on the plaque reads, "In Lov-

ing Memory and Tribute to the volunteers who have been such an important part of our team at Grandvue. These people have shared their time, patience, understanding, compassion, talents, good humor and positive attitude — all for the benefit of our residents. The volunteer spirit of these wonderful friends will live on forever in our hearts and continue to provide us with hope and inspiration."

Volunteers who were honored include: from Boyne City, Jim Genc, Alice Cooper and Jim McNeal, from East Jordan, Helen King, Bertha Groesser, Al Crowell and Bill Gaunt; from Ellsworth, Ken Peebles and Lynn Carpenter; from Central Lake, Lloyd Burns and from Charlevoix, Bob Nowakowski and Mary Margaret Geiken.

Use your candy money to help the Sept. 11 victims

By FR. JIM GUNN
Christ Episcopal Church
Charlevoix

At the end of this month we will encounter one of the more controversial observances commonly kept during the year - Halloween.

The other name for this is All Hallows Eve, which anchors it in the Christian liturgical calendar. It is the evening before All Saints Day, which is the feast of remembrance of all Christian saints, known and unknown.

However, down through the years this observance has pretty well been separated from its Christian roots and in fact has been discouraged by many Christian leaders. This is true because, in secular society, it has focused on things like ghosts, goblins, witches, vampires and the like. However playfully some people have meant these characterizations, they are still depictions of beings that are meant to inspire fear and, in many cases, are originally portrayed

Beacons of Blessing

as agents of evil.

There is also the whole concept of "Trick or Treat;" the idea is, of course, if you do not give a treat to those who come, then they may play a trick on you. Again, this is meant playfully by most people, but some have taken the opportunity (with or without treats) to play tricks that are harmful and sometimes vicious. With the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11 and the subsequent events, such as the cases of anthrax, (whether related or not), it seems to me that we have seen enough depictions of naked evil for a long time. In addition, this observance could be perverted by terrorists or other sick minds, to be a disaster for the young people of our country.

Let me issue a challenge to take a

different approach to Halloween. Why not take the money you would have spent on candy or other treats and give it to the relief efforts? Perhaps a gathering of friends to celebrate the lives of the saints who have gone before us could be an alternative to going out. In any case, my suggestion is to downplay the portrayal of evil and remove the trick or treat ("Give me something or I'll do something to you") and remember those who have died and celebrate the many heroes who have been involved in the recovery.

Many people have said it and it is true that life in the United States will never be the same. The tragic events of Sept. 11 have brought about a death of innocence — a destruction of confidence. It has also led many people to examine their lives and look to God for strength and direction and comfort. Let us celebrate the selfless giving that has so characterized the relief efforts instead of focusing on the satisfaction of our own desires.

Obituaries

Dr. Dennis Vincent Adams: March 12, 1949 - Oct. 11, 2001

Dr. Dennis Vincent Adams, 52, of Charlevoix and previously of Grosse Pointe Farms died in Lupton, Ariz.

A funeral mass took place at 9:30 a.m., Oct. 19 at St. Paul Church in Grosse Pointe Farms.

Dr. Adams was born March 12, 1949 in Detroit the son of Dr. Vincent Boucher and Irene Sharon (Tyll) Adams. He graduated from Austin Catholic Prep School, the University of Dayton and Wayne State University Medical School. He did research and his residency at the Heart Hospital in London,

England and continued his research and taught in Grenada, B.W.I. After practicing medicine throughout Michigan he was currently on staff at Fort Defiance Hospital in Arizona.

On Aug. 3, 1974 he married Katherine Dean. Dr. and Mrs. Adams moved to Charlevoix permanently in 1996.

Dr. Adams was a member of the Charlevoix Country Club, Country Club of Detroit, the Huntsman Hunt Club and Bayview Yacht Club. He was an avid outdoorsman and particularly enjoyed ski-

ing and fly fishing.

He is survived by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Vincent B. Adams of Grosse Pointe Farms, his wife Katherine of Charlevoix, children Caroline and Ashleigh both of Chicago, Ill. Sisters, Renee and Andrea and brothers, James and George.

In lieu of floral arrangements memorial contributions may be sent to the Susan B. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation c/o Komen Foundation, P.O. Box 650309, Dallas, Texas 75265-0309.

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Hospital project right on schedule

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

The largest expansion project in the history of Charlevoix Area Hospital is beginning to take shape — the changes will add 46,000 square feet to the facility.

The project includes major changes in three departments: the emergency department, the Intensive Coronary Care Unit (ICCU) and the Obstetrics Department and Family Birthing Center.

Clark Construction Company project manager Kip Linklater, who is in charge of construction at the hospital, said that the entire project may be completed as soon as December 2002.

Linklater is steering a construction crew of 16. The group is working diligently to finish the major excavating and footing work. This week they expect to pour the floors in an attempt to keep a step ahead of the unruly winter weather.

They hope to have the renovation area closed in before winter so they can work on the interior.

The hospital's public relations coordinator Tamara Stevens said the first order of business is the Emergency Room expansion, because the emergency department is significantly busier than it used to be.

A study conducted by the hospital in order to develop their expansion plan, states the emergency department had a 7.8 percent increase in traffic in the fiscal year 2001 (March 31, 2000 to April 1, 2001) as compared to the fiscal year 2000 (March 31, 1999 to April 1, 2000).

Stevens said the expansion of this service is the main driver for the project.

The new emergency room will be double the size of the current facility. The current emergency room will become the hospital's billing office. Once the new ER is complete they can move in without experiencing a lag in service.

Kip said walls in the new emergency wing will go up this week and it should be open in mid-July of 2002.

The project's second order of business is the expansion of the labor and delivery facility. Linklater said that the birthing center should be completed by the end of July 2002.

The expansion will double the number of Labor, Delivery, Recovery and Post-partum (LDRP) rooms to eight.

The ICCU will not be expanded in terms of the number of patient beds available, but will be upgraded to increase the quality of the service to a level Stevens said is "state-of-the-art."

The project planning study showed that heart related services like the EKG were in greater demand in 2001. In the fiscal year 2001 inpatient EKG numbers rose by 5.1 percent and outpatient numbers increased by 8.5 percent.

Kathy Johnson, the hospital's director of fund development and the

volunteer coordinator, said expansion projects at the hospital have occurred every 10 years. They moved to their current location from a building on West Hurlbut Street in 1954 and most recently renovated in 1991.

The hospital's project in 1991 cost \$3 million and made possible an obstetrical unit and surgical services. That project was completed in 1994.

The hospital announced their most recent expansion and fund-raising project in May of 2000.

After one year of fund-raising the hospital is \$900,000 away from meeting their \$6.5 million expansion goal.

"It looks like we will have it all by the end of the year," Stevens said.

The hospital's next big fund-raiser is Holly Daze, a holiday auction/celebration at the Charlevoix Country Club. The event is scheduled to take place from Nov. 23-Dec. 1. The live auction at the country club's Mahogany's Restaurant.

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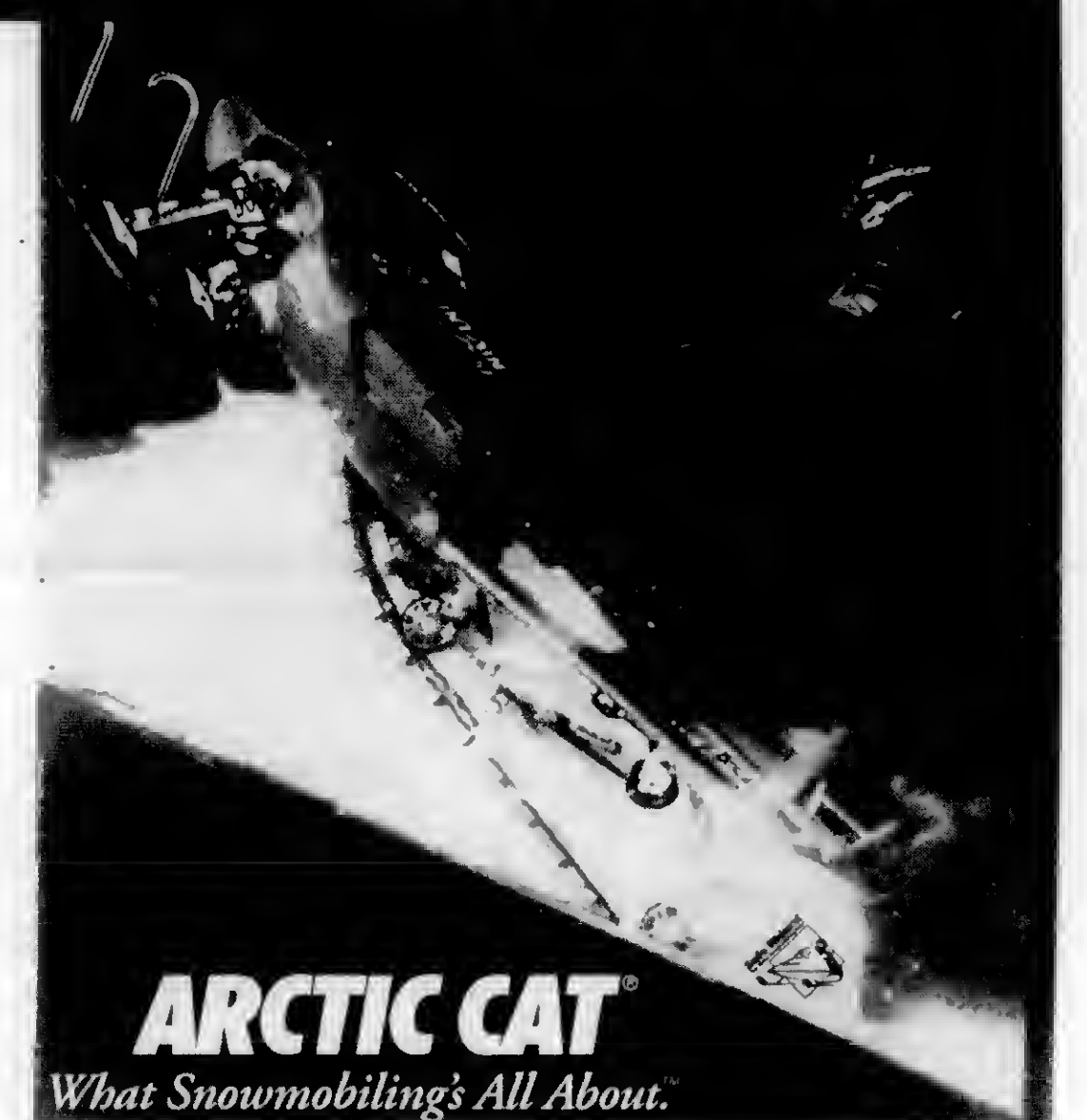
The site vice president of support services, Roger Sievertson and Clark Construction Company project manager, Kip Linklater, stand in front rooms that will overlook the water. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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Hospital expansion will serve community

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hogany's Restaurant will be Nov. 27.

Ground breaking to pursue this goal of excellent community care took place in April of 2001 and construction began in June.

Stevens said based on a facility needs study, the latest renovation venture is expected to meet the hospital's needs over the next 20 years.

But Johnson added that the 20 year window may change.

"The next renovation is dependent on growth in the community. Since 1991 there has been a 25 percent growth in the population in our service area," Johnson said.

"If we see that same growth over the next 10 years, who knows what that means," she added.

Johnson said that the expansion won't make the local hospital more competitive with Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey or Traverse City's Munson Medical Center. Instead she said the big change will expand the hospital's available range of services and will allow the staff to do what they do "very well," that is "serving the needs of the community."

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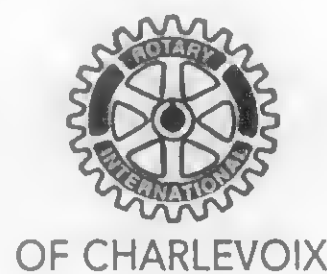
The Russian delegation will be visiting media businesses in northern Michigan the week of November 13-17 as a part of a program through the Center for Citizen Initiatives, a San Francisco based group dedicated to economic reform in Russia.

The delegation is composed of Russian newspaper and magazine editors, publishers and public relations directors. The Charlevoix Rotary Club, Charlevoix Courier and Petoskey News-Review are sponsoring their stay in the area.

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Clustered housing may be an answer

By JEREMY MCBAIN

Editor

(Editor's note: This is the second to the last story in a series on housing in Charlevoix)

Higher density housing in or near the city that is kind to the environment is one possible solution to the affordable housing crunch in Charlevoix, according to one environmentalist.

"What we have done traditionally with zoning is it used to be a cookie-cutter approach. Every piece was 10 acres," said Jo Anne Beemon. "But, it just scattered development across the county."

Beemon is the Charlevoix County drain commissioner, a Green Party member and a known environmentalist.

She said a better approach to development of housing is planned "cluster" housing with higher density that makes better use of the land.

"If we are going to develop the community, we have to change the way we think," she said.

However, Beemon said all development should be mindful of the natural environment.

"We have the opportunity to protect water quality, protect streams and rivers so we don't have beach closings. It means you are going to have to be willing to make strong and fair ordinances and we will have to enforce these," she said.

It is also important for this housing to be near the city. This will allow those living there easy access to libraries, grocery stores,

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retail stores and community activities, without the need for automotive transportation.

As far as locations, Beemon said we could convert some industrial sites that are no longer in use into housing sites.

However, she said bringing in affordable housing will be hard, because there is no incentive for developers.

"The land values are astronomical in Charlevoix. If there is no incentive (to build affordable housing) people are going to build housing that generates more of a profit," she said.

It is vital for the community to get interested in affordable housing, because it is needed desperately in this area, Beemon added.

"You are going to have to subsidize housing or give developers perks," she said. "I don't see anything in that direction right now."

If that isn't working, Beemon said we may have to pay workers in Charlevoix more money.

"If we don't do that, we are saying they have to live somewhere else. But, people that can't afford housing, a lot of times they can't afford dependable transportation. I contend that you are going to have to pay to get your workers to work," she said.

Beemon also said the city may need to explore building its own affordable housing.

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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any further information on these reports please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 10 a.m. on Oct. 12 in the parking lot of Standard Fed-

eral bank on M-66.

Sometime between 11 p.m. on Oct. 11 and 7:30 a.m. on Oct. 12, someone broke into Charlevoix High School and took a computer. There are no suspects at this time.

A possible domestic situation was reported around 2 a.m. on Oct. 11 at Pine Cove Apartments on May Street.

A vehicle received some damage on Oct. 8 while parked in the Glen's parking lot on M-66.

There was a domestic argument reported around 10 a.m. on Oct. 7 on May Street.

Some jewelry was reported stolen on Oct. 7 from a home on

Lincoln Street.

A 15-year-old Charlotte boy was arrested for stealing a pack of cigarettes around 10 a.m. on Oct. 6 from the 7-Eleven on Bridge Street.

There was a two vehicle accident around 4:30 p.m., Oct. 5 near the intersection of Bridge and Carpenter streets. No injuries were reported.

A car rear-ended a bus around 4 p.m. on Oct. 5 near the intersection of Michigan and Pine River avenues. No injuries were reported.

A man was arrested for disorderly conduct around 8 p.m., Oct. 4 on the 200 block of Antrim Street.

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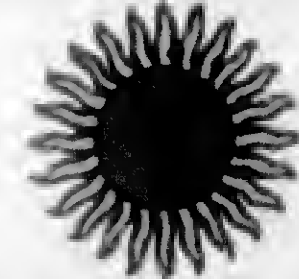


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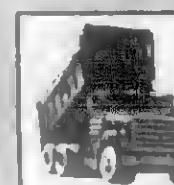
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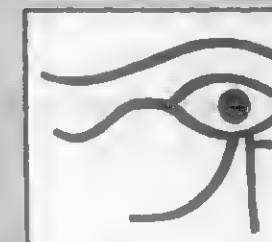
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Rain dampened the fun at Apple Festival

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tents used to protect crafter's merchandise in East Park caved in or were blown away.

On Sunday morning, East Park was filled with damaged tents and water. Luckily the rain had stopped and some of the crowds came back.

One of the tents that was torn off the ground by the wind belonged to the Xi Epsilon Gamma sorority. According to sorority member Dianna Phillips, of Charlevoix, the group managed to repair the tent and get it standing again on Sunday morning.

Liz Kantzer, of Rocky Top Farms in Ellsworth, discovered her tent's roof had caved in on one side. She said most of the merchandise in the tent had been put in the middle, thus saving it from getting too wet.

Kantzer added sales were pretty good on Saturday before the rain, but slowed down greatly by Sunday.

Susan Simington, of J&S Silversmiths in Mancelona, also reported brisk sales on Saturday before the rain and slow sales on Sunday. She added she anticipated the weather on Saturday afternoon and took all of her merchandise out of the tent before she had left that night.



Above, this tent belonging to the Xi Epsilon Gamma sorority was found twisted and upside down Sunday morning. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Shelly Conley and her son Clay, 2, of Gaylord, enjoy the geese at the petting zoo. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Above, a juggler entertains the crowd with his flaming act. Below, Heidi Friske, 14, of Ellsworth, sells some apples at the Friske booth. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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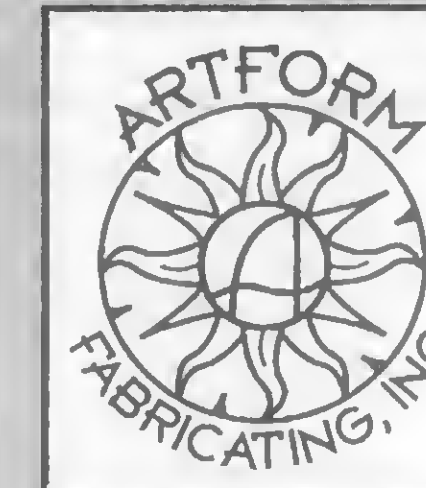
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Shirley Gibson, Third Ward
Why do you think you are the best choice for Charlevoix's City Council?

Because I'm an environmentalist and I care about the community and what's happening to it.



Shirley Gibson

I think we have to be careful now about maintaining the uniqueness of Charlevoix and why people come here. And if we start destroying those reasons we're not going to have a viable downtown and people aren't going to come here anymore. We can't be everything; in other words we can't be a huge industrial center, we cannot be a huge convention center. We can't have a huge marina with more boats. That would be an environmental disaster

with the water and air pollution involved in that situation.

What is your position on the city expanding the marina?

I'm totally against it. I can understand some repair work down there; I'm sure that that's needed. But, an expansion would be an environmental disaster.

What do you see as the biggest challenge facing the city of Charlevoix?

To keep things in perspective which goes back to what I just said. They can't be everything they can't. They have to decide what they want to be and I don't want to lose the sense of community that Charlevoix has and I think there needs to be more individuals in the area involved in our government and how things work and have a say in what happens.

Some have argued council is out of touch with the wants, needs and opinions of their constituents. How could you bridge this gap?

I will always be available for phone calls or to meet with them if they wanted me to. I think I have a feel through the voters I've talked to already; I think I have a feel for how voter feel in Charlevoix.

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Bolt Farm has what you need for Oct. 31 WITTHOEFT

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The cows are hard work, but Cindy said the 15,000 tons of pumpkins they harvest every year keep them hopping.

Seeds for the crop are planted in early June. Those who are given the daunting task of scooping pumpkin seeds may have a hard time believing the little buggers are hard to come by. But Cindy said they can't be used to make new pumpkins, the seeds are patented.

Over the years she and Russ have found the seeds that grow best on their land and in this climate — hardy seeds. She wouldn't divulge the exact name of the seed they use because that is the Bolt secret to success.

It may seem easy to sow the seeds and pick the pumpkins, but pumpkin farms are a little more complex than that.

First they are expensive to grow. Cindy said they have to pay for fertilizer, insecticide, hoeing, harvesting, getting the pumpkins to market, marketing and advertising.

As they ripen, they start to look really attractive to the Bolt family animal enemies: deer and squirrel. Deer and squirrel are pumpkin predators who burrow into the pumpkin and eat its seeds causing thousands of dollars worth of damage a year.

Once markets buy them from Bolt's they are consumed by the purchaser and secondary buyers. Bolt pumpkins are consumed in Charlevoix and across the country from Texas to Illinois to Indiana.

Pumpkins range anywhere from \$1 to \$10 depending on size. Cindy said their prices are so reasonable because they harvest so many.

So that's the principal of production and consumption alive and well in Charlevoix. Get a first hand look for yourself by visiting or organizing a group outing. To get there take US-31 South and turn left on Atwood Road which is 200 yards past the Friske Market.

Groups of 50 are the maximum the Bolt Farm can accommodate.

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A young girl tries to find her way through the corn maze at the Bolt Farm recently. From the air, the corn maze design is a pumpkin and the words "Get lost at Bolt Farm." (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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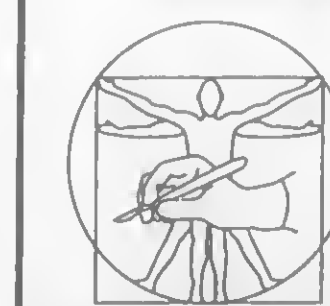
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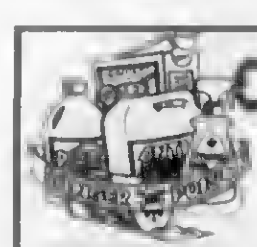


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Charlevoix officer called to duty

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Many local servicemen have been called to duty following the attacks on America that occurred Sept. 11 including two Charlevoix city policemen.



Jim Schlappi

"I didn't hear anyone complaining down there (at Camp Grayling.) In my section, we are from throughout the state. Ev-

eryone showed up and jumped into what their job was," city policeman and National Guardsman Jim Schlappi, 35, said.

On the morning of Sept. 11, Schlappi was starting up his computer to check his e-mail before he went to work.

He passed through Yahoo's home page and caught a blurb on the banner that said a plane had crashed through one of the World Trade Center's twin towers in New York City.

After hearing the news Schlappi made his way to the station, located on the main floor of Charlevoix's city hall. When he arrived at work the TV was on and he watched as the second plane slammed into the

second tower at the World Trade Center.

As the day progressed and talk of terrorism filled every home and business in the nation Schlappi knew he would be called to duty.

He said he was planning on getting a haircut that afternoon so he headed for the barber.

"I told the barber to cut it short because I knew I would be activated," Schlappi said.

Around 8:30 p.m. that night Schlappi's phone rang and he was told that he had been officially activated by the State of Michigan. He was instructed to report to Camp Grayling by 8 a.m. the next morning.

He contacted a friend to take care

"This is just part of the job."

Officer Jim Schlappi,
on his call-up to the National Guard

of his dog and to check in on his house, packed up about a week of clean clothes, jumped in his truck and headed south.

Schlappi said the last minute notice was inconvenient, but he didn't mind.

"This is just part of the job," he said.

This wasn't the first time he had been called to duty. Schlappi was on active duty with the Army from 1986 to 1990. In 1986 when Libya was bombed, he was completing ba-

sic training. Then, in 1991 he was called from the inactive reserve for Desert Storm.

In January of this year he re-enlisted in the National Guard, a one year commitment. Schlappi said he planned to re-enlist during last weekend's drill sessions at Camp Grayling.

He was able to return to Charlevoix Sept. 30.

Schlappi said he couldn't divulge information related to the orders he was given.

TeamKid meetings to be every Wednesday at church

TeamKid will be meeting Wednesday evenings from 7 - 8 p.m. at Safe Harbor Baptist Church in Charlevoix.

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WATCH to have hearing on marina expansion

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Members of Water and Air Team Charlevoix (WATCH) are hosting a community forum to discuss marina renovations at 7 p.m. Oct. 29 in Charlevoix city council's chambers at city hall.

Former WATCH president Jerry Puhl addressed council at their Oct. 15 meeting about the environmental organization's concerns.

Before Puhl addressed council, mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell stressed to those in attendance that the city currently has no set plans for the marina project.

Puhl said that WATCH and other environmental organizations are concerned about the environmental impact if the marina is extended 400 feet into Round Lake.

He also mentioned concerns about the disruption of the serenity and beauty of Round Lake.

Puhl explained that in a Lake Charlevoix study conducted by WATCH, over 400 people were surveyed, the majority of whom said that they most often used the local lakes for viewing.

"A marina of this size (the size shown in blueprints available at city hall) will decimate what people come here for. We (WATCH) hope when this does come before council you vote to scale it down from the proposed size," he said.

Puhl was followed by vice president of WATCH, Nancy Ferguson.

Ferguson said that there were many areas of the current proposal

that the city and WATCH agree on. These include: straightening the break wall, installing floating docks, upgrading showers and lavatories, updating the pump out station and adding shopper's docks.

But like Puhl, Ferguson does not support a large expansion.

Ferguson said, "It's important that we don't pave paradise with boat slips and put up a boat parking lot."

She suggested that the city invite representatives from city council, from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, from the Army Corps of Engineers and from United Design Associates, the company that laid out the marina layout, to the forum Oct. 29.

No members of council confirmed that they would attend.

Russell said that he would probably not attend, but that the concerns WATCH brought to the meeting were the same concerns all members of council have been hearing "from everybody."

"Council will be the determining factor of what is put down there. My position is to replace what is there with floating docks and I don't have a problem at all with a small extension," Russell said.

City manager Mike Wiesner said he too will most likely not attend the forum.

"I still see the city holding a public meeting at a later date. The information WATCH gathers in the meantime will be factored into that meeting. I think they have a positive approach," Wiesner said.

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Regina Andre, 11, of Davison, admires the candy apple, complete with frosting and sprinkles, that she made at last weekend's Apple Festival in East Park. People of all ages came to the park to enjoy the many activities that this year's festival had to offer. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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HEALTH

What to do when a loved one has hearing loss



Marlene Bevan, Ph.D.

'Your health'

As an audiologist specializing in hearing aid fitting, often, I work with couples whose relationship is under stress due to the friction caused by untreated hearing loss.

Hearing loss affects communication and poor communication is at the root of many relationship problems. It can be helpful to understand what happens when someone you love begins to lose his or her hearing.

ANGER: People with hearing loss may feel angry. Hearing only part of what is said, they are often left out of discussions with family members and friends. They rely on their spouse to "interpret" what is being said and if that is not successful, they withdraw in isolation. Your loved one may direct that

anger at you because of an untreated hearing loss that excludes them from the conversation.

When you are interpreting for someone with hearing loss, rephrase what is being said. Although there is a natural tendency to speak louder, hearing loss may make loud voices sound uncomfortable and distorted.

WITHDRAWAL: When repeatedly frustrated in social settings, your loved one may withdraw from gatherings of family and friends. The bonds of friendship supporting your relationship may be rejected if your loved one is embarrassed by the inability to follow conversation. Untreated hearing loss may force an individual to withdraw from social settings.

Honesty with friends and family members may help get you through the tough time before you find help.

Acknowledge the hearing problem and ask people to speak directly and slow the conversation down by asking questions to clarify what you hear.

BAD TEMPER: A patient's wife recently summed this point up best when she said, "He's simply becom-

ing an old crab!" It's no fun to spend the evening alone while watching, not hearing your friends and family enjoy one another's company. This becomes a constant reminder of the effects of untreated hearing loss.

GET HELP AND FACE THE PROBLEM TOGETHER: Don't just watch while your loved one retreats into the invisible huddle of hearing loss. Start a dialogue about how you can help. Improve your communication skills and help the one you love to improve their listening abilities.

LEARN ABOUT HEARING LOSS: Make an appointment to have your hearing evaluated by an audiologist. The reasons for the communication problems you experience are found by understanding your hearing problem and working to overcome its effects.

Bring a partner, spouse, sibling or your adult child to this appointment. Hearing loss is not only about getting the right message; it's about getting the right message through! Both of you should be at this appointment to understand the problem and explore the solutions to-

gether.

LEARN SPECIAL SPEECH TECHNIQUES: The speaker can improve the situation, when they follow certain guidelines for successful communication.

1) Attract the listener's attention. Often if you alert your loved one to a message, the chances they will understand it are dramatically improved. And by getting eye contact they can benefit from speech reading cues to clarify what they hear.

2) Speak slowly not loudly. The individual with a hearing loss often loses the ability to process rapidly, but extra volume only distorts the message and makes it more difficult to understand.

3) Seek a quiet place to communicate. Even with normal hearing, we may have trouble understanding in noise. At a restaurant find a table away from the noise to help create an environment favorable for conversation.

GET THE APPROPRIATE HELP: Often people with hearing loss convince themselves that, "I can get by." But recent studies by the National Council on Aging (NCOA) point to a significant loss

of life quality reported by those with untreated hearing loss.

Although hearing loss due to nerve damage cannot be corrected, in most cases, hearing aids can improve your ability to stay involved in group conversation, participate in a family get together and enjoy, once more, the time you spend with loved ones. And most importantly, hearing aids tell those you love that you are taking positive action to overcome the effects of hearing loss.

HEARING LOSS IS ONLY ONE OF A LIFETIME OF CHALLENGES. Let those you love know that you will seek the help you need.

1) Get a hearing test.
2) If appropriate, seek medical assistance for the treatment of reversible hearing loss.

3) If hearing loss is permanent, evaluate the benefit of hearing aids on your ability to stay in touch with those you love and those who love you!

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Commission expected to approve the new zoning HAYES

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"They are really looking for assisted living buffered by commercial uses," Knepp explained.

Knepp said Lange is looking to cluster commercial stores that are not currently found on the north side of the bridge. She mentioned a drug store and storage units specifically. These stores would have buffered the assisted living complex.

Hayes Township Supervisor, Tim Boyko, said the change to commercial made sense and the planning commission recommended it be approved. But, the high density residential request violated the township's master plan which prompted the commission to reject the request.

The minutes from the planning commission meeting that took place Sept. 18 explained, "Hayes Township has indicated that this property may be best zoned commercial because it isn't an appropriate area for residential because of the gun club located to the east."

Other reasons the minutes list for not recommending the R-4 residential designation be approved include: the change would have created spot zoning, granting Lange a special privilege that is not available to others, and the change is not consistent with the purposes for which zoning is adopted.

Knepp said that housing could still be located at the site. If Lange is granted a special use permit he could apply for single family housing use.

Knepp said it was discussed at the Sept. 18 planning commission meeting when votes were cast that Lange would reapply for all the property to be commercial. She added that this application has since been submitted.

The Hayes Township Planning Commission Master Plan has been revised over the last couple of years. Boyko referred to the plan as "a real fresh document."

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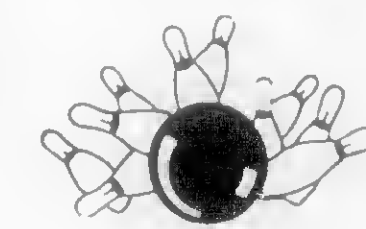
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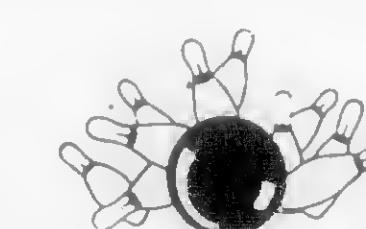
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SPORTS

Rayders lose to Boyne

By ALLEN TELGENHOF
Sports writer

Four turnovers may have cost Charlevoix a chance at its second straight Lake Michigan Conference championship before a packed house at Kipke Field. Three Rayder fumbles and an interception helped Boyne City to a 27-8 win last Friday night.

"The big difference in the game were the big plays," Charlevoix coach Todd Klinger said. "When we needed the big play, we didn't do it. Whether it was the turnovers or not making key tackles in a situation, we didn't make the big plays and they did."

The victory gave the Ramblers a 5-0 conference mark with one game left to play against Traverse City St. Francis who is 4-1 in the league. Charlevoix completed its conference schedule with a 5-1 mark. The loss snapped a five-game winning streak.

Early on it looked like it might be the Rayders' night as they took the opening kickoff and marched all the way down to the Boyne City five-yard line before a fumble spoiled their first scoring chance.

The defense forced a three-and-out from Boyne. The ensuing punt gave the Rayders great field position at the 50-yard line. On the next play though, a Rambler interception spoiled another Charlevoix opportunity.

Boyne then marched 55 yards, capped by a one yard run to a touchdown with 5:39 left in the first quarter. The extra point attempt was good and the Ramblers led 7-0.

Charlevoix responded with a drive of its own, punching the ball in on a 34-yard run by Jeff Urban. The Rayders' extra point kick failed and the lead was 7-6 Boyne.

Early in the second quarter, another Rayder drive was stopped at the Rambler 21-yard line by yet another Charlevoix fumble.

Boyne City drove to midfield where a sack by Kyle Dobrolowski forced a fumble, which was recovered by Charlevoix's Matt Kilkenny. The Rayders were unable to convert, however, and the teams exchanged punts as the first half ended.

The three first half turnovers left Charlevoix trailing only 7-6, but three drives inside Boyne City's 30-yard line netted only six points.

The Ramblers took a page from the Charlevoix play book, leading off the first half with a drive to the Rayder 25 where they turned the ball over on



Dennis Avery runs through a couple of Rambler defenders during last week's game. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Golf team finishes fifth in regional

The Charlevoix Rayders golf team ended its year with a fifth place finish at the Division III regional last week in Grayling.

However, David Shearer and Jordan Nystrom both scored well enough to send them to the state finals in individual competition. Shearer scored an 80 and Nystrom scored an 81.

They were both also named to the All Regional Team.

"Nystrom had his best day of the year," coach Jim Glynn said. Glynn added the team's over-

all fifth place finish was disappointing, especially for seniors Allen Brooks and Nick Cole. He added they had a fine career in golf at Charlevoix High School.

Charlevoix scored a 343 overall. Grayling finished first with a 336.

Other individual scores were: Brooks with a 91, Cole with a 91 and York Smith with a 98.

The state finals will be Oct. 19 and 20 at the Eldorado Golf Club in Lansing.

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'Yachting
notes'

The Charlevoix Yacht Club Fall Series, Fifth Race, Oct. 10, was sailed on yet another of this year's unusually dismal Wednesday

evenings.

A strong wind accompanied by threatening skies cut the starting fleet to only 10 contestants. At 7:03:30 the J-22 HUSSY was, once again, first across the finish line with SWINE FLEW just three seconds back. SUPERFLUOUS and HOG-TIDE followed.

In Spinnaker 1, GOTCHA trailed WINDRUNNER across the line by 31 seconds but took the honors by nearly 5 minutes on corrected time. A bit later ORIGINAL SIN led the P-26 Fleet across the line, only 2 seconds ahead of CYGNUS. Cross-

ing about one minute later was ARTEMIS. In JAM RED HOT was first, last and only!

As we go into the Final Race of the Fall Series, the standings, net of the one drop allowed in this Series: Spinnaker 1: HOI POLLOI 6, WINDRUNNER 13, GOTCHA 16, HOOTIE 19, SLAPSHOT 22 and LOCO MOTION 24.

P-26: CYGNUS 5, ORIGINAL SIN 8 and ARTEMIS 9. JAM: RED HOT 8, CRAZY HORSE 10 and BLASEN IV 11. J-22: HUSSY 5, H S MOISTURE MISSILE 6.67, SWINE FLEW 10, SUPERFLU-

OUS 11, HOG-TIDE 21, EAU DE VIE 27, FIRST DATE 30 and BANZAI 31.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Couples' Race on Round Lake at 1 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 21. Some extra J-22's may be available. Call Pam Barnes, 547-5137.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Ladies' Race on Round Lake at 1 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 28. Some extra J-22's may be available. Call Valerie Snyder, 547-2122.

Nautical Trivia 1: Ancient Greek sailors, like us before sonar depth sounders, used a line (weight-

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Silly Trivia 2: We all know that pirates wore earrings but do you know how much it cost a pirate to have his ears pierced? E-mail your best guess on either or both to joshb@chartermi.net.

Yachting Notes is submitted each week during the "warm" months by the Charlevoix Yacht Club. To contact the club, see its website at www.charlevoixyachtclub.org or call 547-9170.

Rayders' soccer team beats Forest Area

With the Conference Finals and the districts around the corner, the Rayder Soccer team continued to improve with a 6-0 win against Forest Area Wednesday night at Kipke Field bringing their record to 8-8.

John DiMartino got things going early on an assist off of Roscoe Serrels chest. DiMartino then made it 2-0 on a nice cross from Serrels. Scott Friske got on the board with a header from Travis Smith to round out the first half scoring.

In the second half, the Rayders continued to pressure the Forest

Area defense, by picking up goals from Spencer Bryan, Shawn McDonough and Smith, with assists coming from Friske, McDonough and Bryan. Colin Seguin led the defense along with Ezra Bakker, Bryce Daly and Mike Dupuis. Kyle Tilly had another shutout in goal.

The Rayders traveled Tuesday to Houghton Lake for their Conference (results not available at press time) and play Boyne City on Wednesday.

They open district play on next Tuesday against Elk Rapids at 7 p.m. at Kipke Field

Cross country team takes first

The girls' cross country team placed first in Division III and IV Oct. 13 at the Reese Invitational.

The team scored 45 points. According to coach Mary Plude, the team is dropping their times overall.

"Nataschia Klieber and Theresa Martin ran exceptionally well," she said. "Liz Ulrich really stepped up her racing. She ran almost the entire race alone."

Individually, first place was taken by Katie Kelly, who is ranked eighth in the state.

Other individual finishes were: Ulrich in second, Katie Swenor in third, Brenna Bergmann in eleventh, Klieber in thirteenth, Martin in sixteenth, Michelle Rowe in twenty-sixth and Elisabeth Madison in twenty-seventh.

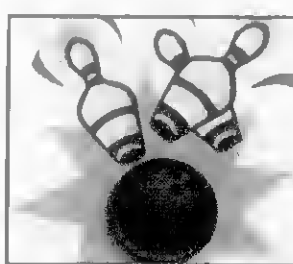
Individual results of the junior varsity team were: Sonya Plude in thir-

teenth, Betsy Tebeau in twenty-fifth, Taryn Drost in twenty-sixth, Jayne Murray in twenty-seventh, Britni Simonti in thirtieth, Lauren Silberhoen in thirty-seventh, Annakate Trublowicz in forty-fifth, Kelly Way in forty-ninth, Steph Dickinson in fiftieth, Sammy Jo Keie in fifty-fifth, Anne Strawbridge in fifty-sixth, Gaby Dhaseeler in fifty-eighth, Mallory Mahoney in sixty-first and Brittany Simonti in sixty-second.

Scores from Local Bowling Leagues

Gutter Gate Oct. 11, 2001				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Castro League Oct. 11, 2001			
Pino Lake Waves	W	L	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score
Argonne Supper Club	42	42	1	1	199	Leanna Moszyk	577	216	Team 1	W	L
Paul Bunyan Lanes	54	54	2	2	173	Mary O'Brien	537	209	Caught Gambler	27	13
Burger King Charlevoix	42	42	3	3	157	Cathy Sullivan	528	203	Still Working On It	27	13
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Guys and Girls Mixed Doubles Oct. 7, 2001				Young At Hearts Oct. 11, 2001			
Jane Pitman	W	L	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score
Mary O'Brien	484	484	1	1	199	Hoon	10	2	Team 7	15	25
Conroy Pachtner	157	157	2	2	173	Bowman	10	2	Team 8	12	28
Wanda Rahn	157	157	3	3	157	Petrie	8	4	Team 9	10	30
Sharon Davis	434	434	4	4	137	Nosworthy	7	2	Team 10	10	30
Men's Senior League Oct. 8, 2001				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
Cameo Cement	W	L	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score
Top Rank Deppol	13	13	1	1	199	Phonetic/Miller	5	7	Larry Darnah	357	187
Mark White Paint & Stain	12	12	2	2	173	Hill	5	7	Rick Bullock	348	181
White Boyz	10	10	3	3	157	O'Leary	5	7	Ben Brown	299	167
Stella Farm Insurance	9	9	4	4	137	MacDonald	4	8	Lynette Webb	367	191
Flight Deck Bar	7	7	5	5	117	Herbold/Schmer	3	9	Lesli Nyland	287	154
Central Drug Store	7	7	6	6	107	Evans S&M	3	9	Linda Lake	286	146
Team 8	0	0	7	7	87	Evans S&M	3	9	Doreen Burns	286	146
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				Monday Night Football League Oct. 8, 2001			
Ron Grulke	W	L	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score
Daniel VanLoe	630	630	1	1	199	Alan Petrie	581	218	Du Hail Mech	46	4
Chris Putman	214	214	2	2	173	Scott Mackinder	530	207	Kelli's Boys	45	5
Dave Hoyt	583	583	3	3	157	Jim Bowman	538	202	The Big Lebowski	40	10
John Fedorak	569	569	4	4	137	Richard Horon	537	198	Losers	24	26
Tuesday Night Ladies Secretary: Liz Meadows Oct. 9, 2001				Monday Madness Oct. 8, 2001				Church League Oct. 10, 2001			
Hayes Legal Crew	W	L	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score
Charlevoix Foot Clinic	14.5	14.5	1	1	199	Buz Beez	166	84	St. Mary's	164	136
Bridges Beauty Shoppe	15	15	2	2	173	Paul Bunyan Lanes	169	91	Marinichols	161	139
Don's IGA	13	13	3	3	157	Big Girls Enterprises	134	116	Ferguson & Chamberlain	151	149
Paul Bunyan Lanes	12.5	12.5	4	4	137	Flight Deck Top Guns	128	122	Townhouse Bar	138	162
Top Rust Deppol	9	9	5	5	117	Laurel & Co. Hair Design	120	120	R & C Roofing	137	163
Village Pub	9	9	6	6	107	Argonne Supper Club	111	139	Luthers	112	188
Central Drug Store	5	5	7	7	87	Team 7	0	100	Team 1	10	40
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES				HIGH INDIVIDUAL SCORES			
Ron Grulke	W	L	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score	Series	Game	Score
Joe Olanowski	584	584	1	1	199	Mark Grziak	721	300	Scott Parr	336	214
Joe Olanowski	584	584	2	2	173	Chris Moore	242	100	Russell Ward	305	165
Joe Olanowski	584	584	3	3	157	Ron Grulke	600	233	Mal Twining	314	161

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The decedent, Frank Balogh, Sr., who lived at 4599 River Road, Boyne Falls, Michigan died 6/7/01.

Creditors of the decedent are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to David Thomas Balogh, Sr., named personal representative or proposed personal representative, or to both the probate court at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI and the named proposed personal representative within 4 months after the date of publication of this notice.

September 4, 2001
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316 Howard, Suite 2, P.O. Box 285
Petoskey, MI 49770
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David Thomas Balogh, Sr.
04725 River Road
Boyne Falls, MI 49713
L(10/3,10/10,10/17,10/24)

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by LORNA J. HORN, whose address is 925 Second Street, Boyne City, Michigan 49712 to THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, with its District Office being located at 1501 Cass Street, Suite A, Traverse City, Michigan 49684, the Mortgagee, such Mortgage being dated February 23, 1990 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Charlevoix and State of Michigan on February 26, 1990 in Liber 215 of Charlevoix County Records on Pages 437 through 440, inclusive, and by reason of such default the Mortgagee elects to declare the entire unpaid amount of such Mortgage due and payable forthwith, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of SIXTY-THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FOUR AND 32/100 (\$68,204.32) DOLLARS, and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative;

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Dated: October 10, 2001
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Charlevoix, Boyne City and East Jordan chambers invite you to a county-wide Business After Hours. There will be plenty of food and beverages, as well as the opportunity to network with fellow business men and women from throughout the county. The cost is \$5 for members and \$10 for non-members.

Enrichment program

The Charlevoix Elementary

School's enrichment programs are beginning. Classes that are available include; the instruments of the string family for students age 8 and up, and the foreign language program for grades one through five. Parents with students who are interested in participating can pick up registration forms at the front desk of the elementary school located at 13513 Division Street in Charlevoix.

Bazaar

The Ellsworth Lioness Club will be sponsoring the twenty-first Annual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community

Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at (213) 544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.

Parent-teacher conferences

Charlevoix Elementary School will be having parent-teacher conferences from 1 to 3:30 p.m. on Oct. 31. School will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. There will be no lunch served and no afternoon conferences. Evening parent-teacher conferences will be from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Nov. 6 and Nov. 8. Students have brought home forms for parents to fill out regarding

conferences.

Women's Guild bazaar

The Women's Guild of Bethany Lutheran Church will sponsor a Bazaar and Bake Sale along with some White Elephant gifts on Saturday, November 3rd at 9:30 a.m. in the church fellowship hall. The proceeds will be used to purchase kitchen appliances for the new church building.

Round table

The round table discussion of current world events was very successful and enjoyed by all that attended. A similar meeting will be given at the library from 7 to 9 p.m. on Oct.

23. At that meeting, it will be determined if enough interest is shown by the community to schedule more open discussions of world events.

Haunted House

Spencley's fifth annual haunted house is guaranteed to scare those who dare enter on Halloween night from 6 to 9 p.m., Oct. 31, at the home of Chris and Shane Cole on 504 May St. in Charlevoix.

Coffee and hot cider will be served for adults who do not wish to go through. Candy will be handed out to all who go in. Donations will be taken for the victims of the Sept. 11 bombing of the World Trade Centers.

Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club

(smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the

second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the Legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Potoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For

more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club's general membership meeting is 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, shooting times and activities, call the club at 547-2785. For membership information, call 547-0552.

Adolescent groups —

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CAPTURES BOOZE RUNNERS

SHERIFF WEAVER SCORES A BULLS EYE

Tools of Toledo Hooch Ring Working Resorts Arrested Last Week

Clever cooperation between the sheriff and one of his deputies resulted in the capture last week of a gang of boot-leggers who, developments show, have been operating in this territory for some length of time.

Late Tuesday afternoon, Sheriff Weaver was advised over the telephone by Deputy Henry Cook of East Jordan, that a Studebaker car with four passengers had just left East Jordan headed towards Charlevoix and that these people had been tipped off to him as members of the bootlegging fraternity. The sheriff thus warned went at once to the Belvedere station and took up his position where the car must pass entering town. Shortly, along came a Studebaker touring car with a man and three women answering to the description given by Deputy Sheriff Cook. Mr. Weaver let them pass and getting into his own car trailed them down onto Bridge Street. Crossing the

bridge, the strangers were hitting a pretty fast clip and this, later, gave the sheriff the excuse he needed for "roping" them in.

The suspected party pulled up to the curb on Bridge Street and the man got out and walked up the length of the street and came back again, said something to one of the women, who took the wheel started the car and under the sheriff's watchful eye drove up Park Avenue to State Street. Right here is where the sheriff lost track of the man in the case. He couldn't watch both the car with the women and the evidence and the man at the same time. So he followed the car and when it turned off State onto Mason he stopped it in front of the Ed Ward home and told the occupants that they were under arrest for speeding. The sheriff took advantage of their momentary surprise to lay hold of a suspicious looking suitcase and found 13 quarts of booze with Canadian labels, which afterwards proved to be just ordinary moonshine sailing under false colors.

After he has locked the women up, the sheriff hurried back to Bridge Street with a forlorn hope that he might find the man in the case, but the latter had disappeared. His escape was regrettable but the sheriff really "had nothing on" the party until the discovery of the contraband liquor. At any rate, he had corralled the evidence and most of the culprits.

Returning to the jail, the sheriff questioned the women and found that his unwilling boarders were

Mrs. Charlette Dorkey, 47, with 10 children living at River Rouge; Miss Madeline Dillibaugh of Cleveland, Ohio, 20, who had accompanied the party from Detroit as an accomplice and Miss Mary J. Foltz, of Columbus, Wis., 22.

Miss Foltz, it developed, was the innocent victim of circumstances. She had been working at the hotel in Harbor Springs where the party had stopped and upon the closing of the hotel for the season had been invited by Mrs. Dorkey and her federates to take a little trip with them; an invitation which she unsuspectingly accepted, knowing nothing of their character or business. The sheriff, of course, was constrained to hold her as a witness awaiting the arrival of the federal authorities.

The man who got away, according to Mrs. Dorkey's confession, was Ernest Feeblekorn of Detroit better known as "Dutch." He and Mrs. Dorkey it appears, had been peddling "hooch" for four months throughout the resort region, using Detroit as a base of supplies and making Harbor Springs, Mackinac Island, Charlevoix and other northern Michigan points on regular runs. When arrested the women had given Harbor Springs as their place of residence.

The car that the party was driving, a seven passenger Studebaker, was found on examination to have a false bottom, seven inches deep that extended the entire length of the body, under the floor. Nothing was found in this secret compartment, however, except some paper and

other rubbish. A car, similarly equipped was picked up in Grand Rapids some time ago and it looks as though the boot-legging profession were trying to introduce a new model of business car which might be styled the "Bootleggers' Special."

Sheriff Weaver looked up the license number of the car and found that it had been applied for by one, Oscar Sidebotham of Toledo who further investigation and questioning of the party disclosed is an illicit liquor trafficker in a large scale, and the employer of Mrs. Dorkey, Miss Dillibaugh and "Dutch" Feeblekorn, who operated under his instructions. The license on the car the records show was issued for a Ford car, not a Studebaker.

The prisoners were held until Friday morning when US Marshall Andrew Dow and Fred Cronenwett, head of the western Michigan prohibition organization, arrived and drove the "moonshine" car, prisoners, booze and all through to Grand Rapids, where they will be brought before the federal authorities. Sidebotham, it is likely, will be involved and possibly convicted on the confession of his agents and it is now up to the government sleuths to locate Feeblekorn who it is thought made his way back to Detroit.

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Editor's note: These stories were submitted by Cynthia Postmus on behalf of the Charlevoix Area Library.

Turnovers may have cost Rayders the game

FOOTBALL

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a fumble. But two plays later, Charlevoix fumbled the ball right back to Boyne.

Minutes later, a touchdown on a quarterback keeper and extra point kick put the Ramblers up 14-6.

The Rayders wouldn't quit though and answered with a drive of their own. A 12 play drive was keyed by a 29-yard pass from Nate Teuscher to Keith Daly to the Boyne 15. But Charlevoix couldn't convert a first and goal from the five-yard line. Teuscher's fourth and two pass fell incomplete in the end zone and Boyne took over on downs.

Linebacker Chris Loper plowed

over a Boyne City player in the end zone on the next play though for a safety which cut the lead to 14-8.

Charlevoix couldn't get anything going after the Rambler free kick, though, and shanked a punt to Boyne at its own 42-yard line late in the third quarter.

Boyne drove systematically once again deep into Charlevoix territory. A long run took the Ramblers to the Rayder five where Boyne City fumbled. Briefly it looked like the Rayders might get the ball back for a chance at a game tying drive, but Boyne recovered its own miscue.

On the next play the Ramblers scored again and converted the extra point to open up a 21-8 advantage with 11:35 to go.

The Rayders were stopped on their

next drive when a fake punt on fourth down came up just short when Teuscher passed for seven yards to Ryan Rafacz on fourth and nine.

Boyne's subsequent drive ended in another touchdown for the final 27-8 count.

As he's done all season long, sophomore Urban led the Rayder

rushing attack with 100 yards on 23 carries. Teuscher was 13 for 21 in the air for 160 yards. Keith Daly caught four passes for 68 yards and Rafacz caught six for 37.

Defensively, Nick Schwein and Rob Boss each had eight tackles.

The Rayders close their season on the road against Suttons Bay (6-2)

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Tasty pride

Dawn Scanlan holds up a tasty treat at the recent Red Cross fund-raiser at the Charlevoix Country Club. For more, see page 4. (Courtesy photo)

Officials find written threats made by students

THREATS

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"The bottom line is no one ignores it. The school is acting appropriately with regards to those involved," Halverson said. "It (violence and threats of violence) interferes with the education environ-

ment. You have to let students know this is not appropriate behavior."

Halverson also said that the behavior is not that unusual in the school setting.

"It doesn't happen every day, but it isn't an unheard of chain of events," he explained.

Halverson said the school reacts

to violence and threats of violence in many ways including — proactive programs, meetings with the students, parents and meetings with the students themselves.

"We can't afford to ignore this. There have to be steps taken to make sure their (the students') environment is free of violence and threats of violence," he said.

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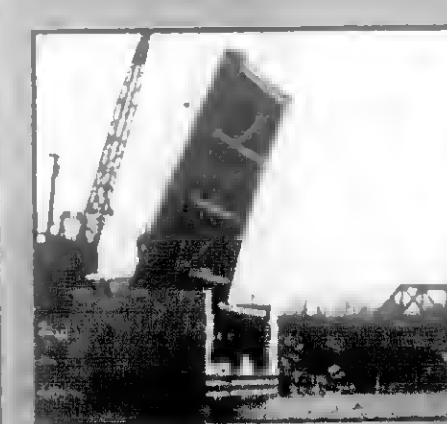
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Two Charlevoix golfers recently competed in the Division III state finals.

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Bridge story



David Miles continues his series on the Charlevoix bridges in this week's SCRAP-BOOK.

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Court costs over \$160,000

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Three lawsuits that followed the Charlevoix School District's new Charlevoix High School building project in Marion Township have cost the district over \$160,000.

"No one wants to whisk away \$160,000. I think that's a lot of money and it could have been used in other areas in the district," Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, Dr. John Strock said.

Two of the three lawsuits were brought against the district by the Charlevoix Area Natural Resources

"The financial loss to the school is their own doing, they should have been smart in the beginning and they would have saved themselves the cost."

Kenneth Richard Tunison,
On the school's lawsuit costs

Preservation Association (CANRPA) and the third was issued by five private Marion Township residents. All three were in some way opposed to the district's new high school building project.

The school's insurance agency has picked up a great deal of the costs as-

sociated with the three lawsuit's, but the \$160,000 is the remaining amount that has come out of the school's general fund.

Strock explained that the general fund is where all tax revenue goes and it is used to pay for the operation of the school district. He said district op-

eration includes needs in the buildings, buses, teachers' salaries and "all the things that we do."

He said that legal expertise that costs \$160,000 is not something the district generally budgets for and there were places where cuts had to be made to accommodate for the unforeseen cost.

The district does, however, budget around \$10,000 for legal costs generally used for something like preparing ballot language for school board elections.

Other costs to the district Strock

See SCHOOL, page 28

City candidates discuss issues

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

A "meet the candidates" question and answer session at Charlevoix's city hall last week proved the race for first, second and third ward city council seats is in full stride.

Voters in each of the city's three wards have 13 days to choose which candidate they feel will best serve Charlevoix for the next two years. The election will take place from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m., Nov. 6 at city hall.

Candidates responded to questions about tough issues at the recent public forum sponsored by the

League of Women Voters which may help make your choice clear. Issues that were addressed at the forum include: The expansion of the municipal marina, traffic problems, the city snowmobile ordinance, downtown businesses and the possibility of a convention center coming to town.

A look into the race for the first ward seat reveals incumbent Norman "Boogie" Carlson currently running alone. Those interested in competing for the seat should speak with city clerk Liz Gooch before 4 p.m. Oct. 26 at city hall.

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Park/marina meeting schedule presented

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

The first step in the planning process for renovations to the city of Charlevoix's East Park is right around the corner.

At a special joint meeting Monday, Charlevoix's City Council and the Downtown Development Authority (DDA) accepted a proposed timeline for how renovations of both the park and marina will progress.

The planning process for renova-

tions to the park and the municipal marina will be broken into three phases: phase one for the shore side, phase two for the water and phase three will integrate the two into one plan.

All the members of both council and the DDA, with the exception of second ward councilman Gabe Campbell, supported the progression plan.

Campbell wanted phase two, "the marina planning process" to be eliminated entirely.

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Fall fun

These kids were walking home from the Charlevoix Middle School last week and couldn't help but stop and play in this pile of leaves on the corner of State and Mason streets. Aaron Hagen jumps into the pile as his friends toss a few at him. (Photo by Julie Witthoift)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

John Franklin McDonald Jr., 37, Ellsworth. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$795 in fines and costs.

Adam Lee Deloy, 23, Cheboygan. Sex offender failed to register. Bound over to circuit court.

Tracee Colleen Goebel, 30, Ferndale. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Six months probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$785 in fines and costs.

Suzanne Sherman Woodhouse, 46, Boyne Falls. Drugs/false prescription; and controlled substance-use-fentanyl. Two years

probation; 365 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 20 days, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 324 days held in abeyance; \$1,285 in fines and costs.

Jesse James Green, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Six months probation; 60 hours of community service work; \$115 in fines and costs.

Kevin Joseph Bousquet, 21, Beaver Island. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Vincente Morales, 46, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Jail for 12 days with credit for one day, serve 11 days; \$700 in fines and costs.

Wesley Leo Nathan, 38, Charlevoix. Disorderly/drunken. Fines and costs totaling \$190.

Raymond Claude Westphal Jr., 46, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Two

years probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 50 days, 10 days of community service work, 42 days held in abeyance; \$1,205 in fines and costs.

Ryan Sean Eveleigh, 27, Saginaw. Driving while impaired; and no operator's license on person. One year probation; attend IMPACT weekend; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 12 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail; \$940 in fines and costs.

Christopher Ezra Crowell, 25, Petoskey. Driving while under the influence of alcohol; and motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for three days, serve 30 days, 60 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Joseph Andrew Riggs, 23, Traverse City. Attempted three non-sufficient funds checks within 10

days. Jail for 153 days with credit for 93 days, serve 60 days; \$683.49.

Michael Robert Karlskin Jr., 22, East Jordan. Violation of restricted license. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Sarah Kelly Dunham, 41, Boyne City. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$60.

Antone Wayne Nielsen, 32, Rochester Hills. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$635 in fines and costs.

Troy Donald Geister, 38, Petoskey and Kaye Lynette Wilson, 34, Petoskey.

Michael David Myers, 18, Charlevoix and Candijoy Victoria Lynn Vanderpool, 18, Charlevoix.

Derek Vernon Busch, 30, Boulder, Colo. and Heather Marie Hodges, 28, Boulder, Colo.

Robert Lee King, 36, East Jordan and Roberta Jane Sands, 38, East Jordan.

Richard Olshore

Chuck's Window Cleaning, 2289 Clarion Road, P.O. Box 341, Walloon Lake, by Chuck Pemberton.

Stilson's Custom Carpentry, 211 Elm Street, Charlevoix, by Robert V. Stilson.

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Gregory Dale Linse, 45, Charlevoix and Catherine Ann Lutz, 38, Charlevoix.

Troy Donald Geister, 38, Petoskey and Kaye Lynette Wilson, 34, Petoskey.

Michael David Myers, 18, Charlevoix and Candijoy Victoria Lynn Vanderpool, 18, Charlevoix.

Derek Vernon Busch, 30, Boulder, Colo. and Heather Marie Hodges, 28, Boulder, Colo.

Robert Lee King, 36, East Jordan and Roberta Jane Sands, 38, East Jordan.

A day for grandparents

Grandparents and Special Person Day at Charlevoix Elementary School was Oct. 12. Right, Weston Bryan and his great-grandfather, Oscar Stroud, enjoyed a lunch together. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)



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City buying special manhole covers

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

New manhole covers featuring the local motto, "Charlevoix the Beautiful," a scene of the Michigan Beach pier and a sailboat cruising through the Pine River Channel, will soon decorate city streets.

City of Charlevoix Street Superintendent John Martin said that this is just another touch that makes Charlevoix unique.

"The old covers have been there for years and years. We'll stock those which we replace in case the old covers break. We can't get the old covers anymore so we'll recycle these, they get busted from time to time," Martin said.

Martin explained that manhole covers cap sewer and storm sewer systems to ensure passerby's aren't injured.

The covers will be installed as construction efforts in the city progress. Belvedere, Dixon and Michigan avenues will be the first streets to get the new covers.

Martin said manhole covers are

put in as the streets are resurfaced. After the base coat of asphalt is applied the plate is installed. Then as the resurfacing is completed the cover is adjusted and the rings and fasteners are put.

However, the new covers won't be revealed until just prior to the finishing coat of asphalt is spread.

He added that the East Jordan Iron Works approached the city with the idea of personalized covers some time ago. The company then came up with the design of what Martin referred to as the classic cover.

The Iron Works has produced similar classic covers for East Jordan, Boyne City and Battle Creek.

Martin said they are the same cost as the old covers. But the city had to pay a plate charge for the new covers to be made from.

Neither Martin or Rick Brandt, Charlevoix City Treasurer, could not find what the plate charge was.

Nate Jason, public relations of East Jordan Iron Works, would not divulge the plate charge. He said the cost was confidential between



A picture of the new manhole cover the city of Charlevoix is buying from East Jordan Iron Works. (Courtesy photo)

the company and the city.

Martin said the city pays in the neighborhood of \$115 for each cov-

er, not counting the plate charge, whether it is the new classic or standard.

The contractors working the street resurfacing jobs are in charge of installing the new covers.

On the record

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix City Police at 547-3258.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 1 a.m. on Oct. 19, near the intersection of State and Antrim streets. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 3 p.m. on Oct. 19 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. No injuries were reported.

• A 16-year-old Charlevoix boy was cited for drinking in a vehicle around 9:30 p.m. on Oct. 19 on Mason Street. That same boy was

arrested the next day for stealing a vehicle.

• Around 6:30 p.m. on Oct. 17, a vehicle parked in the Citizens Bank parking lot on State Street was damaged.

• A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle around 6:30 p.m. on Oct. 17 in the parking lot of Nanny's Restaurant on Ferry Avenue.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 5 p.m. on Oct. 16 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. No injuries were

reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4:30 p.m. on Oct. 15 near the intersection of Bridge and Clinton streets. No injuries were reported.

• A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle around 5 p.m. on Oct. 14 in the Oleson's parking lot on Antrim Street.

• Soinetime on Oct. 13, someone broke into the Charlevoix Emmet Intermediate School District Building on Mercer Street and

then broke into a locked cabinet. The suspects took over \$1,000 and some computer equipment.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 3:30 p.m. on Oct. 13, near the intersection of State and Carpenter streets. Two passengers in one of the vehicles received minor injuries.

• A 19-year-old Boyne City man is suspected of damaging an apartment around 11 p.m. on Oct. 10 in the Pine Cover Apartment complex on May Street.

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A great idea for a Halloween costume



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

I love this time of the year. It is a time when we get to enjoy the harvest and dress up like spooky characters for Halloween, one of my favorite holidays. Halloween is an ancient Celtic holiday with Irish roots before Christianity. Traditionally, this is the time of the year when the veil between the living and the dead is at its thinnest. Ancient Celts would celebrate this, but in order to keep themselves from being possessed by the ghouls of the night, they would dress up like them. The ghouls, not knowing who the real living was, would leave the Celts alone, according to leg-

end. This tradition has been passed down from generation to generation to create the holiday we all know today as Halloween, a day when we wear costumes in the name of fun. Keeping this in mind, I carefully try to select my Halloween costume each year. If there is one thing I do not want, it is to be possessed by some scary spirit. So, the question every year is: What scares me the most this year? Vampire? Beec done. Werewolf? Too hairy. Frankenstein monster? Too campy. Zombie? Reminds me of myself without coffee. So, what could it be this year? I pondered this thought well into early this week, that is until I had an idea given to me by my reporter Julie Witthoef. She was talking with me about how the city needs more money to help pay for the many capital projects taking place right now. On top of that, the Downtown Development Authority — and the

chamber of commerce — are spending up to \$30,000 on a study to determine if we need a convention center in Charlevoix. Added to this, the city is spending countless dollars on neat little manhole covers that have an engraving of the lighthouse and the words "Charlevoix the Beautiful." I guess normal manhole covers are not enough for our city. I shuddered at the thought of all this taxpayer money being spent. I mean, here they are spending tons of money on basically frosting for the city of Charlevoix. Do we really need our own special manhole covers? It made me mad to think of how much the city has spent this year and how it has had to borrow from its own funds to pay for projects which have gone over budget. Sure, borrowing from a city fund is better than getting a bond, but still, do we really want to be doing this? And sure, all these capital projects just kind of hit at the same time, but did we get a little over our heads here?

In the meantime, I found myself writing a story about how the city does not have a property maintenance code or fire code, but it does have a nuisance code to keep the lawns looking nice. Let's keep that frosting looking good, even if the cake is dangerous. In this story, we discover that the city fire department cannot afford to hire another full time person to handle all the inspections that they would have to do with a fire code. However, in this same edition, we tell our readers how \$30,000 is going to be spent on a study. Let me say that again: "...\$30,000 is going to be spent on a study." Scary to think that this is where our local government's priorities are. That was the point when I realized I had found out what scares me this year: Government spending on frosting. Maybe a costume like this could keep those spending demons from possessing my body and turning me into a grant-loving tax-spending politician.

But, how do I represent that in a Halloween costume? Perhaps a big dollar sign with frosting on it? Maybe a costume that looks like the city budget? Or even better, a giant manhole cover! Whatever the costume looks like, I am sure it will send shivers down the spines of every taxpayer I run into on Halloween. *Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com*

Trash may have a life of its own

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Trash would appear to have a life of its own that we are not familiar with. The dark corners of the garage are involved in harboring more than spiders; they are the habitat for a set of trash creatures yet to be discovered and investigated by the biological researchers of the Twenty-first century. I have not yet been able to watch for a single whole night, but I am pretty sure there is more stuff in the garage each morning than there was in it the night before.

It would appear that the trash creatures reproducing in all the corners of our world are no danger to us individually. They just go about their business of making more of themselves. I suspect that they are a danger to us collectively, since we may finally be overwhelmed by the amount of stuff that has to be discarded. And I am more than a little worried about what they may be doing in the landfills where it is dark and resources are abundant. I hope I am wrong, but how else can we explain the superabundant trash that requires ever larger places for its care and keeping?

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On the record

Article response

Editor: This is in response to Fr. Jim Gunn's Beacons of Blessings article in last week's paper regarding Halloween. I am aware that "many Christian leaders" have "discouraged" Halloween over the years and have listened with emotions varying from confusion, dismay, to outright disgust on the reasons for banning this holiday. In this case my feelings would be confusion. How does Halloween directly correlate with the Sept. 11 attacks on our nation? Will making our children forgo an evening of fun and fantasy change what happened to the victims of the terrorist attack? It seems the opposite to me: If we all stay home and refuse to celebrate holidays (secular or religious), living in a state of fear as to what might be, then the terrorists have won. They have succeeded.

Fr. Gunn suggests an "alternative" Halloween. A Halloween without trick-or-treating, candy or going out. Instead, we — and our children — should stay indoors and spend the evening remembering Saints and the heroes who have been involved with the recovery efforts. This sounds more like a memorial.

There is an event scheduled that will allow our children their childhood (fun) and still recognize and help the recovery and relief efforts in New York. On Oct. 31 the Spenceley's are having their annual Haunted House on May Street in Charlevoix. Along with Halloween fun, they will also be collecting donations for the relief funds.

As for the "evil" mentioned in celebrating Halloween, I believe that "naked evil" does not need a particular day to work with. The evil that killed so many innocent people here did not fall on any particular day, just a normal September workday morning. Why look for evil where it does not exist? Why add unnecessary fear?

Our president has asked us to con-

tinue on with our lives, to not let these terrorists thwart our way of living. If before Sept. 11 you were opposed to trick or treating, fine. Don't turn on your porch light and find whatever alternative works for you and your family. However, if you and your family have traditionally participated in dressing up and trick or treating, please continue to do so! Stop by Spenceley's Haunted House and make a donation.

I do not understand how not enjoying this evening will change the horrific events of Sept. 11. As an aside: Fr. Gunn states that Halloween has "pretty well been separated from its Christian roots." Halloween's roots are pre-Christian. Anne Russell Charlevoix

The question of affordable housing

Editor: My question is, "What makes you think the current city council wants to do anything at all about the current shortage of affordable housing?" As it is, Charlevoix is in a win/win situation. If I am not mistaken, summer time residential homes that are not primary residences pay more in property taxes than do homes owned by the locals. If the city council can continue to provide the conditions needed to drive up the prices on homes beyond what the locals can afford, then only people from out of town can purchase them.

That means more money for the city. Why would the esteemed City Council want to change anything? Heck, they need the extra money to pay for their own special agendas. Why do you think they want to build more docks for more boats? If they can get more tourists here to look at their town, get them to fall in love with Charlevoix and purchase a second home here, that means less wear and tear on the sewer, power and wa-

ter systems and means more money to the city in taxes.

The solution is simple: Eject Mike Weisner and his lackeys off of the city council and build low income apartments that only local people can purchase. Not rent. That's the problem. If you have people with lower incomes purchase apartments that go for \$50,000 to \$80,000, 10 years down the road they will have enough money in equity to put a down payment on a \$120,000 house. And don't tell me it can't be done because if the city council is willing to spend \$1,000,000-plus to destroy a building, they have the money to do this.

I ask you now, do you think that the city will do this for the "undesirables?" I think not. Kyle Sitzema Ellsworth

Close lunch

Editor: I would like to know if the Charlevoix School Board is planning to have the new Charlevoix High School campus "closed." When the students come in the morning, will they stay at the school site until their classes are dismissed at the end of the day? I am very concerned about the traffic on Marion Center Road and with the time the students will have for lunch and the distance "running their cars into town for lunch" seems to be a very dangerous situation.

Please consider this request as you make policies for the student body for the new school. I also think it would be a great idea if the middle school had the same policy.

Audrey Lehman Charlevoix (Editor's note: While the school board has not officially discussed this matter, Charlevoix High School principal Gary Grundman said he would recommend closing the campus at lunch.)

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Answers for the 10/24 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 7.

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Where does trash come from?



Roger Knutson

'Ear to the ground'

On my daily morning walk to pick up a newspaper, Tuesdays are more interesting than other days. On Tuesday morning the streets of Charlevoix are lined with all the discards of the previous week. Colorful plastic trash bags are only the beginning. Piles of stuff that people no longer want or need accompany what might be called traditional garbage. The amount of stuff we discard each week is enormous. Some small part of it is informally recycled. If I leave anything potentially useful by the side of the street on Monday, chances are it will have

disappeared before the usual collection truck appears Tuesday. And, of course, it is possible and certainly worthwhile to formally recycle paper, glass and plastic. The amount to be hauled to the landfill each week is still immense. Some years ago I read a short story in which an intrepid investigator was able to finally explain why drawers seemed to be regularly filled with paper clips, closets with wire hangers and corners of vacant lots with rusted bicycle frames. His investigation revealed that paper clips in the dark, closed drawers of desks were spontaneously generated from dust and their own energy and that when enough paper clips had developed, they inched their way out of the desk drawers and across the floors. We have seen them partway in their journey, laying on the floor where we know we haven't put them. Arriving in the dark corners of closets, the paper clips pulled themselves together, much like some sorts of primitive

organisms do and formed wire coat hangers. The investigator was able to verify that both paper clips and wire coat hangers shared the same metallic substances. The coat hangers escaped out of doors (we have all occasionally seen them out there,) and when they gathered in the back corners of vacant lots, they generated bicycle frames. The investigation in the story ended with the bicycle frames, because the teller of the tale was the owner of a bicycle shop and used the end products for his business. I believe now that more than paper clips, hangers and bicycle frames are participating in this biological generation process. I know that we personally discard more each week than we bring into the house and I would suspect the same is true for most others. Where is this extra stuff coming from? The only sensible answer is that it is generating and reproducing itself like the coat hangers in the story.

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What do you think?

What should be done about affordable housing:

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Charlevoix library to have many fall, winter activities

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix Public Library is offering families some engaging new craft and reading programs this fall.

"We are promoting lifelong reading. The way to get kids to enjoy reading is to start young and introduce them to the library as a fun place where they are welcome. Hopefully as they get older they will continue to come back because they are comfortable here," Charlevoix Public Library Director Valerie Meyerson explained.

Parents who are stuck in the house on a cold fall Tuesday or Wednesday morning with their three to five-year-old can now head over to the library for pre-school story time.

Meyerson has coordinated the two day story hour to include both books and crafts. The program is from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m.

"This program is designed for the independent listener," Meyerson explained. However, parents and guardians are asked to remain in the building during the hour.

The story line-up for Oct. 23 and 24 is called "Val's Favorites," and Meyerson plans to pick books she and the kids can enjoy together.

Then, on Oct. 30 and 31, dress the kids up in costumes or come as you are. Either way bring them to the library for "Halloween Happening" which will include story hour and crafts.

Nov. 6 and 7 is "Happy Birthday," Nov. 13 and 14 is "Fabulous Folk Tales" and Nov. 20 and 21 will be a Thanksgiving celebration called "Turkey Time."

If mornings are too busy at your house, parents with children ages two

through six are invited to drop-in for evening family story-time.

Meyerson said pajamas are acceptable attire and comfortable blankets and teddy bears are welcome. She has scheduled a story hour titled "Teddy Bears" from 7 to 7:45 p.m. Nov. 20 and "Night, Night" from 7 to 7:45 p.m. Dec. 18.

The whole family can come together to round out the fall program line-up at the family holiday program. Musician/storyteller Patty Clark will present "Winter Celebration" from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. Dec. 15.

All of the aforementioned programs will take place in the library basement. In order to continue offering quality programs in the basement the library needs to replace the carpet. Meyerson has requested that any local business willing to donate a remnant call her at the library, 547-2651.

Since she started in September Meyerson has worked on expanding the adult reading section. Two weeks ago she placed a 100 book order of adult fiction, non-fiction, best-sellers and new biographies.

Other attractions bringing many local residents to the library include Internet facilities and 15 new books on CD. Meyerson said they have some "really great" titles for the listening entertainment of adults and teens. She is really looking forward to getting the Harry Potter books on CD.

She said that as programs and the library progress she will need community input in order to get a feel for what the wants and needs of locals are.

The library is open from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday.

Wedding

Chamberlain — Creanga



Rebecca Chamberlain, of Charlevoix, and Ovidiu Creanga, of Oradea, Romania, were married Sept. 8 at the Evangelical Church of Good News in Osijek, Croatia in front of 60 guests.

Rebecca is the daughter of Connie Chamberlain of Redford and Sherman Chamberlain, Jr. of Charlevoix. Ovidiu is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gheorghe Creanga of Oradea, Romania.

The Rev. Steven Kurtz officiated the double ring rites.

The bride wore an ivory strapless dress with fitted bodice, filled with champagne embroidered flowers falling into a basque waist. She also had a fly-away veil and carried a long-stem bouquet of ivory calla lilies and deep wine roses.

The maid of honor was Christina Chun, of Cambridge, Mass. Bridesmaids were Lisa Hoadley of Kalamazoo and Regina Lighthall of Walnut Creek, Calif.

The flower girl was Anamaria Constantineanu. The ring bearer was Nathan Kurtz.

The best man was Calin Valean. Groomsmen were Daniel Copil and Adrian Creanga.

A reception was given at the

Bijelo Plavi restaurant in Osijek, Croatia. An eclectic Croatian barbecue was served by friends as a rehearsal dinner.

The couple went to Dubrovnik, Croatia, on the Adriatic Sea, followed by a few days in the Slovene Alps as a wedding trip.

They are making London,

England their home.

The bride is a masters student at the University College London's School of Slavonic and East European Studies for the next two years. The groom is a recent graduate of the University of Leeds graduate program in Old Testament theology.

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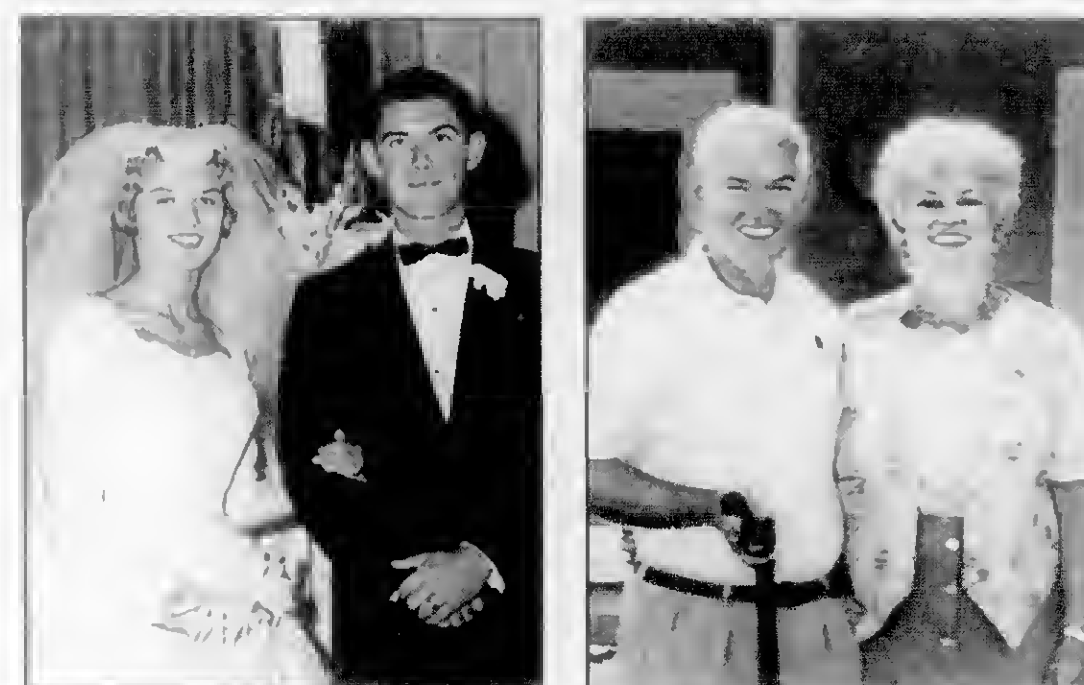
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Anniversary

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Jim and Gloria McAlister, of Charlevoix and Jonesboro, Ark., recently celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary.

Gloria is the former Gloria Bradley of Jonesboro, Ark. Jim is from Marietta City.

They were married on Sept. 24, 1961 at Walnut Street Baptist Church in Jonesboro, Ark. They lived in Charlevoix during the 1970s, while Jim was stationed at Bay Shore Bomb Plant.

The McAlisters are the parents of three children: Kelly (Aaron) Spiegel of Indianapolis, Ind., Craig Douglas McAlister from Dallas, Texas and Allison Burchett (Tyler) from Oxford. They are also the grandparents of Hannah, Eli and Gabe Spiegel.

A family celebration is planned for November in Oxford.

Engagement

Ward — Johnson



Sara Lyn Ward and Edward Robert Johnson II, both of Charlevoix, were recently engaged to be married.

Sara is the daughter of Brand and Lynda Ward of Charlevoix. Edward is the son of Edward and Judie Johnson of Charlevoix.

A wedding is being planned for June 15, 2002 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is currently a full-time nursing student at North Central Michigan College with a graduation date in May 2002. She is employed part-time by CCE Central Dispatch of Petoskey and a volunteer for the city of Charlevoix EMS.

The groom-to-be is currently a full-time student of the police academy at Northwestern Michigan College with a graduation date in May 2002. He is employed full-time by CCE Central Dispatch of Petoskey and a volunteer for the city of Charlevoix EMS.

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By CARA B. HOCHHALTER
Christian Education Director
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We can pray for our leaders that truth, wisdom and integrity prevail.

Beacons of Blessing

We can pray for a time when all nations can work together for the good of all people. We can pray for soldiers everywhere and their families.

In our church, we have a weekly Bible study that looks at the lectionary scripture readings which are used by many denominations and are predetermined for a three-year cycle. We have been looking at Jeremiah and as so often happens, the messages seem relevant to the world situation right now.

In spite of war, exile and disease, the prophet, Jeremiah, who began his ministry about 600 B.C. reminded his people of Jerusalem to re-

main faithful to God and persistent in their hope of the compassion of God's law to be realized. He says that he will "write God's word on their hearts."

For us too, more than ever it is important for us to hear God's word, seek to be faith-filled and pray for the peace that passes all understanding.

We may feel like much of the world is out of our control, yet we can be "instruments of peace" wherever we live and work. We can seek to demonstrate the compassion of God by our own lives. We can dispel fear with hope, being persistent in our faith.

Looking to the example of Christ, we hear overwhelmingly his message to "forgive those who persecute you, pray for your enemies and love your neighbor as yourself." Amazingly, these words can give us great hope...at a time like this.

Obituaries

Kimberly A. Necaise: Oct. 15, 1962 - Oct. 21, 2001

Kimberly A. Necaise, 39 of Midland, formerly of Charlevoix, passed away Oct. 21, 2001 at Mid-Michigan Medical Center.

The daughter of Marilyn (Sitzema) and the late Harold J. Heeres, she was born in Charlevoix on Oct. 15, 1962 where she was raised and educated.

Kimberly moved to Midland and was employed as a System Analyst for The Dow Chemical Company for 15 years. On July 17, 1987, in Midland, Kimberly married Clay Necaise.

Kimberly was a loving and caring daughter, wife, mother, sister and a wonderful and caring person with the many friends that she came in contact with.

Surviving is her husband Clay Necaise; two daughters, Ashley and Lindsey Necaise; mother and stepfather, Marilyn (Gordon) Ferweda of Ellsworth; stepfather, Frank Ayers of Gaylord; brother, Keith Heeres of Quincy, Ill.; sister, Sharon (Gordon) Russell of



Charlevoix; stepbrother, Kevin (Terry) Ferweda of Howe, Ind.; stepsister, Kim Ferweda of Battle Creek; grandmother, Lillian Sitzema of Charlevoix; mother-in-law, Jean Necaise of Gulfport, Miss.; many nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles.

Funeral services will take place 11 a.m., Oct. 26, at Bell Tower Reformed Church in Ellsworth. Interment will take place in Atwood Cemetery, Ellsworth.

Friends may call at the church

Beatrice Ranney Boss: March 4, 1922 - Oct. 19, 2001

Beatrice Ranney Boss, 79, of Charlevoix, died Oct. 19, 2001 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

The funeral service for Beatrice was at 1 p.m., Oct. 22 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Larry Groeters officiated. Burial followed in Brookside Cemetery.

Beatrice was born March 4, 1922 in East Jordan, the daughter of Edward and Beryl (Isenan) Moore.

She was raised on the family

farm and graduated from East Jordan High School in 1939. Beatrice moved to Charlevoix in 1942 and was married to Gerald Boss on April 6, 1944 in Atwood.

Beatrice was a member of the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix. Her many interests included knitting and quilting and she was an accomplished seamstress.

Survivors include her husband, Gerald of Charlevoix; son, Jerry R. (Sarah J.) of Holland; daughter, Linda D. of Charlevoix; grandson,

Dan (Lisette) of Flint; granddaughter, Stephanie L. of Allegan; great-grandson, Braeden Gerald of Flint; sisters, Agatha Matchett of Charlevoix, Midge (Jim) Maynard of Wisconsin, Donna Stapleton, Carol (Bill) Perry and Betty Edmondson, all residents of Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix. Visitation took place Oct. 21 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

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Property maintenance not in ordinances

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

(Editor's note: This is the last in a series on housing in Charlevoix)

While a landlord can receive a citation for not cutting the lawn of his or her rental in Charlevoix, they cannot receive one for not having a fire extinguisher in the home or apartment.

The reason for this is Charlevoix, like most of the county, does not have a property maintenance code or a fire code. Currently, the only city in the county with this ordinance is East Jordan. However, Charlevoix, like many other cities, does have a nuisance ordinance which regulates the amount of weeds in your lawn and other visual unsightliness.

In fact, the only recourses residents have to get unsafe conditions in their homes fixed is reporting them to the Charlevoix County Building department and going through the courts. The building department or fire departments cannot inspect a home without a complaint and this means someone will have to pay for the inspection.

"Our hands are tied," Ken Doty,

Charlevoix County Building Department supervisor said.

Charlevoix County Commissioner Shirley Roloff said she has no idea why the county does not have a property maintenance code. "But it is something I would like to find out myself."

"It has aggravated me for years," she said. "We really need something bad...this isn't fair to young people or old people."

For example, Roloff said she works with senior citizens a lot and picks them up at their homes. She said she is astonished at the condition of some of the homes they live in.

"They live in dumps they can't even afford," she said.

In a property maintenance code and fire code property owners would have to keep their dwellings safe and up to code. In many cities with these codes, such as Ann Arbor, the building inspector or fire marshal inspects rentals every time they are rented out.

Many fire codes only apply to non-residential buildings. However, some cities have created amendments to the code that give them jurisdiction over residential dwellings.



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are not around," Doty said. This includes homes that are remade into apartments or apartments created in basements.

"If we find out work was done, we can shut them down," he said.

While a property maintenance ordinance or even a simple fire code would help in enforcing safe living

areas, it would create some problems for local governments who have to enforce the rules.

According to the City of Charlevoix Fire Chief Doug Carver, he does not have the manpower or money available for this.

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Officials discuss pros, cons of maintenace code

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"We would have to put another full time person on. Basically, they would have to be here from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to talk to people and we would have to send them to school for several months. It is an expense that is very hard to justify," Carver said.

Carver added the fire department can enforce life safety rules, based on residential complaints. This includes creating a fire exit for a dwelling, having smoke detectors or fixing wiring problems.

He said generally landlords are very good at fixing these problems when the fire department informs them of it.

The building department can be contacted by calling 347-7236.

Answers to class photos

The following are the lineups for the class reunion photos published in the Sept. 28 edition of the Charlevoix Courier. The Class of 1965 was: (Front row, from left) Mary Ann (Cummings) Cox, Chip Allison, Jim Raignol, John Duerr, Randy Carey, Barb (Dohm) Miller, Rick Gruneh, (second row) Tom Maxwell, Kerene (McClanaghan) Sullivan, Sherrel (Pearsall) Bergmann, Sherry (Holbarn) Sheldon, Carol (Gil) Pines, Chip Terrill, Cathy (Himebauch) Bayanski, Sandy (Sundberg) Kiefer, Bobbie Hiller, (third) Don Smith, John Faculak, Susie Wise, Marsha McCall, Rosemary (McCracken) Bean, Carol Fratrack, Carol McClellan Fields, Shirley Gibson, Bob Bergmann, Rosemary (Soder) Johnson, Mike Johnson, Gary Loder, (fourth) Nancy (Novak) Getherby, Gayle (Riley) Anderson, Joan (Louiselle) Balch, Pauline (Oliver) Young, Melvin Matchett, Skip Young, Gail (Allison) Baldridge, Warren Belding.

The Class of 1981 was (Front row, from left) Angie Spieles, Robin (May) Anderson, Paul Hoffman, Jeff Drury, Frank Kauffman, Hope (Malpeli) Walker, Scott Johnstone, Jill (Caldwell) Way, Shelly (Johnstone) Martin, (second row) David Herboldsheimer, Louais Dison, Susan (Clark) Dutcher, Dennis Morgridge, Joel Schnaekenberg, Tom Wanek, Jeff Landon, Ingrid Weiner, Kristin Lignell, Patrice (Staley) Stiglitz, Kathy Curtis, (third) D'Arcy Dutcher, Paula (Moats) Stevens, Gregg Swanson, Ben Shores, Mike Zednick, Brian Carson, Doretta Anderson, Bryan Steelman, Debbie Lenhart, Peter Dunkelberg, Tim Bruce, Joe Sladek, Todd Edger, (fourth) Scott Davis, Linda (Boocher) Boss, Debbie (Thomure) Leymon, Jim Knight, Karen (Taylor) Green, Becky (Witthoft) Wanek, Lew Kline, Shari (Jones) Kline, Scott Barrett, Kevin Whitley, (back) Melinda (Klooster) Lankford, Cindy Trimmer, Mary Beth Eldredge, Pam (Lameroux) Gregory, Laura (Baldwin) Stebe, Vicki (Rogers) Seymour, Karen (Taylor) Urbanis, Lisa (Sandahl) Price, Teresa (Noirot) Hart, Nancy (Lugibihl) Steel and Sunday (Their) Penfold.

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Residents of the Sequanota Club in Charlevoix pooled together their money this fall to donate \$35,000 to Charlevoix Area Hospital. There are 26 cottages in the club. (Courtesy photo)

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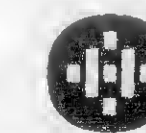


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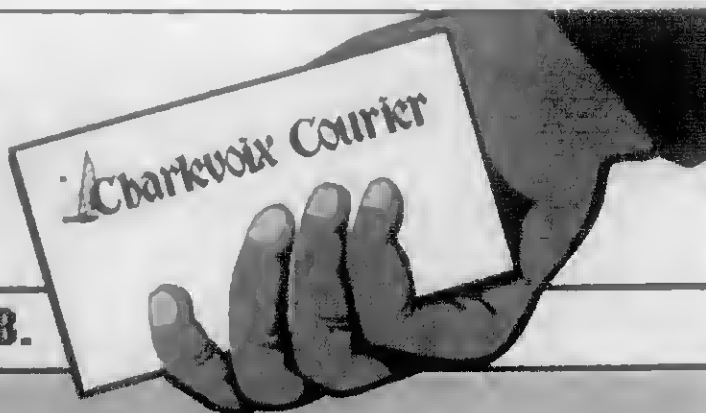
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Vintage style at Shabby Girls

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Shabby Girls salon gives its customers fine pampering, but also a vintage atmosphere to enjoy.

The salon/studio, located at 11501 US-31 North — across from Vidosh landscaping, created its look based on the book "Shabby Chic," by Rachel Ashwell. This is one of simple elegance in all areas of life.

While enjoying the surroundings at Shabby Girls, customers can receive a facial, body-waxing, natural nails, full hair care, pedicures, a variety of massages and even buy some slip cover furniture from Country House Fabrics.

The business also carries White Truffles shampoo and Rusk styling aids and shampoos.

Shabby Girls opened in July 2001 and celebrated its grand opening on Oct. 13 with a Truffles and Tea party. Charlevoix second grader Jane Balaze won a

White Truffles shampoo pack at this opening.

In the business' desire to pamper its customers, it is taking it one step further — pampering strangers in the community.

According to Glenda Wilhelm, in December, the ladies of Shabby Girls will be picking one person from the community who will receive a special day at the salon.

"This will be someone who has a need and who we want to pamper," Wilhelm said. The business will continue to give out gifts such as this throughout the year.

Shabby Girls is open year-round. The ladies who make up the business can be contacted at anytime on their personal phones.

Wilhelm can be contacted by calling 645-4475; Charity Closson can be contacted by calling 620-2442; Lois Becker, the massage therapist, can be contacted by calling 632-6597 and Kathy Loeffler can be contacted by calling 313-5878.



The ladies at Shabby Girls want to pamper you in elegance. They are: (Front, from left) Kathy Loeffler, Charity Closson, (back) Glenda Wilhelm and Lois Becker. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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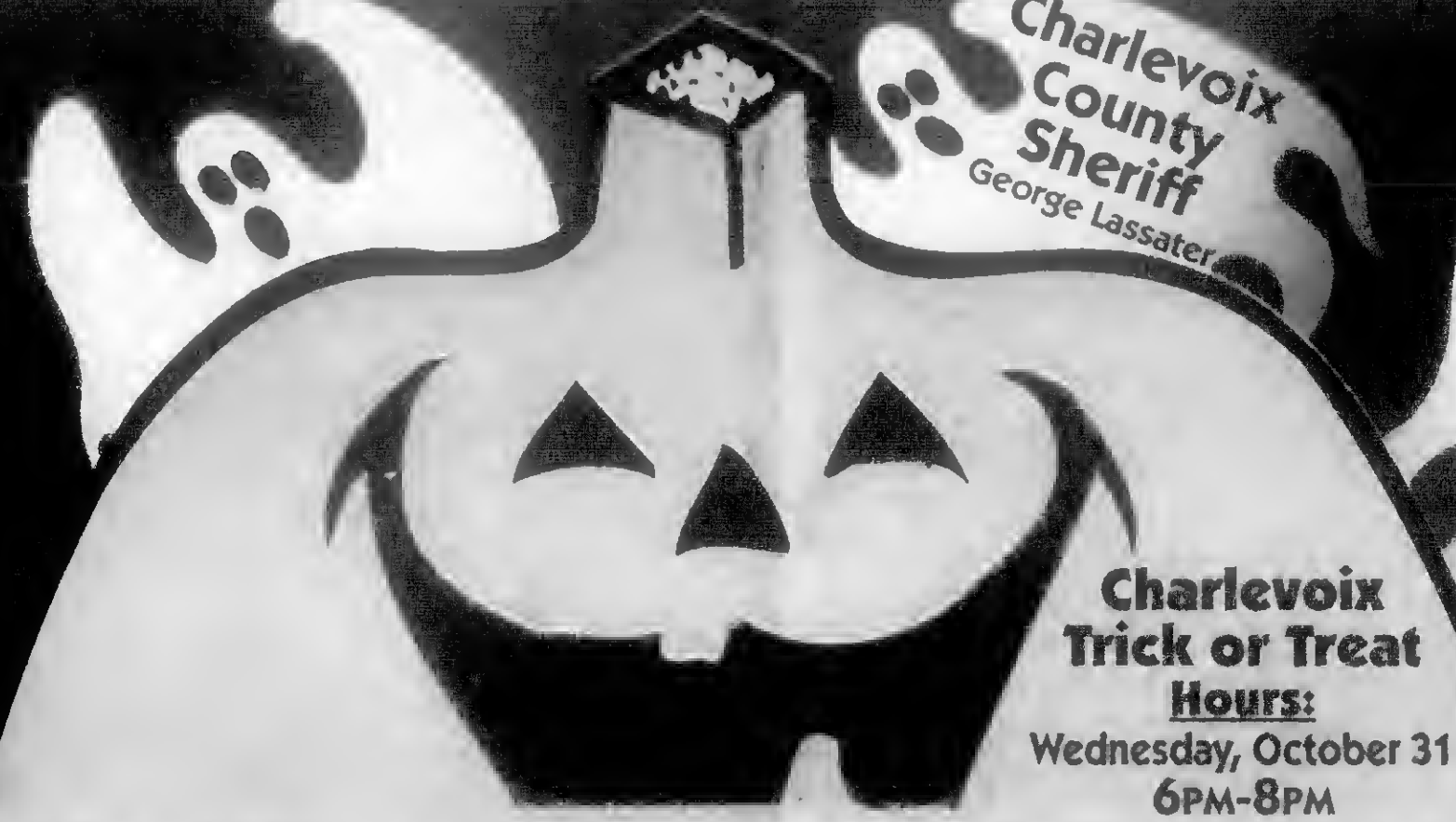
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Park and marina issue to get public input

MEETINGS

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City manager Mike Wiesner explained to Campbell that the product of the phase two meetings could be a number of things, including no changes at all. Other possibilities Wiesner described were straightening of the jagged bulk head and/or the installation of floating docks.

Wiesner said he has not heard strong community support in favor of a large expansion, as was depicted in the first layout.

"I don't see anybody advocating maximizing the marina layout," Wiesner said.

He added that the Waterways Commission offered funding support for an expansion, so the engineer showed the commission docks.

Wiesner stressed that phase two does not mean plans for an expansion, it simply will be a time for the community to discuss what, if anything, should be done to the marina.

The first public meeting concerning the future of East Park is sched-

uled to take place at 7 p.m. Dec. 6 at a location to be determined in the future. According to an agenda for that meeting, its purpose is to "involve the community in a dialogue leading to decisions about changes in East Park."

Here community members will tell city administrators and the park planner what they want from a park including amenities like band shells, ice rinks, festival space and lake viewing sites.

The city staff has scheduled 90 minutes for audience comments.

The city staff has already formulated a few recommendations for renovations at the site. These recommendations are the addition of public bathrooms, a marina/shore side facility with office space, showers and bathrooms to service boaters, a Chamber of Commerce literature distribution area near the public bathroom facility and a Submariner's Memorial.

"Because of the condition of the sidewalk/steps and marina/bathroom/chamber building, doing nothing is not an alternative," the Dec. 6 meeting agenda states.

Following the December meeting, the city will get to work preparing and approving a list of design goals based on the public input. Design options will then be developed from the goal list.

There will be another public input meeting in early June 2002 to comment on the design options for the park plan. The DDA and council will then review the design options and input from the public.

The city council will make the ultimate decision on the park plan. Council and members of the DDA will act as observers at the meetings

offering no input during the public forums.

In late June of 2002, phase two will kick off when the public meets for the first city sponsored input meeting on the marina.

"The purpose of the meeting is to involve the community in a dialogue leading to decisions about renovations/changes to the city marina," the agenda states.

This meeting will follow the upcoming public forum hosted by local environmental group, WATCH, which will take place at 7 p.m., Oct. 29 in council chambers at city hall.

From the public meetings, goals will be established and then design options will be submitted for the DDA and council to review. Council will select the best option.

The two will then be integrated and council will select the best integrated plan.

Wiesner projected that this integrated plan may be ready in the early months of 2003. He said if that were the case, permits could be applied for in late 2003 or early 2004.

"We'll see where the funding is at that time. This certainly isn't a quick process," he added.



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THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX ORDAINS:

- SECTION 1. Title.**
This Ordinance shall be known and cited as the "City Tax Exemption Ordinance."
- SECTION 2. Preamble.**
It is acknowledged that it is a proper public purpose of the State of Michigan and its political subdivisions to provide housing for its citizens of low income and to encourage the development of such housing by providing for a service charge in lieu of property taxes in accordance with the State Housing Development Authority Act of 1966 (Act 346 of the Public Acts of 1966, as amended, MCL 125.1401, et seq, MSA 116.114(1), et seq). The City is authorized by this Act to establish or change the service charge to be paid in lieu of taxes by any or all classes of housing exempt from taxation under the Act at any amount it chooses, not to exceed the taxes that would be paid but for the Act. It is further acknowledged that such housing for persons of low income is a public necessity, and as the City will be benefitted and improved by such housing, the encouragement of the same by providing certain real estate tax exemption for such housing is a valid public purpose. In addition, the continuance of the provisions of this Ordinance for tax exemption and the service charge in lieu of taxes during the period contemplated in this Ordinance are essential to the determination of economic feasibility of housing developments which are constructed and financed in reliance on such tax exemption.
- The City acknowledges that MERCER STREET LIMITED PARTNERSHIP, or its assigns (the "Sponsor") has offered, subject to receipt of a Mortgage Loan from the Michigan State Housing Development Authority, to erect, own and operate a housing development identified as May Street Apartments on certain property located at 1007 May Street, in the City of Charlevoix, to serve persons of low income, and that the Sponsor has offered to pay the City on account of this housing development an annual service charge for public services in lieu of all taxes.
- SECTION 3. Definitions. As used in this Ordinance.**
- A. "Authority" means the Michigan State Housing Development Authority.
- B. "Act" means the Michigan State Housing Development Authority Act, being Act 346 of the Public Acts of 1966, as amended.
- C. "Annual Shelter Rent" means the total collections during a calendar year from all occupants of a housing development representing rent or occupancy charges, exclusive of charges for gas, electricity, heat, or other utilities furnished to the occupants.
- D. "Housing Development" means a development which contains a significant element of housing for persons of low income and such elements of other housing, commercial recreational, industrial, communal, and educational facilities as the Authority determines improve the quality of the development as it relates to housing for persons of low income.
- E. "Mortgage Loan" means a loan to be made by the Authority to the Sponsor for the construction and/or permanent financing of the Housing Development.
- F. "Utilities" means fuel, water, sanitary sewer service and/or electrical service which are paid by the Housing Development.
- G. "Sponsor" means person(s) or entities which have applied to the Authority for a Mortgage loan to finance a Housing Development.
- SECTION 4. Class of Housing Developments.**
It is determined that the class of Housing Developments to which the tax exemption shall apply and for which a service charge shall be paid in lieu of such taxes must be multi-family residential developments that are financed or assisted pursuant to the Act. It is further determined that the housing development identified as "May Street Apartments" is of this class.
- SECTION 5. Establishment of Annual Service Charge.**
The Housing Development identified as May Street Apartments and the property on which it shall be constructed shall be exempt from all property taxes from and after the commencement of construction. The City acknowledges that the Sponsor and the Authority have established the economic feasibility of the Housing Development in reliance upon the enactment and continuing effect of this Ordinance and the qualification of the Housing Development for exemption from all property taxes and a payment in lieu of taxes as established in this Ordinance, and in consideration of the Sponsor's offer, subject to receipt of a Mortgage Loan from the Authority, to construct, own and operate the Housing Development, agrees to accept payment of an annual service charge for public services in lieu of all property taxes. The annual service charge shall be equal to 4.5% of the Annual Shelter Rents actually collected.
- SECTION 6. Limitation on the Payment of Annual Service Charge.**
Notwithstanding Section 5, the service charge to be paid each year in lieu of taxes for the part of the Housing Development which is tax exempt and which is occupied by other than low income persons or families shall be equal to the full amount of the taxes which would be paid on that portion of the Housing Development if the Housing Development were not tax exempt.
- The term "low income persons or families" as used herein shall be the same meaning as found in Section 15(a)(7) of the Act, as amended.
- SECTION 7. Contractual Effect of Ordinance.**
Notwithstanding the provisions of section 15(a)(5) of the Act, as amended, to the contrary, a contract between the City and the Sponsor, with the Authority as third party beneficiary under the contract, to provide tax exemption and accept payments in lieu of taxes, as previously described, is effectuated by enactment of this Ordinance.
- SECTION 8. Payment of Service Charge.**
The annual service charge in lieu of taxes as determined under this Ordinance shall be payable in the same manner as general property taxes are payable to the City, except that the annual payment shall be paid on or before February 28 of each year on the Annual Shelter Rent collected in the preceding year.
- SECTION 9. Duration.**
This Ordinance shall remain in effect and shall not terminate so long as the Mortgage Loan remains outstanding and unpaid or the Authority has any interest in the property, provided that construction of the Housing Development commences within one year of funding by the Authority.
- SECTION 10. Severability.**
The various sections and provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed to be severable, and should any section or provision of this Ordinance be declared by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid the same shall not affect the validity of the Ordinance as a whole or any section or provision of this Ordinance other than the section or provision so declared to be unconstitutional or invalid.
- SECTION 11. Conflicts.**
All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict and ordinance 668 of 2001 is repealed in its entirety.
- SECTION 12. Effective Date.**
This Ordinance shall become effective thirty (30) days after enactment.

Motion by Councilman Haggard and seconded by Councilmen Carison to adopt Tax Exempt Ordinance No. 669 at the October 15, 2001 Regular Council Meeting.

Yeas: Councilmen Bellows, Campbell, Carison, Chamberlain, Haggard and Witthoef.
Nays: None.
Absent: None.

Elizabeth A. Gooch, City Clerk

City council candidates debate the issues

COUNCIL

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In the second ward, incumbent Bill Bellows faces a new person in Charlevoix's political arena. D.J. Way.

And in the third ward Shirley Gibson and Tom Rankl showed up on opposite ends of the ring when it came to the big issues.

Most of the candidates were on the same page about Charlevoix's economic status and the need to increase year-round business opportunities. Their ideas on ways to accomplish this goal varied.

Bellows and Carlson said that in order to keep businesses open year-round the city needs to find ways to increase the number of people coming to Charlevoix.

Gibson suggested that the Downtown Development Authority and the Chamber of Commerce perform a study to pinpoint ways to attract year-round businesses.

Rankl said that perhaps there is some way for the city to give businesses a tax abatement like that which was recently granted to Harbor Industries. This savings to the property owner could then be passed along to the renter, making it more economically feasible to stay open year-round.

Way agreed with Rankl's response.

Carlson and Rankl also support the proposal of locating a convention center in the city.

Carlson said such a center would be "a good opportunity for the citizens of Charlevoix." He added we already have golf, restaurants, hotels and all the businesses who cater to such a center.

Rankl agreed and referred to himself as "a pro-growth person." He said he has some reservations as to whether or not we can support a convention center and called for more information on whether the support was here or not.

Gibson butted heads with Carlson and Rankl again on the question of the convention center.

Gibson said Charlevoix doesn't need a convention center. She said that the auditorium at the new high school will hold 750 people and it could service possible conventions. She also suggested using the middle school for convention related services once the students are moved to the old high school.

Gibson's point hinged on her opinion that Charlevoix isn't a winter destination and there are convention centers in other area towns that are winter destinations.

Bellows said he doesn't know whether such a center would thrive in town, but he expressed interest in seeing the results of a feasibility study. However, like Gibson, Bellows pointed to many local facilities that could serve the purpose of a convention center that are currently under-used. Way agreed with Bellows and with Rankl on the need for further study.

Conventions could mean traffic and traffic has become a sore spot

for some Charlevoix residents and visitors.

Carlson posed some interesting solutions for improving local traffic flow. He said there isn't a lot the city can do as Bridge Street is part of US-31, a state owned highway. But he said keeping the bridge closed during the lunch hour, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. may help.

Carlson also mentioned only opening the bridge on the hour as opposed to on the half hour and hour and leaving it open for a shorter period of time.

Gibson's answer for traffic problems was to install signs indicating that small boats with big antennas should put their antennas down. She also suggested that when traveling to the south side of town from the north that the law should mandate those in the right lane must turn right on Park Avenue.

Way agreed with Gibson's right turn only idea.

She also mentioned the possibility of making Bridge Street a one way street and eliminating parking on Bridge Street.

Rankl and Gibson started seeing eye to eye when it came to solving traffic problems. Rankl also suggested eliminating parking on Bridge Street and limiting bridge openings during peak travel times.

Bellows suggested opening the bridge on the quarter and three quarters of an hour because people tend to schedule appointments and need to be at work on the hour and half hour. He said that the four lanes going north that merge to two lanes are almost as much at fault for traffic issues as the bridge is.

One other use for city roads over the last couple of years has been snowmobiling and council candidates came up divided again.

Carlson said the city is currently working on a solution to the issues with snowmobiles in the city.

Rankl said that he is in favor of the trail into town because it assists merchants and restaurants. He said that we have to continue to try and get a hold of the violators and deal with them.

Way, an avid snowmobiler and a former member of the Charlevoix Snowmobile Council, said he met with city officials Oct. 17 to develop a trail around Harbor Industries. He said he doesn't foresee the Belvedere route continuing.

"If I lived there I wouldn't want it. The people who are violating the local ordinance are not local people," he added.

But Gibson is only interested in banning them from the city.

Bellows said he has checked with other cities including Petoskey where snowmobiles aren't allowed and they are still facing problems with the machines. He said if the ordinance was followed there wouldn't be a problem.

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JV team has a week of success

BASKETBALL

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On Thursday, the team will be playing East Jordan in East Jordan.

The junior varsity team had a little more success last week, beating Elk Rapids on Oct. 16, 46-29 and also beating St. Ignace on Oct. 18, 53-29.

In the Elk Rapids game, the top scorer was Brooke Blanchard with 12. She was followed by Jessica Pettis with eight, Katie Way with eight and Sarah Cross with eight. Cross also had 15 rebounds and Blanchard had 10.

Rebecca Kanine added six steals and five assists to the statistics, while Shayna Drost had six assists.

In the St. Ignace game, the leading scorer was Jaime Pettis with 20. She was followed by Cross with nine.

Cross had 16 rebounds, Kari Way had 13 and Blanchard had 11. Jaime Pettis and Drost added eight steals each.

The junior varsity team's season record is 10-4. Its conference record is 6-1.

Alcohol, speed, factors in accident

A 24-year-old West Bloomfield man was injured around 2 a.m., Oct. 20 in a one-vehicle rollover accident that occurred on M-32 in Wilson Township.

The investigation found that the driver, the 24-year-old, had been east bound on M-32 at a high rate of speed when he lost control on a curve. The vehicle skidded off the roadway, struck a ditch and rolled over on its top. The driver was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital for treatment and was later released.

A 17-year-old male from Charlevoix, a passenger in the vehicle, was not injured.

According to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, high speed and alcohol were factors in the accident. It is currently under further investigation. The driver was arrested for outstanding criminal warrants and is under investigation for drunk driving.

The passenger was also arrested for a minor in possession of alcohol and a criminal arrest warrant. Both subjects were lodged at the county jail pending issuance of additional warrants.

One Afternoon ... Ten Russian Journalists

You are invited to share in a unique opportunity to meet with ten visiting Russian journalists during a round-table discussion on ethics and current issues in journalism, moderated by Jeremy McBain, editor of the Charlevoix Courier.

Where: North Central Michigan College

When: Tuesday, November 13, 2001

Public discussion from 3 to 5 p.m. - free of charge.

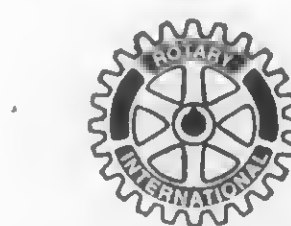
Informal dinner at 5:30 p.m. - at NCMC Conference Center pre-registration required and payment of \$10 in advance.

The Russian delegation will be visiting media businesses in northern Michigan the week of November 13-17 as a part of a program through the Center for Citizen Initiatives, a San Francisco based group dedicated to economic reform in Russia.

The delegation is composed of Russian newspaper and magazine editors, publishers and public relations directors. The Charlevoix Rotary Club, Charlevoix Courier and Petoskey News-Review are sponsoring their stay in the area.

The November 13 event is co-hosted by North Central Michigan College and the Michigan Press Association.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
File No. 01-010290-DE

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September 4, 2001
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316 Howard, Suite 2, P.O. Box 285
Petoskey, MI 49770
(231) 347-4800
David Thomas Balogh, Sr.
04725 River Road
Boyne Falls, MI 49713

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215 of Charlevoix County Records on Pages 437 through 440, inclusive, and by reason of such default the Mortgagee elects to declare the entire unpaid amount of such Mortgage due and payable forthwith, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of SIXTY-EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FOUR AND 32/100 (\$68,204.32) DOLLARS, and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative;

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Dated: October 10, 2001
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

acting through the United States Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, Mortgage

Robert J. Zitta (P22749)
Attorney for Mortgagee
Scheuerle & Zitta
300 Washington Street
P.O. Box 212
Grand Haven, MI 49417
(616) 842-1470
L(10/17,10/24,10/31,11/7)

LEGAL NOTICE 210
STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
OF HEARING
FILE NO. 01-010227-NC

In the matter of BreAnn Rose Kolinske

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TAKE NOTICE: A hearing will be held on Wed., November 14, 2001 at 2:15 p.m. at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser (P28895) for the following purpose: The Petition(s) to Change Name filed by Mark A. Kolinske and Brenda Kathleen Dunlop requesting that the name of BreAnn Rose Kolinske be changed to BreAnn Rose Lamb.

Dated: September 14, 2001

Mark A. Kolinske
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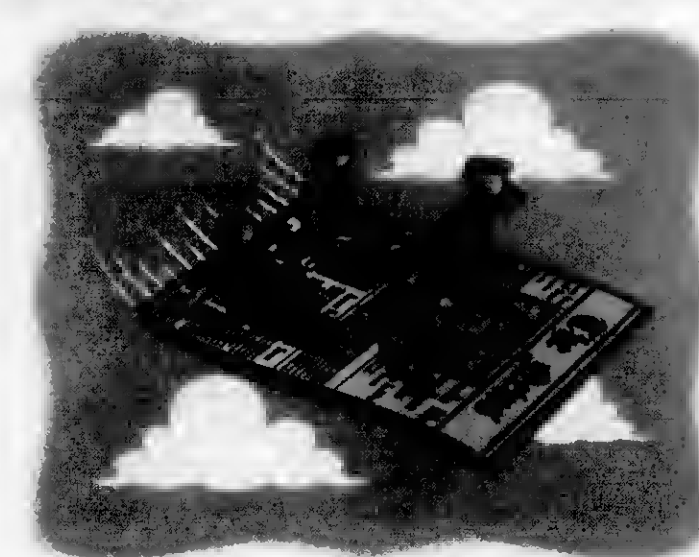
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ENTERTAINMENT



Spaghetti dinner

The public is invited to come support the preservation and restoration work of the Charlevoix Historical Society by participating in a spaghetti dinner from 5 to 9 p.m. on Nov. 7 at the Villager Pub, located at 412 Bridge Street.

Members of the society will serve as wait staff and all tips will be donated to support the ongoing efforts of the group.

The society works to protect and maintain the collections of photos, artifacts and memorabilia as well as the two local historical sites: The Harsha House Museum, at 103 State Street, and the Charlevoix Depot, at 307 Chicago Avenue.

A door prize will also be awarded. Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information. At left, attendees enjoy last year's dinner. (Courtesy photo)

Area events

Garden Club meeting

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club meets from 7 to 9 p.m. on Nov. 6, at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. The featured speaker will be Pam Newcomb, who will demonstrate how to creatively decorate a plain canvas tote and turn it into a holiday bag. There will be a nominal fee for the tote. Please bring pressed leaves from either an outdoor or indoor plant or tree.

For more information, please contact club president Tansley Stewart at (231) 547-5353.

Indoor soccer

Charlevoix indoor soccer games at the Middle School Gym begin on Saturday evenings starting at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 3. High school students and adults are eligible to

play. Pickup games are in November and December. The league games are in January and February. League sign up is \$25 and will begin Jan. 5. It is first come, first served. Call 547-5434 if you have questions.

Bottle drive

There will be a bottle drive from 6 to 8 p.m. on Oct. 29 in Charlevoix sponsored by Charlevoix High School Performing Arts Students. Students will be going door to door to collect returnable bottles and cans. Contributions will go toward the support of the Performing Arts program.

Banks Bazaar

The Ellsworth Lioness Club will be sponsoring the twenty-first An-

nual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at (213) 544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.

Parent-teacher conferences

Charlevoix Elementary School will be having parent-teacher conferences from 1 to 3:30 p.m. on Oct. 31. School will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. There will be no lunch served and no afternoon conferences. Evening parent-teacher conferences will be from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Nov. 6 and Nov. 8. Students have brought home forms for parents to fill out regarding conferences.

Guild Bazaar

The Women's Guild of Bethany Lutheran Church will sponsor a Bazaar and Bake Sale along with some White Elephant gifts at 9:30 a.m., Nov. 3 in the church fellowship hall. The proceeds will be used to purchase kitchen appliances for the new church building.

Haunted house

Spenceley's fifth annual haunted house is guaranteed to scare those who dare enter on Halloween night from 6 to 9 p.m., Oct. 31, at the home of Chris and Shane Cole on 504 May St. in Charlevoix.

Coffee and hot cider will be served for adults who do not wish to go through. Candy will be handed out to all who go in. Donations will be taken for the victims of the Sept. 11 bombing of the World

Trade Centers.

Trick-or-treating hours

Charlevoix children will be out in force dressed as their favorite little ghouls next week for the traditional Halloween festivities.

According to Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner, the trick-or-treating times will be from 6 to 8 p.m. on Oct. 31.

Also, from 5 to 7 p.m. on Oct. 31, children are invited to visit Boulder Park Terrace, located at 14676 W. Upright.

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SCRAPBOOK

The fifth bridge — A snail was faster than it

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society
(Eighth in a series)

Once World War II came to an end, the post-war boom wrote "The End" to what was now a seriously outmoded swing bridge, our second one, in service for almost five decades. Vehicular traffic was up enormously and not about to subside. Critical materials could now revert to civilian use. Bridge number four, as much as the town loved it, had to face the reality of age and a changing era. It was time to retire. A new bridge would be a local symbol of the self-confidence and faith in the future, that was sweeping the country in the wake of a victorious war. So, the plans drawn up in the 1930s and shelved due to the Depression were retrieved from the City Hall basement, dusted off and sent downstate to an agreeable welcome. The Michigan State Highway Commission decreed a stately new span and it became a pet project of Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler. An initial bond issue of \$349,000 got it started.

In May of 1947, a "temporary float" swing bridge began to take shape for three months across the neck of the channel, 200 feet to the east of the bridge crossing. It opened on August 26, and from then until June 27, 1949, Charlevoix endured this fascinating inconvenience as it watched the greatest construction project in its history, the million dollar Memorial Bridge, span the Bridge Street gap over the next two years.

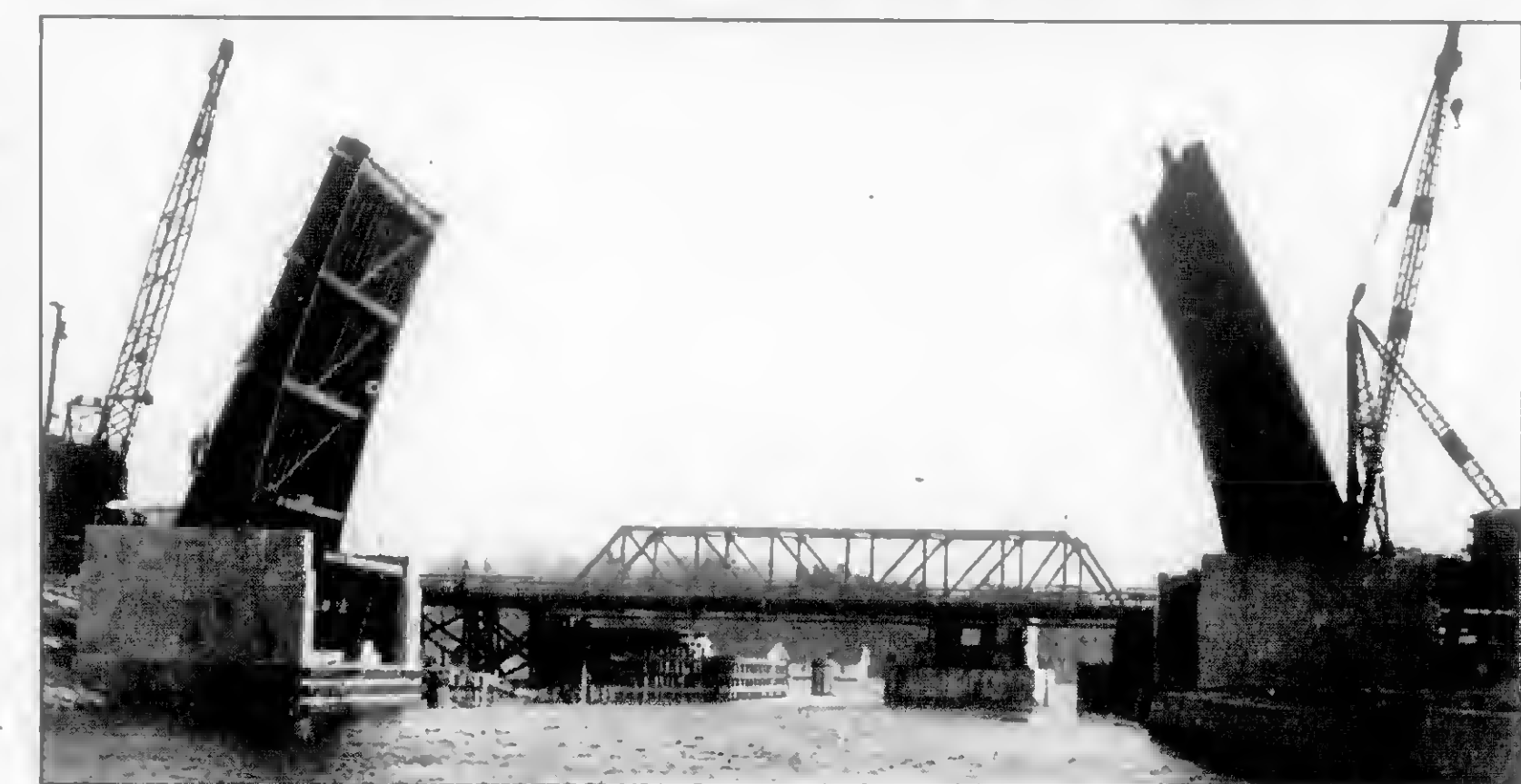
The block where Bridge Street Park is now located was once covered with buildings, the Old Town of Charlevoix, as it were, where the first commercial structures had gone up in the late 1800s. These had faded over the years and after East Park was developed in the mid-1930s, the city had planned to make all of the east side of Bridge Street into one long park. In the early 1940s, the northern third of the stretch was razed, but those businesses in the middle refused to budge, and they are there to this day. The Palace Theater, right in the center of the block, burned in 1945, but rather than sell, the Moon family of Petoskey rebuilt. Had they sold, the rest might have followed suit and Bridge Street's character immediately would have been altered.

The oldest buildings would have had to come out anyhow, because in 1947 access to the temporary bridge was needed. It came via a sharp right turn over what is now Bridge Park, extended across what is now the roof of the Beaver Island Boat Company on an elevated roadway, and crossed the bridge onto another roadway, raised over the Charlevoix Lumber Company yard (east end of the Edgewater Hotel), then snaked up the hill and exited onto little two-block Nichols Street, which for 22

months became temporary US-31 onto the main highway (Petoskey Avenue).

The roadway intersected Dixon Avenue right next door to the home of Robert Bridge, president of the Charlevoix County State Bank, and the most influential man in town. He was furious that this temporary highway would pass within a few yards of his residence with all the concomitant noise, dust and traffic fumes. But the property between him and his neighbor had belonged to the lumber company for years, which gave permission, and there was also the factor of eminent domain. Besides, there was nowhere else for the highway to go.

The worst inconvenience of this temporary bridge was the amount of time needed to open and close it. In terms of speed, this was a retrogression to the age of the dinosaurs. The 8 minute turning cycle of bridge three with the old key was a jackrabbit compared to the sloth of number five. The huge float on which it rested sat awkwardly in the channel (see picture), thus the entire structure was hinged at the northeast corner, and all was guided by a small wheeled undercarriage that followed a curved track set atop a framework of pilings on the north side. Ever so slowly the big float lumbered away like a huge snail to point the bridge east, then laboriously returned back again. Kids walking to or from school had an easy excuse for tardiness. The joke of drivers at the time was, if caught at the bridge, just turn off the ignition, lay down on the seat, and have yourself a good snooze. Some openings took almost a half an hour. To think in terms of today's road and



Bridge #5, the "temporary float," seen east of construction of present Memorial Bridge, late fall of 1948. (Courtesy photo)

water traffic is to think in terms of one's worst nightmare.

Once bridge number five was in position, \$30,000 was expended to take out our much loved number four. For many in Charlevoix it was a tremendously emotional, wrenching time for them, because, like many of those who experienced the removal of number three in 1901, it had been the only bridge they had ever known. Gone forever were the days when the local boys could sneak up into the undercarriage to hitch a ride and people were welcome to cross the catwalk onto the piling foundation island to watch the boats go by or dangle their legs to catch a few fish on a lazy day. As the old girders came down one by one, it was not unusual for clumps of spec-

tators to gather on the closed-off street south of the bridge and have themselves a good cry.

But the tears were soon replaced by wide-eyed fascination once the

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Costs from school lawsuits starting to take their toll

SCHOOL

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highlighted include time administrators have spent in personal meetings with the plaintiffs' attorneys, time involved in answering freedom of information act requests and time spent meeting with the district's own attorneys to plan their defense.

Kenneth Richard Tunison, one of the five private citizens included in the list of plaintiffs in the third case said he sees no reason to justify the financial loss to the school system. He said the district brought the loss on themselves.

"The financial loss to the school is their own doing, they should have been smart in the beginning and they would have saved themselves the cost," Tunison said.

Tunison said that had the sewer extension been routed up M-66 as is outlined in the Marion Township Master Plan, as opposed to traveling up Marion Center Road and had the city funded the sewer extension as opposed to the school funding it the district wouldn't have endured the third suit.

Tunison said he didn't know what the combined figures were for the loss to the plaintiffs.

Sturock said, with the exception of the injunction granted during the second lawsuit which cost the district one week of construction time, none of the lawsuits have held them up.

The plaintiffs in the third suit, including Tunison, recently filed an appeal Sept. 27 following the Sept. 14 ruling of 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas in favor of the district.

Sturock explained that the plaintiffs had 20 days following Pajtas' decision in which their appeal could be filed. They then have 28 days after Sept. 27 in which to come up with a basis for that appeal which Sturock said they are in the process of doing right now.

He added that after the rationale behind the appeal has been established the plaintiffs have 50 days to develop a brief and the school is given a set time in which to file a brief in response.

Sturock estimated that if all goes well the case will be on the appellate docket a year from now.

"It could be even longer before it's heard," he said.

The school is being represented by the appellate division of Braun, Kendrick and Finkbeiner. Their former attorney Bill Ewald will be replaced by Scott Straddard.

Sturock said he plans to ask the district's insurance carrier, SET-SEG of Lansing if the district can re-claim some of the funds that have been lost, but "no one knows what will happen."

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District's lawsuit history

April 20, 2000 The first lawsuit regarding the new high school was filed against the Charlevoix Public School District by the Charlevoix Area Natural Resources Preservation Association (CANRPA), an environmental organization headed by Marion Township resident Robert Mossman. The suit claimed the school did not comply with the township zoning ordinance in planning to put a school in the township's agricultural zone. The group claimed to be concerned about the rural character of the Charlevoix area.

June 29, 2000 The first lawsuit was dismissed in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix.

July 31, 2000 A second lawsuit was filed by the environmental group against the school. This suit was filed after the school refused a settlement offered by the plaintiffs. The

settlement had five conditions the school would have to comply with.

The lawsuit sought to reverse the approvals made by the township board and the township planning commission and claimed the township ordinance lacked proper standards. This suit also mentioned the threat of sprawl from sewer hook-ups.

Aug. 21, 2000 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas granted the plaintiffs a temporary restraining order. This was also the day the school was to break ground at the site of the new high school. The ceremony was canceled so as not to violate the court order.

Aug. 29, 2000 Pajtas denied the preliminary injunction request made by the environmental group.

Sept. 7, 2000 The state court of appeals denied the environmental group's injunction ap-

peal and their request for a temporary restraining order.

Oct. 12, 2000 Third suit filed against the school district. This suit was filed on behalf of Richard Tunison, Kenneth Stanley, Robert G. Mossman, Paul Richards and Joseph Seidel. These Marion Township residents filed their claim based on co-mingling of funds — using public tax dollars generated through the bond election to fund a sewer that will serve private interests. They also claim that the bond wording did not spell out that the funds would be used to construct a sewer.

Sept. 14, 2001 Pajtas dismissed the third lawsuit filed against the school district.

Sept. 27, 2001 An appeal was filed with the State of Michigan Court of Appeals in Lansing on behalf of the private citizens who are part of this third lawsuit against the Charlevoix School District.

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My father C. E. Davis, (past Vice President, Second Chance) was temporarily assigned to a headquarters company. His tent-mate, who was also heavily involved in the battle, was assigned the task of writing a routine speech for Admiral Nimitz, who was coming to Guam briefly to thank the men of the 3rd Division for taking Iwo. The speech he wrote contained the line "Uncommon Valor was a Common Virtue". Nimitz liked it and so did the attending reporters. Now it's in marble on the Iwo Jima Flag Raising statue in Washington, D.C.

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A building was destroyed by fire last week on US-31. The glow could be seen from across town.

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Projects' costs too high

City forced to make cuts to meet budget

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Bids for large-scale renovations at Michigan and Depot beaches came in higher than expected forcing Charlevoix city administrators to downsize both projects.

The bid was awarded to H & D of Bay Shore for \$650,891.34, almost \$100,000 less than the bid entered by Manthei Development. Although H & D bid lower than Manthei, the project was still more than the city expected.

The city deducted proposed amenities to Michigan Beach including: the larger of two picnic shelters, the basketball court and associated retaining wall, replacement of the wall and ground cover behind the current concession stand and the reconstruction of the concession/bathroom building.

The deducted items saved the city \$243,192.55 and the bathroom facility will be re-bid.

H & D said they would construct the building for \$101,390, but Jim Malewitz of Performance Engineer-

ing thinks if the project is bid separately they may be able to get the building completed for \$86,181.50.

City manager Mike Wiesner said the city has the funding to pay for construction of the bathroom facility.

The estimated total cost of the Michigan Beach project is \$517,275.54. The city has collected \$522,182 from sources including: the city's Lake Michigan fund, the Department of Natural Resources Trust Fund Grant agreement, the Coastal Zone grant agreement and

the Downtown Development Authority. That leaves \$4,906.46 for unforeseen items.

Malewitz said this contingency cash isn't enough to be totally on the safe side. He would like to have 10 percent allocated toward contingency items.

Wiesner said with the help of other funds, the contingency is currently at around 6 percent. He added, the additional 4 percent will be taken out of next year's budget.

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Frightening fun



Above are just two of the many ghouls who want to scare you Halloween night. They are portrayed by Mike Felix (left) and Gary Spencley. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Haunted horror on May

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Spencleys are hoping to give you a fright tonight.

The Charlevoix family will be having their annual haunted house from 6 to 9 p.m. tonight, Oct. 31, at 504 May Street.

According to Dean Spencley, this will be the fifth year the haunted house has created some scares on Halloween night and the attraction has only gotten better with each year.

When the family started, it took only about two hours and eight people to set up. Now, about 30

people take part in setting up and performing in the haunted house all for the fun of giving people a jolt of excitement.

The haunted house has also seen a steady increase in visitors each year too.

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Stay denied, sewer line ok

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

The school successfully dodged another bullet last week in Charlevoix County Circuit Court.

On Oct. 26, 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas denied a motion to stay pending appeal made by five private Marion Township residents involved in a lawsuit against the Charlevoix Public School District.

Pajtas explained, "If enjoined the plaintiffs would have won by default. Because in order to maintain the current construction, the school would have had to construct an on-site sewer before the appeal was decided."

He added that the construction contracts call for the school to open for business in September of 2002.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix.

Christina Ann Wingo, 23, Alanson. Arson (solicitation) of dwelling house. Bound over to circuit court.

Michael Jason Wingo, 28, Alanson. Arson (solicitation) of dwelling house. Bound over to circuit court.

Gina M. Stephani, 37, Petoskey. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$645 in fines and costs.

Nicole Kay Descherner, 21, Boyne City. Home invasion-second degree; and uttering and publishing. Bound over to circuit court.

Jessica Lynn Thayer, 20, Charlevoix. Home invasion-second degree. Bound over to circuit court.

Ramona Ann Wabanimek, 35, Pellston. Domestic violence. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for eight days, serve 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$585 in fines and costs.

David Robert Jackson, 39, Canton. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Nine months probation; 41 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$945 in fines and costs.

Jamie Lynn Webster, 23, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$945 in fines and costs.

David Stuart Rifkin, 28, Saginaw. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 61 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 50 days held in abeyance; \$955 in fines and costs.

Roland Louis Hachey, 21, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$765 in fines and costs.

Clayton James Olson, 19, Owosso. Minor in possession of alcohol.

Six months probation; 100 hours of community service work; \$300 in fines and costs.

Joseph Markus Lansing, 20, East Jordan. Retail fraud-third degree. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 82 days held in abeyance; not to enter Kmart or Wal-Mart; \$1,075 in fines and costs.

Dwain Garret Nutt, 24, Roscommon. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 12 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 40 days on electronic monitor, 39 days held in abeyance; \$1,010 in fines and costs.

Jason Robert-Boyd Scott, 21, Boyne City. Attempted resisting and obstructing a police officer. Six months probation; 180 days in jail with credit for one day, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 159 days held in abeyance; \$1,070 in fines and costs.

Stephen Gerald Hawkins, 20, East Jordan. Disturbing the peace. Jail for 90 days with credit for 14 days, serve 76 days.

Gregory Scott Anderson, 30, Carp Lake. Attempted stalking. Two years probation; 180 days in jail with credit for three days, serve 17 days, 20 days of community service work in lieu of 20 days in jail, 140 days held in abeyance; no contact with victim; \$1,347.50.

James Timothy Bunting, 44, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol; and eluding a police officer-fourth degree. One year probation; attend IM-PACT weekend; 365 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 20 days, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 40 days on electronic monitor, 288 days held in abeyance; \$1,590 in fines and costs.

David Allan Hayden, 50, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol; and driving while license suspended. Two years probation; 93 days in jail with credit

for one day, serve 30 days, 45 days on electronic monitor, 62 days held in abeyance, \$1,220 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Robert Earl Rennekamp, 26, Boyne City. Resisting and obstructing a police officer. Two years probation; 11 months in jail with credit for two days, serve four months; \$940 in fines and costs.

Thomas Lee Clark, 22, East Jordan. Criminal sexual conduct-third degree (multiple variables). Jail for a minimum of 19 months and a maximum of 15 years with credit for one day; \$60 in fines and costs.

James Steven Baker, 39, Charlevoix. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; jail for a minimum of 23 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 107 days; \$210 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Insight Services, 318 West Upright, Charlevoix, by Mary Myers.

Arline's IGA, 530 South Maple Street, East Jordan, by East Jordan Market Inc.

Nicholas Evans Builder, 00283 Peck Road, Boyne City, by Nicholas A. Evans

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Carpentry Services, 05698 Miles Road, East Jordan, by Brian Gwin

Marriages
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Michael George Carey, 32, Charlevoix and Cheryl Lynn Drewanz, 32, Charlevoix

Patrick William McKay, 30, Charlevoix and Keiko Shimada, 26, Charlevoix

James Lawrence Kagabatang Jr., 47, Charlevoix and Jayne Marie Drozd, 41, Charlevoix

Winfield Joseph Kevin Scott Jr., 25, Charlevoix and Tracy Lee Boyer, 26, Charlevoix

Divorces
The following people have been granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Thomas John Hammond vs. Janis M. Hammond

Tracy Gilland vs. Mark Gilland

Christina Kay Cosier vs. Bryan Lee Cosier

Gregory Scott Clark vs. Rebecca June Clark

Suzanne Baughman vs. Keith Baughman

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The polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 8 p.m. at the Charlevoix City Hall, located near the intersection of State and Mason streets.

To vote in this election, residents must have been registered by Oct. 9. Charlevoix city clerk Liz Gooch is running unopposed for reelection. Those hoping to be elected to council seats are: Norman Carlson running unopposed for first ward; Bill Bellows and DJ Way running for second ward; and Shirley Gibson and Tom Rankl running for the third ward seat.

Workers at the polling site will be able to help residents determine which ward they live in.

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Windy weather took down trees throughout the county, including this one on State Street. Only about a dozen homes in the city lost power. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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OPINIONS

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Editor's picks for city council

Choices....we all must make them every day.

However, next week we must make some choices which will affect the future of the community — choices of which leaders we feel have our best interest in mind. But, like all choices, not everyone agrees.

What you will read here are the editor's choices for Charlevoix City Council. They are just his picks, not yours. Feel free to agree with them or say they are wrong, it is the American way.

Starting out the picks we have **Norman Carlson** running alone for the first ward seat. The editor has disagreed with this man many times in the past on issues such as the buying of the Wharfside and snowmobiles in town.

But, since he is running alone, he is the editor's pick for this seat. The decision would be a little different if someone were to run against Carlson though.

For the second ward seat there is a choice between incumbent **Bill Bellows** and **D.J. Way**. Bellows has served the community for many years and has done a pretty good job. He should be commended for what he has given to Charlevoix.

However, it is time for a change on council. We need some new ideas. For example, when asked why he favored buy-

EDITORIAL

ing the Wharfside in a meeting with the editor, Bellows said it was because that is what a council in the 1800s wanted to do.

We need someone with ideas from the 2000s, not the 1800s. Therefore, the editor supports **D.J. Way** for the second council seat.

In the running for the third ward seat are **Tom Rankl** and **Shirley Gibson**. (Note: Gibson is an employee of the company that owns this newspaper.) Both are new to the game and both seem to have an enthusiasm to serve.

But, the pick goes to **Shirley Gibson**. Gibson has a spunk which is needed on the council. Her first thoughts are what is best for the year-round residents.

Currently, the focus on council is what is best for the downtown businesses, not the residents. Therefore, a voice like Gibson's is needed to even out the score. The residents deserve a voice on council; the editor doesn't think they have been getting it. But, Gibson will make sure they do.

These picks may help you make a choice, but ultimately it is up to you. But, remember, the only way you can truly make your feelings heard is by voting on Nov. 6.

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Michigan Avenue work creates a few challenges



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

People who live on Michigan Avenue have been calling each other quite regularly for the past two months.

"Do you have any water?"
"Is your telephone working?"
"May I park my car behind your house?"

"Is it O.K. to have my newspaper delivered to your house for a week? We can't use our driveway!"

In case you haven't already heard, the city decided to install new sewers, pave the street, add new street lights, a sidewalk and new curbs on Michigan Avenue. Work started before Labor Day and was supposed to be finished by Halloween, but there have been unforeseen delays on the \$650,000 project.

When I asked one of the workmen if he had ever worked on this type of a project before, he answered, "In my worst nightmare!"

First, it seems the six man team had to get rid of unexpected clay, reaching down five feet, to be replaced with sand hauled from the beach. It took us awhile to get used to the noise of an excavator with a bucket, several dump trucks, a loader, a bulldozer and a vibrating roller compactor charging up and down the street with the "beep-beep-beep" going from dawn to dusk like at Ground Zero.

From sunrise to sunset, that's the crew's time schedule. Workers from Alpena are hired at \$22 an hour with overtime, plus \$35 per diem. These hard tops are pleasant fellows. They ring your doorbell and announce politely, "There won't be any water for a couple of hours, I hope you don't mind! We've run into a slight problem down the block."

When a person's car gets stuck in the mud, they hop to it and help push.



A worker stands in the massive pit on Michigan Avenue created by the construction work. The asphalt may be placed by the end of this fall. (Courtesy photo)

The Charlevoix Street Department leaves weekly construction schedules tucked in the front door. It's never good news!

"The constant truck traffic will continue until the undercut is completed, hopefully by the end of next week." It isn't.

"When the curb is poured across a drive entrance, it cannot be driven over for three days with a car and five days with trucks."

Their notes always end with, "Thank you for your patience during this construction."

Boy, have I got patience! I have patience when they accidentally cut my telephone line and I had no phone and couldn't use the computer for two days. I have patience when looking down a 10 foot deep ditch, reaching down from where my curb used to be, all the way across the street!

Secretly, I am fascinated by the monstrous equipment that places 36 inch diameter concrete storm sewers, like tidily winks, into the ground all along the half mile that leads from one end of Michigan Avenue to the other. I admire the apple green, 8 inch

diameter, sanitary sewer pipes, plus the shiny copper tubing that provides drinking water to each house and the 8 inch black ductile iron pipes that hook up to the water main.

In talking with project engineer, Don Swen, of Performance Engineers, Inc., he hopes that the asphalt paving will be done this fall — depending on weather and our usual seasonal conflict, the opening of deer season on Nov. 15!

"Don't worry," he says. "One never knows. If H&D doesn't get it done this fall, they will finish the job in spring. Then we will repair the cracked sidewalks and plant a good quality grass between the curb and the sidewalk."

It's been a rough ride, but when done, what a great time to celebrate with an old fashioned block party!

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Letters to the editor

Justice not served

Editor:
Justice was not served on 14 September 2001. There is only one reason that more than \$50,000 has been spent for a gas line. There is only one reason that a sewer 16 times the necessary capacity is projected for the "proposed" school site.

I must commend the person that thought enough to march a block of public school students into the courtroom gallery. It did indeed give a perception of public support. However, I give a great deal more praise to the perception and common sense of the students; who got up and left when their class dismissal time arrived.

To my knowledge nothing has been made public concerning any potential soil contamination at the building site. Considering the amount of attention other building sites are receiving, I find this very difficult to understand. It would seem that serving the public interests by openly publishing the results of soil contamination studies would put this matter to rest.

Nor has there been any decision concerning potential security con-

siderations. It is to be assumed that since a sewer is being foisted upon Marion Township that the Township Constable will be providing law enforcement to the school?

Since you have begun a series of articles on the matters of public concern, may I suggest, Mr. Editor, that you offer your services as a "honest broker" in this matter? Certainly the school would have no objection in releasing information to you concerning these matters? I would certainly think that the health and physical safety of the community's children would be in the public interest.

I also wonder why the night lights have been extinguished at the construction site. Is the school setting the example by doing a voluntary "blackout" because of our national crisis or did the gas line cost too much?

Joseph F. Seidel
Marion Township

Editor's note: According to John Sturock, Charlevoix schools superintendent, an environmental study was done before the school bought property and no contamination was found.

City should be careful with errors

Editor:
Does the city of Charlevoix need to brush up on telling time? Well, probably not, but Charlevoix City Council does.

Let me explain. I am an eighth grade student who attends Charlevoix Middle School. Today, when I was in social studies, we received a handout on the Charlevoix Curfew Law direct from the Charlevoix City Code.

I read through it a couple times and found an error. In section 9.93 it says that no minor under the age of 17 can be outside, unattended on public property from "12 p.m. through 6 a.m."

If this were true, people under the age of 17 would have to spend 18 hours inside. This is clearly a mistake. I would have overlooked the problem, but I thought it would be a great opportunity to find ways of changing the law.

Since it is a minor mistake I'm not going to protest. But I will be contacting City Hall to find out how this can be corrected. In the meantime, always watch what you type. A small error could mean some-

thing totally different.
Brandon Stevens
Charlevoix

Help fund program

Editor:
To my dismay, I have just found out that the wonderful service I had received these past years of having my leaves raked by some fine courteous, young men from the county jail, will not be available this fall. I was told to call in early October. This is due to the lack of financial funding.

While I know that the Rainbow Shoppe and other organizations contribute to many needful causes, I thought that the Charlevoix jail program would be one of them, as not only does it keep these young people occupied — rather than being confined and bored — but it offers a useful service to the elderly and widows as myself.

I made the suggestion that I would be willing to pay for their help. Are there any others in the community that feel likewise?

This might be the answer to saving this worth-while program.

Joan Bousquet
Charlevoix.

Where Is It?



Tell us where in the Charlevoix Area you think this is.

In an effort to add a little more fun to our lives and yours, the Charlevoix Courier is working on creating interactive areas of the newspaper for our readers. In the spirit of this, we are announcing the creation of a new contest called, "Where is it?"

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for \$100⁰⁰ that will take place on December 31, 2001.

Answer to the 10/17 Where is it?
The front of the Advanced Geomatics Building, 217 Bridge St.

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Answers for the 10/31 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 14.

Only one entry per person per week.

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Future careers

Golf pro Tom Dorsek, from the City of Charlevoix's Municipal Golf Course, was present to help students with their swings at the Charlevoix Middle School career day on Oct. 18. At left, he gives a few tips to Charlevoix Middle School student Jacob Kirby. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)



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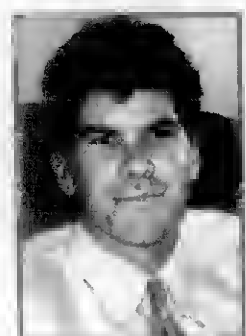
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To help out the relief efforts after the Sept. 11 attack on the World Trade Center in New York, N.Y. and Washington D.C., the Shop of the Gulls, located in downtown Charlevoix, is selling these sweatshirts for the Red Cross. All of the profit from the sweatshirts are being given to the Red Cross. Sales of the shirt have reportedly been very good and the business is expected to continue the fund-raiser throughout the holidays. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Photo exhibition to be at Crooked Tree Arts Center

The Crooked Tree Arts Center has announced the schedule for the 21st Annual Juried Photography Exhibition.

All Michigan photographers 18 years or older are eligible. Entries will be accepted from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Nov. 10 and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Nov. 12 and Nov. 15 in the gallery of the Arts Center, located at 461 E. Mitchell Street in Petoskey.

Following his exhibit in October at the arts center, D. James Galbraith will serve as juror for the photography show. Galbraith's extensive career in

photojournalism has garnered him awards and accolades.

He was born into a small Michigan family in 1930 and his work reflects his upbringing; respect for the past, significance of honest labor and close ties of family and community. Galbraith and his wife, Susan, reside in the Jordan River Valley.

Photographs must be 5 by 7 or larger. They must be matted and framed or mounted on double weight mount board and ready for hanging. Any photographic process is acceptable and a photographer may submit up to

two entries. A non-refundable fee of \$30 per photographer or \$15 for Crooked Tree Arts Center members is required.

Awards and cash prizes will be given for first, second and third place. The exhibit dates are Nov. 20 through Jan. 4, 2002.

There will be an opening reception from 5 to 7 p.m. on Nov. 20. Please call the Crooked Tree Arts Center at (231) 347-4337 for more detailed information regarding the entry procedure or with questions you may have regarding the exhibit.

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Release party to be given for student CD

The Crooked Tree Arts Center invites you to join the students from Beaver Island, East Jordan, Pellston, Charlevoix and Petoskey as they sing together on stage debuting their very own musical creations.

Singer/songwriter Dan Hall visited these schools in March 2001 and helped the students compose songs. Hall returned to the schools in June to record the songs with the children to create the CD, "Children from the Land of the Crooked Tree."

The original songs on the CD include "The Beaver Island Blues" written by the Beaver Island School and the Beaver Island Lighthouse School; "Three Fires" written by Charlevoix Elementary; "Pellston" by Pellston Elementary; "Mark the Alien" written by East Jordan Elementary School and "Rosie the Robin" composed by Petoskey Ottawa Elementary School.

The lyrics for each song, along with the names of all the students that participated are listed in the CD liner notes. The CD cover art, which depicts a crooked tree, was created by local artist Vivi Woodcock.

Hall, with accompaniment by local musicians, will back up the young voices.

The concert and CD release party is at 4 p.m., Nov. 4 at the Petoskey Middle School. Admission is \$3 for adults and children are admitted for no charge.

The CD, Children from the Land of the Crooked Tree, will be released that day and available for purchase for the first time at a special price. Tickets for the concert are on sale now at the Crooked Tree Arts Center.

This collaborative effort was orchestrated by Mary Wiklanski, community cultural coordinator for Charlevoix and Emmet counties. The Crooked Tree Arts Center has received a mini-grant from the Cheboygan Area Arts Council, a regional granting agency for the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs for this project.

The Crooked Tree Arts Center is located at 461 E. Mitchell Street in downtown Petoskey. Please call the arts center for more information at (231) 347-4337.

How to get news items into the newspaper

If you have a news item you think would be perfect for the Charlevoix Courier, feel free to call 547-6558, e-mail charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or visit the Courier office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix.

News items include events sponsored by non-profit organizations. Please inform us of your event at least two weeks in advance.

Our coverage area is the city of Charlevoix and its immediately surrounding areas, including Beaver Island.

Because of space limitations in the newspaper, we generally try to avoid publishing "check-handing" pictures or "ribbon-cutting" pictures. However, we will work with your organization to get a picture that reflects the event and is visually interesting to our readers.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Lawrence new supervisor

Dr. Dennis Lawrence has been appointed as the new center supervisor for the Charlevoix Community Consultation and Treatment office of Northern Michigan Community Mental Health. Lawrence started with the organization in January of 2000 as a therapist for the Charlevoix office.

Plaques presented

Coast Guard Station Charlevoix presented the Charlevoix McDonald's and Charlevoix Subway with plaques of appreciation on Oct. 15 for their support in the 2001 Operation Boat Smart. These restaurants donated coupons for free fries or cookies to be handed out to children who were wearing life jackets.

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Obituaries

Erwin C. Belfy: Nov. 16, 1913 - Oct. 25, 2001

Erwin C. (Sonny) Belfy, 87, of Charlevoix, died Oct. 25, at Emmet County Medical Care Facility in Harbor Springs.

A Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated at 10 a.m., Oct. 27 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Thomas Neis officiated. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Mr. Belfy was born Nov. 16, 1913 in St. James, Beaver Island, the son of Erwin E. and Lenore (Allers) Belfy. He was raised and attended schools in St. James, Escanaba and Garden.

In December 1939, he married

Dorothy Morcher in Chicago and she preceded him in death on June 30, 1953.

Mr. Belfy sailed on the Great Lakes as a wheelsman for many years. He worked as a commercial fisherman and was then employed at Maxbauer's Dairy in Charlevoix before retiring in 1976. He was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix.

In later years he enjoyed playing cribbage with his brother, son and friends at his Upright Street home and was often seen pedaling his bicycle on the streets of Charlevoix.

Survivors include a daughter,

Patricia K. (Richard) Moore of Los Fresnos, Tex.; a son Michael E. (Judith) Belfy of Conway; grandchildren, Suzanne Hall, Gary Faltling, Donna Olvera, Erica Urbina, Shannon Moore, Michael Belfy, Marc Belfy, Dorothy Whitecomb and John Belfy; 15 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Chester and Robert Belfy, and his sister Musette La Freniere.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Emmet County Medical Care Facility in Harbor Springs, or to Saint Mary's Church of Charlevoix.

Esther Kay Deltufo: Dec. 20, 1915 - Oct. 4, 2001

Esther Kay Deltufo, 85, Port Charlotte, Fla. died Oct. 4.

She was born Dec. 20, 1915 in Battle Creek and moved to Port Charlotte, Fla. in 1983 from Pitman, N.J.

She worked for a New York City advertising agency and spent many years with an oil company in South America. She was an assistant radiologist in the Women's Army Corps during World War II.

She also lived in Charlevoix oc-

asionally with her sister and brother-in-law, the Rev. G. Donald and Lillian Swinton.

In Charlevoix she worked in Dr. Saltonstall's office and enjoyed singing in a trio with Doris Oakes and "Cat" McCall.

Survivors include her husband of 53 years, Anthony; a daughter, Melinda Ramsdell of Port Charlotte, Fla.; sons, Peter of Cincinnati, Ohio and Michael of Pitman, N.J.; and 10 grandchildren.

Also surviving are nephews Jim Kay of Las Vegas, Nev. and Bob Kay of Ann Arbor and niece Sally Bales of Charlevoix.

A family celebration of life will be later. The National Cremation Society, Port Charlotte, Fla., is in charge.

In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Charlotte Regional Medical Center, 809 East Marion Avenue, Punta Gorda, Fla. 33950.

Julia Dominguez Hooper: July 30, 1944 - Oct. 8, 2001

Julia Dominguez Hooper, 57, of Sebastian, Fla., died Oct. 8, 2001 at her residence after a prolonged illness.

Julia was born July 30, 1944 in Salvatierras de Mino, Pontevedra, Spain. She moved with her family to Buenos Aires, Argentina, in 1951.

Mrs. Hooper was a certified pharmacy technician. She was of the Catholic faith.

Julia married Jim Hooper on Oct. 16, 1975 in Buenos Aires, Argenti-

na.

Surviving are her husband of 26 years, Jim Hooper, of Sebastian, Fla.; son, Eric Dominguez Hooper, of Palo Alto, Calif.; daughter, Marisela Hooper of Del Ray Beach, Fla.; mother, Leonisa Dominguez of Buenos Aires, Argentina and sisters, Marines Dominguez de Loscalzo and Elidia Dominguez de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

A memorial service was given on

Oct. 11, 2001 in Sebastian, Fla.

The family suggests that memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society in memory of Julia Hooper.

Jim and Julia met and began their married life together in Charlevoix, with their two children being born at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

They shared many friendships and looked back on their time in Charlevoix with many fond memories.

Jacqueline M. Phelps: March 15, 1924 - Oct. 23, 2001

Jacqueline M. Phelps, 77, of Charlevoix died Oct. 23 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Jackie was born in Bay City on March 15, 1924, the daughter of Abraham and Corrine (Yon) Blumlo.

She was raised in Bay City where she later married Hudson "Mac" Phelps on Aug. 29, 1942. He preceded her in death on Jan. 24, 1999.

The couple moved to Charlevoix in 1962, where Jackie served as a secretary/bookkeeper for Charlevoix Public Schools, Electra and North-

ern Michigan Mental Health Board.

Jackie was a member of the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix. She loved to play bridge, cross-stitch and spend time with her three beloved cats. She will be best remembered for her fine sense of humor and her indomitable spirit.

Survivors include her daughter, Susan (John) Dixon, Joey Phelps and Terry Sotuyo, all of Charlevoix; Diann (Mark) Gaylord of Petoskey; three grandchildren, Matthew (Suzanne) Dixon of Ann Arbor,

Benjamin (Stacey) Spencer of Petoskey and Nathaniel Sotuyo of Charlevoix; one great-granddaughter, Carly Spencer of Petoskey.

A memorial service was at 1 p.m., Oct. 29 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Nancy Rohde officiated.

Memorial contributions may be made to Charlevoix County Hospice. Envelopes are available at the church.

Arrangements were handled by Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

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Pastor Michael Teuscher.....547-9446

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M-66
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Merchants want a downtown ice rink

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Some local merchants would like to see an ice rink in Charlevoix's East Park this winter.

One merchant, Linda Mason of the retail division of the Chamber of Commerce spoke on behalf of those interested in the prospect of a rink at a joint meeting of Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority and city council.

"We are always trying to make the downtown area attractive and charming in the winter. I feel it would be a picturesque thing to have," Mason said.

Mason added she thought the rink would create a nice atmosphere and would attract people to Charlevoix's downtown during the off season.

Mason said the city does have a liner for the rink, so making this happen is just a matter of installing the rink and maintaining it.

However, city manager Mike Wiesner said he doesn't know what shape that liner is in.

As of 12:30 p.m., Oct. 26, Wiesner had not checked with city street superintendent John Martin on the status of the liner. But, he did say he thought it was "all

"We are always trying to make the downtown area attractive and charming in the winter. I feel it would be a picturesque thing to have."

Linda Mason,
retailer on the ice rink idea

right" and the real issue that could hold the project up is funding.

At the meeting, Mason said she was told by the city the rink would cost between \$16,000 and \$18,000.

Merchants are getting together to raise money and asked the Downtown Development Authority for their help. However Wiesner told DDA members that their funding is to be allocated to projects that are less operational and more bricks and mortar.

"We are looking for support and we encourage the DDA to give it your consideration," Mason said to DDA members.

The merchants are looking to bring more people downtown, but comments made by city manager Mike Wiesner indicate that the rink won't

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Obituaries

James D. Woodward: Jan. 10, 1923 - Oct. 23, 2001

James D. Woodward, 78, passed away Oct. 23 in Columbia, Tenn. after a brave battle with cancer.

James was born Jan. 10, 1923 in Henryville, Tenn., the son of Alfred and Ninnie Woodward. He was raised in Henryville and moved to Charlevoix in the 1940s.

He dearly loved Charlevoix, residing here for over 40 years before returning to Tennessee.

He was married to Vickie

(Beecham) Woodward on June 29, 1984.

While in Charlevoix, James worked as a bartender for area restaurants and later worked for and retired from the Charlevoix Middle School.

James was preceded in death by his son, "Woody" Woodward; his parents; his brother, Eugene; and his sister, Esta.

Survivors include his wife, many

cousins and friends and his beloved cats.

Funeral services took place at 10:30 a.m., Oct. 26 at the Neal Funeral Home in Lawrenceburg, Tenn.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Charlevoix Area Hospital, Lakeshore Drive, Charlevoix, MI 49720 or Charlevoix Historical Society, 103 State Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Byron E. Wyatt: Died Oct. 29, 2001

Byron E. "Bud" Wyatt, 73, of Boyne City, and formerly of Bloomfield Township, died Oct. 29, 2001, at his home.

A memorial service will be 2 p.m., Nov. 3, at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix.

The Rev. Nancy Rohde will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to Northwest Michigan Community Health-Hospice, (NWMCH-Hospice), 220 W. Garfield, Charlevoix, MI 49720, or

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Official doesn't agree on rink idea

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be possible for this year. He specifically pointed to high costs coupled with the limited time until winter is here.

"I think it's pretty late, but we'll look into it," Wiesner said of the project's potential for this winter.

One cost would include the construction of a warming hut.

Mason said perhaps they could not build a warming hut for the first year and instead they could line the area along the shore of Round Lake with Christmas trees and put lights on them to buffer the breeze off the lake.

She also suggested getting volunteer workers from local service clubs to staff the rink.

Mason also said this could be a trial to help plan what the community wants done with the park during the renovation process.

Wiesner said there was a rink in East Park 12 years ago and it didn't work out well.

He explained that the irrigation at the site was not appropriate for this type of use and the ground not being level was also an obstacle. He said for some reason it is difficult to make ice at that location.

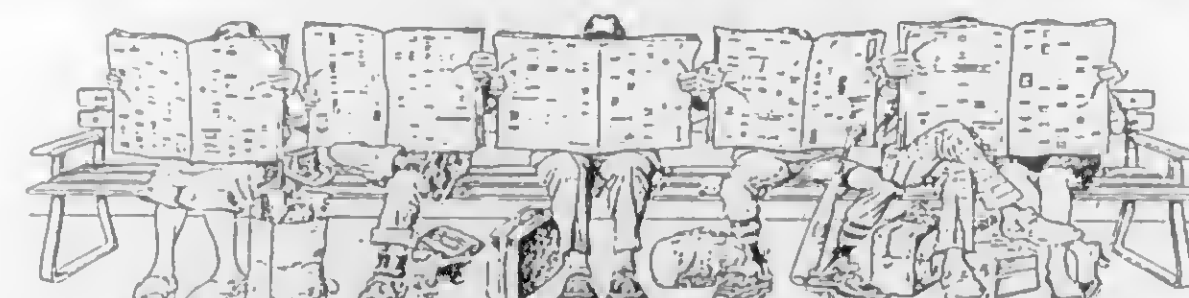
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Norwood Township approves cellular tower

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

In spite of opposition from residents the Norwood Township Board unanimously voted to allow a cellular tower to be constructed in the township.

Norwood Township Zoning administrator Lynn Smolenyak said that the board took into account the concerns of the residents who spoke at a public hearing about the towers.

She added that attorneys for the tower company and the township have gone back to the drawing board to make sure many of these concerns are incorporated in the lease agreement.

The board voted to enter into a lease with American Tower Corporation at its Oct. 23 meeting. American Tower is leasing less than two acres of township property off Whitnere Road.

The land where it will be located is designated in the township zoning ordinance as a site where a company can come in and erect a tower without a special use permit. The public hearings were to make sure the lease reflects the wants of the community.

American Tower was formed in 1995 and has since added over 14,000 tower sites to its portfolio. One of its tower sites is located in Atwood.

Norwood Township resident Mark Pirie spoke out at the public hearing Oct. 23. Pirie said that since this is the same tower company that owns the Atwood tower the board should be aware that they are two

years behind on payments to Banks Township.

Smolenyak said the Norwood Township board is re-negotiating their share of American's revenues from 10 percent to 25 percent, the same percentage Banks Township is receiving.

She added, to her knowledge, their debt to Banks Township has been paid and Norwood Township plans to include a clause in the lease that the township is paid their percentage monthly.

Other concerns voiced by those who attended the meeting included: lighting, safety and health related issues and effects on property values.

American responds to safety concerns on their website, www.american-tower.com, stating that residents should not be concerned that the tower will fall and damage nearby property. They claim the towers are designed using good engineering practices.

They also claim that as of August of 2000 there were no adverse health effects associated with towers and antennas.

"To date (August 2000), no research exists that can substantiate claims that radio frequency (RF) fields cause any adverse health effects," the site states.

The lease between the township and the tower company stipulates that the maximum height of the tower is 190 feet. Smolenyak said the township would like the tower painted, but that painting of the tower isn't something American is interested in. If unpainted the tower

will be steel.

The lease stipulates that American is in charge of maintaining the tower and tearing it down when it is no longer of use.

Another specific stipulation to be added deals with the tower construction time. If after the lease between the two is signed, 24 months passes, the lease is no longer in effect.

Smolenyak said if American

doesn't find companies to locate on the tower and don't construct because it has no users, the township doesn't want to have unused leases in effect.

Kevin Dey attended the township board meeting to represent the tower company. Dey said AT&T has already indicated interest in locating on the tower.

Smolenyak said that assuming the lease ends up the way it is now, the

property will be leased to American for a five year term after which time the township and the company will have the option of renewing this five year period, five times.

Smolenyak said if you ask American, the tower will be up by the end of the year, but she doesn't think it is likely. She said the tower can't be constructed until the specifics of the lease are nailed down.

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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix City Police at 547-3258.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4 p.m. on Oct. 26 near the intersection of Carpenter and Bridge streets. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 1:30 p.m. on Oct. 25 near the intersection of Petoskey Avenue and Mercer Street. No injuries were reported.

• A cellular telephone was reported lost on Oct. 25.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 11:30 a.m. on Oct. 24 near the intersection of Belvedere Avenue and Bridge Street. No injuries were reported.

• A vehicle hit a pole around 1 p.m. on Oct. 23 on Ferry Avenue. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4 p.m. on Oct. 23 near Michigan Beach on Grant Street. No injuries were reported.

• A 48-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 4 p.m. on Oct. 22 on Petoskey Avenue for driving while his license was suspended.

• Sometime between Sept. 17 and Oct. 22 a drum was stolen from the music room at Charlevoix High School.

• Sometime on Oct. 20 some compact discs were stolen from a vehicle parked at Charlevoix High School.

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Elementary school gets renovations

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Excited students filtered into the new media center at Charlevoix Elementary School Monday.

Diane Priess' kindergarten student Autumn Stupca said, "It was so big; almost as big as my house."

Elementary school principal Richard Swenor said the new wing has opened up a world of possibilities. The school was built in 1969 and with the exception of new carpet, the initial building project was the last major change at the school.

Swenor said they needed that space for more books and this was a natural place to add on to the

building. There are now two wings on either side and the library connects in between the two at the rear of the new library.

The art and music rooms now have better access to outside for projects and recess.

And then there's the library. Swenor said the library is in many ways the hub of a school.

"With the new facility we will be able to house more information, books and technology," he said.

Computing possibilities at the school have been expanded. Where the library once was is now the Integrated Learning System Computer Lab complete with 10 computer work stations.

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Left, Charlevoix Elementary School principal Dick Swenor looks over the new media center. Above, the new front office where parents are greeted by school workers and administrators. (Photos by Julie Witthoeft)



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SPORTS

Girls' basketball impressive, despite loss

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

While the Charlevoix girls' basketball team may have lost to Gaylord Saturday, 47-68, they are still on top of the league.

According to interim coach Jim Parrish, Gaylord got away from Charlevoix in the early part of the game and the Rayders just couldn't catch up.

"(Gaylord) was making all their shots. They were taking a lot of shots that you would think wouldn't go in that did," he said.

Grace Farrell led in points with 19. She was followed by Krista Swenor with 10 and Alyssia McDonough with 6. Krista Swenor also had 12 rebounds, Farrell had nine and Jennifer McClellan had nine assists.

In the junior varsity game, Charlevoix lost to Gaylord 53-56. Sara Cross led points with 14. Cross also had nine rebounds. Shayna Drost had six steals, Rebecca Kanine had six assists, Brooke Blanchard had eight rebounds and Kari Way also had eight.

This loss came after a Charlevoix

"They were taking a lot of shots that you wouldn't think would go in that did."

Jim Parrish,

Charlevoix girls' interim basketball coach

win, in overtime, at East Jordan on Oct. 25, 86-78.

Parrish said the Rayders had a decent lead into the fourth quarter, but East Jordan started fouling, thus slowing down the clock and taking Charlevoix off its game.

But, Parrish said in the overtime Kathryn Ricks and McClellan came

through. Ricks was five for six with free-throws and hit a three pointer. McClellan was three for four in free-throws.

McClellan led the total points with 21. She was followed by Farrell with 13 and Krista Swenor with 11.

In the junior varsity game against East Jordan, Charlevoix won 76-37.

Jessica Pettis led the scoring with 19, followed by Cross with 18, Way with 14 and Kanine with 10.

Cross also had 22 rebounds, Blanchard had 12 and Pettis had nine.

As of Monday, the Rayders were undefeated in the conference.

But, Parrish stressed the big games are coming up. On Thursday, Charlevoix will face Kalkaska in Kalkaska.

"It is always a great place to play. If they knock us off, that is their chance to get back at us," he said.

Charlevoix beat Kalkaska last year in the tournaments.

Charlevoix residents have good day at finals

Two Charlevoix residents made impressive finishes in a recent Mountain Bike final.

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Cross country state bound

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The boys' cross country team is the regional champions and two members of the girls' team are heading to state finals.

The boys' team received their honors last weekend at the regional championships in Boyne Falls.

According to coach Ken Plude, this is something his team has been working towards for many years.

"They wanted to bring back a tradition to Charlevoix. That has been their goal, to win the conference championship and regional. Now they want to see what they can do at state," Ken said.

Currently the boys' team is ranked sixth in the state. But, Plude is not

concerned about that.

"It is going to come down to who has the best day," he said.

The state finals are this weekend in Brooklyn.

At the regional competition, Gordie Selph took first, Tim Daining took third, Peter Gorkiewicz took fifth, Josh Popenhagen took fourteenth, Zack Bajos took nineteenth, Abraham Dhaseler took twenty-sixth and Eli Pace took thirty-third. Everyone in the top 14 spots were also named "All Regional."

On the girls' team, Liz Ulrich and Katie Swenor are heading to the state meet to compete individually.

Ulrich was also named the regional champion. This is the first time in Charlevoix's history that there has been a girls' champion from the

school.

Both Swenor and Ulrich competed at the state finals last year.

Their coach, Mary Plude, is not nervous about their skills.

"They have the experience and it is the same course as last year. They are actually quite confident," Mary said.

She added both her runners are looking really good and mentally ready for the meet.

The placements of the other runners on the girls' team at regional were: Brenna Bergmann in nineteenth, Natasha Klieber in twenty-second, Teresa Martin in thirty-fourth, Michelle Rowe in thirty-seventh and Elizabeth Madison in forty-fifth.

Mary said they all ran their best times of the season at this meet.



(Front from left) Peter Gorkiewicz, Gordie Selph, Tim Daining, (back) coach Ken Plude, Eli Pace, Abe Dhaseler, Zachery Bajos and Josh Popenhagen. (Courtesy photo)

Soccer team takes two wins

The Charlevoix soccer team continued its march towards a district showdown with Elk Rapids by capturing a pair of victories over Houghton Lake and Boyne City Oct. 16 and 18, raising their record to 10-8.

In the match up at Houghton Lake, the Bobcats got on the board early in the first half. Charlevoix tied the match a few minutes later on a header by Scott Friske on a tremendous pass from Spencer Bryn.

After Houghton Lake took a 2-1

lead in the second half, Friske answered again on another header to knot the match, this time on a corner kick from Travis Smith.

With the game tied 2-2 with 10 minutes remaining, Roscoe Serrels received a throw in and beat a pair of defenders to score what proved to be the winning goal. Coach Josh Block said the winning goal was one of the proudest he has seen in soccer.

The defense of Colin Seguin, Bryce Daly, Ezra Bakker and Mike Dupuis

was once again outstanding. Kyle Tilly made some key saves to preserve the win.

In the game against Boyne City, the Rayders overpowered the inexperienced Ramblers for a 10-0 win.

Spencer Bryn provided most of the offense by tying a school record with five goals. Kyle Tilly picked up his third shutout of the season.

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Paul Bunyan Lanes	82	78	8	Central Drug Store	8	24	12
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Jane Pittman	492	168	195	Jim Bowman	456	175	9
Diana Speigl	433	168	525	Chet Olanowski	429	173	8
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Cemex Cement	18	10	10	Paul Bunyan Lanes	235	117	10
Mark White Point & Stain	16.5	11.5	117	Bury Bees	210	140	10
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MEETING

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WATCH member Michelle Biddick sat on the panel and read letters from community members with alternate ideas. Some alternatives include a new marina in the Depot Beach area, a new marina at Ferry Beach, permanent moorings in the Round Lake harbor and a Lake Michigan docking area.

However, these alternatives raised eyebrows too. Boulder Park resident Bill Sherman said the Lake Michigan stretch his home fronts already feels pinched by Cemex and the hospital expansion.

"A marina is the last thing we want in that area," Sherman said. Winn said that spending time on a plan for Lake Michigan

would be a waste, as the project is cost prohibitive. He said it would be three times the cost of renovating the municipal marina and most likely would not be used.

However, heavy use of Round Lake is the reason Fuller from Tip of the Mitt was on the panel.

Fuller prefaced his statements by saying Tip of the Mitt has no position on the marina at this time. However, the organization is interested in minimizing the impact on water resources.

He spoke of water quality issues that may come up if an expansion were to occur.

These include: oil and gas emissions, bacteria and other pathogens from holding tanks, heavy metals, treated lumber, erosion, a decrease in water clarity, an impact on aquatic plants, wildlife impacts, the spread of more exotic organisms, noise

pollution, litter and an aesthetic impact.

Two Round Lake residents, Diane and Bill Jerome, said the pollution and litter is already a major issue. Diane said pollution on the shoreline has killed numerous animals including birds, squirrels and even dogs.

A third resident, Chuck Unbehaun, who has 150 feet of beach on Round Lake, said he takes the beach at least twice a day to

clear it of litter and debris.

Don Ward, co-owner of Ward Brothers marine facility on Round Lake said the pollution isn't the fault of boats. He said the biggest source of Round Lake pollution is the city's storm water runoff that drains directly into the lake.

As the two hour meeting came to a close, those who attended, including Mike Buttigieg of East Jordan, urged residents to stay

involved.

"Claims that the marina is at the beginning stages are wrong — if there is this much concern it's well on its way. People have been bamboozled on what's going on with the development of this area," he said.

Blossom said that no concerned residents should let down their guard. He urged residents to keep in touch with their city council members.

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Tom Rankl, age 38, lives in York with his wife and two children, Zak 12 years, Juli

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Women's center to have fund-raiser

The Women's Resource Center will have a Harvest Food and Supply Drive to benefit Safe Home.

Family violence is a major issue in our society. One out of every four American women report they have been physically abused by their partner at some point in their lives.

The Women's Resource Center provides critical emergency services to domestic abuse and sexual assault victims in Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet and Otsego counties. Safety, security, and help are available at the Safe Home, a shelter specifically for families in crisis.

In the past year, 80 women and 103 children took refuge at Safe Home to escape the peril of emotional, verbal and/or physical abuse. This means, 3,299 nights of housing were provided; averaging 9 persons per day, 365 days a year.

During the past year, food and supply costs exceeded \$20,000, of which over \$15,000 was donated by groups and individual supporters.

The Harvest Food and Supply Drive is an appeal to the northern Michigan community to assist Safe Home in providing food, household goods and personal items to the families who reside there. Non-perishable foods such as canned goods, boxed meals and soups are a major need.

The Safe Home is also faced with raising over \$100,000 each year to physically maintain the facility, to staff and operate the home 24 hours per day and to provide its special services. Cash donations are needed and appreciated.

"This year's drive, like any other, is critical in order to meet the fiscal demands that housing women and children places on the domestic abuse and sexual assault program. In the wake of our national disaster this drive may appear as less of a priority for giving. Yet, the tragedy of family violence cannot be minimized as it is as insidious, destructive and potentially life threatening as any other form of violence. We need the community to help," Janet Mancinelli, executive director, said.

To drop off a donation, receive a copy of the Safe Home needs list or for more information, please call the Women's Resource Center: Petoskey (231) 347-1572, Cheboygan (231) 627-2380, Mancelona (231) 587-8891 or Gaylord (989) 731-0918.

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Career day

Horse trainer Cathy Cooper showed students at Charlevoix Middle School what a typical day in her life is like at the career day Oct. 18 at the school. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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Stay of sewer construction denied by court

SEWER

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Last week, Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools John Strock said if all goes smoothly the school case would be on the appellate docket a year from now, which would be October of 2002, one month after the school's doors are scheduled to open. So, to open on time and not violate the stay, the school would have no other choice but to construct an on-site septic field.

A brief in support of the motion was filed with the court Oct. 12 on behalf of the five plaintiffs: Kenneth Richard Tunison, Paul

Richards, Kenneth Staley, Joseph Seidel and Robert G. Mossman.

In the brief they claim, "Without a stay of proceedings the subject matter and remedies of plaintiff/appellants' appeal could be defeated moot because the bond proceeds will be expended for unlawful and unapproved purposes — the sewer infrastructure extension. Irreparably altering the status quo and the sewer will be constructed with public money from the school, oversized to further private development, making it physically impossible to grant appellant any meaningful relief on its statutory and constitutional claims."

However, when the motion day arrived, Pajtas ultimately dis-

agreed with the plaintiffs' claim and denied their motion for stay of proceedings pending their appeal.

However, the brief in opposition to the motion that was filed by Bill Ewald of Braun Kendrick and Finkbeiner of Bay City said the motion was the plaintiffs' attempt to meet the goal of the lawsuit again.

"Plaintiffs' stay motion is a blatant attempt to acquire the very relief their lawsuit seeks and it, like their lawsuit, should be rejected out of hand," Ewald stated.

The case in question was filed on Oct. 12, 2000 and was decided by Pajtas on Sept. 14, 2001 when he dismissed the school. The plaintiffs subsequently filed an

appeal on Sept. 27, 2001 and filed this motion for a stay pending the appeal on Oct. 12, 2001.

The plaintiffs believe bond money is being misappropriated by the school. The district plans to pay for a sewer extension from the City of Charlevoix out to the site of the new high school. School officials claim the expense will be reimbursed by fees paid by those who hook into the line.

Other claims by the plaintiffs state that the line is 66 times the size needed to serve the site and the school is using public tax dollars to service private developments.

No court date has been set in the Lansing appeals court.

There are four standards in

Michigan state law that must be met in order to grant a stay as was requested by the appellants. These standards include: harm to the public interest if an injunction is not issued, whether harm to the applicant in the absence of temporary relief outweighs the harm to the opposing party if relief is granted, the strength of the applicant's demonstration that the applicant is likely to prevail on the merits and the applicant demonstrates they will suffer irreparable injury if the relief is not granted.

Pajtas felt the four standards were not met by the five plaintiffs.

The school is free to continue with plans to extend the sewer line up Marion Center Road.

Expanded media center, front office updated

SCHOOL

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A room that served as a temporary library while renovations were underway is a larger computer lab which will service full classes.

Swenor said the small size of the

old computer room could only accommodate half a class and was full all the time. The new facility will allow more time scheduling for classes.

In the fall of 2002 the fifth grade class at the elementary school will join the middle school students at the old high school.

The renovation coupled with the loss of the fifth grade students will

allow the district to get rid of the portables that currently serve as classrooms. One classroom will be gained inside the building and a science lab will open for use by all teachers.

Two special education classrooms were divided by bookcases

before and are now autonomous classrooms divided by temporary walls.

Another feature parents, students, staff and visitors have raved about is the new parking and drop-off system. The loop that used to be functional is now only for bus-

es. A second loop, north of the original, is now used for drop-off and visitor parking. Parking to the south of the original loop is for staff.

The front reception office also got a major facelift including child friendly counters.

Official Notice

**CITY OF CHARLEVOIX
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CITY COUNCIL AND DDA
October 22, 2001 - 5:30 p.m.**

The Charlevoix City Council met with the Downtown Development Authority on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

Awarded Lake Michigan Beach and Depot Beach Improvements contract to H & D, Inc.

Approved Planning Approach to Downtown Park/Marina Renovations.

Meeting adjourned at 6:23 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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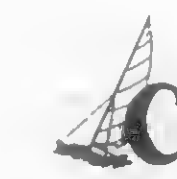
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Family to have annual haunted house

HAUNTED

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Dean said people are so surprised at some of the things they see in the house, they bring their friends who eventually bring their friends.

This year, visitors will find a mini-morgue, a ghostly bagpiper in the graveyard, a mad scientist, a coffin complete with mourners, a

few witches and many other ghouls of the night.

Escorts will take people in groups of four through the house. Coffee and cider will also be provided.

Donations will be accepted at the door that will be given to the Red Cross.

Dean said he got into creating this haunted house with his family simply out of his love for Hal-

loween and being scared.

He said when he was a kid, he loved the feeling he got when he was scared by a haunted house or horror movie. He describes it as a rush of excitement followed by laughter when you realize how scared you were.

"I know what the little kid goes through," he said.

However, sometimes Dean's love of giving frights gives him

some bumps and bruises. He likes to tell the story of a child that was walking through one of his haunted houses, who he snuck up behind.

When the child turned around, Dean said, "Boo!" The child was so startled by Dean, that he whopped him in the face with his candy bag, sending Dean backwards.

"The kid just looked at me and said, 'Back off,'" Dean laughs. "I

just knew his heart was racing."

Of all the visitors that Dean and his family and friends enjoy scaring, he said their favorite is teenagers.

Especially the ones with an attitude, he said.

But, everyone visiting the Spenceley's haunted house tonight are sure to experience a fright or two.

"That is what Halloween is all about, to get scared," Dean said.



Pumpkin carving

The Charlevoix Country Club sponsored a potluck, pumpkin carving event last week that featured some tasty treats and impressive carvings. Above, Malorie, Matthew, Barb and John Murray work on their masterpieces. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

Official Notice

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners met for their regular Board meeting on October 24, 2001, in Charlevoix, Michigan.

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Parts of beach projects cut to save money

BEACH

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The DDA increased their donation to the Park Avenue Water Tower Park portion of the Michigan Beach project to \$95,300 from \$81,273.28. However, this does not include the steel handrail that the city included in its original estimates and project description.

They estimated the handrail would cost \$2,500 and H & D bid the rail at \$17,539.

Wiesner said he didn't think the rail was a major loss and it wasn't a code item. Malewitz and Wiesner said the handrail could easily

be added later.

The projects' biggest supporter, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, awarded both Michigan and Depot beach projects over \$400,000. But that grant was awarded when the other uses that have now been deducted were part of the plan.

On Oct. 26 Wiesner was drafting a letter to the department to get approval for the new plan.

When Wiesner was asked whether or not the department would still contribute \$400,000, he said, "That's certainly our goal. From what I understand, that (keeping the funding) isn't that big of a hurdle."

Renovations at Michigan Beach

will still include the removal of the existing beach wall and building its replacement, the construction of a picnic shelter, 28 feet by 34 feet, building a boulder barrier along the road.

The city also plans to use its construction crew to build a grass volleyball court, a foot wash patio and a table/drinking fountain.

Wiesner said he expects all of these items to be in by the end of summer 2002. The work being done by H & D is expected to be completed by June 15, 2002.

The city projected the entire project would cost \$726,591.94.

Items deducted from the Depot Beach project include: landscaping, a new sprinkler system, installation of wood chip trails, miscellaneous railing and curbing and the elaborate sand volleyball court. The Depot Beach deletions saved the city \$76,885.65.

Like the Michigan Beach project, construction of a bathroom facility at Depot Beach will be re-bid in hopes of getting a better price.

H & D will be working on various projects at Depot Beach which include: construction of sidewalk and handicap ramps, building of a picket fence, installation of children's play equipment and construction of a field stone wall.

To save money, city crews will install a grass volleyball court, a foot wash and drinking fountain, park benches and will perform miscellaneous removals at the site.

Wiesner said H & D changes to Depot Beach will be completed by Sept. 1, 2002.



Winter is coming

Cold and windy weather battered Charlevoix's coast last week, reminding residents the time to bundle up is coming. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Area events

Lake Keeper program
Everyone with questions about the ecology of Lake Charlevoix is invited to call the Lake Keeper of the Lake Charlevoix Association. The Keeper will get back to you with the answer or a way to get the answer. 231-547-4003.

The Lake Keeper program, in addition to being a source of information for the public, has an on the water presence in the boating season. From their boats, the keeper volunteers collect data about water quality and shoreline land management practices which affect the ecology of Lake Charlevoix. A data base is being built which will inform individual and governmental decisions. The Keeper and assistants have reference materials and are backed up in finding answers by the Tip of the Mitt watershed council staff.

Spaghetti dinner
The Charlevoix Historical Soci-

ety is having a fund-raising spaghetti dinner from 5 to 8 p.m. on Nov. 7 at the Villager Pub, 412 Bridge Street. Members of the society will serve as wait staff, and all tips will be donated to support the preservation and restoration of the historical artifacts in the collection at Harsha House Museum and the Depot. Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information.

Bazaar

The Charlevoix United Methodist Women are having their annual "Fall Buffet Luncheon, Bazaar and Bake Sale" from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Nov. 2, at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church, 104 State Street. The cost is \$6 for adults. There will be a variety of salads, vegetables, meat dishes and pie. Crafts and baked goods will be offered for sale as well.

Benefit concert
A "Veteran's Day Benefit Con-

cert," featuring Howard Richards Group, Ella Gardner (vocals), Julie Pierpont (vocals), Jeff Haas, Claudia Schmidt, Don Jolin's Neptune Quartet, Max Wagenschutz Jr. and Jim Owen.

This Jazz Benefit concert will be from 4 to 6:30 p.m. on Nov. 11 at the Crooked Tree Arts Center. Tickets are \$50 per person at Crooked Tree Arts Center. Proceeds will benefit the American Red Cross.

Howard Richards has been instrumental in organizing this event and can be reached at (231) 348-1998.

Garden club to meet

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club meets from 7 to 9 p.m. on Nov. 6, at the Charlevoix Area Hospital. The featured speaker will be Pam Newcomb, who will demonstrate how to creatively decorate a plain canvas tote and turn it into a holiday bag. There will be a nominal fee for the tote. Please bring pressed leaves from either an

outdoor or indoor plant or tree. For more information, please contact club president Tansley Stewart at (231) 547-5353.

Indoor soccer

Charlevoix indoor soccer games at the Middle School Gym begin on Saturday evenings starting at 6:30 p.m., Nov. 3. High school students and adults are eligible to play. Pick up games are in November and December. The league games are in January and February. League sign up is \$25 and will begin Jan. 5. It is first come, first served. Call 547-5434 if you have questions.

Lioness bazaar

The Ellsworth-Lioness Club will be sponsoring the twenty-first Annual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at

(213) 544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.

Parent-teacher conferences

Charlevoix Elementary School will be having parent-teacher conferences from 1 to 3:30 p.m. on Oct. 31. School will be dismissed at 11:30 a.m. There will be no lunch served and no afternoon conferences. Evening parent-teacher conferences will be from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Nov. 6 and Nov. 8. Students have brought home forms for parents to fill out regarding conferences.

Guild bazaar

The Women's Guild of Bethany Lutheran Church will sponsor a Bazaar and Bake Sale along with some White Elephant gifts at 9:30 a.m., Nov. 3 in the church fellowship hall. The proceeds will be used to purchase kitchen appliances for the new church building.

Area meetings

Service organizations
The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups
A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays,

Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in

Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Community activities
There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

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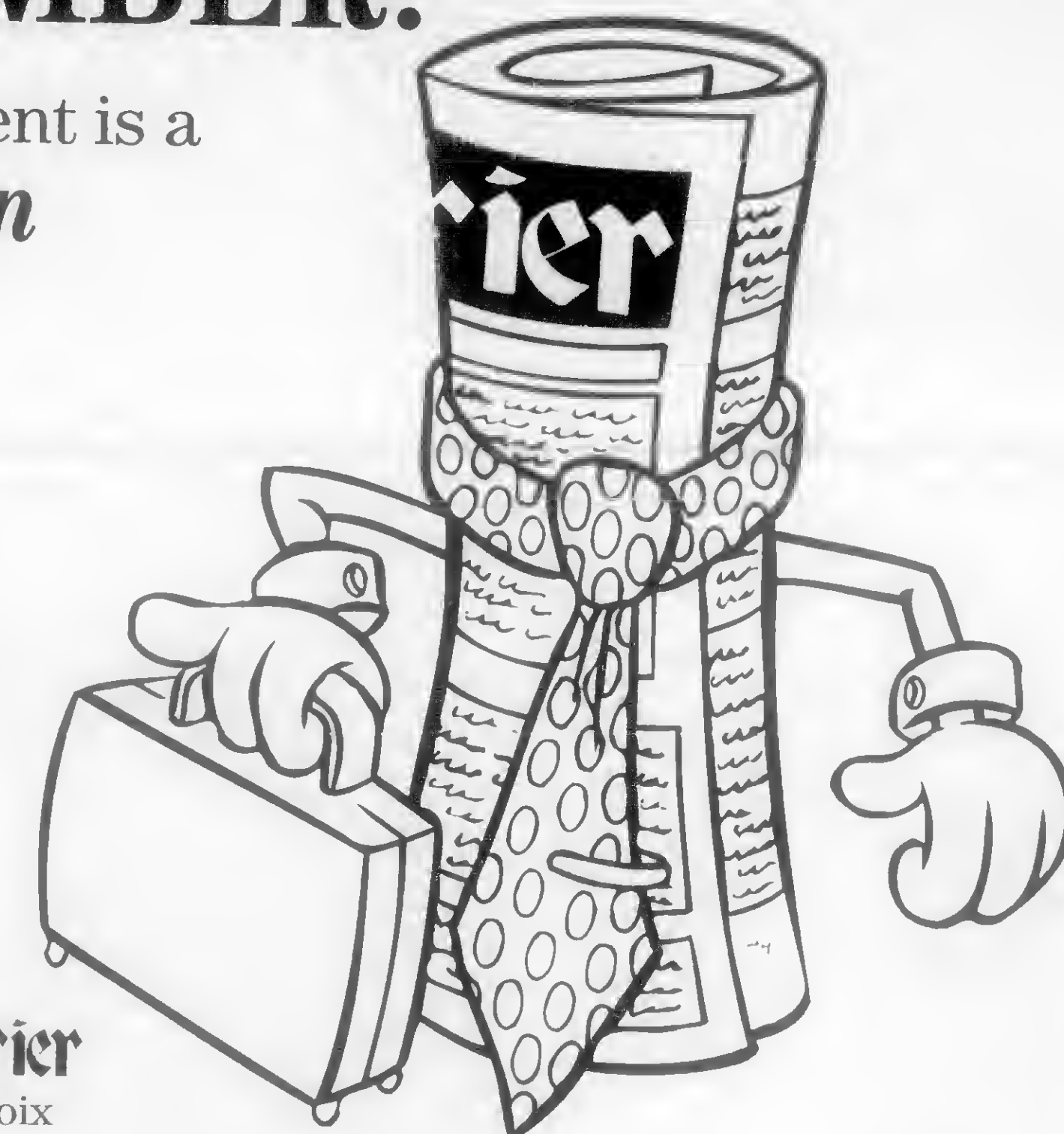
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Furnace blamed for building fire

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Fire destroyed a millwork shop and residence owned by Al Wojan around 9:30 p.m., Oct. 24 on US-31 south, behind the Flight Deck bar and bowling alley.

According to Charlevoix Township Fire Chief Curt Thompson, the department received a call from Wojan around 9:30 p.m. and firefighters were on the scene within 5 minutes. But, by the time the firefighters got there, flames were already through the roof.

"Once it gets started like that, trying to put it out is like trying to put out a box of matches," Thompson said.

The firefighters stayed on scene until 5 a.m., Oct. 25.

Wood and other flammable material that was stored in the shop only added to the problem. According to reports, the orange glow from the blaze could be seen from Big Rock Point on north US-31.

"He (Wojan) pretty well lost everything he had," Thompson said.

He added Wojan did have insurance.

The fire is being blamed on a wood furnace located outside of the

building. Thompson said the furnace was connected to the shop by a duct and was used to dry material.

He said workers at the shop reportedly were having problems with the furnace that day, but thought they had fixed it and left around 6:30 p.m.

Thompson said Wojan — who also has a residence in the building — discovered the back corner of the building on fire later that night. He was the only person in the building at the time.

There were no injuries as a result of the blaze.

Personnel from the Charlevoix City Fire Department, Charlevoix County Sheriff's office and Charlevoix City Police Department assisted at the scene. Workers from Judy's Restaurant and the Charlevoix City Ambulance crew brought the firefighters refreshments throughout the night.

This is the second fire to hit Wojan's business. According to Thompson, Wojan lost another building to a fire in the early 1980s near Ferry Avenue and Stover Road.

The cause of this fire was undetermined at the time and Wojan did not have insurance, Thompson said.



Firefighters could only stand helplessly by as this building on US-31 South burned to the ground last week. The fire was blamed on a furnace. Below left, crews continued to spray water on the blaze. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)

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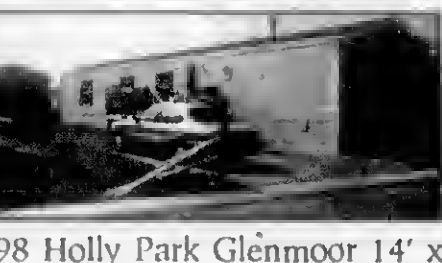
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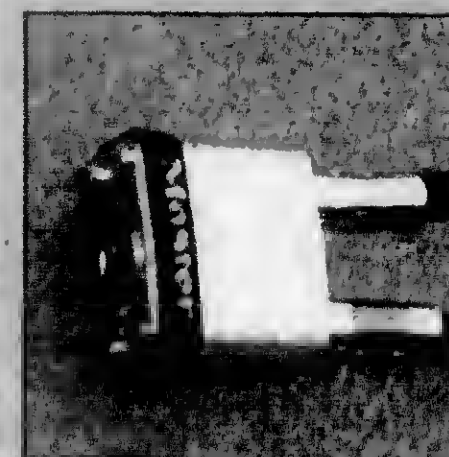
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City election turnout low

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor and
By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff writer

Sixteen percent of Charlevoix's registered voters cast their ballots Tuesday to choose who would be on three city council seats and the city clerk.

Charlevoix voters re-elected Bill Bellows and Norman Carlson to their council seats and voted

Shirley Gibson into office Tuesday. Charlevoix city clerk Liz Gooch was also re-elected to office.

A total of 398 voters cast ballots in this election. There are currently about 2,522 registered voters in the city of Charlevoix.

Bellows, second ward council member, said he was glad the vote went in his favor, but he also complimented his opponent D. J. Way.

"He (Way) ran well against me," he said. Bellows beat Way with 114 votes to 34. A total of 150 votes were cast out of 822 registered voters in this ward.

With this, his fourth term on council, Bellows said he wants to continue the infrastructure improvements being done by the city and "work along the same lines that we have been."

Way said he may run again, but to ask him in two years.

"Good for Bill (Bellows). The people must be happy with him. I gave the people my best shot," he added.

Gibson, now a council member for the third ward, said she thinks the voters have "sent a message." Gibson beat her opponent, Tom Rankl, by a vote of 98 to 78. A total of 178 votes were cast out of 800 registered voters in this ward.

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Airport closes to private planes

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix Municipal Airport closed its skies to private pilots from 5 p.m. Nov. 1 to midnight Nov. 7 under orders from the Federal Aviation Administration.

According to Elizabeth Ishamcory, private pilots were forbidden from that airspace because it was within 10 miles of the decommissioned Big Rock Point Nuclear Power Plant. Small airports near nuclear power plants throughout the country also had this ban.

Ishamcory said this was in direct response to recent warnings of a terrorist attack somewhere in the United States. The date of the airspace closing was chosen by the FAA and other federal government organizations, she added.

Karyn Brooks, manager of the Charlevoix airport, said the FAA order did not apply to commercial airlines, such as Beaver Island Airways. She did not know any further details on the order.

"I don't know what the magic number is on that date. The FAA doesn't make a lot of sense to me on why they do what they do," she said. Pilots at the municipal airport with planes stored in hangars were given the opportunity to move them on the afternoon of Nov. 1.



Playful party

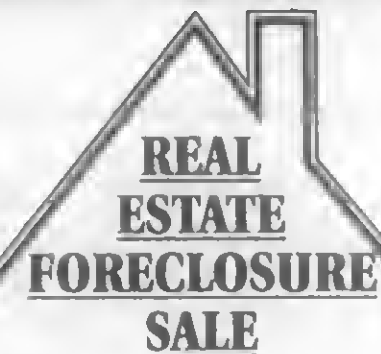
Charlevoix St. Mary's students celebrated the opening of their new playground on Oct. 31 with a blessing as they held hands around it. After the blessing, children were a blur on the new equipment as they excitedly tried it out. For more, see page 7. (Photos by Julie Witthoeft)



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District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Scott Randall Boyer, 25, Eastport. Disorderly/intoxicated in a public place. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Matthew Jacob Gerloff, 18, East Jordan. Fail to stop; and driving with no operator's license. Fines and costs totaling \$235 in fines and costs.

Stanislaw Sadek, 51, Detroit. Sports fishing — fish snag third or subsequent. Fishing license suspended three years; \$1,200 in fines and costs.

Dustin Wade Marr, 18, East Jordan. Breaking and entering, illegal entry without permission; and larceny over \$200 but under \$1,000. Eighteen months probation; 365 days in jail with credit for four days, serve 20 days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 331 days held in abeyance; \$2,150 in fines and costs.

Frank Augustus Denison, 51, Charlevoix. Driving while under the

influence of alcohol-second offense. Two years probation; weekly breath tests; 365 days in jail with credit for 31 days, serve 90 days, 90 days on electronic monitor, 244 days held in abeyance; \$2,640 in fines and costs.

Alberto Loreda, 29, East Jordan. Driving while impaired. One year probation; 46 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$785 in fines and costs.

Jeff Lawrence Bressette, 35, Hope. Driving while impaired. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve six days, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 30 days on electronic monitor, 42 days held in abeyance; \$885 in fines and costs.

Rollie Clifford Royse, 20, East Jordan. Retail fraud-third degree. Three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail; \$210 in fines and costs.

Joshua Paul Strugis-Klein, 23, Boyne Falls. Driving while license

suspended-second offense or more. Fines and costs totaling \$610.

Circuit Court

The following case was heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Susan Rae Dawson, 34, East Jordan. Two counts of taxes-failure to file/false return. Three months probation; the court will authorize work release; 11 months in jail with credit for one day, serve one month; \$45,799.95.

Charles Lee Dawson II, 34, East Jordan. Two counts of taxes-failure to file/false return. Three months probation; the court will authorize work release; 11 months in jail with credit for one day, serve one month; \$45,799.95.

Donald James Mattoon, 39, Boyne City. Domestic violence-aggravated. Two years probation; work release and tether are denied; 12 months in jail with credit for two days, serve 11 months; \$410 in fines and costs, restitution to be determined.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have

filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Northern Showcase, 08111 Mulberry Lane, Charlevoix, by Beth Shepherd

Life Enhancements, 1100 Boyne Avenue, Boyne City, by Lois M. McCurdy

Great Lakes Catering, 103 Park Avenue, Charlevoix, by Ben Gohs and Joel Clark

Pincherry Enterprises, 6502 US-31 North, Bayshore, by Edward L. Chapman

Sawmill Lane Associates, 701 South Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Greg Bryan

Northern Vue, 05799 North M-66, Charlevoix, by Connie G. Wade and Anthony L. Wade

Dan's Plowing Service, 03560 M-66, Charlevoix, by Dan Skrzeczkowski

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Bruce William Erickson, 27, Boyne City and Annette Louise Car-

penter, 29, Boyne City
James Allen Cesaro, 33, East Jordan and Deborah Jean Skop, 29, East Jordan

Births

Hailey Rose Himebauch, weighing 6 pounds, 6 ounces, was born to Amie Nellett of Charlevoix on Oct. 28 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Riley Dayle, weighing 7 pounds, was born to Timothy Russell and Tina Sarvis of Charlevoix on Nov. 2 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Her sisters are Jessica Lynn, Shelby Taylor and Faithann Marie.

Tyler James, weighing 7 pounds, 7 ounces, was born to Chris and Melissa Bouters of Boyne City on Nov. 1 at Charlevoix Area Hospital. Grandparents are Richard and Gayle Bouters of Boyne City and Judy Lindsay of Dundin, Fla.

Grady Larry-Thomas, weighing 7 pounds, 6 ounces, was born to Joshua and Elsa Martin of Petoskey on Nov. 1 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Correction

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, two names in the obituary of Esther Kay Delufo on page 8 were wrong. The obituary should have said Delufo enjoyed singing in a trio "with Doris Oels and Pat McCall."

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

• There was a two vehicle acci-

dent on Oct. 31 near the intersection of Mercer Boulevard and Petoskey Avenue. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 12 p.m. on Oct. 29 near the intersection of Bridge and Garfield streets. A minor injury was reported.

• A verbal argument was reported around 5:30 p.m. on Oct. 29 at Pointes North Inn on Michigan Avenue.

• A 32-year-old Alanson woman was arrested around 11 a.m. on Oct. 29 on Petoskey Avenue for driving

while her license was revoked.

• A cellular telephone was reported lost around 7 p.m. on Oct. 27.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4 p.m. on Oct. 26 near the intersection of Carpenter and Bridge streets. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 2 p.m. on Oct. 25 near the intersection of Petoskey Avenue and Mercer Boulevard. No injuries were reported.

• A cellular telephone was reported lost around 10 a.m. on Oct. 25.

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Police giving away gun locks Nov. 10

By JULIE WITTHOEF
Staff Writer

The Charlevoix City Police Department is promoting safe handling of firearms by giving away multi-purpose cable locks for guns.

"Any type of device that prevents an unauthorized user from accessing the weapon makes the weapon safer," Scott Hankins, city police officer and organizer of the lock, said.

The State of Michigan made the Master locks available to the Charlevoix Police Department through a grant package at no cost to the department. Police officers have over 500 of the locks to give away.

The giveaway will take place from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Nov. 10 at the Holiday Station on the south side of Bridge Street in Charlevoix.

Tim Kochanny, an officer with the Department of Natural Resources, will be available to answer questions about hunting rules and regulations.

Hankins said the department chose Holiday Station because they sell hunting licenses, ammunition and have a steady flow of local residents coming through.

The date for the event was chosen in lieu of Nov. 15 being opening day for rifle deer hunting season.

At first glance, the cable lock

"This is one step in making this a more difficult item to access."

Scott Hankins,
Charlevoix police officer on the gun locks

looks like a typical bike lock. These cable locks are essentially padlocks with an eight to 10 inch flexible cable made of plastic sheathed steel cable in place of the solid metal shackle most padlocks are made of.

The Americans for Gun Safety Foundation (AGS Foundation) web site states, "When properly installed, a cable lock can render a firearm inoperable and unloadable."

Hankins explained when the cable lock is used on a semi-automatic pistol, the action of the gun has to be open and the slide locked to the rear making it impossible to fire. With revolvers, the cylinder is opened and there is no way the gun could be loaded or the action could be closed so there would be a round in the chamber.

Hankins said cable locks can be used with both handguns and semiautomatic shotguns.

However, the article authored by the AGS Foundation also says that cable locks have one inherent weakness — the ease of cutting the cable. They suggest avoiding inexpensive locks that can be de-

feated with little effort.

Hankins said the Master locks the police department is giving away are not easily defeated.

"I don't care what type of lock you put on a gun, it can be defeated in some way. This is one step in making this a more difficult item to access," he said.

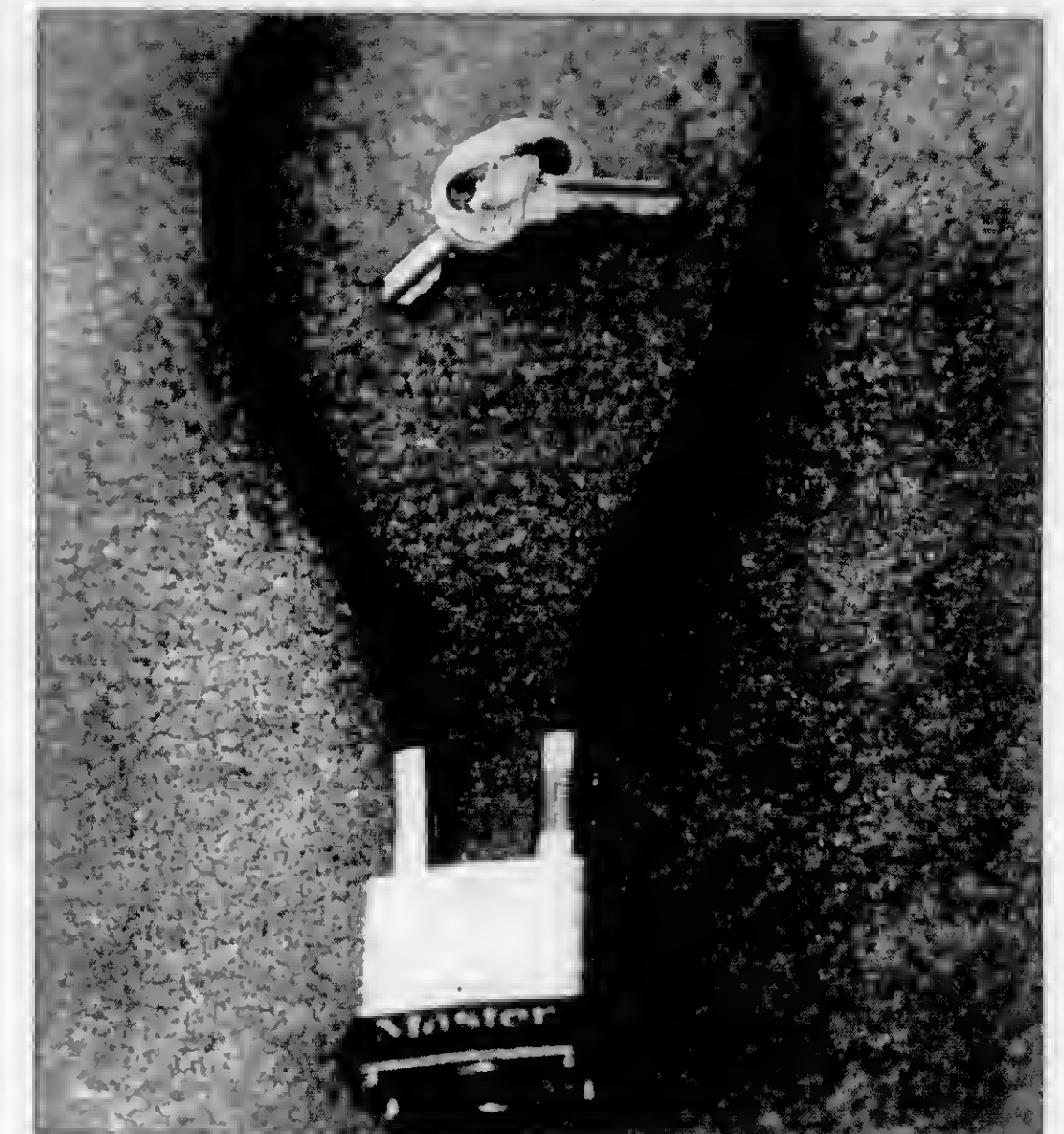
Hankins added that the cable in question is a "pretty stout piece of equipment."

"To cut the cable would take an adult with a good set of cable cutters. It would not be easily defeated by a juvenile," he explained.

However, he said as is true with most gun locks, if a child has access to the keys it could be defeated easily.

Hankins said there are no specific laws in the State of Michigan he's aware of requiring gun owners to store their weapon/s in a special manner.

However, he added common sense needs to be exercised by gun owners when handling guns. With the first priority being to keep the weapon out of the hands of children and untrained and unauthorized users.



One of the gun locks being given out by the Charlevoix Police Department. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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What should be done with school?

The results are in — sort of — from last month's "What do you think?" question.

The question was: What should be done about affordable housing?

Besides the one answer we received by Kyle Sitzema and used as an example in the Oct. 24 edition of the Charlevoix Courier, no one else responded. Therefore there are no responses in this week's edition.

Affordable housing is a problem facing the Charlevoix area. It will shape the future of this community. It is up to the current residents, business owners and politicians to address it now before it is too late.

This is an issue we hope the community will take up in the near future.

Since several people — including one late one — responded to our question last month on what should be the state bird, we decided to make this month's question light-hearted as well. Light-hearted questions for this feature seem to be more popular.

Currently the Charlevoix school district is involved in some major building projects. Existing school buildings and

What do you think?

grounds are being renovated and a new high school is being built on Marion Center Road.

In the midst of all this, we still have not heard of any definite plans for the current Charlevoix Middle School. This building is a wonderful representation of Charlevoix's history and is the source of many memories for many residents.

So, we are wondering what your ideas are for the future of this building. Therefore, this month's question is: What should be done with the Charlevoix Middle School building?

Keep your responses to about 250 words. They will be due by 5 p.m. on Nov. 30. Please remember to sign your response.

Send them to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; fax them to (231) 547-4992; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or drop them off at 112 Mason Street.

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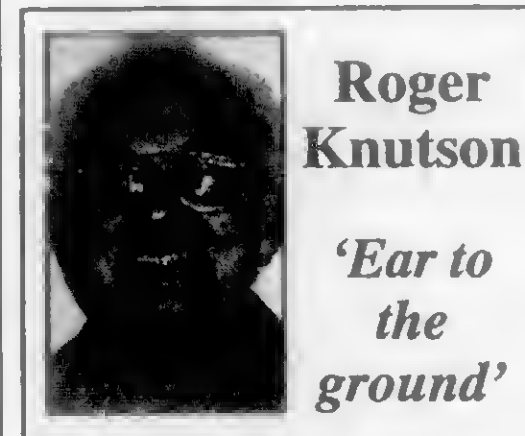
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The meaning of liberal, conservative and radical



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

Listening to many of what pass for political commentators it would not be difficult to conclude the American political world is neatly divided into "liberals" and "conservatives."

For some, that translates directly into Democrats and Republicans or Leftists and Rightists. It certainly is a neat way of simplifying the world, but it's not very useful in solving problems. And I can make the case, the terms have come to carry little meaning as anything but a name to call someone on the playground.

How is it that religious fundamentalists are "radical"? It is not exactly the same as "liberal," but if we are going to call someone a name, it is close. Regardless of which terms we use they serve to divide us into two incompatible camps. It is almost equally possible to suggest the American fundamen-

talists are "radicals" who tout the necessity of social change and the Muslim fundamentalists in Afghanistan are "conservatives," who want to keep things the way they believe they have always been. Maybe we should have a moratorium on the use of "liberal" and "conservative" and "radical" until they can be useful as anything but an insult.

The world is always more complicated than "this or that, choose one," or "us and them" or "liberal or conservative, which are you?" It is not necessary to examine the biological world for long without coming to the unavoidable conclusion it is a complicated place. There are few either/or's, but almost always a remarkable gradation from success to failure for any organism. What ever else we may be we are preeminently organisms living in that world and all its complications apply at least as much to us as they do to elephants, sea lions or ants.

Ideologies as we understand them, as a set of ideas that cannot change and are right by definition, do not exist outside the human realm. Any organism in the natural world that decided to strictly apply a set of ideas regardless of the circumstances would be on the road to

extinction as soon as circumstances changed. Natural selection is based on trying out a large number of potential solutions and allowing circumstances to determine which of them enhances survival. There are ways in which that process of natural selection seems somewhat like our democratic ideals of openness and self-correction.

Among us humans, strict ideologies like "liberal" or "conservative" provide a fine basis for discussion and debate, but are poor indeed when it comes to deciding about action. At our worst we choose sides and defend our personal ideology to the death.

Action might better be based on a widespread and open discussion of alternatives, followed by the selection of what might most enhance our survival. At our best we can do that. It works for all the other organisms and it has for half a billion years.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letters to the editor

The taxpayers have had enough

Editor:

I would like to take issue with Richard Tunison's position (page 1, Oct. 24) about the lawsuits that have been filed against the high school project. He maintains that the money that the school board has had to spend to defend against those suits "...is their own doing. They should have been smart in the beginning..." As I see it, the school board has been smart from the beginning — voters passed the bond election, voters rejected the school board recall attempt, two incumbent candidates kept their seats in the

June 2000 election, the judge dismissed the first lawsuit, the board position prevailed in the second lawsuit up through the court of appeals and the judge dismissed the third lawsuit. A wonderful new high school is being built on Marion Center Road. The school project is meeting schedule and budget targets and should open next fall. Tunison and the group of people that he represents have battled the schools on all of these fronts and have lost every time. One has to ask, are the actions of Tunison simply petty vindictiveness?

I am amazed that the issue now on the table is routing of the sewer

line. For a large part of this series of complaints, the issue was building the school on the site in Marion Township, then it evolved into a fight about zoning, first against the schools then against Marion Township. Now it has come down to the sewer line. I was truly surprised when, during the oral arguments in the last court hearing, their lawyer stated that their group is not against the school being built on the Marion Center Road site! That certainly wasn't their position before. If they are not against the school why have they spent more than \$150,000 to fight in the courts?

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I don't know who is paying their bills, but I wonder how principled Tunison would be if the money stopped coming in?

It is really a shame that frivolous lawsuits continue to waste an incredible amount of money, more than \$300,000 to date. This money could certainly be put to better use in Charlevoix, in the schools, in the churches or in the community instead of trying to impose the will of five individuals on the school district.

Roughly half of the money is coming out of the pockets of the taxpayers of the Charlevoix School District. I am one taxpayer who is sick of it. Following the recall election, community leaders and the school district called out for healing to begin in our community. It appears that most everyone is willing to do so except for Tunison, Dr. Robert Mossman and the rest of their group. They apparently feel that there are no consequences for their actions.

Is it time for the taxpayers to show them we are tired of them wasting our money? I think so! Bill Trubilowicz
Charlevoix

Article response

Editor:

I am responding to the Sept. 26 article, "Housing development had many obstacles," for which I would have appreciated being interviewed. My focus, as the head of Friends of Stover Creek, was to try to get the developer to be sensitive to the fragile south banks. I wrote to (the project's developer) John Watson in the fall of 2000 and asked him to consider leaving a buffer zone between the edge of the bank and construction.

I never received a reply. As a result of scraping the earth up to the edge of the bluff, vegetation, which helped to stabilize the bank, was removed. Consequently, the tendency for the sandy soil to descend into the creek increases. Silt fences are supposed to prevent this, but I pointed out the lack of soil containment in several places in June to our County Soil Erosion Officer.

A representative from Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council and I met with Watson in July 2001. Watson did address our concerns and in this sense was "environmentally sensitive." I did write him a note of appreciation. But damage, such as the uprooting of trees, was done, which could have

been avoided if a buffer zone had been left. We have a township ordinance regarding development and respect for natural areas. In addition, I observed from the north bank in Sept. 2001 that earth had slid under the silt fences in some places and that trees were lying across a silt fence in one place.

The developer never "faced opposition" from Friends of Stover Creek. I had no discussion with the developer about per unit cost or housing density and no input into the public hearings that took place in the winter of 2000.

The statement that "50 units will be placed along the north edge of Stover Creek" is incorrect. Mildred Withers owns that property.

The objective of Friends of Stover Creek is to protect and improve Stover Creek and its banks. The section of the creek between M-66 and Ferry Avenue has taken an environmental beating for many years, but with some attention this part of the creek and the surrounding forest can be saved as one of the few natural areas in

this part of Charlevoix County.

I have completed a bank assessment study which is being studied by Tip of the Mitt. I hope that Watson will help us realize some bank restoration efforts next summer, as he has expressed an interest in the preservation of the creek and its banks.

I ask your readers to think about where they stand on balancing preservation of a fragile natural area with development. Construction and respect for the environment need not be mutually exclusive, if care is taken by all parties.

Jeanne Blumberg
Tucson, Ariz.

What's in a 'Jeff'?

Editor:

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Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for "1000" that will take place on December 31, 2001.

Answer to the 10/24 Where is it?
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Wedding

Wujcik — Dixon

Waja Wujeik and Brian Dixon, both of Charlevoix, were married on July 7 at Elm Point in front of 350 guests.

Waja is the daughter of Evelyn and the late Walter Wujeik of Charlevoix. Brian is the son of Rosemary and Maurice Dixon of Charlevoix.

The Rev. Ruth Clausen, of Petoskey, performed the double ring rites. The bride was escorted down the aisle by her brother, Wally Wujcik, and given away by her mother.

The bride wore an A-line satin dress with spaghetti straps and trimmed with a pattern of crystal pearls. She carried a bouquet of eala lilies.

The maid of honor was Heather Powell. The bridesmaids were Nicki Argetsinger, Suzanne Dixon, Anne Petrie, Lisa Herriman and the junior bridesmaid was Jordan Dixon. Each of them wore a different style of satin dress.

The flower girl was Jaey Herriman and the ring bearer was Collin Petrie.

The best man was Chris Cohn. The groomsmen were Scott Peebles, Scott Dixon, Jim Dixon and Scott Kehrer. Ushers were Zach Kehrer and Greg Shepherd.

A reception was given at Dunnaglas Golf Course. Entertainment was provided by the Maximum Effect band and a Polish polka band.



The couple went on a wedding trip to the Caesar's Palace Resort in the Pocono Mountains. They are building a home in Charlevoix.

The groom works for J. Arnold Painting. The bride will graduate from Spring Arbor University with a degree in teaching in the fall.

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Trick-or-treat

Students in the Charlevoix Elementary School Halloween Parade Oct. 31 stopped at the Villager Pub for a quick refreshment as they marched around town. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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St. Mary opens new playground to students

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

St. Mary students — dressed as Batman, Superman and princesses — shifted their feet anxiously while they waited for the ribbon around their new playground to be cut on the morning of Oct. 31.

Halloween and the dedication of the new community playground at the school coincided. The excitement of the holiday and the new play facility was like electricity running through their veins.

The playground was dedicated to a late St. Mary parishioner, Roger Pischner and Kyle Borths, a former St. Mary student that passed away while attending the school.

Kyle's parents Cookie and Bob Borths were on hand to do the honors.

As the scissors separated the ribbon, cheers from parents, students and observers filled the air. Then, it was every student for himself and herself as they took to the new play equipment.

The morning dedication was a planned blessing of the playground after almost two years of planning.

Two years ago when the school was renovated and a new parish center was added, the playground was torn up and hauled off to a dumpster. Dale Troppman, one of the major contributors to the project, and husband of St. Mary School principal Janet Troppman,

"Participation from parents and parishioners is what makes a parish a school."

Dale Troppman,
Contributor to the project

said the facility did not meet state requirements for playground equipment.

"We realized there was nothing for the children to play on," Dale said.

So, they improvised for two years, doing everything from playing on mounds of snow, playing every ball related game possible, jumping rope and drawing with sidewalk chalk.

Then, about a year ago, St. Mary administrators started meeting with playground engineers and plans for a new playground took root.

Dale said once they started planning he was stunned, he didn't realize how much space was needed around playground equipment.

Another surprise came when they found out the project would cost \$30,000. But Dale said the money came quickly from grants, donations and memorials including the Pischner memorial and a donation from the Oleson Foundation.

Major donations also came from Charlevoix Site Planning who donated landscaping and prep work and Charlevoix resident Dave

Bean who works with Landscape Structures, a playground planning company stationed in southern Michigan. Bean donated all his time in helping to construct the playground.

Other people who served on the board for the new playground include: Vicki Daman, Rebecca Jeakle, Jan Merrill, Marie Volovsek.

All the planning came to fruition Oct. 27. Dale said it was a little cool in the morning but it turned out to be a beautiful day for building a playground. He said there were 45 to 50 helpers on site.

"Participation from parents and parishioners is what makes a parish a school," Dale said.

Nov. 1 Dale stopped by the school. He said the play-scape was filled with students.

The new play-scape serves the needs of kids 5-12. The day of the dedication swings still needed to be hung as the concrete had not yet set.

Dale said they would be hung the night of Nov. 4.



The little unicorn

Sarah Robarge, of the Kids Corner Preschool, dressed as a unicorn for the annual Halloween parade Oct. 31 in downtown Charlevoix. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Asthma, a chronic inflammatory disease of the lungs, is the leading cause of long-term illness in children.

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Parents are learning that old-fashioned "elbow grease" or concentrated housework, is one way to reduce the triggers causing their children's asthma. Common sense is another tool in reducing a child's exposure to asthma triggers.

For Angela Lee, whose 10-year-old son Darius has asthma, the disease is part of their everyday life.

"It's not horrible to the point that it scares me, but it's a part of our lives, and I deal with it as it comes," she said.

According to Toby Lewis, M.D., M.P.H., a pediatric pulmonologist at the University of Michigan Health System and lecturer, U-M Department of Pediatrics and Communicable Disease, the number of children with asthma has been increasing over the last 10 years.

"Even children who have mild asthma can have very severe attacks. It's important to know that people do die from asthma, although it isn't very common," Lewis said.

Lewis and others in the University of Michigan Medical School and School of Public Health have joined members of the Detroit community to implement a project that teaches fam-

ilies to make changes in their homes to reduce the triggers causing asthma in children.

"In this project members of the community and the University recruited individuals with outreach experience, but not necessarily with asthma, and gave them intensive training about asthma and its triggers," Lewis said.

Parents learn about changes that are in their power to make, such as controlling dust mites, pet dander and mold.

Lewis points out that people with asthma often are allergic to the things that trigger their asthma, such as pets, dust or feathers. Other triggers include chemicals with strong smells, such as bleach, ammonia or cosmetics. Smoke is an extremely common trigger.

"The first thing I say is to reduce children's exposure to second-hand tobacco smoke. The smoke also settles on clothing, furniture and rugs, so even if adults only smoke when the child isn't there, the smoke particles can still be breathed in later by the child," Lewis said.

According to Lewis, these simple methods can make a huge difference. A child experiencing constant symptoms can improve significantly from these adjustments to the home.

Common asthma triggers and what to do about them:

- Tobacco smoke — Choose not to smoke in your home or car, and do not allow others to do so.

- Animal dander — Consider keeping your pets outside, or at least keep them out of the bedroom and other sleeping areas.

- Molds — Clean up the areas where molds can grow, such as near leaking pipes, in the drip pans of air conditioners, refrigerators and dehumidifiers, and keep them clean and dry.

- Strong odors and sprays — Avoid perfumed hairspray, cleaning solutions, incense, potpourri and perfumed candles.

- House dust mites — Dust twice a week, wash sheets and blankets in hot water weekly; remove carpets or rugs from bedrooms or vacuum at least weekly.

- Household pests — Do not leave food or garbage out; store food in airtight containers.

- Feathers and Kapok stuffing in pillows and furniture — Put mattresses and pillows in hypoallergenic covers.

- Colds and infections — Keep your child as healthy as possible, encouraging nourishing foods and liquids, getting plenty of sleep and exercise. Encourage hand washing and get your child's annual flu shot early.

- Exercise — Talk to your health care professional about medicine your child can take before exercising.

- Weather — When it's cold outside, have your child breathe through his/her nose rather than mouth and wear a scarf that covers nose and mouth.

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Muma named new director of senior center

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix's Senior Center is known to many Charlevoix area residents as a place to get hot, homemade lunches, a place to pursue hobbies and a place where laughs are shared.

The atmosphere and character at the center has kept its new director, Earl Muma, 68, involved. Muma has been a part of the center for over six years.

The Senior Center Board of Directors appointed Muma as the

new director Oct. 15, the day after former director and Charlevoix resident Ginie Schairbaum left to start a life in a suburb outside Chicago, Ill.

Muma is busy as the bailiff and transporting officer with the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, but he said when the board asked him to fill the position he couldn't say no.

"Everyone who knows Earl (Muma) knows why he does it. The board and I work together to meet a common goal, creating a better place for seniors in

Charlevoix," Muma said.

Muma explained he believes the center fills an important role in the community — it gives seniors a central place where they can come and continue their relationships.

Muma's plans for the next year include expanding the kitchen so the center will be able to handle bigger jobs. He said the current kitchen area is too small. He already has an expansion underway where refrigerators and freezers will be housed.

Other plans include covering

the front porch and the walkway to the road to shelter the walkway during the cold, snowy winter months. The center also plans to canvas the sides of the entry if the money comes in to do it.

The center recently completed the long awaited elevator project. Center visitors who could not access the lower level where computer, craft and dance lessons take place will now be able to participate.

The project cost the center over \$35,000. The elevator was funded through donations raised over the

past year.

The changes and the people at the center have Muma excited.

"I enjoy this place, I really do. There is always that reward when you see people happy. That's the way I feel about it," he said.

The Charlevoix Senior Center is open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. It serves lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The center is located at 06906 Norwood Road. For more information contact Muma at 547-5361.



New Charlevoix Senior Center director Earl Muma stands in the new elevator at the center. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Obituaries

Erik Joseph Arvilla: Feb. 7, 1979 - Oct. 24, 2001

Erik Joseph Arvilla died Oct. 24, 2001.



Erik Arvilla

Erik was born in Mt. Pleasant on Feb. 7, 1979, the son of Lavonne Riley Arvilla and Erik Fralley Arvilla.

He came to live with his grandmother, Lyla Arvilla, in Charlevoix

when he was 3 years old. He attended the Charlevoix Public Schools until 1994 when he went to live with Dana Ellen MacMillan M.D. and MaryRose MacMillan in Beverly Hills.

There he attended Roepers School, where he excelled in science and mathematics. He had a great love of music and while at Roepers, he sang tenor in their choir for three years.

In the fall of 1997, he entered Wayne State University. During his undergraduate years he worked at Midwest Laboratory in their research department. He graduated with hon-

ors in 2001.

At the time of his death Erik was a student in the doctoral program at Wayne State University's School of Pharmacy.

He was an avid reader and had an insatiable thirst for knowledge. He had traveled extensively throughout the U.S. and Canada.

Erik loved life; flowers, wind, water and waves. He loved fishing, skiing and swimming. He loved music, whether playing his guitar or listening to Mozart's Requiem.

His life touched many people with happiness.

James A. O'Brien: March 21, 1923 - Nov. 1, 2001

James A. O'Brien, Jr., 78, died Nov. 1, 2001 at Spectrum Health Butterworth Campus in Grand Rapids.

He was born March 21, 1923 in Charlevoix and was the son of James A. and Mamie (Pratt) O'Brien, Sr. On June 18, 1954 in Elk Rapids, he married the former Peggy McConnell, who preceded him in death in 1993.

Mr. O'Brien was a lifelong resident of Traverse City and a long-time winter resident in San Benito, Texas. He had been employed as a truck driver for several trucking companies in the area.

Mr. O'Brien served his country honorably with the United States

Army during World War II, transporting troops ammunition and supplies. He was a member of the VFW Cherryland Post 2780; the Elks Lodge in Harlingen, Texas and the Eagles Aerie 383 in Traverse City.

An avid Detroit Tigers fan and musician, Mr. O'Brien played the banjo and had performed with many groups. He also loved all animals and enjoyed boating.

He is survived by his three daughters, Darlene (Robert) Wener of Haslett, Judith (Dennis) Conant of Traverse City, Debra (Scott) Jeffrey of Taylor; sister, Rose Waffle of Charlevoix; four grandchildren, Brian, Carol, Jen-

nifer and Lindsey; two great-grandchildren, Elizabeth and Allison; and many nieces and nephews.

Along with his wife, Peggy, Mr. O'Brien was preceded in death by his parents; three brothers, Ernest, Edward, and infant, Albert.

Visitation was at the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home in Traverse City on Nov. 4.

Funeral services were at the funeral home on Nov. 5. The Rev. Dr. David Gabel officiated.

Burial was in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be directed to the Cherryland Humane Society.

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HEALTH

The many misconceptions about acne



Edward Newcomb, M.D.

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Zits, pimples, pizza face, are just a few affectionate terms to describe the very popular acne. The scourge of teens, as well as many adults, is not only a treatable condition but also one which a lot of misinformation has been presented by the advertising in-

dustry.

Acne is caused by the interaction of four factors. One is hormone induced sebum production that peaks in puberty, which explains why acne starts in the early teen years. Another factor is proliferation of the bacteria *Propionibacterium* on the skin. A third factor is plugging of hair follicles with too many "sticky" skin cells. The fourth factor is a hypersensitivity to the *P. acnes* bacteria which results in the inflammation (redness and swelling) that characterizes a full blown acne lesion.

Both boys and girls get acne, but boys tend to get more severe cases because of the higher level of androgen hormones that stimulate oil (sebum) production. Heredity plays a role as does the immune system. Some people are extra sensitive to the bacteria that get trapped in the hair follicles.

Because of these variables there is a wide spectrum of acne vulgaris severity. A whitehead results when a follicle is plugged with sebum and skin cells. If this plug reaches the surface of the skin and air touches, it turns black and is called a blackhead. If the wall of the plugged follicle breaks, the area swells and turns into a red bump. If the follicle breaks near the surface of the skin, the bump usually becomes a pimple. If the wall breaks deeper beneath the skin, the bump usually becomes a pimple. If the wall breaks deeper beneath the skin, acne cysts

can form. This cystic form is the type that most likely leads to scars. There are several misconceptions about acne. For one, it is not a "dirty" problem or due to lack of cleanliness. Blackheads are not dirt, but rather due to sebum coming into contact with air. Merely washing your face cannot prevent acne, in fact too vigorous scrubbing of the skin can cause more irritation and worsen acne. It is recommended to limit washing your face to twice daily using a mild non-drying soap.

Another myth is that one can "zap a zit" by applying a topical agent. There is nothing you can put on an acne lesion to make it go away, it will resolve on its own and later in this article we

will discuss how treatment is aimed at preventing new acne lesions.

Diet does not seem to be a factor in acne. Greasy or fried foods, chocolate and other foods do not cause any increase in the amount of skin oil production. There are many good reasons to avoid greasy, fatty foods but acne prevention is not one of them.

There are a variety of treatment strategies for acne. There common feature is that they are used to prevent new acne from forming. They can be grouped into two major categories, topical and systemic (taken by mouth).

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City hall renovations to get underway in 2002

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff writer

Over the next year-and-a-half, Charlevoix's current city hall, which was built in the late 1930s, will be gutted and renovated.

"It will be a really nice building. The current building has lasted 60 plus years. I would like to think the new renovation will have an equal

run," Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner said.

Jim Nichols, a representative of Rhodes Engineering Corporation of Harbor Springs attended a special city council meeting Monday to explain the upcoming changes.

The \$2.3 million renovation will spruce up Charlevoix City Police and Fire departments including the addition of shower facilities, a fire

department training room and a work out room.

The three space parking area that sits on the Mason Street side of the building will be where an addition is constructed. This addition will house the new city council chambers. The new area will allow the police department to grow.

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Nunsense

The staff at Charlevoix's St. Mary School put on their rendition of the movie *Sister Act* as part of this year's Halloween festivities at the school Oct. 31. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)



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Acne not caused by dirt, food

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agents is Benzoyl Peroxide which is the active ingredient in most over the counter acne preparations such as Clearasil, Stridex and Oxy-10. It is important to use these products daily on freshly washed skin, applying it to the acne prone areas of your skin, not just on the acne lesions present. Benzoyl peroxide can be irritating to the skin and cause some redness and dryness.

Other topical agents available by prescription include Vitamin A derivatives, topical antibiotics and prescription strength Benzoyl Peroxide.

Whatever program one uses, it may take 4-8 weeks to see improvement, so be patient. If topical treatments are not effective, prescription oral medicines such as antibiotics or Accutane may be used. Often these products are used in combination with topical products.

Which medication is most appropriate for you will need to be decided by you and your physician.

Finally some "Do's and Don'ts" when it comes to acne management.

- Don't squeeze or pick at acne lesions since that might make the bacteria penetrate deeper into the skin.

- Do remember that any treatment plan takes 1-2 months to see results.

- Do try to avoid oil based makeup, hair gels and sprays that may contribute to plugging hair follicles.

- Don't make fun of people with acne, it isn't their fault.

- Do speak to your physician about what acne management plan is best for you.

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Use questions surround sewer line

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

City council has set the wheels in motion to extend the city sewer to the site of the new high school being built in Marion Township.

At its Monday meeting, council voted in favor of the city entering into an agreement with both Charlevoix and Marion townships and Charlevoix Public Schools.

City Manager Mike Wiesner said the line will be constructed by late May. The line will go in 30 days after the Charlevoix County Road Commission lifts frost laws. Bids for the extension will be received Friday.

Wiesner said the city will benefit as more customers are added — the city's fixed cost remains constant, user fees will be lower.

Kenneth Richard Tunison, a Charlevoix resident and a plaintiff in the case opposing the sewer pending in the Michigan Court of Appeals pointed out another way the city could benefit.

Tunison said, "This is a smart move for the city: \$633,000 of someone else's money will build them a sewer to their hoped for industrial site."

In a recent interview, Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner was asked about costs associated with locating an industrial site in Charlevoix as property values continue to climb.

He said, "Rising property values will certainly effect the process, but the acquisition cost isn't the only cost we have to consider."

Wiesner explained the other possible cost is related to utility extensions to the site. He said that the city hasn't found a site that meets their needs yet.

When Wiesner was asked if the sewer extension makes Marion Center Road a more attractive option for the industrial site he said, "Any place that sewer gets close to is going to help in the overall cost."

Wiesner said that they have no set acreage amount that they are looking for.

Last winter the city approached Marion Township resident Joe Martinechek with an offer to buy his land located off Marion Center Road, but Martinechek declined the offer.

Martinechek said, "We haven't talked with the city in a long time. They wanted to buy it but for what they were willing to offer, we weren't interested."

He said the city wanted to get a per acre price similar to that which the school district paid when they bought land off Marion Center Road in Marion Township for the new high school.

Martinechek did say he would be willing to sell the property to the city but only at the market price. He said he doesn't object

to the city's planned industrial use of the site.

In fact, in reaction to his feelings about an industrial park being placed in the township, he said growth is inevitable.

"I don't really care about it (the industrial use.) I never expected to see a school out here either. The township is growing and eventually land is not going to be farmed out here because you can't make a living farming," he explained.

Martinechek has farmed his land since 1942 and used to rent and farm the Anderson land where the new high school is currently being built. He said this year, his crops took a beating from the extreme, variable precipitation.

The Martinechek family owns 240 acres along Marion Center Road and 160 acres off Black Road. He said the parcel the city inquired about is 100 acres of land at the Marion Center Road site.

The sewer extension agreement council unanimously accepted specifies the terms under which the city will construct the sewer system, including the obligations of the city, the townships and the school.

So far, the city has constructed a lift station, known as pump station number three, at the northwest corner of the intersection of US-31 and Marion Center Road. The estimated local share of this pump station is \$42,841. The school is required to pay this amount to the city.

The city has also incurred costs to construct a sanitary sewer known as "Initial Marion Center" across US-31 and under Marion Center Road. The estimated cost of this extension is \$85,000. The school is required to pay this \$85,000 to the city.

The city agreed to construct a sanitary sewer system extending out from Marion Center Road to the south, to a point opposite the high school site. The cost of this

extension is estimated at \$282,823. The city has also incurred \$9,200 in engineering costs to provide estimates of cost to construct the sewer.

The city has already been reimbursed for engineering fees for the design of the "Primary Marion Center Construction" which the school has reimbursed it for.

The city also agreed to construct a sanitary sewer system, including a force main and lift station on the high school site to initially serve the high school sites only. The city agreed to maintain the sewers and the lift stations and those on the high school site as a public sewer system.

This force main and lift system will cost the school \$93,345.

The school will pay for engineering costs and will provide the city with an easement to the high school site to allow for construction and maintenance of the sewer force main and lift station at the school site. The school will be in charge of paying for electricity to operate the lift station.

One way the district will be able to recoup the money they are allocating to this extension is through tap-in fees from future users. The school will receive money over the next 20 years from tap-ins.

When Wiesner was asked whether the school would be able to get back their \$633,000 investment over 20 years he said, "I don't know, if growth takes place they can. If growth doesn't take place they can't."

The city will handle all applications for tap-ins, billing, collection, and other matters related to sewer usage by residents of the two townships.

The agreement says the city will own and maintain all sewer lines constructed on Marion Center Road and the lift station and force main at the high school site. The school will own and maintain all sewer lines flowing into the lift station on the school site.



The new sewer line will be used for the new Charlevoix High School on Marion Center Road. (File Photo)

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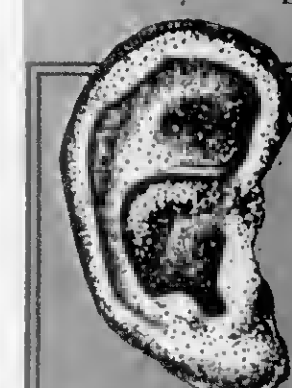
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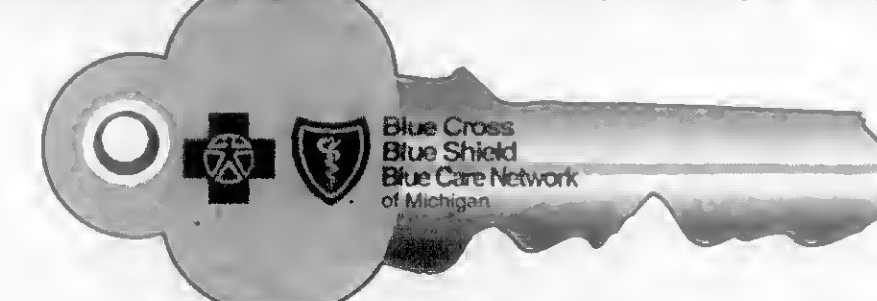


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Cause of 1997 Whitney fire debated in court

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

A restaurant fire that happened over four years ago in the city of Charlevoix is still being debated.

Last week, in Charlevoix County Circuit Court a seven person jury unanimously ruled Charlevoix resident and owner of Whitney's Oyster Bar, Charles Whitney, was at fault for the fire that consumed the restaurant Sept. 4, 1997.

"We knew it was a tough case. I'm surprised, but I'll accept the jury's decision," Sheila Walsh, representing Citizens Insurance and Charles Whitney said.

Whitney's insurer at the time of

the fire, Howell-based Citizens Insurance, was the plaintiff in the case. Citizens asked the jury to rule in their favor claiming \$500,000 in damages.

They looked to recoup this loss from defendants Bob Muneio, 42, a Charlevoix resident and owner of Superior Mechanical and Duane Archambo, 40, owner of Northern Fire and Safety of Traverse City.

Citizens claimed that work Muneio completed during the 1997 restaurant renovation caused the fire damage to be more extensive. And it further claimed Northern Fire and Safety installed equipment in the restaurant's fire suppression system that delayed

its activation.

Charlevoix City Fire Chief Doug Carver testified he didn't approve of the 1997 renovations at Whitney's because the changes created a building over a building. Carver said if there were a fire, firefighters would have a problem accessing the attic area.

However, in March of 1997, the city of Charlevoix approved the building permit.

Whitney testified the 1997 building changes created a three foot gap between the existing walls — the "building within a building" concept Carver alluded to.

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The cause of the fire that destroyed Whitney's in 1997 was debated in court recently. Above, the restaurant at present day. (File photo)

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All of the tournament games were very close and many went into sudden death overtime.

The final standings are:

• Under 6 — Pat McKeown in first; a three way tie for second between the Rapids, Wizards and Fusion; Burn in third and Fire in fourth.

• Under 8 — Fifth Third Insurance in first; Top Rank in second; Three Guys Painting in third; Subway in fourth; Penfold AFC in fifth; a two way tie for sixth between Lyons Marine and Ace Hardware and Markettech in seventh; Rush Equipment in eighth; Shindorf Builders in ninth; Pine River Medical in tenth and Daman Electric in eleventh.

• Under 10 — Lions Club in first; Kiwanis in second; Russells in third; Currier in fourth; Northwest Heating in fifth; Frisbey in sixth and Charlevoix State Bank in seventh.

• Under 12 — Remax in first; Eye Health in second; Ace Hardware in third; Pet Club in fourth and Radio Shack in fifth.

The annual meeting for 4-H soccer is scheduled for Nov. 13 at Charlevoix High School. For more information, call Mark at 547-4841.



A winning goal is scored in the 4-H tournament recently. (Courtesy photo)

Boys' cross country takes third in state

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix boys' cross country team finished third in the state tournament last weekend.

Coach Ken Plude said while the team was overall happy with being third out of over 150 schools, they were a little disappointed.

"The guys wanted to get first for four years. But they had a good effort," Ken said.

Many of the senior runners on the team said they wanted to be state champions when they joined as freshmen. These runners have been working toward this goal for the last four years, only to finish in third place by one point behind Benzie Central.

"They came very close," Ken said.

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SPORTS

Girls' basketball team conference champions

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix girls' basketball team seems to be unstoppable as it prepares for the start of tournament play next week.

The team is coming off of two wins last week, a 64-55 win against Traverse City St. Francis on Oct. 30 and a 51-50 win at the buzzer against Kalkaska on Nov. 1. The win against Kalkaska gave the Rayders the conference championship.

In the Kalkaska game, the Rayders kept the fans on the edge of their seats as they fought for the championship. The game came down to the final second when Krista Swenor hit

a three point shot at the buzzer, putting the Rayders on top.

"It was great. I had more fun watching (assistant basketball coach) Dick Swenor. He jumped up about 4 feet in the air," interim coach Jim Parrish said.

Leading scorers for the game were Grace Farrell and Krista Swenor both with 13 points. Kathryn Ricks had nine points, three of which were three pointers. Katie Swenor and Jennifer McClellan both had six points.

Farrell also had nine rebounds and two blocks. Krista Swenor, McClellan and Katie Swenor had six rebounds each.

In the Traverse City St. Francis game, Farrell led the scoring again

with 22 points. McClellan had 15 points and Katie and Krista Swenor both had 10 points.

Farrell added 14 rebounds to her statistics.

Parrish said what makes his team great this year is their sense of teamwork.

"If you talk to people that scout the team, they will tell you we really don't have a big scorer," Parrish said. Instead, the team counts on each other to take advantage of opportunities that come up.

For instance, if their opponent is giving the Rayders more outside shots, Charlevoix has the arsenal to take advantage of that. But if an opponent has shut down the outside and

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left the inside alone, Charlevoix can easily change tactics and gives the ball to its inside shooters.

"These girls work for all their offenses," Parrish added.

As for their conference championship, Parrish said it is nice, but the team is really striving to be undefeated in the conference and, as of Monday, they still had Boyne City to get through.

The results of the Boyne City game were not known before press time.

Next week, the Rayders will be taking part in tournament play. The team will have its first game at 6 p.m. in Boyne City on Nov. 14.

Charlevoix will play either East Jordan or Elk Rapids. The winner of this game will advance to the finals at 7 p.m. on Oct. 16.

Runners make great showing

STATE

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Hemlock took the state title.

The seniors on the team are Gordie Selph, Josh Popenhagen, Eli Pace and Abe Dhaseler.

Those on the team who won medals were Selph in tenth, Peter Gorkiewicz in twentieth and Tim Daining in twenty-sixth. These three boys were also named all state. Gorkiewicz will also likely be named to the academic all state

team.

Going into the meet, Charlevoix was ranked fifth. In getting the third place victory, the Rayders beat the number one ranked team, Williamston.

"It was a good season, a really good season," Ken said.

In addition to the strong finish by the boys' team, two members of the girls' team also had a good showing as individuals at the state meet.

Liz Ulrich finished ninth and Katie Swenor finished twenty-

ninth.

According to coach Mary Plude, the race was very muddy and the times of every runner were slower than usual. However, these two Charlevoix runners still ran 15 seconds faster than they have all year.

"They just ran great races," Mary said. Both were named to the all state team.

This is the second year Swenor has been named to the all state team. This makes her the first female runner to be named to the team twice in the state.



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Paul Bunyan Lanes	98	82		Don's IGA	23	13		Carol Burry	667	186		Townhouse Bar	194	256	
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Jane Pittman	497			Top Rank Disposal	17	19		Alley Cats	21	15		John Fredorek	630	226	
Diana Speigl	479	175		Village Pub	13	23		3 Guys & 1 Gal	19	17		Jack Burns		223	
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Renovations to city hall to start in spring 2002

CITY

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There will be a platform lift in this expansion area to allow the public to access the fire department training area.

New council chambers will be equipped with additional seating and state of the art technology including audio visual components. The current main level council chambers will be the office of the building department, the electric department and the city clerk.

Elevators will also be added to the building on the main floor.

While the changes are being made, administrative officials working for the city will be moved to the old post office on Mason Street. Changes to the post office will cost the city \$60,000. The price includes rewiring the building, re-carpeting, repainting and bathroom changes.

Nichols said the changes will increase the value of the building and make it more marketable if the city decides to sell it after the renovation.

The post office renovation will take place from Feb. 23, 2002 to April 27, 2002. The city administration will make the move to the newly renovated building during the first week of May.

Remodeling of the current city hall will get in gear May 18, 2002 and is scheduled to be completed and ready for occupancy on Dec. 7, 2002.

After the administration is moved back into the new building, the city fire and police departments will make the move to the post office. This is tentatively scheduled for Dec. 21, 2002.

The remodeling of the two departments will start Jan. 3, 2003 and is scheduled to be completed by Feb. 28, 2003. The two departments will work on moving back into the new facility March 1, 2003 through March 29, 2003.

Overall, Nichols said the changes will help the building be better suited for the public.

The building will retain its sandstone structure with limestone trim. The addition will also match the existing exterior.

Funding for the project will come from \$1.4 million set aside in the 2001-2002 budget period. The project will also use \$240,000 from the 2002-2003 budget period. To complete the project the city will borrow \$678,000 from the electric fund which will be paid back with 4 percent interest by the budget period ending in 2007.

Former Coast Guard Commander Jim Shall will act as the city's liaison during the renovation process to ensure city administration is on the same page with all the contractors.

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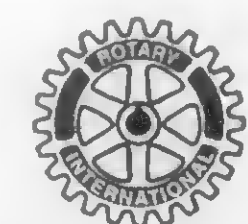
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PETOSKEY News-Review

Jury rules contractor was not at fault for fire

FIRE

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During the renovation process, Whitney contracted with Muncio who installed a new hood in the kitchen and an exhaust fan and extended duct work to the roof of the building.

In her closing argument Walsh claimed, "The extension made it (the duct work) hotter and that's why the fire happened and that's why the building burned down."

However, Muncio testified he informed Whitney the duct work was too close to combustibles and for an extra charge he could fire wrap the area. Muncio's lawyer Bill Ewald of Braun, Kendrick and Finkbeiner of Bay City said his client's only responsibility was to inform the owner of the unsafe clearance to combustibles and he did.

Whitney decided to leave the duct work as it was. But, Walsh claimed Muncio should have walked off the job rather than in-

stalling the duct work or refused to install the addition if Whitney was unwilling to take the safety precaution.

"It's not reasonably prudent to recognize a fire risk and not do anything about it," she said.

The remodeling took one year to complete and the fully renovated restaurant reopened July 4, 1997. The night of Sept. 4, 1997 the question of a safe distance between the duct work and combustibles was put to the test and a fully involved structure fire resulted.

That night a line chef at Whitney's was preparing a special order called a Pittsburgh steak, charred on the outside and rare on the inside.

The substance used to create the steak caused a grease fire on the open flame grill that night and sent a fire ball into the duct work and vent above the grill area.

Whitney explained when preparing a Pittsburgh steak, "There is quite a substantial instant flame that goes out quickly."

However, this flame reached the

grease filters. Carver testified the grease in the duct work and in the filters was fuel for the fire.

Carver explained, as he had expected, the fire was difficult to fight because of the renovation. "We thought we had it out. It was burning within the building in a concealed space between the kitchen ceiling and the second floor," he said.

Carver further testified that the alarm came in at 8:16 p.m. and the fire was extinguished at midnight. He said the fire could have been put out a lot faster if it hadn't been in the concealed area.

After four days of testimony and an hour of deliberation the jury found Muncio's work was not the proximate cause of the fire.

Muncio said, "I'm extremely happy. How couldn't I be? This could have meant a loss of business when I know I wasn't negligent."

Citizens' claims against Northern Fire and Safety question work the company did to the dry Ansul system above the grill area in October of 1996. When activated the

system should spray a fire extinguishing substance. Prior to the night of Sept. 4, 1997 the system had never been activated.

The Ansul system did go off that night and put the fire on the grill out but it spread by conduction and radiation.

The question came down to temperature and the links that detect high temperature. In October of 1996 a service employee from Northern Fire and Safety changed the links melting temperature from the lowest, 360 degrees, to the highest, 500 degrees.

Archambo explained, "360 degrees could have lead to a false discharge and that's messy."

Citizens claimed this link change may have caused a one

minute time lapse allowing the fire to spread further.

Archambo said there was heavy grease build-up on the link that could have postponed its activation.

As was the case with Muncio, the jury ultimately decided that Northern Fire and Safety was not at fault.

Muncio was contracted to do work at the rebuilt Whitney's Oyster Bar located at 307 Bridge Street in Charlevoix which was constructed following the fire.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

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the counties of Emmet, Charlevoix,
Cheboygan and Otsego. The
agency will hold a hearing on its
annual Program Plan submission
for the 2001/2002 fiscal year on
Wednesday, November 14, 2001
from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. The
Public Hearing will take place in the
Board Conference Room located on
the second floor at One MacDonald
Drive, Suite A, Petoskey, Michigan.

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the
conditions of a certain Mortgage
made by LORNA J. HORN, whose
address is 925 Second Street, Boyne
City, Michigan 49712 to THE UNITED
STATES OF AMERICA, acting
through the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture, Rural Develop-
ment, with its District Office being
located at 1501 Cass Street, Suite A,
Traverse City, Michigan 49684, the
Mortgagee, such Mortgage being
dated February 23, 1990 and record-
ed in the office of the Register of
Deeds for the County of Charlevoix
and State of Michigan on February
26, 1990 in Liber 215 of Charlevoix
County Records on Pages 437
through 440, inclusive, and by reason
of such default the Mortgagee elects
to declare the entire unpaid amount
of such Mortgage due and payable
forthwith, on which Mortgage there is
claimed to be due at the date of this
notice, for principal and interest, the
sum of SIXTY-THREE THOUSAND
TWO HUNDRED FOUR AND 32/100
(\$68,204.32) DOLLARS, and no pro-
ceedings having been instituted to
recover the debt now remaining
secured by said Mortgage, or any
part thereof, whereby the power of
sale contained in said Mortgage has
become operative;

**Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby
Given** that by virtue of the power of
sale contained in said Mortgage and
in pursuance of the statute in such
case made and provided, said Mort-
gage will be foreclosed by a sale of
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much thereof as may be necessary, at
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being the place of holding the Circuit
Court in and for said County of
Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the
place of holding the Circuit Court in
and for said County, on Thursday
November 15, 2001 at 11:00 o'clock
local time, in the forenoon of said day,
and said premises will be sold to pay

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on said Mortgage together with 8.75
percent interest on such Mortgage,
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For further information with regard
to this foreclosure contact the Com-
munity Development Manager at the
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Michigan 49601, telephone
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Dated: October 10, 2001

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
acting through the United States
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Robert J. Zitta (P22749)
Attorney for Mortgagee
Scheuerle & Zitta
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LEGAL NOTICE 210

**STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Decedent's Estate
File No. 01-0100326-DE**

Estate of Jean B. Clarke
Date of Birth: June 25, 1916

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: The
decedent, Jean B. Clarke, who lived
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sentative within 4 months after the
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Date: October 29, 2001
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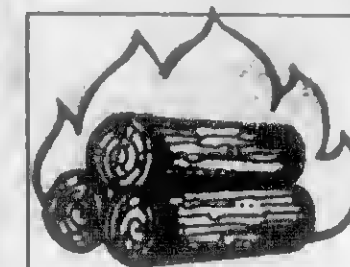
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ENTERTAINMENT

Area events

Worship service

A Worship and Hymn Praise Service at the Community Church of God is planned at 7 p.m. for Nov. 17. A love offering will be taken for the New York disaster victims.

Sight-In Days

Sight-In Days sponsored by Jordan River Sportsmen's Club are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Nov. 10-14 at Jordan River Sportsmen's Club Rifle Range on Advance-East Jordan Road. There will be instructors on hand to assist you. Targets and

spotting scopes are provided. The donation is \$4 per gun per shooter or two for \$6. For additional information call 536-0262.

Installation of officers*

The Charlevoix Chapter 72 Order of the Eastern Star will have open installation of officers at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 10 at the Charlevoix Masonic Temple at 100 Mason Street.

Bergmann meeting

The Bergmann Center, Inc. Annual Board of Directors Meeting is

Nov. 12, immediately following the regular meeting scheduled for 5 p.m. at the Bergmann Center, 08855 Martin Road, in Charlevoix.

Fund-raiser

The Charlevoix Historical Society is having a fund-raising spaghetti dinner from 5 to 8 p.m. on Nov. 7 at the Villager Pub located at 412 Bridge Street. Members of the society will serve as wait staff and all tips will be donated to support the preservation and restoration of the historical artifacts in the collection at Harsha House Museum and the

Depot. Call the Charlevoix Historical Society at 547-0373 for more information.

Benefit concert

A "Veteran's Day Benefit Concert," featuring Howard Richards Group, Ella Gardner (vocals), Julie Pierpont (vocals), Jeff Haas, Claudia Schmidt, Don Julin's Neptune Quartet, Max Wagenschutz Jr. and Jim Owen will be from 4 to 6:30 p.m. on Nov. 11 at the Crooked Tree Arts Center. Tickets are \$50 per person at Crooked Tree Arts Center. Proceeds will benefit the

Bazaar

The Ellsworth Lioness Club will be sponsoring the twenty-first Annual Banks Township Bazaar on Nov. 17. The event will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Community Hall in downtown Ellsworth. For more information or to obtain booth space please call: Joni Wieland at (213) 544-6348 or e-mail at wieland@torchlake.com.

Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the

Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second and fourth Monday of each month. For more information call 547-

6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club's general membership meeting is 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, shooting times and activities,

call the club at 547-2785. For membership information, call 547-0552.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

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SCRAPBOOK

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A rural school

Courier reader Mary Warner submitted this photo of a 1920s Charlevoix Country rural school class recently. She is wondering if any other readers know the students in this picture. Send in your answers to the Courier by mailing them to P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720 or by dropping them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street. Please write down your answers before visiting the office.

How to get in the newspaper

If you have a news item you think would be perfect for the *Charlevoix Courier*, feel free to call 547-6558, e-mail charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com or visit the Courier office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix.

News items include events sponsored by non-profit organizations. Please inform us of your event at least two weeks in advance.

Our coverage area is the city of Charlevoix and its immediately surrounding areas, including Beaver Island.

Because of space limitations in the newspaper, we generally try to avoid publishing "check-handing" pictures or "ribbon-cutting" pictures. However, we will work with your organization to get a picture that reflects the

event and is visually interesting to our readers.

It should be noted, each story and picture is dealt with on its individual merits. Any policies outlined above may be suspended by the editor or publisher of the *Charlevoix Courier* if necessary.

Carlson, Bellows, Gibson picked for council seats

ELECTION

Continued from page 1

"I think the voters of the third ward trust my ideas and how I am going to take care of them and Charlevoix," she said. "I am going to protect Charlevoix from overdevelopment and losing the small town atmosphere we love."

Gibson added she is also going to work toward maintaining the beauty of Charlevoix and its surrounding natural resources.

"This is so we can all live here in a small town atmosphere without any unneeded outside influence," she said.

Rankl said he may run again, but is not sure at this time.

"Shirley (Gibson) will do a good job. We had two different opinions and the voters made the decision. That's democracy," he said.

Gibson was previously on the

Charlevoix planning commission, but was not reappointed by Charlevoix mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell in 2000.

Carlson, who ran unopposed for the re-election to the first ward seat, simply said he is pleased to serve his ward again. He received a total of 63 votes out of the 70 votes cast in the first ward. There are 900 registered voters in this ward.

Gooch won re-election to her position as city clerk by a total of 334 seats. She also ran unopposed.

She said she has a lot of new projects in the works for her next two year term. Among these is a plan to reconcile the city's voter registration records with the state qualified voter file.

Gooch said she will also help make the transition to in-house codification of the city code and will be looking into document storage options.



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We have taken our lawsuit against the Charlevoix School District to the Michigan Court of Appeals. The merits of our arguments dictate that we argue before that Court on your behalf, as taxpayers in the School district.

Judge Pajtas, on October 26th, at the Circuit Court in Charlevoix, said there were no rulings existing from the Court of Appeals to help him address our issues of complaint. He unequivocally ruled that our arguments were in every way in the public's interest.

It is important to remember the heavy school tax obligations we have because of the School bond proposal of 1999. We are obligated for 20 years to pay for \$30 million school indebtedness because of the school bonds issued in October, 1999, to the Charlevoix School District.

What the State said to the School, when the school bonds were issued in 1999, is that such special State credit given to the School demands specific things in return. The State said the following:

1. The School, according to state statutes governing such State credit, cannot extend that credit to any non-school private interests.
2. It cannot use that large credit for purposes other than those specifically authorized by the exacting language of the bond proposal.

What we specifically charge in our lawsuit is that the School is committing over \$500,000 of school bond proceeds to provide up-front money for the construction of a sewer line that is 66 times larger in capacity than what the School waste disposal needs will be.

What we specifically charge is that private commercial and residential development interests are the ultimate beneficiaries of such overly large sewer capacity, sewer capacity paid for by the School in improper fashion. That large sewer capacity is unnecessary and exceeds in every way the School's actual needs.

What we specifically charge is that the School in its undisclosed planning with the City is circumventing the ways by which sewer districting is ordinarily obtained.

If a sewer district were established in Marion Township to serve the area proposed for the oversized sewer, the taxpayers-citizens of our township would have the right to hearings which would establish if a need exists for such a sewer in that part of Marion Township.

What those hearings provide is protection to the taxpayers-citizens from unnecessary and unwanted further taxation without their approval. Such imposed taxation would be additional property tax valuation assessments.

These protective hearings involved in establishing sewer districts have been deliberately denied our Marion Township taxpayers by the School in its undisclosed planning.

Over the past two years, ever since the School Board meetings of the fall of 1999, the School Board and Superintendent have demonstrated an enduring unwillingness to communicate meaningfully with concerned citizens about School planning. We, in turn, have been concerned far beyond School fiscal policy and School planning.

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We have been greatly alarmed about what the Board and Superintendent are demonstrating to our students in their civic conduct. The Board and Superintendent must by every measure of civic responsibility remain open and answerable to our citizens. They are obligated by those same standards of civic conduct to answer frankly and honestly every inquiry citizens and taxpayers may bring to them. To do otherwise, as they have done over the past two years, is to turn their backs and deaf ears in disinterested fashion to the citizens of this community.

We would like to offer to our students some words of Thomas Jefferson, written long ago, which stand behind the reasons we continue to challenge the Board and Superintendent.

Jefferson wrote, "I know no safe depository of the ultimate powers of the society but the people themselves, and if we think them not enlightened enough to exercise that control with a wholesome discretion, the remedy is not to take it from them, but to inform their discretion."

In contrast to those words describing our basic rights as citizens stand the words written by Dr. Sturrock that we have found unacceptable to us as citizens of this School District. The Superintendent wrote in 1999 in his "Vision for Our Schools" that the use of community surveys from the citizens of the District imposed too much risk on the School Board and its selection committees. He went on to say that educating us, the public, on the issues of selecting a site for the building of a new high school was essentially impossible.

We have found, during these long two years past, that your interests as taxpayers are to be defended vigorously against improper uses of School bond proceeds by the School. We have found that to commingle private commercial and residential interests with the dispensing of School bond proceeds, meant only for school needs, is improper.

And finally, we have found that the undisclosed proposed extension of the State school credit to private interests violates the basic rights that we hold most important to us as taxpayers.

We, as property owners, are the citizens who are responsible for the paying of school property taxes. We cannot escape or turn from those responsibilities. But we can argue vigorously against the School and before the Courts that we have the right to know how School monies raised through taxation are to be used. We have the right to know and to argue that School credit from the State and School bond monies are to be used for School needs only.

That is our continuing purpose and our constant pledge to you, the taxpayers of the Charlevoix School District.



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DME cleanup to begin soon

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The treatment system that will clean up tetrachloroethylene (PCE) ground water contamination in and around the site of Charlevoix's DME Company will soon be fully operational.

The bulk of the system is situated on the property of DME, located at 06342 Ferry Road in Charlevoix and this portion has been installed.

Bob Wagner, environmental manager with the Gaylord post of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality said the department expects to receive access to private property on Matthews Lane by the end of the week. Wagner said they hope to have the rest of the system installed at the private sites in the next two to three weeks.

From there the cleanup will take three to five years to be completed. Wagner said it could be even longer.

"Every situation is different in how groundwater and contamination respond," he said.

DME started using a degreasing solvent containing PCE in 1955 as a degreaser to remove oil and other debris from steel ejector pins they manufacture.

The company disposed of the used solvent improperly and contaminated the site and the lake. The company continues to use the toxic substance, but disposes of it more carefully by bottling it and sending it away to be recycled or incinerated.

In a previous interview, Elaine Pelc, an environmental analyst with the Gaylord post of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality, explained the contaminated aquifer plume runs under the plant site's old landfill and then

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Tree time is here



Holly Daze trees on display

Students from Charlevoix Intermediate School District recently visited the Charlevoix Country Club to see the Holly Daze trees. Above, Kenny Kavaness, 15, (left) and Chris Ashley, 14, admire the "Grinch" tree. The trees will be on display until Dec. 1. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Camp closing to have impact on Charlevoix

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

State budget cuts are causing cheap labor dilemmas for Charlevoix.

Last week the state of Michigan cut funding for the Michigan Department of Corrections — including closing Camp Pellston, located north of Potoskey.

"The state had looked at this place (Camp Pellston) a couple months ago and decided they would close it or bulldoze the old building (from the 1950s) and build a new, more efficient facility," Carl Mumma, a supervisor at Camp Pellston, said.

"This will remove labor from

communities that rely on very cheap labor. It's all going to have an impact."

Locally, the Charlevoix County Road Commission and the city of Charlevoix use prisoners from Camp Pellston to perform multiple tasks in and around Charlevoix. The prison laborers once cost the county and city only \$5 a worker per day, \$2.50 to the prisoner and \$2.50 to the state for transportation, but will no longer be available.

Charlevoix water and wastewater treatment plant superintendent Sam Creswell also coordinates the local public works program. He said the prisoners were usually in Charlevoix five days a week and did a lot of projects around the city

including: hanging Christmas lights, laying brick, working around the municipal golf course and the airport, brush and tree trimming and painting buildings.

City manager Mike Wiesner said city administration will have to reevaluate what needs to be done and figure out another way of doing it. He added it will be more of a challenge.

One possible alternative for the city is the use of Charlevoix County Jail labor. Wiesner said the city has used the county inmates before, but he hasn't talked to county sheriff George Lasater to see if that is a possibility.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Samuel Joseph Ripley, 36, Wolverine. Criminal sexual conduct-second degree, victim under 13. Bound over to circuit court.

Jeffrey Thomas Baragrey, 22, Gaylord. Possession of a controlled substance-marijuana. Nine months probation; 180 days in jail with credit for one day, serve 15 days, 164 days held in abeyance; \$465 in fines and costs.

Brenton Allen Rake, 18, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol-third offense or subsequent. One year probation; \$340 in fines and costs.

Darrell James Anthony, 42, Charlevoix. Disorderly person-drunk. Jail for two days with credit for two days; \$190 in fines and costs.

James Harrison Czamecki, 18, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$120 in fines and costs.

Lawrence Reid Becker, 24, Boyne City. Furnishing alcohol to minors. One year probation; 60 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 38 days, 60 days held in abeyance; \$1,725 in fines and costs.

Vivienne Annette Sadowski, 32, Petoskey. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

James Alan Memmer, 57, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$435.

Stephen Joseph Kraemer Jr., 17, East Jordan. Retail fraud-third degree. Nine months probation; letter of apology; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve three days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 79 days held in

abeyance; \$435 in fines and costs.

Richard Alan Foster, 42, Charlevoix. Domestic violence. One year probation; no contact with victim; 93 days in jail, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 77 days held in abeyance; \$535 in fines and costs.

Jesse James Green, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$60.

Jesse James Green, 17, Charlevoix. False report of a misdemeanor. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve seven days, 120 hours of community service work, 85 days held in abeyance; \$225 in fines and costs.

Lori Ann McSawby, 39, Charlevoix. Disorderly person. One year probation; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 79 days held in abeyance; \$315 in fines and costs.

John Kenneth Latimer, 21, Mancelona. Retail fraud-third degree. Jail for 50 days with credit for six days, serve 44 days; \$200 in fines and costs.

Jared Norris Hoffman, 21, Ellsworth. Driving while license suspended-second offense or more. Fines and costs totaling \$385.

Gilbert Joseph Belzyt, 51, Richmond. Driving while license suspended-second or more. \$1,725 in fines and costs.

John Harold Olson, 28, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$645 in fines and costs.

Jeffrey Michael Mansberry, 24, Ellsworth. Driving while li-

cense suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$120.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the county of Charlevoix:

Michael Anthony Dwornick, 22, East Jordan. Larceny in a building. Four months in jail with credit for 73 days, serve four months; \$40 in fines and costs.

Albert James Grams Jr., 24, Charlevoix. Malicious destruction of personal property, \$1,000 or more, less than \$20,000. No contact with victims; jail for a minimum of 40 months and a maximum of 60 months; \$2,153 in fines and costs.

Kenneth Orval Wingo, 27, East Jordan. Arson-dwelling/house. Jail for a minimum of 13 years and a maximum of 20 years; \$96,945.79 in fines and costs.

Kenneth Orval Wingo, 27, East Jordan. Resisting and obstructing a police officer. Jail for a minimum of 16 months and a maximum of 24 months; sentences to be served concurrent to each other.

Carl Bradley Schmidt, 59, Port Clinton, Ohio. Probation violation-attempted burning insured property. Jail for 12 months with credit for 125 days, serve 12 months.

Aaron Richard Eckard, 25, Conway. Breaking and entering a vehicle with damage to vehicle. No contact with victims; jail for a minimum of 40 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 87 days; \$1,905 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Associated Tax Service, LLC, 17195 Beck Road, Charlevoix, by Treva Hershey
Kelly Bingham Interiors, 2425 M-32 Highway, East Jordan, by Kelly S. Bingham
Cardinal Carpet Cleaning, 427 Crain Street, Charlevoix, by Kenneth Phillips and William C. Brodin
Slumber Parties by Michelle, 102 Belvedere Avenue, Charlevoix, by Michelle M. Witthoef
Anderson Farm, 09360 Old US-31, Charlevoix, by Gwen Anderson and Barry Anderson
Anderson Agency, 07643 Bay Shore Road, Petoskey, by Barry Anderson

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Steven James Fry, 21, Charlevoix and Tiffany Marie McKay, 19, Charlevoix
Divorees
The following people have been granted Judgments of Di-

vorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:
Elizabeth Jane Grogan vs. Ronald E. Grogan
Kirk Kevin McCormick vs. Elizabeth McCormick

Births

Branwyn Michaels, weighing 8 pounds, 10 ounces, was born to Zane Adkins and Lisa Spehar of Alanson on Nov. 9 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Harley Daniel Jacob, weighing 7 pounds, 2 ounces, was born to Daniel and Jennifer Bulter of Mancelona on Nov. 09, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Maddie Kylynn Daneff, weighing 6 pounds, 13 ounces, was born to Matthew Daneff and Heather Rebec of East Jordan on Oct. 30, 2001 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Isaac Gregory was born to Christina and Jarod Hoffman of Charlevoix on Nov. 6, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Russian media delegation visits area

By JULIE WITTHOEF
Staff Writer

Members of the Charlevoix community have opened their homes and businesses to Russian media delegates.

A group of 11 Russian media delegates accepted the invitation of the local Rotary Club and are currently visiting Charlevoix to see first hand the way various aspects of commerce in the United States function.

"This event will help improve the economies of both our countries. By talking to business professionals in the area and seeing our businesses, the Russian delegation can learn from us and we can learn from them," Jeremy McBain, local facilitator for the Charlevoix Rotary Club and editor of the Charlevoix Courier said. "I think this is a great way for Charlevoix to be known internationally."

The journalists have come a long way to meet and work with their American colleagues in Michigan. The group spent their first week in Battle Creek and then moved on to Holland for a second week of study. They arrived in Charlevoix at 3 p.m., Nov. 10 and are scheduled to depart Nov. 18.

Konstantin V. Astafiev, 31, director of Ural-Press in Russia said he has enjoyed visiting Charlevoix and its local businesses. The question Astafiev has been asked most is about Freedom of Speech in the press. He said from what he has experienced so far, Russian and American journalists face the same constraint — dependency.

"We are dependent on money, we are dependent on people and we are dependent on the government. We can't be independent by principle," he said.

The Center for Citizen Initiatives in San Francisco, Calif., the company that organized the Michigan visit, has run programs between the United States and the former USSR since 1983.

The center has hailed the Productivity Enhancement Program which the Russian delegates are a part of as "a terrific opportunity to influence Russia's historic transition without ever leaving" Charlevoix.

Business training is the primary goal of the program. The training is provided by local businesses and professionals who host the group.

The night they arrived some of the delegates and their home hosts attended a complimentary jazz concert at the Crooked Tree Arts Center and then headed over to Petoskey's City Park Grill where they danced the night away to the local band Mojo and the Boogie-man.

The following day they relaxed at area homes after visiting Mackinaw City.

On Monday it was back to work. They started off the day with a marketing presentation from Chamber of Commerce director Jacqueline Merta followed by lunch at Charlevoix High School and Northwest Academy. While at the schools the group attended journalism classes.

After hours they took in a movie at Charlevoix Cinema where complimentary tickets were provided by owner Bill Supernaw.

Tuesday was a day of intensive study for the delegates. The morning started off with a tour of the Petoskey News-Review then it was off to lunch at the Perry Davis Hotel where they joined the Petoskey Kiwanis Club.

After lunch they attended a Round Table discussion hosted by the Petoskey News-Review and the Michigan Press Association at North Central Michigan College. The event was mediated by McBain.

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Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce president Jacqueline Merta speaks to the delegation through translator Max Kotchetkov Monday. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)



Russian delegate Igor Kochurin takes a picture of the Charlevoix High School logo during his visit there Monday. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Correction

In last week's edition of the Courier, a picture on page 7 was misidentified. The girl pictured was Haley Givens, not Sarah Robarge. Sarah Robarge was also dressed as a unicorn for Halloween, as she is seen here.

In last week's correction on page 2, we said an obituary wrongly identified "Pat" McCall, as "Cat" McCall. This was based on a call from a reader. However, another reader insists her name is actually "Tat."

Finally, in an article written last week by Julie Witthoef titled "Use questions surround sewer line" it was stated the school is investing \$633,000 to extend the line, the cost to the district is \$533,000.

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OPINIONS

We hope our readers discuss housing issue



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

Housing...it seems to be something we take for granted.

In our drive to make a community of the future, a community that we dream about, we seem to forget this aspect of planning. Sure, our government officials and concerned citizens are full of ideas about creating more jobs through bringing in more businesses or protecting the environment by controlling the amount of development or type. But, very rarely have we seen a strong effort to address housing.

Why is this? Why do communities turn their backs on this issue?

Is it because there are no easy answers?

When the issue is brought up and a plan brought forth, we have seen a disturbing trend...anger by the citizens. The citizens bring up environmental concerns, security concerns and many other reasons why such a development should not exist.

But, are these reasons true? Are they just excuses to try and keep "undesirables" out of the community?

If this is the case, what these citizens do not know is this type of housing is not for "undesirables." It is for families just starting out or those trying to better their lives. They need somewhere affordable to live, near their jobs, so they can have a good life like the rest of us.

But, it is not just the citizens; the local governments jump on board this way of thinking as well. Look at the actions of our city council in the last few months: everything they have done, it seems, deals with

creating a new park and updating old ones, looking at a planning process for a new marina, studying ways to create a new industrial park and even buying fancy new manhole covers for our streets.

In this process, the local government has not flinched once about the taxpayer money it has spent on these projects. The government says these projects are needed, therefore the money has been used wisely.

Affordable housing is something that is needed to make a community complete. I have said this before and I think our series this fall proved that. Without affordable housing, our businesses are losing money, tax base is lost and our community dies.

I believe affordable housing in a community is more important than industrial parks, new marinas and new manhole covers. To me these are just frosting on the cake; housing is one of the main ingredients that makes the cake moist and deli-

cious.

I believe if our local government can find money to study park improvements, marinas, industrial parks and buy manhole covers, it should be able to find money to look into the housing issue facing our community and northern Michigan. But, sadly, our government seems to be more concerned with making an attractive frosting.

If you will notice, not once in this opinion section have our readers been exposed to my ideas of a solution to the housing problem. That is because I do not have one. I am trying to find one.

That was the reason for the housing series this fall: to get the community thinking about this issue. Sure, readers may disagree with each other on how to solve housing, what is affordable or the type of developments needed; the point is that readers are encouraged to talk about it and think about it.

When that happens, we know the series was successful. When the lo-

cal government decided to get some grant money to study this problem or — God forbid — use some taxpayer money to solve a problem directly affecting taxpayers, then we know the series was extremely successful.

We hope you enjoyed the housing series that ended three weeks ago. More importantly, we hope the series has created discussion in the community.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com.

Side-note: Remember, this month's "What do you think?" question is: What should be done with the Charlevoix Middle School? Send your responses to the Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com; fax them to (231) 547-4992 or drop them off at 112 Mason Street.

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Letters to the editor

Ad response

Editor:
In reference to that expensive but irrational "oversized" full-page "mean" spirited advertisement on "sewer" "wastes," these comments:

Robert Mossman and Joe Seidel — you pompous nincompoops! You do not argue before that court (or any court) on my behalf or on behalf of very many taxpayers "in the school district." Rather, you again waste our school tax money defending against your ego driven arguments. "The merits of our arguments dictate..." no, they do not dictate anything but another waste of our kids' money!

Remember my challenge that the losers of the recall election donate the cost of the special election to the school system? I guess you didn't accept that challenge as you were too busy trying to be appealing. When I learned from the school administration that you losers donated nothing, I, on behalf of the winners (the taxpayers of the school district), donated half that cost and again challenged you to put up or shut up. Result: You were either too cheap or you were too busy looking in the mirror, admiring all that you were doing for us miserable peons!

It's time to think of our (taxpayer) money that you are about to, once again, force our schools to spend simply to feed your obsession to be in court. Then think of the facilities that

could have been built if only you had worked with, rather than against, the vast majority of us (as proven by both the recall and subsequent election results). You should be ashamed!

Good Lord, save us from these who go to court on our behalf.
Josh and Gloria Barnes
Charlevoix

Wants answers

Editor:

Thank you for the publication of my letter in the Oct. 31 issue of your paper. I think it should be known that we mutually agreed to delay the publication until a reasonable answer could be received from the school. Now, having said that, I and the rest of the citizens of Charlevoix are still waiting.

To the question of "is this land contaminated?" the response of "an environmental study was done before the school bought the property and no contamination was found" is about as ambiguous and murky as the pools of mud that now form on the southern perimeter of the high school construction site.

I think it is safe to say that the response I had hoped for, the actual documentation of soil surveys is not forthcoming. This gesture continues to raise doubts about many issues the school construction has brought to light. If the school is to be truly honest in its response, then let them pro-

vide your paper with the actual test results for publication. If the results are too voluminous, then print a summary and have the results available for the public record.

If and when such information does become available, I would still question its current value. A tremendous amount of earth has been moved and exposed during the construction. Various water tables and drainage fields have been disturbed, with rather dramatic effects along Veenstra Road. Unfortunately contamination levels need to be verified throughout a building process, not just at the beginning.

I see that Mrs. Audrey Lehmann has written to both yours and the Petoskey paper concerning the security of the new campus. I have raised this question on several occasions without response. Is my suggestion that the Marion Township constable be the responsible office going to be sufficient for a modern community of the twenty-first century?

We township residents do appreciate the fact that the lights have been turned off at the construction site — the glare was tremendous. It's too bad that the other problems won't be so easy to fix.

Joseph F. Seidel
Marion Township

Editor's note: The environmental study done by the school is open to

public inspection through the Charlevoix superintendent's office as is outlined in the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Also, the responding law enforcement at the new high school for any problems would be the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, not a township constable.

Help fund service

Editor:

To my dismay, I have just found out that the wonderful service I had received these past years of having my leaves raked by some fine courteous, young men from the county jail, will not be available this fall. I was told to call in early October. This is due to the lack of financial funding.

While I know that the Rainbow Shoppe and other organizations contribute to many needful causes, I thought that the Charlevoix jail program would be one of them, as not only does it keep these young people occupied — rather than being confined and bored — but it offers a useful service to the elderly and widows as myself.

I made the suggestion that I would be willing to pay for their help. Are there any others in the community that feel likewise?

This might be the answer to saving this worthwhile program.
Joan Bousquet
Charlevoix.

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Where Is It?



Tell us where in the Charlevoix Area you think this is.

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for "100" that will take place on December 31, 2001.

Answer to the 10/31 Where is it?
Lantern on the front of Village Inn Pizza Bridge Street

Correct answer for 10/31 Where is it? provided by:

Sharon Coen, Charlevoix
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Engagements

Cross - Norton



Robin Cross, of Bloomfield Hills, and Matthew Norton, of Rochester, are engaged to be married.

Robin is the daughter of Julie and Neil Cross of Charlevoix. Matthew is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Dave Norton of Petoskey.

A wedding is being planned for June 8, 2002 in Charlevoix.

Robin graduated from Regina Dominican High School in Wilmette, Ill. and attended Saint

Mary's University in Winona, Minn. She is currently employed at Coral Ridge Development Company in Bloomfield Hills.

Matthew graduated from Charlevoix High School and completed his studies at Michigan State University. He is currently employed at Letica Company in Rochester.



Wurtz - Borths

Catherine Evelyn Wurtz, of Charlevoix, and Joseph Paul Borths, of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

Catherine is the daughter of Phyllis Stelter of Bridgeman and Verne Wurtz of Columbus, Ohio. Joseph is the son of Angeline and the late Henry Borths of Charlevoix.

A wedding is being planned for May 11, 2002 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be graduated from Lakeshore High School in Stevensville. She is a contractor health physics technician.

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Lions make donation

The Charlevoix Lions Club recently donated \$1,000 to the Charlevoix Area Community Pool. The community pool seeks year-end contributions to reach its campaign goal of \$40,000. More information about the campaign and pool schedules is available by calling 547-0982.

Local legion post makes donation

The Charlevoix American Legion Post recently donated a check for \$2,753 to the American Legion Department of Michigan for its aluminum pull tab recycling program for children. The program provides permanent emergency pediatric medical equipment to hospitals and volunteer ambulance services statewide.

Haggard elected to board

George Haggard, of Morristown, Penn. and Charlevoix, was elected to the Morristown-Hamblen Healthcare Systems board of trustees recently.

Lang to have birthday

Harold (Sonny) Lang will be 70 years old on Nov. 28. He has been a resident of a VA nursing home for almost two years.



Homeless sleepout

St. Mary had its annual homeless awareness sleepout Nov. 9. Proceeds from the event went to the Nehemiah House in Petoskey. Above, Beth Milligan tries to get some sleep in her box. Right, Tony Shearer and Tim Cross try to get warm around a trash can fire. (Photos by Julie Witthoef)



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Obituaries

Glenn S. Allen, Jr.: Jan. 8, 1914 - Nov. 6, 2001

Glenn S. Allen Jr., born Jan. 8, 1914 in Kalamazoo, died at home in DeWitt Nov. 6, ending a lifetime commitment to public service.



Glenn Allen Jr.

He was a retired State Court of Appeals judge, former mayor of Kalamazoo and staff member to two governors. Allen attended Amherst College, in Massachusetts and Kalamazoo College in Michigan.

He obtained his law degree at Columbia University in New York in 1939. Allen went to war as Assistant Judge Advocate of the 94th Division and legal advisor to General George Patton.

After the war he began a long career in local and state government. His term on the distance re-election bid was successful and he garnered enough votes to become vice-mayor.

He was subsequently elected mayor of Kalamazoo, serving four consecutive terms from 1951 to 1959.

During that time he became President of the Michigan Municipal

League and was appointed by President Eisenhower to the Subcommittee on Local Government of the Intergovernmental Relations Commission.

His service as a delegate to the Michigan Constitutional Convention in 1962 was followed by his appointment to Governor George Romney's cabinet as Director of the Budget. He also served as Secretary of the State Administrative Board.

Governor William Milliken appointed Allen as his legal advisor in 1970. He served in that capacity until his appointment to the Michigan Court of Appeals in 1974. He was re-elected in 1980 and retired from the bench in 1986. He continued to hear cases as a retired judge for many years.

In 1999, the Kalamazoo Gazette recognized Allen's distinguished career in public service by naming him their Person of the Century in Government.

His irrepressible energy kept him involved in many civic and community organizations. He was active in the downtown Lansing Kiwanis Club, Lansing City Club and the Michigan Chapter of the Concord Coalition. He served as member and president of both the Michigan Retired Judges Association and the Friends of the Turner-Dodge House.

He played tennis his entire life and loved Mackinac Island where

he spent summers at his cottage since 1966.

He was preceded in death by three wives: Virginia Allen (1974), Marion Turner Smith Allen (1983) and Marjorie Tracy Allen (2000).

He is survived by a brother, Jollie Allen of Kalamazoo and a sister, Rosemary Mueller of Charlevoix; two daughters, Holly Mull of Atlanta, Ga. and Susan Allen (Don Hinman) of Alexandria, Va.; two step-daughters, Sandra Haun (Kevin) of Laingsburg and Susanne Reinhardt (John) of West Bloomfield; three grandchildren, Glenn Allen of Seattle, Wash., Virginia Allen of Sheboygan, Wis., and Carter Mull of Brooklyn, N.Y.; one great-grandchild, Glenn Garrison Allen of Seattle; Five step-grandchildren, Justin, Lindsay and Jared Haun of Laingsburg; Jennifer Reinhardt of West Bloomfield; and Zachary Launier of Arizona. Contributions may be made to Friends of the Turner-Dodge House, People's Church of East Lansing or Trinity Episcopal Church of Mackinac Island.

The funeral service will take place at 3 p.m. Nov. 24 at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 218 West Ottawa in Lansing. Visitation will take place from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., Nov. 23 at the Gorsline Runckman East Chapel, 1730 Grand River Avenue.

maker and volunteer for her church.

Survivors include two children, Norman (Clare) Braune of Gaithersburg, Maryland and Norma (Charles) Randolph of Charlevoix; four grandchildren, Mark, John and Cynthia Braune and Robin Randolph and four great-grandchildren.

The family is being served by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

daughter, Nancy (Shawn) Mills; and her sister, Shirley Ashdon.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Charlevoix County Humane Society, 614 Beardsley Street, Boyne City, MI 49712.

Bud is survived by his wife Arciel "Archie" of Boyne City; children, Jan Wyatt Anderson of Howell, Debra Ann Wyatt of Royal Oak, Scott Alan (Diane M.) Wyatt of Southfield, and Keith D. (Mary) Wyatt of Mundelein, Ill.; grandchildren, Laura, Lisa, Jessica, Vanessa, Michael, David, Tashina, Megan and Steven; sisters, Norma Velich and Grace Taylor both of Minneapolis, Minn., and Rita (Bob) Elliott of La Jolla, Calif. and Boyne City.

Memorial contributions may be made to Northwest Michigan Community Health-Hospice, 220 W. Garfield, Charlevoix, MI 49720, or to First Congregational Church, 101 State St., Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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Pastor Mike Mitchell 547-6430

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Church School 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:15 a.m.
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1407 Bridge Street
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Pastor Michael Teuscher 547-9446

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M-66
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Thursday Evening 7:00 p.m.
Pastor: James Green 547-4300

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104 State Street
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Pastor: Todd Thompson 547-2654 or -5168

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Fr. E. James Gunn 547-6322

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205 Clinton Street
Sunday Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
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Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.
Phone 547-5711

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD
202 W. Hurbit
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Rev. Neil Turner 547-2875

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of Charlevoix
Petoskey Avenue
Morning Worship 9:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Pastor: Larry Groeters 547-9482 or -2509

ELLSWORTH WESLEYAN CHURCH
Corner of Elm & Park • Ellsworth
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.
Pastor: Rev. Chris Wallace 588-7455

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203 E. Upright
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
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City and county to find camp replacements

CAMP

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At the county road commission the prisoners perform building maintenance and county upkeep including: sweeping the floors, washing windows and in the summer, mowing roadside parks. In the fall and the spring the prisoners helped with local beaver problems by cleaning brush out of culverts.

"The prisoners did a lot of odd jobs that would probably be tough getting done with our people," manager of the Charlevoix County Road Commission Pat Harmon said.

"If we've got a truck driver who we could have hauling gravel it's more cost efficient to have him hauling gravel than him working on cleaning the garage."

Harmon said he isn't sure how the commission will deal with the labor loss. Members of the road commission met with county commissioners at their Monday meeting to try and solve the problem the county is now facing.

"I don't know. I'm very disappointed. We'll have to make other arrangements if we can afford it. We'll do the best we can, but I think there will probably be a lot of little things that won't get done like they should be," Harmon said.

Mumma said discussion of expansion took place prior to the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001 and the attacks could indirectly be an impetus for the cut backs. He explained Michigan has realized a dip in state revenue following Sept. 11 which may have prompted cuts.

The camp's annual operating expenses are a little under \$3 million.

Mumma said when considering the budget of the Michigan Department of Corrections, the Pellston facility is "a drop in the bucket" and many other cuts have been made around the state.

The shutdown will leave 36 employees out of work and 135 inmates moving to a new location.

Camps he mentioned that may be used during the relocation include a camp in the Ionia area, Camp Pugsley outside of Traverse City which expanded one year ago

and Camp Lehman by Grayling.

Mumma said there are many other camps in the Michigan system and they won't be forced to send prisoners out of state.

The camp's 36 employees will have to change location. Mumma said many of the workers have established homes and families in the

Pellston area.

"Their lives are being changed and they aren't very happy about it," Mumma said.

The state has promised to

find the workers new jobs.

Mumma said he will most likely be moved to one of five facilities in Kinross which is in Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

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Man adds to his family with find

Karl and Carol told Kris his birth mother was in high school when she was pregnant with him, she came from a big family and her parents

"I hemmed and hawed about whether or not I really wanted to do



...this," he said.

After talking with a social services worker in Petoskey, who had found her son she had put up for adoption, he knew he needed to try. An intermediary was appointed to handle the process.

All the files couldn't be accessed unless Kris and his birth mother

Nelda Houston, 49, of California approved. He petitioned for this restricted "identifying information." The intermediary contacted Houston by phone and said that her son was seeking information.

"She was shocked and didn't want to sign the paperwork. So she called my dad and he said, 'You're

crazy, this is the chance of a lifetime'." Kris explained.

Shortly after the intermediary made contact, Kris sent pictures of he and his family to Houston. He said she was excited to see the pictures.

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Photo I.D. is required and all records must be picked up in person. Release forms are also available on the Web at www.northernhealth.org and there is no charge for this service.

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Bartling reunited with his birth parents

ADOPTION

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Then, just before Christmas 2000, Houston called.

Kris decided not to tell his adopted parents about the search or that he had made contact with his mom. He was still afraid to hurt their feelings. He wanted to meet his biological parents before he told them about the situation.

During the next conversation Kris and Houston set in stone that they would meet face-to-face in California.

Before he left he told his family: brother, sisters, Karl, Carol, his wife Amy and his two children, Lauren, 7, and Kristopher, 12.

"They were all really excited and

supportive. It was all very positive," he said.

Then he flew from Traverse City to California's LAX Airport by himself.

Houston was living in Lake Arrowhead, Calif. and she planned to meet him at the airport.

During the flight the pilot came over the speaker system and informed the passengers they would be landing in California in 15 minutes. Kris said his nerves kicked into high gear — in 15 minutes he would meet his biological parents for the first time.

Houston was snowed-in in the mountains, so his dad, Robert Bruner, who lives in Ventura Beach was there. He had described himself as somewhat of a beach bum.

Kris said there were a ton of peo-

ple in the airport, but he found his father standing by an exit without trouble. Kris approached him, shook his hand and introduced himself. Then the two went back to Bruner's house where they talked and exchanged life stories.

"He had a rough life; he lost a brother, his parents are gone and he has one sister left," Kris said.

Bruner is a builder by trade and a volleyball player/surfer by hobby. He is married and has two children from a previous marriage.

After soaking in dad for two days, Houston came to Ventura Beach, from where she picked Kris up and took him to her home in the mountains.

The visit was magical and Houston has since come to Charlevoix five times and is building a home in

the Charlevoix Country Club.

"When I met them, I felt like everything was complete. I am happy they are both healthy and are living wonderful lives out there. The great thing is my family is now three times bigger," Kris said.

Houston works with computer programming for a record company stationed in Nashville, Tenn.

Kris said Houston looks forward

to spending more time with her grandchildren.

"She had a hysterectomy after she had me and was unable to have kids; this was really a blessing for her," he said.

"I guess I always knew there was something missing from seeing other families. The biggest influence was the relationship my wife has with her family."

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The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix City Police at 547-3258.

• A 35-year-old Charlevoix man was cited for driving while his license was suspended around 2 p.m. on Nov. 5 near the intersection of May and Stover streets.

• A 42-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for disorderly conduct around 5 p.m., Nov. 7 on Bridge Street. According to police, the man was staggering across the street. Alcohol was believed to be a factor.

• A black leather wallet containing money was stolen around 1:30 p.m. on Nov. 6 at Charlevoix High School.

• A Schwinn Powerglide bicycle was found on Nov. 5.

Street. According to police, the man was walking down the middle of the street. Alcohol was believed to be a factor.

• A 40-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for disorderly conduct around 9:30 p.m., Nov. 8 on Bridge

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REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - SYNOPSIS
November 5, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present except Councilman Norm Carlson, Jr. and Councilman Bill Haggard.

Approved the Sewer Contract with Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix Township and Marion Township.

Approved an Electrical Transmission Agreement with the Michigan Public Power Agency (MPPA).

Approved purchase of Electric Cable.

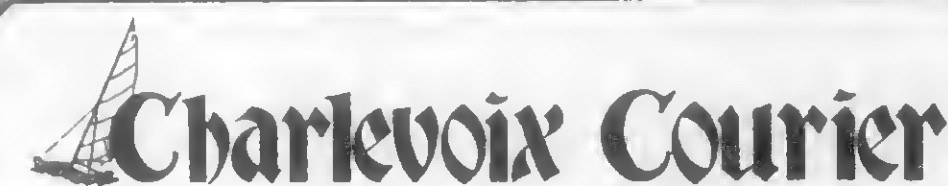
Approved revision to H & D Contract for Michigan Beach and Depot Beach Renovations.

Council adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

Elizabeth A. Gooch, City Clerk

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RUSSIANS

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Dinner followed the discussion. Today, they toured local manufacturing company, Harbor Industries. After that they headed further north to Petoskey's Bay View Inn where they joined the Petoskey Rotary Club for lunch and a tour of Bay Harbor.

On Thursday they will attend the Charlevoix Rotary Club's weekly

7:30 a.m. meeting at the Flap Jack Family Restaurant. After breakfast they'll head to Bellaire in Antrim County where they will tour Up North Publications.

After the tour of the publishing facility, the group will dine at the Charlevoix County Jail along with the inmates. Their final stop on this busy day will bring the delegates to Michigan Talk Radio in Charlevoix on Bridge Street.

Friday will be another intensive day of training including presentation by Frank Shepherd, a

Charlevoix resident and owner of 21st Century Publications. This company owns the Oakland Press and Up North Publications.

By Saturday everyone will be ready for a day off and that is what is scheduled. Following a free afternoon, Rotary will host a concluding Russian Dinner at the Argonne Super Club off Boyne City-Charlevoix Road.

After a week of study peppered with some fun, the delegates will depart from Cherry Capital Airport at 10 a.m. Nov. 18.

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Jeremy McBain, Charlevoix Courier editor and Rotary Club member, stands with Russian delegate Konstantin Astafyev. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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go to the drive in theater on the Petoskey Road, they swam at Bell's Bay State Park and picnicked on Fisherman's Island. They played in the big waves on Michigan Beach and climbed Mt. McSaubia.

They loved to visit with Mr. Neff at Neff's grocery store. They had festive dinners at the Grey Gables and the Argonne.

Cameron's first summer job was at the Holiday gas station. Mary Ellen worked as a waitress at the Weatherlane during the summers of 1976-77.

The Camerons were married in 1978 and have two daughters; Georgie Lee, 20, and Chelsea, 18, and a son Chase, 14. The first thing the family does when they arrive north is to go to Juillerets, and have French Toast for breakfast.

While vacationing with his family in Charlevoix this summer, it's a good bet that Cameron will pick

up more humorous tidbits to use in his forthcoming column and for his corporate public speaking engagements.

In case you care to know, his website is www.wbrucecameron.com

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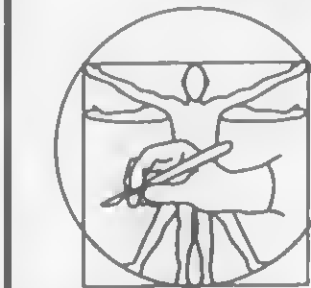
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migrates under the cedar swamp area, under Matthews Lane and discharges into Lake Charlevoix.

At one time the department was concerned the PCE, which naturally degrades into vinyl chloride — a known carcinogen — may have seeped through cracks in the basements of nearby homes.

DME attorney Joe Quandt of Traverse City said no such residential contamination was found.

"We have disproven any indoor inhalation concerns. The

investigation stages have confirmed the solvent has been stable and consistent," Quandt said.

Side effects of PCE contamination include: liver and kidney damage and chronic skin disorders.

Wagner said the system being installed has been designed, reviewed and approved by the department. Quandt said it addresses everything: TCE, PCE and vinyl chloride.

The system will pump contaminated ground water out of the ground, strip it of its contaminants and then re-inject it into the ground.

Wagner added the department is pleased with the cooperation they have gotten from DME.



Cleanup at this DME site will begin soon. Contamination has not been found in any of the surrounding homes. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Middle school season ends

The Charlevoix Middle School basketball team ended its season recently with a total 17-5 record for the last two years. The team is: (Front, from left) Caitlin Ernst, Christine Bradley, Adrian Holmes, Madison Ramsey, Laura Nitchman, Shannon Dibble, (back) Jill Wilhelm, Kara Fitzgerald, Stevie Murray, Caitlin Cole, Liz Jadwin, Genevieve Kochanny and coach Don Potter. (Courtesy photo)

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You must get a flu shot once a year. Because flu viruses change from year to year, the shot you got last year won't protect you this year. The flu season generally runs from October through March. Pneumonia can strike at any time.

For most people the flu shot has no side effects. Some people may notice a little tenderness or redness where the shot was given. In rare cases, a person may notice a slight fever, chills or headache. However, symptoms usually pass quickly.

Talk to your physician before getting a flu shot if you are allergic to eggs or if you are pregnant.

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Shearer named to all-state team

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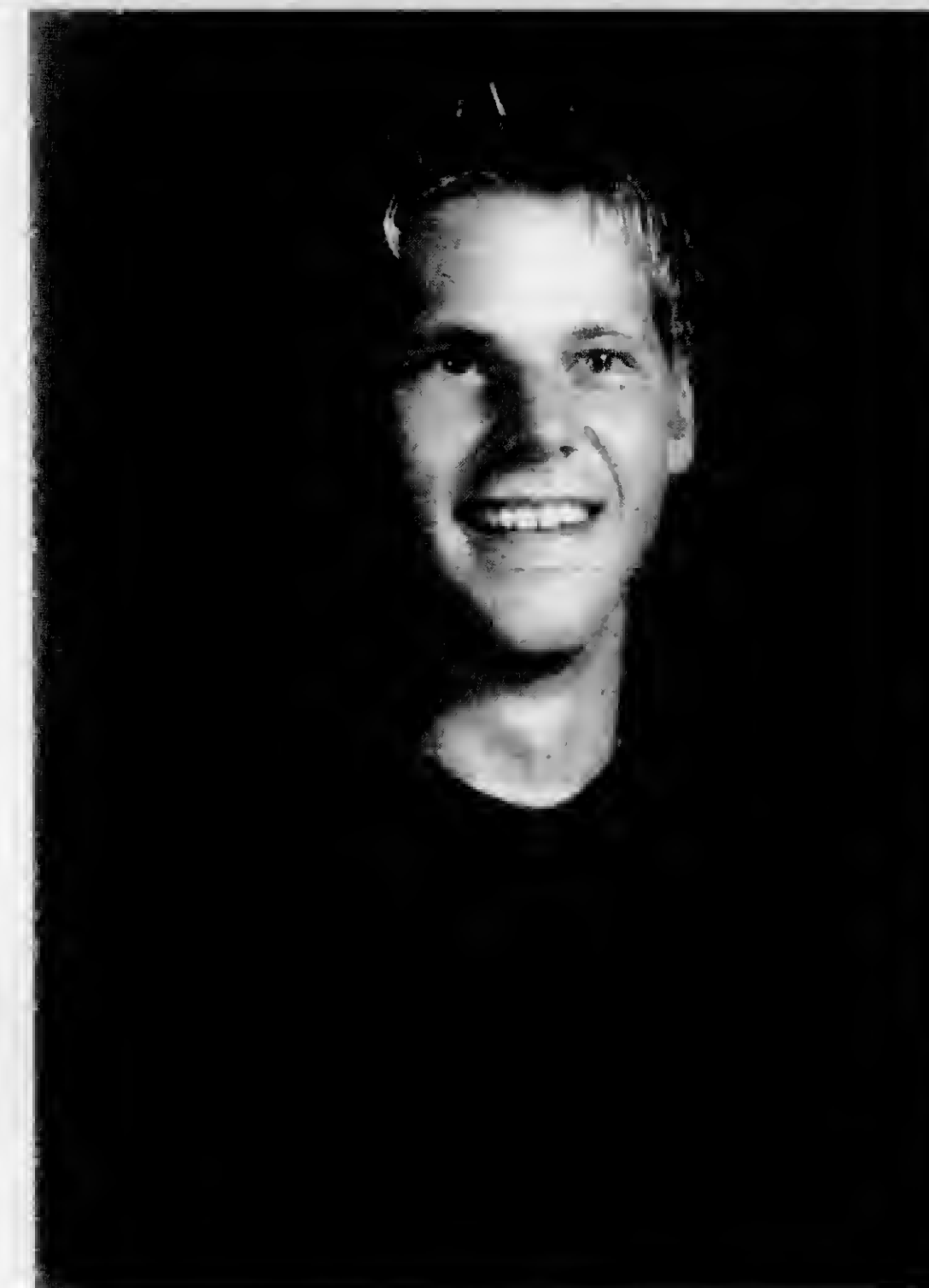
Shearer is a junior at Charlevoix High School. He was All-Tournament selection in eight of the nine tournaments he participated in with a jamboree average of 77.8 and a tournament average of 75.7.

During his season this year, he broke a school record for shooting at Boyne's Moor Course. The record was in place since 1985.

This is the second year in a row that he has been named to the team. The award ceremonies will be on Nov. 16 at Michigan State University.

According to coach Jim Glynn, this is a "super job by a great kid."

"I am very proud of David (Shearer) on being selected for this honor. He not only is a fine player with a good work ethic, more importantly, he is a gentleman with integrity, honor and fine sportsmanship," Glynn said.



Charlevoix High School junior David Shearer has been named to the all-state team in golf. (Courtesy photo)

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Rayders 12-0 in conference

The Charlevoix Rayders girls' basketball team is going into the district tournament without a loss in the conference.

The Rayders finished off their last conference game Oct. 9 with a 75-34 win over Boyne City. This gives the team a 12-0 record in the conference and a 15-5 overall record.

In the Boyne City game, Krista Swenor led the scoring with 20 points. She also had 10 rebounds and four steals. Grace Farrell was next with 19 points.

The Rayders will play East Jordan at 6 p.m. tonight in Boyne City. If Charlevoix wins this game, they will advance to the finals at 7 p.m. on Friday.

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By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

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The mediation program is a voluntary process through which people meet in a neutral setting, like a church or city hall to discuss an issue.

Disputes that can be settled include: neighbor disputes, landlord/tenant issues, small claims cases, family disputes, school is-

"Even those who do not reach an agreement say the process helped."

Maartje Nolan,
executive director on mediation

sues, juvenile issues, noise disturbances, consumer/merchant disputes, contract disputes, property disputes, trespassing issues, employment disputes, guardianship issues and community ordinance issues.

Some of the benefits of mediation include: cost savings, rapid settlements, mutually satisfactory outcomes, a greater degree of control and predictability of the outcome, personal empowerment and maintaining relationships.

To bring your dispute to a mediation setting call the local office at (231) 547-1771 or call toll free 800-873-7658.

A facilitator will speak with the initial caller, holding all comments made as confidential and then will call the other party involved in the dispute.

Then, if both people agree, you meet with two neutral mediators who facilitate a discussion. The mediation process is offered free of charge, but a \$20 donation is suggested.

Holly Daze to feature work of local artists

What is lively, fun, and colorful? This year it's a combination of Holly Daze and work created by artists Sue and Russell Bolt.

When plans began early this year for the ninth annual Holly Daze fundraiser for the Charlevoix Area Hospital, the Holly Daze Committee wanted something bright and special from area artists Sue and Russell Bolt to include in the live and silent auctions. Development Council Chair Mary Adams and Holly Daze Chair Amy Lalewicz contracted with the Bolts to create a Holly Daze tile with hopes of making the sale of Bolt-designed Holly Daze tiles an annual event.

The involved process of creating the tile starts with the Bolt's purchase of high-quality, bisque-fired tiles from Stoke-on-Trent in England.

Sue creates an original drawing done in black and white and Russ develops a screen with tight registration so the tile is printed the same each time. Next he screens the underglaze, which is printed 4 - 6 times to reach the desired depth for the dark green color on the tile. Then Sue, daughter Lori Bolt and compatriot Marge Teske approach the tiles with squeeze bottles filled with red glaze for the holly berries to make them rich and dimensional. After letting the tiles dry they apply 2 coats of

clear glaze, stack the kiln, bring the temperature up to 1820 over six hours and finally, cool down over 12-14 hours.

The output of this artistic production process is a collectible tile to be sold during Holly Daze.

Tiles will be available at the Silent Auction, a free admission event, in the Charlevoix Area Hospital Solarium Nov. 23 through Dec. 1.

The hours for the Silent Auction are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. except Dec. 1 are 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

In addition to the tile, the Silent Auction features a range of activities: a live Wreath-a-Day giveaway, an Angel Store with an array of purchasable gift items, a Friendship Tree, wreaths, gifts and gift certificates. The Holly Daze Raffle offers Christmas China.

Tickets at \$5 each or 6 for \$25 offer purchasers a chance to win a 5-piece place setting of Fitz and Floyd Winterberry China valued at \$1,200. The Bolt tiles will also be sold during the Holly Daze Celebration Dinner with Live and Silent Auction at 6 p.m. on Nov. 27 at the Charlevoix Country Club. The \$35 ticket for the evening includes dinner.

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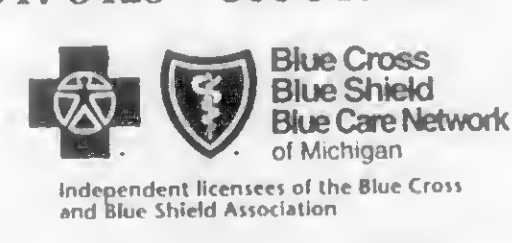
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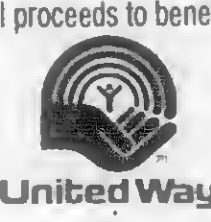


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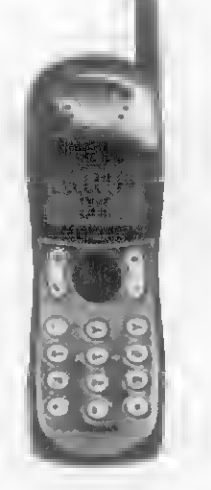


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County hospice presents Christmas cards for 2001

With November being designated as National Hospice Month, the Charlevoix County Hospice, Inc. (soon to be known as Hospice of Northwest Michigan) is starting off the month by introducing its Christmas cards for 2001.

This year hospice has three cards to offer.

The first card was created by Chris Fall Knight, an artist in Boyne City. Her card depicts a decorated sled resting against white birch trees and the inside says, "Wishing you a Christmas brightened with laughter, warmed by good company and glowing with lasting memories."

The other two cards were created by Kay Gee, of Harper Woods. Her first card is a snowy woods scene, inside it says, "May your holidays be wrapped in warmth, touched by the beauty of nature and filled

with peace and love."

The third card is the Beaver Islander coming through the channel into Charlevoix with the decorated lighthouse, inside it says, "May memories take you home again, may every prayer come true, and may you cherish all the love that this season brings you!"

The cards are available at The Clothing Company and Morning Glory in Charlevoix.

The cost of the cards has stayed the same as last year; a package of 20 is \$12, and 10 for \$6. The proceeds from the sale of the cards will help further the work of the Charlevoix County Hospice, Inc., in partnership with Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency to provide hospice care in Antrim, Charlevoix and Emmet Counties.



Above are this year's hospice Christmas cards. The cards will raise money for the organization. (Courtesy photos)

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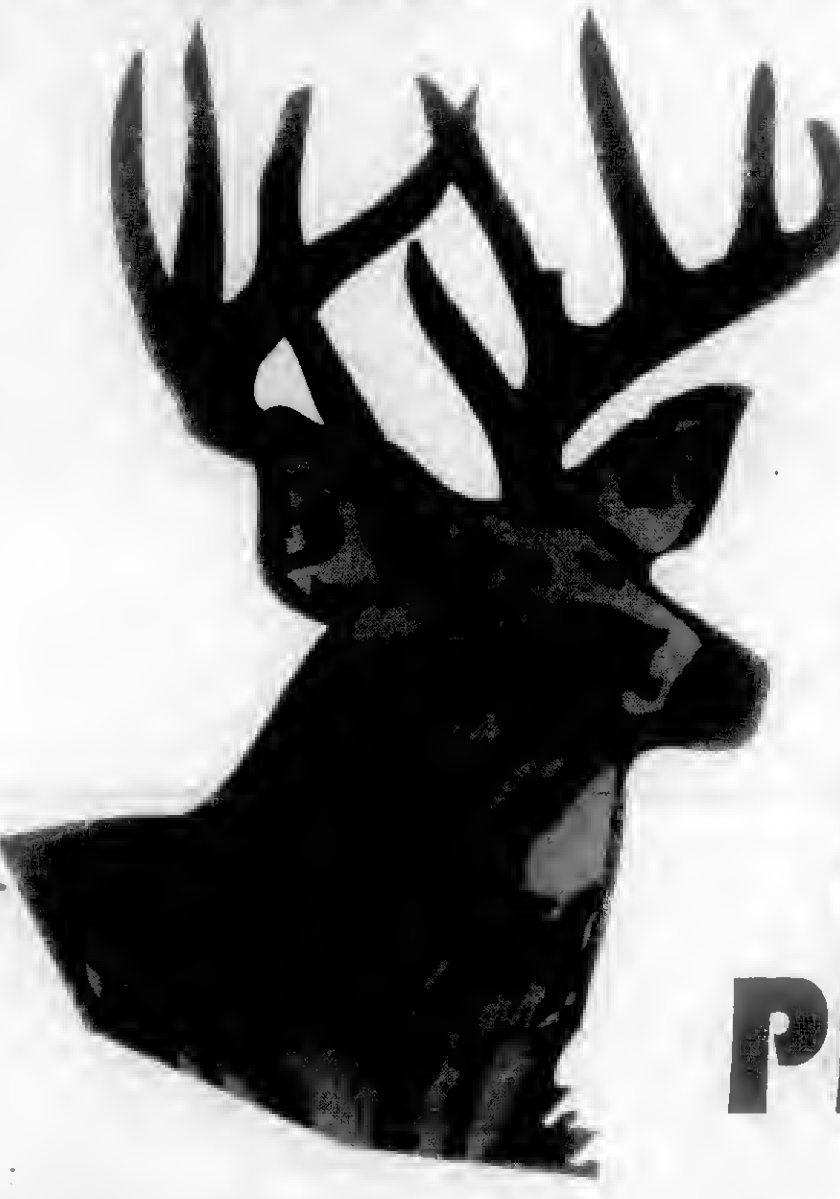
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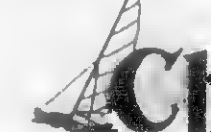
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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
Decedent's Estate
File No. D1-01D328-DE**

Estate of Jacqueline Marie Phelps
Date of Birth: March 15, 1924

TO ALL CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS: ON November 2, 2001, the undersigned was appointed Personal Representative of the above captioned estate and is serving without bond.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND INTERESTED PERSONS: The decedent, Jacqueline Marie Phelps, who lived at 200 Cherry, Charlevoix, Michigan, died October 23, 2001.

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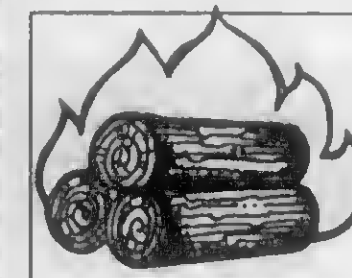
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A publication of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce

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SHOP CHARLEVOIX AND SUPPORT

CHARLEVOIX AREA HOSPITAL

In the true spirit of Thanksgiving, the Chamber's Retail Committee has devised a plan whereby area retailers in partnership with the Charlevoix Area Hospital will raise funds for the Hospital's expansion fund. Businesses participating in this program will donate a percentage of their profits from sales on the day after Thanksgiving, Friday, November 23, 2001.

This will be a FUN event with employees of fundraiser businesses wearing hospital scrubs for the day and prominently displaying decorated bedpans for shoppers to donate their spare change. Shop Charlevoix and support your community hospital at the same time!

Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce

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Story Telling - Each Tuesday, beginning November 27th, at 6:30pm, Black Bear Coffee and Tea Lodge will offer story telling. Kristin Mays will be telling exciting stories while the kids enjoy a free hot chocolate. Moms and Dads, while waiting, can enjoy a specialty coffee, or a variety of other drinks, and try their new menu additions of soup, chili, and home-made bread. From 6-7, Jenn will be doing chair massages for just \$1 per minute. So for a great family activity, try Story Telling at the Black Bear.

Charlevoix Area Calendar of Events

- Nov. 23** - Community Christmas Tree Lighting
- Dec. 1** - Charlevoix Business Open House
- Dec. 1** - 9-11am Christmas Cookie Walk and Bazaar - First Congregational Church.
- Dec. 1** - Open House - Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373
- Dec. 4** - Holiday Dinner - Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373
- Dec. 7** - Bake Sale - Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild 9am-4pm (Rosemary McGee 547-4260)
- Dec. 31** - New Year's Eve Party - Charlevoix Historical Society 547-0373



CHARLEVOIX CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

Friday, November 23, 2001

- 1-3pm & 6-8pm** - "Live Nativity" in East Park sponsored by the Charlevoix Ministerial Association
- 2-6pm** - Decorate the Community Christmas Tree with handmade ornaments. Warm up with hot cocoa, compliments of Interior Motives.
- 4-7pm** - Visit with Santa at the "North Pole" (Color Wear). Pictures with Santa will be taken compliments of Charlevoix Camera.

Saturday, December 1, 2001

- Merchants Open House** - Enjoy refreshments and caroling while you shop. Many merchants will have extended hours.
- 12pm** - Santa arrives by City Fire Truck at East Park
- 2pm** - Children are invited to Charlevoix Cinema for a FREE full length holiday feature sponsored by Charlevoix State Bank.

Business After Hours

The next Business After Hours will be on Thursday, November 29th, 5-7pm at Grey Gables, and will be sponsored by Crown Motors. Be sure you don't miss this last Business After Hours for 2001!

First Friday Business Breakfast

The next First Friday Business Breakfast will be on Friday, December 7th, 7:30am at Grey Gables restaurant. The speakers will be Tim Parker and Bill Oistrum from Harbor Industries.

Retail Committee

The next Retail Committee meeting will be Thursday, November 15, 2001, 9am at Stafford's Weatherlane Restaurant.

Annual Meeting

Mark your calendars now for the Chamber of Commerce Annual Meeting, Thursday, January 10, 2002. This dinner meeting is a great affair. It will be held at the Grey Gables with entertainment by Sean Ryan and most importantly, the Chamber will recognize leaders in the community with awards. The event is open to all Chamber members and their guests, so plan to join us for an evening of fun and networking with fellow business colleagues.

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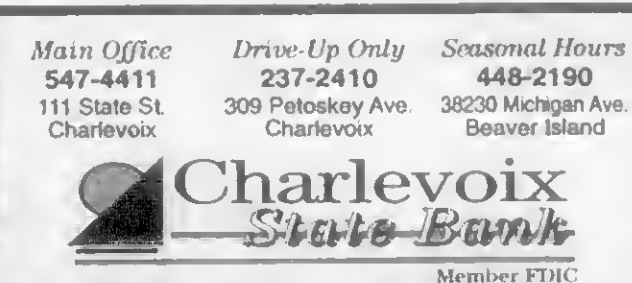
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New coaches

Charlevoix High School has hired several new coaches for this year's winter sports season. The coaches come from various backgrounds, but all are expected to do well with their teams.

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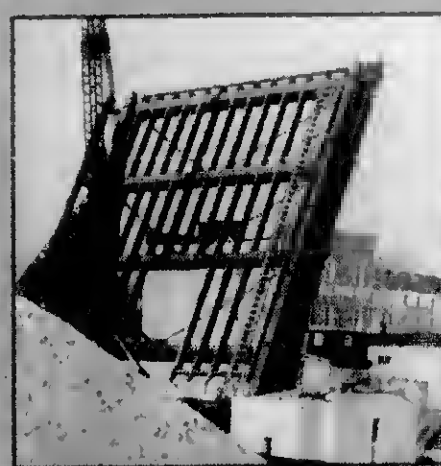
Adoption



A local family shares their experiences adopting children in our latest installment of a series dealing with this issue.

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Memorial Bridge



Learn about the Memorial Bridge built over the Pine River Channel in the 1940s.

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Baby's death a murder

Live-in boyfriend charged for crime

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Juan Antonio Barcenas, 23, of Charlevoix was recently charged with felony murder — a crime punishable in Michigan by life in prison.

The charge made against Barcenas followed the death of Carissa Nicole Kuzmik, an 18 pound, 8-month-old female. The infant and Barcenas lived at apartment 704 of the Pine Cove Apartments at 1001 May Street in the city of Charlevoix.

Barcenas was the live-in boyfriend of Kuzmik's mother. He was neither married or divorced and had no children of his own. There were three children living in apartment 704. Charlevoix City Police Chief Dennis Halverson said the other two children are between the ages of five and 10.

Halverson, who is investigating the case with the help of the Michigan State Police, said a 9-1-1 call was made by Barcenas' neighbor. The call came into Petoskey's central dispatch shortly after 10 a.m. Nov. 12.

"In a case like this, we drop ev-

erything we are doing and give the investigation our undivided effort," Halverson said.

The caller said a baby was not breathing and that it had possibly fallen down the stairs. The child's mother was not home at the time the incident occurred.

City police officer Gerard Doan and city emergency medical technicians responded.

Halverson said those on scene attempted to resuscitate the child. Kuzmik was then immediately transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital where she was later pronounced dead.

An autopsy was performed at Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids on Nov. 13. The autopsy showed the cause of the child's death to be blunt force trauma to her mid-section.

Late Nov. 13 Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Mary Beth Kur authorized the charge of felony murder against Barcenas, marking the second homicide in the city of Charlevoix this year.

Halverson said Barcenas was at the police department when Kur's authorization was made.

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Juan Antonio Barcenas being transported to Charlevoix County Jail by undersheriff Don Schneider following arraignment in the 90th District Court last week. Barcenas is accused of felony murder in the death of 8-month-old Carissa Nicole Kuzmik. (Photo by Julie Witthoфт)

Renovations at Castle underway

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Six weeks ago a much needed transformation began at the local historic site "Castle Farms" in Charlevoix.

Jan. 4, 2001 "Castle Farms," commonly known as "The Castle," changed hands for the fifth time in its history. After 32 years of ownership by the Reibel family, Linda Mueller of Long Beach, Miss., closed on the 38 acre parcel located off M-66.

Larry Shaw, the general contractor for The Castle renovation project that is currently underway described Mueller's castle project as

"I love the property... I love stone work, arches, turrets, it's just beautiful."

Linda Mueller.
New owner of Castle Farms

amazing. "It's a gift to the community really. The community is very lucky it came under her ownership."

The castle was built in 1918 as a livestock farm for the well-known Loeb family. As time progressed the site's use for farming morphed into use as a concert space, then as a community site for antique and other shows and most recently was

used as the site of a broasted chicken vendor.

However, it seems as though the motley cluster of uses has found its end.

Mueller has decided to pursue what she calls "a labor of love" — preservation and restoration of the buildings. The renovation isn't to allow the Mueller family farm to be built. In fact, Mueller said it's time

for the community to use The Castle.

"I love the property. I've studied Gothic architecture for eight years now. I've seen 75 castles and almost that many cathedrals. I love stone work, arches, turrets, it's just beautiful," she said.

Linda's husband Richard Mueller has a long history in Charlevoix. Richard's mother, Rosemary Mueller, who currently owns a home in the Belvedere Club, had a grandfather by the name of Oscar Allen who built the well-known Blue Bell Cottage in the club and was one of the club's founding fathers.

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District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Steven Richard Smith, 51, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Diane Sandra Kenwabikise, 43, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Daniel Vincent Schultz, 39, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Elva Jeanne McGhee, 61, Charlevoix. Motor vehicle passenger transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

Melinda Lee Rake, 20, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Steven Allen Marr, 19, East Jordan. Minor in possession of alcohol.

Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Paul Steven Cavagnaro, 27, Petoskey. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Jail for one day with credit for one day; fines and costs totaling \$125.

Harry Glenn Gulick, 25, Elmira. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day; serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 42 days held in abeyance; \$1,070 in fines and costs.

Chicory Lei Dodge, 18, Ellsworth. Retail fraud-third degree. Nine months probation; three days of community service work; \$150 in fines and costs.

Jason Andrew Stilwell, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Kevin Louis Whisler, 17, Ellsworth. Larceny-building. Bound over to circuit court.

Larry Dale Gardner Sr., 55, East Jordan. Malicious destruction of a building, over \$200, but under \$1,000. Six months probation; \$400 in fines and costs.

Charles Edward Murray, 23, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Eighteen months probation; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, 47 days held in abeyance; \$1,075 in fines and costs.

Shawn David Willis, 27, Boyne City. Sex offender failed to comply with reporting. Jail for seven days with credit for five days, serve two days; \$200 in fines and costs.

Jeffrey Bryan Hart, 21, Charlevoix. Sex offender failed to comply with reporting. Jail for five days with credit for five days.

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Assumed Names
The following businesses have

filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Novotnys Northwest Services, 11540 Flagg Road, East Jordan, by Jim Novotny Jr.

RHMR Land Acquisitions, 203 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, by Mark D. Knapp and Russell R. Brown

J.L.M. Construction, 05435 US-131 South, Boyne Falls, by Jeremiah Leon Massey

John Buick Services, 05603 Springvale Road, Boyne Falls, by John Buick

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Jeffrey Lawrence Hudson, 30, Boyne City and Christa Leigh De-grow, 28, Boyne City

Elwood Leroy Hardy Sr., 73, Boyne City and Phyllis Elaine Hardy, 72, Boyne City

Divorces
The following businesses have

granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Julie Ager vs. Richard Ager
Joseph Leo Schwartzfisher vs. Michelle Diane Schwartzfisher
Sarah Kelly Dunham vs. Donald Edward Dunham

Births

Phillip Adam Boynton, weighing 9 pounds, 15 ounces, was born to Joshua Boynton and Jonie Lavanway of Boyne City on Nov. 13 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

William "Carter" Locke was born on Oct. 22 to Lisa and Robert J. Locke of Cave Creek, Ariz. at Scottsdale Healthcare in Scottsdale, Ariz. His grandparents are Naomi and George Heckendorn of Charlevoix and William Wilkin of Skanesteles, N.Y.

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Police chief to help guard winter Olympics

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The Utah Olympic Public Safety Command has selected the city of Charlevoix's Chief of Police, Dennis Halverson, to be a member of its Law Enforcement Volunteer program.

"I felt this was something I could do for the United States. I gave money to the Red Cross, but now I can give myself."

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Donation needed this holiday

Once again, the community will pitch in to help make Christmas brighter for about 130 families in Charlevoix in the Charlevoix Community Christmas Project.

To make this project a success, the organizers are asking members of the community to donate new clothing, toys and books for all ages, food and gifts for the elderly. To donate any of these call Cynthia

Garland at 547-6707 or Kay Smith at 547-2920.

To volunteer, call Mary Helen Riggle at 547-9515.

To donate funds, send them to the Community Christmas Project at 1202 Matchett Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

The organizers will be using the old Charlevoix post office this year.

Since the organization has no overhead or paid staff, all donations will go directly for Christmas.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain
Nov. 13	52	36	—
Nov. 14	53	46	.02"
Nov. 15	57	49	.04"
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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

A 17-year-old boy was arrested for being a minor in possession of alcohol and tobacco around 1:30 a.m. on Nov. 10 at Pine Cove Apartments on May Street.

A 32-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for violating a personal protection order on Nov. 9 on Lincoln Street.

A 40-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested for trespassing on Nov. 14 at Glen's Market on M-66.

There was a two vehicle accident around 5 p.m. on Nov. 14 near the intersection of Bridge and Antrim streets. No injuries were reported.

A 28-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 4 p.m. on Nov. 14 on Michigan Avenue for driving while his license was suspended.

There was a two vehicle accident around 3:30 a.m. on Nov. 14 near the intersection of Bridge and Clinton streets. No injuries were reported.

There was a three vehicle accident around 2:30 p.m. on Nov. 13 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Garfield Avenue. No injuries were reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 7:30 a.m. on Nov. 13 near the intersection of Bridge Street and M-66. No injuries were reported.

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Friday, November 23, 2001

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OPINIONS

Convention Center deserves support

EDITORIAL

With economic hard times hitting the nation, it is nice to know the city is looking at ways to help businesses in Charlevoix, especially its efforts to increase the number of visitors during the slow winter months.

Two such ways are the council's efforts to bring snowmobiles to the downtown area and the decision to consider a convention center in Charlevoix. Yes, we have picked on them for the snowmobile issue many, many times in the past, but the big picture is the council was only trying to find ways to increase business in the downtown area during the winter. On its face, that is a good move.

Of these two ideas, the one that really deserves some solid support is the creation of a convention center in Charlevoix. This does not mean building a huge facility to try and bring in hundreds of convention-goers, this means small group gatherings.

Charlevoix is in need of a centralized location — meaning close to stores and hotels — for small trade group conventions, corporate off-site meetings, business training sessions for small groups, class reunions, receptions, craft shows and winter community events in need of in-

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Knutson shares his 2001 northern garden report



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

The 2001 garden report has, as always, a few successes and few failures, along with an abundance of good fresh food, some of it new to me and unavailable in the local grocery.

I can say it was a great year for beets, and an outstanding one for Roma tomatoes. The zucchini produced in a controlled pattern I have not before experienced, and I got maybe ten pounds of sweet potatoes from one large plant after getting almost nothing a year ago. Maybe sweet potatoes in northern Michigan require two growing seasons to get anywhere. Okra does not do well in our climate, probably a good thing.

Following an early garden experience while in grade school, I have usually avoided eggplant — in the garden and on my plate. Those long-ago plants produced fruits that were extremely large, spongy and, I thought, almost totally without taste or character.

In this year's garden, one of those present day varieties, called oriental or Japanese eggplant produced in addition to attractive flowers, an abundance of small, elongated, firm, purple fruit that were good either raw in a salad or stir fried with almost anything. It is already on next year's garden list.

Sometimes a new kind of plant can be botanical success and a food failure. I had previously purchased the occasional fennel bulb at the grocery and had tried out a few recipes. This year I started a dozen plants in the greenhouse and set them out at just the right time. They grew rapidly and to magnificent size and I had the problem of what to do with nine fennel bulbs maturing at almost the same time.

The Italians make good use of fennel in a variety of recipes. Maybe I should have been suspicious when the Italian cookbook suggested fennel with pork liver

and fennel with sardines. No matter what I did with it it still tasted like licorice nibs. Roasted licorice nibs, licorice nibs with tomato sauce, licorice nibs au gratin. Cut up in a green salad, it added a taste of licorice nibs to whatever else was there.

The year's only unqualified success, both botanically and in the kitchen was Salsify or Oyster Plant. Grown from seed in the garden, it produced an abundance of off-white, roughly carrot-shaped roots. Both raw and after boiling, they did have the definite odor of fresh oysters.

Not having much by way of oyster plant recipes, I looked up escaloped oysters and made a tasty casserole with the roots and without any oysters. It is even possible to make a passable hors d'oeuvre of oyster plant Rockefeller with no oysters or oyster shells and lots of Rockefeller.

The vegetable garden continues to inform and to feed both soul and body.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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Letters to the editor

School could have been wiser

Editor:

I come from a long line of Indiana nincompoops. It is a heritage of which I am proud. It is the wellspring from which I have drawn for my opposition to the school's foolish policies and unlawful fiscal ways. I want to reassure finally after two years of hearing the loud, empty, certainly frantic works of the Barnes and Trubilowicz that in no way do I include them or speak for them in my written charges against the school. I apologize profusely if they have assumed that I would do so.

I know many, many people in Marion Township who have already been pushed to extremes by the property tax assessments which have resulted simply because the school chose so unwisely to place its new high school in that particular area of Marion Township. There were other wiser choices, even in the township, that were considered by many people, but not by the school. We agree fully that development may come over many years out into such a rural agrarian township, but most importantly that development must be guided and controlled by the Land Use Master Plan of the Township. To do otherwise, as

the school determined to do, brings large personal township tax burdens, destruction to the township resources, deep township resentments and long-standing opposition to the policies of the school that flagrantly serve the interests of a few to the detriment of many.

Proverbs 16:22 is focused and sharp in its words of so long ago: "Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it; but the instruction of fools is folly."

Bob Mossman
Marion Township

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LETTERS

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Grounded planes were a rest

Editor:

I just want to say what a great peace it was to have small planes not flying, as where I live, they fly so low. One day it will happen in Charlevoix the Beautiful what the planes did to New York. The odds are great. They even touch the top of the trees across the street on this side from Glen's Market.

It was just great to have all small planes at rest. It is just too much to take weekend after weekend.

P.A. Anderson
Charlevoix

al Aviation Administration.

Congratulations to girls' basketball team

Editor:

I would like to personally congratulate the girls' varsity basketball team for a fabulous season.

Despite the loss Friday night, these girls played incredibly all season and with enough vengeance to get to districts.

I know to them, winning is everything, but it is also how you play the game. It was a pleasure to watch them play all season. So, congratulations to you all. You were awesome!

Francie Martin
Charlevoix

Thank you

Editor:

Our many, many thanks to everyone in the community for their help in promoting our Charlevoix Senior



Center. We especially want to thank our wonderful volunteers for without them we could not continue. Thanks also to all of those who have attended our fund-raiser chicken, roast pork and roast beef dinners, raffles and others, which aid us for our operational expenses. In as much as we do not receive any county millage for operations, we are dependent on these items and we are very grateful to all of those who help support us and contribute in any way — the city of Charlevoix and the townships, the Rainbow Shoppe, grants and to all of the individuals and organizations who contribute in monetary ways, the donors of produce, crafts and others. Your support has helped us continue to operate and to furnish very low cost, daily lunches for walk-ins and "Meals on Wheels" to those who are ill and/or home-bound.

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We would like to thank our board of directors for their many untold and untiring hours of dedicated work, to thank the many volunteers for training and conducting the classes and anyone who has contributed in any way to help us make this a happy and welcoming community center where all may come to enjoy friendship and a more rewarding life. Happy Thanksgiving. May God bless you all.

Rosalyn Goldstick,
Secretary
Charlevoix Senior Center

Lighthouse dinner

On the evening of Nov. 16, the annual fall Lighthouse School Spaghetti dinner was given on Beaver Island. The students not only served the meal, but they also helped in the kitchen. Left, the 26 students that make up the fall class of 2001 and some of their instructors stand in the kitchen of the Peaine Township Hall, where the event took place. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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Answers for the 11/21 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 5.

Only one entry per person per week.

Sorry, but employees of Northern Michigan Review and their immediate families are not eligible for this contest.

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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

CMU graduates

Two students from Charlevoix graduated in August from Central Michigan University. They were: Robert W. Christoph, of Charlevoix, with a bachelor of science in business administration and Jess R. Wood, with a bachelor of applied arts. Wood was also named to the university's honor list.

New recruit

Josh J. Grinnell has joined the United States Army under the delayed entry program. The program gives men and women the opportunity to delay entering active duty for up to one year. Grinnell will report to Fort Jackson, in Columbia, S.C. for basic training. He is the son of Sherry Grinnell of Charlevoix.

HERO donation

The Hospital Employees Reaching Out (HERO) club recently donated \$1,499 to Charlevoix Area Hospital. The club recently hosted an all-you-can-eat lunch with games and prizes to raise money for the hospital expansion.

Tree donation

Don Vidosh, of Vidosh Landscape Centers, recently donated 50 ash trees that are 6 feet to 7 feet in height to the Charlevoix Public Schools. The trees will be used at the new Charlevoix high school site on Marion Center Road.

Fund-raising participation

Ace Hardware is participating in a fund-raising event for the Charlevoix Area Hospital along with other merchants around Charlevoix. The businesses plan on donating a percentage of their sales on Nov. 23.

Bank donates \$25,000

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The Charlevoix High School class of 1971 had its 30 year class reunion July 21 at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Charlevoix. Front: Jerry Dohm, Dave Gill, Linda (Krueger) Nolan, Debbie (Smith) Wright, Marian (May) Fox, Ed Drost, Chuck Otmanowski. Second: Rick Potter, Dorinda (Luedke) Miller, Shelly (King) Mathew, Shelley (Szudzik) Boehmer, Lisa (Wagner) Teets, Marian (Mosoryak) DeNio, Suellen (Kayner) Honeychuck, Donna Martin, Marlene (Cunningham) Evans, Ruth Ann (Gengle) Seyburn, Sandy (Cellner) Jeltama, Della (Patrick) Smith. Third: Kevin Swanson, Dan Corradi, Marlene (Dixon) Everhart, Debbie (Marshall) Bowen, Roberta (Pearl) Lewis, Dave Fochtman, Cindy (Miller) Shindorf, Wendy Skelton, Darlene (Cunningham) Heine, Laurie (Lyons) Howell, Mark Peterson, Lloyd Himebauch, Cathy (Baldwin) Mohan, Donna (Staley) Heeres, Marilyn (May) Cousineau, Marcia (Brown) Peterson. Fourth: Linda (Smalley) Sweeney, Mike Bergman, Kay (Fiedorek) Wasilewski, Ron Bindi, Bruce Meggison, Tom Bergmann, Peg (Rader) Ballentine, Dave Kimble, Bill Bergmann, Rod Slone, Diane (Klooster) Bennett, Beth (Imman) Simons, John Derner, Bob Donaldson.

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This meeting will not address the expansion of docks within the City's marina. A similar public meeting to address expansion of docks will be held in the Summer of 2002.

The meeting will be held at the Charlevoix High School Study Hall, 108 E. Garfield Ave., at 7:00 PM. Persons not available to attend this meeting may direct written communications to Michael Wiesner, City Manager, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720, fax (231)547-3617, e-mail to chxmgr@unnet.com, or may call (231)547-3270.



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Charlevoix Middle School honor roll students

The following students were named to the honor roll for the Charlevoix Middle School recently:

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Seventh grade

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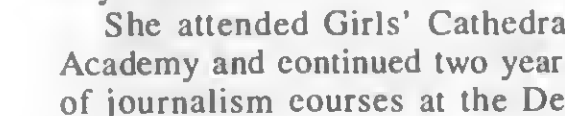
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Man charged for death of eight-month-old baby

MURDER

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The arrest warrant states that Barcnas, "did, while in the perpetration or attempted perpetration of child abuse in the first degree, murder one Carissa Nicole Kuzmik."

Barcnas is currently being held in Charlevoix County Jail.

Barcnas' prior record shows he was charged for driving under the influence of alcohol. Halverson said before Nov. 12, the city police department had never been called to the apartment.

On Nov. 15 Barcnas was arraigned on the charges. At the arraignment Charlevoix County 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas sat in for 90th District Court Judge Richard May.

Prior to ruling against allowing bond, Pajtas explained to Barcnas the court can withhold bond in a case of murder if proof of guilt is evident and or the presumption great.

Kur argued that previous violence in the home, which Kuzmik's mother attested to, and a high probability of conviction should influence a ruling against bond.

Pajtas found Barcnas indigent as he is unemployed, has no source of income, owns no property and has no money. Barcnas said he speaks, but can't read English. He was not a lease holder at Pine Cove Apartments, Kuzmik's mother is the sole lease holder.

Kur further said that based on the affidavit that claims Barcnas' indigence he probably wouldn't be able to post bail anyway.

Kur further said his ties to the community are limited narrowing the possibility of others posting bail on his behalf.

She further explained there is a likelihood he is a Mexican national who is possibly in the United States illegally. Kur said when Barcnas first arrived in the United States he went to Florida where he spent four to five years. He then traveled to

Michigan and has been here approximately one year.

Kur added that while in the United States he has possibly used a false social security number. The number he purports to be his own was issued in the State of Washington in the 1950s and Barcnas was born in 1978.

Before ruling Barcnas would be held without bond Pajtas said, "This is serious, if not the most serious offense one could be charged with."

Barcnas accepted the court appointed attorney, Christopher Turkelson.

Turkelson will represent Barcnas in a not guilty plea. The preliminary examination will take place at 4 p.m., Nov. 27 in Charlevoix County District Court located in the county building in the city of Charlevoix.

During the preliminary examination Kur will attempt to prove to the district court judge that the prosecution's evidence is enough to hold Barcnas for trial.



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The Castle is a 'labor of love' for Muellers

CASTLE

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Linda was born in Sandusky and moved to Long Beach, Miss in 1981. She has been visiting Charlevoix with Richard since 1967.

Ever since Jan. 4 Linda's wheels have been spinning. She has been studying and searching for contractors capable of bringing the site back to its original architectural design.

Current construction is focused on the exterior of the buildings.

Major structural repairs that required immediate attention included water damage and roof disrepair.

Those who know the exterior of The Castle may believe the turrets, which look somewhat like a pointed hat sitting on top of the silos and roof tops, were originally wood. But Mueller has reviewed historic photos and design papers that reveal they were shingled and most of the shingles had broken away over time.

The new roof will feature similar shingles. The general contractor at the site, Larry Shawn of Petoskey, described the materials being used as "really high quality 30 year shingles."

Shawn said his roofers are excited to have the opportunity to work on the project. The workers make their way around the site armed not only with the knowledge of their trade but also with a picture of the castle from when it was fully intact.

Shawn said the scope of the project is large, and added right now, the biggest challenge, is the structure of the turrets. In order to restore them, scaffolding will be built on the inside of the silos and one of his crewmen will be on the outside platform.

Aside from the turrets, one of the most unstable structures was the horse stable. When facing the property from M-66, to the left there is a large stone structure which was once a horse stable.

Dave Ciolek, a specialist from Williamson who Linda met at a barn preservation meeting in East Lansing, was brought in to raise the roof. Ciolek has worked on over 600 barns in his 29 years in business. He said there has been very little work done on the building over the past 15 years.

"It took eight weeks to set up the equipment to raise it (the roof) and it took an hour to raise it. It will take another week to take everything down," Ciolek said of his "back breaking" experience.

New beams, posts and braces have been installed. Ciolek said, "It should stand another hundred years."

The rectangular building that extends back from the horse barn is the carriage house. Mueller said there was a fair amount of water damage in the carriage house. The new roof on the carriage house is almost complete.

When facing the castle from M-66, the center portion behind the stage is the old courtyard. In the center of the courtyard is a running artesian fountain that Linda has working again.

She explained, when the well isn't working, water runs elsewhere and has caused damage to the buildings. When working, the water flows to Loeb Creek.

Mueller plans to have the stage removed as soon as possible.

Shawn said crews will start removing the stage before the end of the year. He said the stage roof shouldn't be too much of a problem, but the cement slab below is another challenge.

One area that will have to wait for re-roofing is the old barn area that runs 300 feet behind the stage. Mueller said she believes this was once a cow and bull pen.

To the left of the stage is the old dairy where cheese, ice cream and milk were processed.

The appearance of the turrets on the silos will be similar to those that have been reconstructed at the old dairy. To maintain its original look they have soaked the wood used around the outside edging to bend it to match the original.

To the far right of the stage is the dormitory where workers were lodged. When Mueller bought the property there was five feet of standing water on the ground of the dormitory.

Inside the lower level of the dormitory late owner Art Reibel installed dressing rooms for bands that would perform at the site. The dry wall and ceilings in these rooms will be removed and more original yet modern accommodations will be installed.

Shawn said the interior changes shouldn't be that hard. He said the biggest challenge was fixing structural problems and making the



Linda Mueller and Larry Shawn, and his dog Meat, stand inside the courtyard Mueller hopes will someday be the site of many weddings and other community events. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

buildings sound.

"Walls come out easily," he said.

Mueller foresees the site being used for weddings with the groom and his family in the upper rooms and the bride and her family on the lower so she wouldn't have to battle with the stairs in her dress.

The berm that once served as lawn seating for concerts is being excavated by Site Planning to return it to its original grading.

Shawn estimated by spring 2002 the turrets should be complete, the roofs restored and the interior in the

dairy room and the dormer complete.

This is a major financial investment; Mueller said she will receive a tax credit if certain guidelines are

followed, that is saving as much of the original material as is possible.

The Mueller family is expecting to visit Charlevoix for the Christmas holiday.

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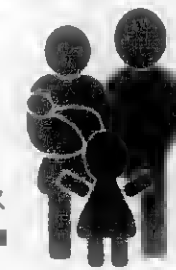
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Several new coaches hired by school

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Fresh, experienced coaches will be on the sidelines of Charlevoix High School athletic events this winter and spring.

During the winter sports season wrestlers, junior varsity cheerleaders, skiers and volleyball players will face new coaches.

The school is also currently looking to fill head coaching positions for junior varsity and varsity softball teams for the spring.

The cheerleaders were the first to kick off the winter sports season practicing Nov. 5. High school athletic director Jim Kanine said the cheering group endured a full week of tryouts for a spot on the team.

"In my mind, they probably go through the hardest athletic selection process," Kanine said.

Varsity cheerleading coach and cheerleading program head Erin Beemis, 25, of Charlevoix has been with the program two years.

Last year the junior varsity coach Carol Ward resigned after

five years. Beemis recently recommended Kanine appoint Amy

Diss to replace Ward.

The school board approved the appointment at their meeting Nov. 12.

Diss, 25, of Charlevoix has extensive former experience which sparked Beemis' recommendation.

Diss was a member of Cheer America from August 1997 through December 1999. While working with Cheer America, Diss was also the middle school cheerleading coach at Houghton Lake Community Schools. During the fall sports season in Charlevoix, she helped with the cheerleading program.

Kanine told the board of education, "Amy has a strong desire to be involved in cheerleading. She has made a commitment since 1997 to coach this sport. Amy will be a fine addition to our cheerleading program."

The school district had a comfortable time period in which to look for Ward's replacement, but faced a time crunch with the wrestling program.

The unexpected resignation of wrestling coach Gary Probert was submitted Nov. 6,

less than a week before the first day of wrestling practice.

Probert has coached the team for two years, but in a letter he wrote to Kanine he said this was a position he could no longer fill.

"Due to circumstances beyond my control, I am unable to fulfill my obligations as wrestling coach for Charlevoix High School," Probert stated.

Probert recommended his assistant for the past two years, Jamie Breithaupt, 26, of Petoskey be appointed to the lead role. On Nov. 16, after interviewing Breithaupt and others, Kanine appointed Breithaupt head wrestling coach.

Only 13 potential wrestlers turned out for the team's first practice Nov. 12. Kanine said wrestling numbers are down all over the state and he's hoping the new wrestling facility at the new high school site will encourage a higher turnout.

As of Nov. 15 the team was made up of 15 wrestlers, including 14 boys and one girl.

Probert's daughter, Heather, formerly wrestled with the team, but is

now attending high school in

Chicago, Ill.

The volleyball program also gained momentum when a former successful Charlevoix High School athlete stepped into the head coaching seat.

This year Liz Grunch of Charlevoix agreed to head the varsity program. Grunch is also the physical education teacher at the high school.

When two head coaching positions opened up in the volleyball program Grunch got to work and found two accomplished, experienced candidates.

Wendy Viles, 29, of Petoskey will be leading the junior varsity team and Lyndsay Blechel, 21, of Charlevoix will head the freshman team.

Viles played while attending school and also assisted a Kalamazoo volleyball program. Blechel is a former Charlevoix High school volleyball player who also coached at the middle school level.

Out on the slopes, another experienced assistant coach will be guiding skiers.

George M. Peet was selected to assist long-time high school ski program head coach,

Sue Miller. Peet has 16 years of ski coaching experience under his belt.

Kanine told the school board, the Saginaw Heritage High School athletic director said Peet's coaching from 1997-2001 saved the Saginaw program.

Miller was awarded state honors as one of the 2001 state coaches of the year for classes B, C and D by the Michigan High School Ski Coaches Association.

The successful coaching duo is looking forward to a year of success with the team.

"It's great to have him (Peet) aboard. He is excited to work with our athletes," Miller said.

The spring softball program lost its head varsity and junior varsity coaches, Phil Butler of Elk Rapids and his daughter Courtney Butler of Sault Ste. Marie respectively.

Phil wrote Kanine a letter of resignation that the school received Oct. 9.

Butler said resigning was not easy for him. In his three years as head coach Phil created a strong program and close ties with his student athletes.

"It (coaching) has been a wonderful, fulfilling experience for me. Because of my inflexible work schedule, and Courtney (Butler) playing at LSSU (Lake Superior State University) this

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spring, my energies need to be directed toward those activities," he explained.

Courtney's letter of resignation was also received by Kanine Oct. 9.

She stated, "I am attending LSSU for the remainder of my college experience and will be playing softball as a Laker."

"My experience with Charlevoix High School has been exceptional. I will treasure all the memories from attending my senior year there, playing softball and coaching," she added.

Courtney coached the junior varsity team for 1 year and assisted her father with the varsity team for one year.

Kanine said he has targeted two candidates who may fill the vacancies in the softball program.

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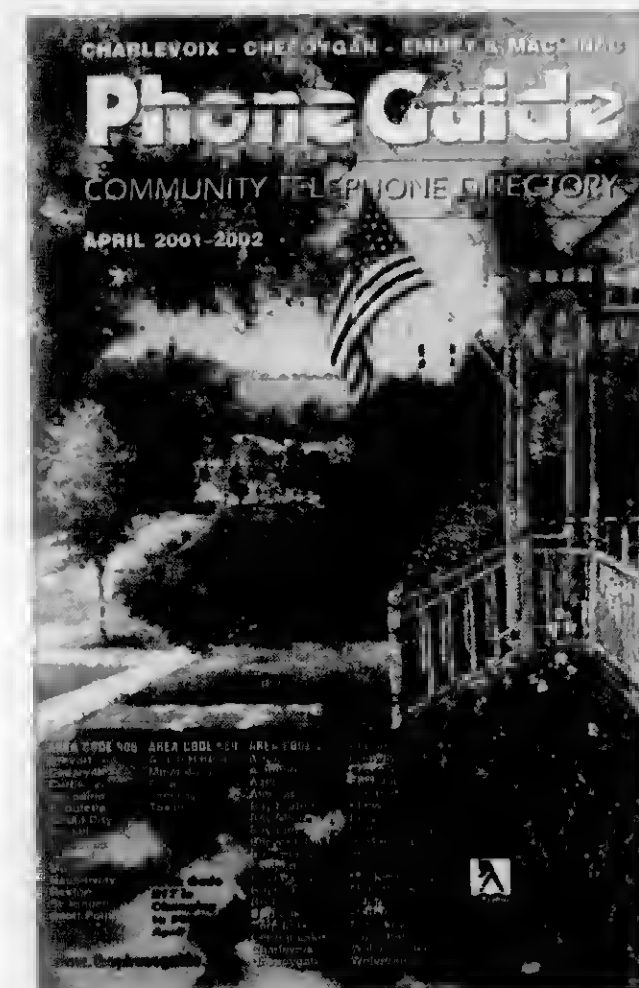
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Land dispute causes development troubles

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The sales of condominiums at the Villas of Stover Creek are in flux now, due to a property dispute between developer John Watson and a property owner to the north, Mildred Withers, 82, of Charlevoix.

Withers claims Watson is building a portion of one of his condos on land owned by her on the south side of Stover Creek. She states documentation shows that Watson has crossed over onto her land with his development.

Withers specifically points out inconsistencies between two surveys conducted by the late Nicholas DeYoung in the 1970s and 1980s and one survey conducted by Jim

Evans of the Charlevoix based Advanced Geomatics just before Watson bought the property. In the DeYoung survey between Withers and Watson's property, Withers property extends several feet further to the south than the Evans survey.

According to the DeYoung survey, a portion of one of Watson's condominiums lies on Withers property.

However, Watson denies this. He has filed suit in the Charlevoix Circuit Court to resolve the dispute.

Watson claims DeYoung's survey only showed a "meander-line" between the two properties. He points out DeYoung was not contracted by Withers for this survey and the survey was to establish a utility easement for his property and

the Kmart property to the west. Watson further states he has documentation to support the Evans' survey.

Watson added he did not know about the property dispute until after he started building his development in October.

"I am kind of wondering what took so long," he said.

Withers said she was told about the possible crossover onto her property by Jo Anne Beemon, a friend and the Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner, in July. Beemon said she wrote a letter to Advanced Geomatics telling the company about the dispute, but did not inform Watson until this fall.

During this time, Beemon said she contacted the group Water and

Air Team Charlevoix (WATCH) to find out if they could help. WATCH then paid for a new survey to be conducted by Farrier Surveying of Bellaire. This new survey supports the DeYoung survey.

Bill Henne, president of WATCH, said the group got involved because it "has an interest in preserving (Stover) Creek."

"We are interested in seeking a buffer between the creek and the development," Henne said.

He added he has spoken with Withers on this matter a few times and WATCH agreed to pay for the new survey because Withers couldn't afford it.

Beemon said she did nothing wrong in trying to find help for Withers, even though she is the Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner.

The scheduling conference has been set for 9 a.m. on Nov. 21 in front of 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard M. Pajtas for this case.



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Couple share the adoption experience

By JULIE WITTHOEF
Staff Writer

This is the second in a series on adoption.

Charlevoix residents Dr. John and Jan Merrill faced infertility and obstacles in adoption, but through perseverance, unconditional love and faith, were able to build a family of seven.

With parenting, either you're the parent or you're not, you're fully involved or you're not. There's not a big difference between my Chinese daughter and the daughter that is from my flesh. The connection between a parent and a child isn't in the genes," John said.

John, 45 and Jan, 47, have been married 23 years. The couple spent their first five years as man and wife trying to conceive. They frequented infertility clinics in Ann Arbor, Grand Rapids and Petoskey with no luck in diagnosis or conception.

"It is pretty tough on a relationship. Jan was willing to go anywhere with it — surgeries were involved with a 30 percent success rate. It almost destroyed our marriage," John explained.

"At that stage it's either family or no family, that's the toughest thing the first time. Every setback is death. We thought, 'We are never going to be parents; we're going to be a couple and never a family.'"

Then, Jan saw an ad in the Petoskey News-Review for an open adoption facility in Gaylord.

In 1986, the couple went through a home study questioning and inter-

viewing.

One day they received a phone call from their case worker who John recalled saying, "You need to get ready, I think I have a mother that is going to pick you."

Shortly thereafter Jonathan came into their lives.

Jonathan's mother was a freshman college student at Lake Superior State University, John said she chose them because they enjoy bicycling, have solid college degrees and have established a Christian home.

Jonathan was born full-term, but went into respiratory failure after breathing in amniotic fluid. He was transported to a hospital in Sault Ste. Marie where he was in their neo-natal unit for six weeks.

Jan and John were by his side every Wednesday night and would return on Fridays and stay through Sunday.

Once they were able to bring him home, Jonathan stopped breathing and the Merrills rushed him to Northern Michigan Hospital where they were told he sustained brain damage.

Their case worker took the child away from them. John said they understood and accepted the decision but requested the child be transported to Ann Arbor for further treatment.

The couple called down to the Ann Arbor hospital three times a day and were told he was failing to thrive.

Jan refused to walk away. She went to Ann Arbor and stayed at the McDonald House for four hours a

day and spent the rest of her time at the hospital holding Jonathan.

"He wouldn't take food, he was wasting away," John said.

After a couple weeks with Jan, he started taking food and gained weight. Six weeks later the couple brought Jonathan home.

"Jan pretty much saved Jonathan's life," John said admiringly.

After they brought the baby home they were in and out of the hospital almost 10 times in the first year. Jonathan underwent heart surgery

and caught pneumonia.

"He was just not a healthy little boy. It was a pretty rough start to our first child. Those were such dark days," John quietly said.

Jonathan Merrill is now a 15-year-old healthy student at Charlevoix High School.

Then in 1991, David, their second adopted child, came into the Merrill home. John said the love and the anticipation gave Jonathan more peace with his own situation.

John said with David they were more relaxed, they knew the pro-

cess and with one child there was less at risk.

David's mother picked the Merrills because John listed one of his favorite television shows as the Simpsons and Jan listed the same program on her black list. John said David's mother saw they didn't agree on everything and thought that was healthy.

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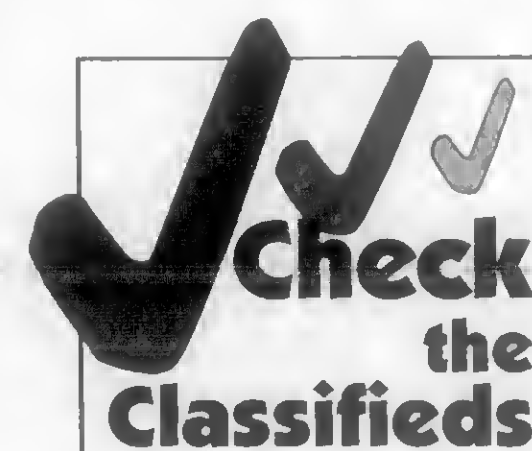
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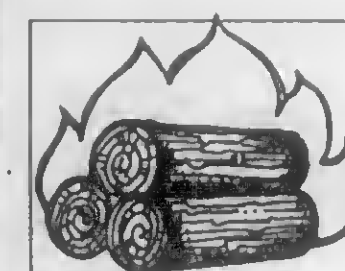
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Area entertainment

Christmas Tree Lighting

The annual Charlevoix Community Christmas Tree Lighting will take place on Nov. 23, the day after Thanksgiving, in downtown Charlevoix's East Park.

Families are encouraged to bring their handmade, weatherproof ornaments to the Community Christmas Tree in East Park for decorating between 2 and 6 p.m. A bucket truck will be provided so children can direct from the ground where they would like their ornament placed on the tree. Afterwards, warm up with a cup of complimentary hot chocolate. Santa Claus will light the Christmas Tree at 6 p.m. with songs of the season to add to the festivities.

The Charlevoix Ministerial Association is sponsoring the Live Nativity in East Park from 1 to 3 p.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m.

Children may visit with Santa Claus at The North Pole (Color Wear) and have their picture taken with him for free. Santa will be there between 4 and 7 p.m. The photos are courtesy of Charlevoix Camera and may be picked up there the following week.

In the spirit of Thanksgiving, participating Charlevoix merchants will be donating a percentage of their sales from Friday, November 23, to the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

These merchants can be identified by the hospital scrubs they will be wearing for the day. Decorated bed pans will be placed in their stores so shopper's can donate spare change.

For more information on the Charlevoix Community Christmas Tree Lighting, contact the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce at 547-2101.

Christian Science service

The Christian Science Society of Charlevoix warmly invites the Community to its annual Thanksgiving Day Service at 11 a.m., Nov. 22. It is located at 205 Clinton Street. Childcare will be provided and no collection will be taken.

Christmas Cantata

You are invited to come and enjoy The Perfect Christmas Cantata performance at 3 p.m., Dec. 8 and 9 on Beaver Island at the Christian Church. There are 25 choir members and six instrumentalists planning to make this memorable.

Thanksgiving service

Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service: A Thanksgiving Worship Service sponsored by the East Jordan Ministerial Association will be at 7 p.m., Nov. 21 at the Community of Christ Church, 202 Jordan Street. Everyone is invited to attend.



Preparations are underway for this year's cookie walk. (Courtesy photo)

Cookie walk and bazaar

No time for baking? Then go to the First Congregational Church's famous Cookie Walk and Bazaar from 9 to 11 a.m. on Dec. 1. Mr. and Mrs. Claus — better known as Santa — will be there to greet you. You will be able to choose from dozens of beautiful holiday cookies baked by the Women's

Fellowship members, as you fill containers for \$10, \$12 or \$15. Sip a cup of hot chocolate as you browse through the

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SCRAPBOOK

A history of the Charlevoix channel bridges

By DAVID L. MILES
Charlevoix Historical Society
(Ninth in a Series)

For 22 months Charlevoix endured the fifth "temporary float" bridge perched on its ugly pontoon, operated by a winch and cable system combined with a pump that forced water in and out of the hollow pontoon base.

With water out, the pontoon rose the few inches necessary for the south end of the bridge to float high enough off its piling support. Then the winch, mounted below the bridge pavement, pulled on a steel cable anchored to pilings in Round Lake, which pivoted the bridge to the east. To close, the winch pulled another cable, this one anchored to the shore west of the bridge. It then lumbered to closed position, water went back into the pontoon base, the bridge sank back onto its support pilings, and traffic resumed.

That is, if drivers on either side hadn't fallen asleep from the sheer tedium of waiting, waiting, waiting. Or they could glance off to the west and watch bridge number six take shape, a sidewalk superintendent's vision of paradise. It was a mesmerizing experience to behold the metal and concrete bits and pieces slowly build to connect the gap of the bridge draw.

The upper portion of old number four was put to the torch and sold for scrap. Its support I-beams were saved for use as temporary supports in the new construction. Once four was gone the protective piling island was ripped out, the turntable lifted off and the circular concrete support platform battered away. It put up a tremendous resistance, having been constructed with the strength of a Crusader castle.

Now the draw could be opened to its full width of 90 feet, to be spanned by a bascule bridge (from the French bascule, meaning teeter-totter, or the principle of counterbalancing weights), the same type as London's Tower Bridge. About a year then went into pounding cofferdams into position on each side and gouging out tons of earth. Behind them, huge timber mold frameworks went up, into which 95,000 cubic yards of reinforced concrete anchors and foundations were poured, about 48,000 on each side. What now shows are only the tips of two mountains of concrete.

Once the foundations settled, in July of 1948 the first steel sections were put in place, soon to total 396.4 tons, part of that tonnage the mammoth out of sight counterweights. A further 50 tons of mechanical fixtures were installed, including 30-horsepower motors, automatic and emergency brakes and hand cranks in case of power failure. Best of all the roadway was

widened to over twice its previous dimensions, from 19 to 44 feet and four lanes. The minimum wage scale for ordinary laborers was 70 cents to \$1.40 per hour; operating engineers, cement finishers, and carpenters received from \$1.20 to \$1.75. Total cost: \$986,404 (What would the bridge lack were it not for that final \$4?)

The two leaves, as they are called, came together girder by girder, pointing to the sky, then back down to road level, tested, balanced, raised again, one side up, the other down, until it seemed they'd never get the right combination figured out. Finally it all came together, and opened in June of 1949. Out came the temporary, to a sigh of relief, and traffic resumed its normal course.

On July 30, an unusually cold day, the parade and dedication took place before a very large crowd assembled on Bridge Street and the bridge, which was blocked off for the duration of the ceremonies.

James Whitley of Charlevoix had suggested that it be dedicated to the 21 area men who had given their lives in World War II, and the idea was accepted to name it the Memorial Bridge.

Michigan State Highway Commissioner Charles Ziegler read a moving tribute: "Transcending in importance the financial investment and the value of the beautiful bridge to the people of Charlevoix, the state, and visitors from other states, is the spirit of heartfelt appreciation of the patriotism displayed by those young men of Charlevoix and vicinity, who gave their lives for the country we love

so much, and in whose memory the bridge is being dedicated today.

"It is with great humbleness that I voice the mingled feelings of sadness and pride which emanate from the hearts of all citizens of Charlevoix. This strong, useful creation of engineering skill will stand for generations to testify to the bravery and heroism of the stout-hearted boys of this community who went forth to answer their country's call to duty, and paid the supreme sacrifice for our great Republic.

"May God bring surcease to the souls of the loved ones who remain and take thoughts of future wars from the hearts of men."

A dedication plaque was mounted, and still exists, on the southwest cement railing: "Dedicated To Those Heroes of Charlevoix Who Made The Supreme Sacrifice In World War II."

Flowers were presented to Gold Star Families whose many sons had served, and some been lost, in the war; a wreath was placed before the memorial plaque, later tossed into the channel; Jewish, Protestant, and Catholic prayers were read; rifles cracked in salute; taps were played; the flag raised; a jubilant Ziegler, who had made the bridge a pet project, cut the ribbon with a huge pair of shears; and the high school band's "Star Spangled Banner" closed the occasion. That night, the officials and ceremony participants did what many people of Charlevoix do to celebrate. They all went to dinner at the Argonne.

Much of what we see today did not exist then. Except for the four huge support girders, the roadbed



The Memorial Bridge under construction in the late fall of 1948. (Courtesy photo)

and its girders were all replaced over two bitter winters in the early 1990s, on half of each side disappearing after the fall tourist season, with traffic down to one lane. When all was finished, Charlevoix waited for the reinstallation of comparable railings to replace the ugly utilitarian ones put in place, assumedly temporary.

When it was announced that what you see is what you get, that the state was obligated to provide minimal protective devices and not esthetics, a grand and justified, furor erupted. Both local and resort citizens, under the determined and vigilant leadership of Charlevoix Courier columnist and local author

Edith Gilbert, lobbied and publicized relentlessly, and eventually shamed the state into providing caps over the ugliness after it was readily made obvious that the railings were indeed unsafe for pedestrians.

The lowest railing was high enough off the sidewalk for the easy slippage beneath of a small child or animal over and into the channel. The railing covers that exist today echo the Gothic pointed arch motif of the railings that be-decked bridge four, those originals now lining the edges of Hoffman Park around the corner from the bridge on park Avenue.

(Next: Reactions to the bridge...)

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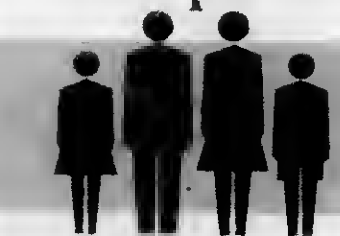
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Families

As the end of November comes — which was also National Adoption Month — we close our series on adoption.

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Sewer debate

Charlevoix will need Marion Township and Charlevoix Township to pass a sewer ordinance in order to use the planned line to the Charlevoix High School site on Marion Center Road. Any change in an ordinance or creation of an ordinance will need a public hearing.

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Past champs



Read about the Charlevoix High School football team of 1913 and their winning season.

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DDA to fund ice rink

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

An ice rink that brought skaters to Charlevoix's East Park in the mid-1980s will be back this year.

Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority voted unanimously to finance an ice skating rink in East Park for this winter.

At the Monday meeting merchants, including Kirby Dipert, own-

er of multiple Charlevoix clothing stores and Linda Mason, owner of Charlevoix's Mason Interiors, spoke to the authority about the benefits of the rink.

They said this year could be an opportunity to try out the rink idea as the city moves to renovate the park.

"It would certainly be a good trial. Our town needs a boost in the winter," Mason said.

"It is a picturesque place to be, it's

not off the beaten path. There would be activities for children and adults within the same vicinity."

City street superintendent John Martin said when the city operated the rink in the 1980s it was costly. A memo from city manager Mike Wiesner estimated the cost of a rink in East Park at \$25,000.

Martin said other issues include having kids close to the lake, stuffing and the lack of a warming hut.

After weighing the benefits and the costs of the project, authority member Dr. Jeffrey Porter motioned for the authority to allocate \$12,500 to the rink project this winter. However, fellow authority member Dan Barron questioned the possibility of merchants collecting \$17,500 from other sources before the start of the season.

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Hoskins has more problems facing it

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

The effects felt in Charlevoix as a result of the shutdown at Hoskins Manufacturing have extended beyond the local loss of over 200 jobs.

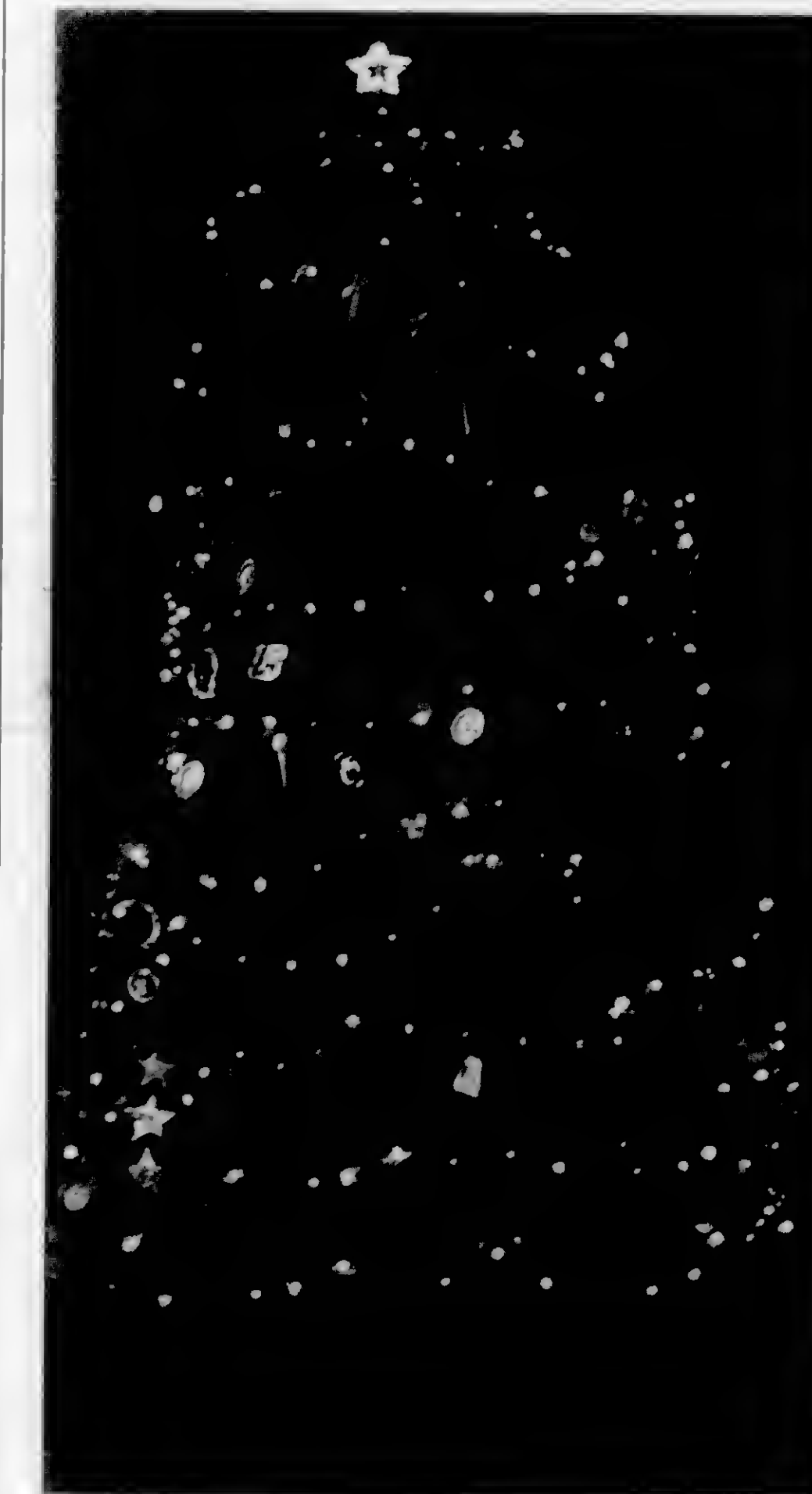
According to Jim Musser, CEO of Hoskins Manufacturing, as of Nov. 14 the company essentially ceased operations entirely. Hoskins has laid off all their employees, company wide.

They have four locations in Michigan. The plants in Mio, Lewiston and Hamburg were active up until last week and the plant in Charlevoix ceased operations in early September.

The site in Charlevoix where Hoskins once operated is located off M-66 in Marion Township. The township granted the manufacturer a tax abatement in 1997 that was void once it closed its doors. The abatement would have been good through 2009.

Currently, Marion Township is taking action against the company because Hoskins isn't paying taxes owed that the township claims are due. Charlevoix attorney Scott

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Start of the season

Left, residents gathered in East Park Nov. 23 for the lighting of the Charlevoix Christmas tree. The tree has decorations made by local children on it. Above, Randy Holecheck is lifted so he can place his ornament on the tree. Thanks to a warm evening, many people turned out for the event. (Photos by Julie Witthoft)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Devon Dean Shotmiller, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Betty R-J Sulkowski, 62, East Jordan. Tobacco-furnish to minors. Fines and costs totaling \$60.

Jeffrey Arthur Eaton, 43, Boyne City. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense-felony. Bound over to circuit court.

Lawrence Reid Becker Jr., 24, Boyne City. Non-sufficient funds-checks-three within 10 days. Bound over to circuit court.

Michael Gerald-Terence Oconor, 17, Boyne Falls. Careless driving. Fines and costs totaling \$165.

Ryan Clifford Antaya, 23, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. One year probation; 46 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$1,035 in fines and costs.

Richard Martin Taylor, 32, East Jordan. Driving while license suspended. Jail for two days with credit for two days; \$435 in fines and costs.

Donald Richard Anderson, 45, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; attend IMPACT week-

end; 93 days in jail with credit for one day, serve five days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 46 days held in abeyance; \$1,000 in fines and costs.

Paul Earl Hcss, 37, Westland. Domestic violence. One year probation; no contact with victim; 93 days in jail with credit for four days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 79 days held in abeyance; \$585 in fines and costs.

Richard Michael Amott II, 20, East Jordan. Failure to report an accident. Jail for 45 days with credit for one day, serve 44 days; fines and costs totaling \$200.

Angela Marie Morris, 30, Boyne Falls. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. One year probation; 93 days in jail with credit for two days, serve 10 days, 30 days on electronic monitor, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 70 days held in abeyance; \$1,310 in fines and costs.

Barry Alan Sydow, 37, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 31 days in jail with credit for one day, 30 days held in abeyance; \$970 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

DLG Quality Painting Co., 11497 Villa Road, Charlevoix, by David L. Gibson

K-Max Poster Builders, 212 Mason Street Suite 2, Charlevoix, by Richard Lee Bartz

Linda Loveless, 3668 Washington Street, Charlevoix, by Linda Loveless

Charlevoix Floral, 104 Antrim Street, Charlevoix, by Patrick C. Mitchell and Lori A. Mitchell

Marriages

The following people have been granted a marriage license by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Steven Dale Wingo, 39, Boyne City and Mary Jean Organek, 50, Boyne City

Divorces

The following people have been granted a Judgment of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Jeffrey L. Howery vs. Yvonne M. Howery

Births

Gregory Allen, weighing 6 pounds, 14 ounces, was born to Raymond Dyer, Jr. and Shirley Nowicki of East Jordan on Nov. 21, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Angeline Victoria, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces, was born to Melissa Hudson of Charlevoix on Nov. 20, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Company. No injuries were reported.

The driver of a truck hauling a trailer with construction equipment pumped \$30 worth of gas and left without paying around 8:30 a.m. on Nov. 17 at the Holiday Gas Station on Bridge Street.

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

A sign and some walkway lights were damaged sometime on Nov. 21 at the entrance to the C&O Club.

Someone broke into a home on Nov. 20 located on Mercer Boulevard.

Someone took about \$4,000 in stereo equipment and cash sometime late Nov. 18 or early Nov. 19 at Charlevoix High School.

There was a two vehicle accident around 10:30 a.m. on Nov. 17 in the parking lot of the Beaver Island Boat

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Gunner Lundteigen, of Charlevoix, lets Santa know just what he wants for Christmas. Santa was at Color Wear on Bridge Street on Nov. 23. Charlevoix Camera took photos of the children with Santa and developed and distributed them free of cost. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Lasater collecting veterans' stories

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater has a gift for the community.



Sheriff
George Lasater

Lasater's gift is a literary documentary he has been working on since 1999. The pages chronicle the life experiences of World War II veterans across the county.

"There are so many heroes walking around the county and many don't even know they are heroes. Their stories need to be

recorded for them, their families, for the community and for generations to come," Lasater explained.

Lasater shared some of the unique stories of Charlevoix residents who he said, without the project, he may have never had the opportunity to meet. However, anxious readers will have to wait for the book to be published in order to identify the veteran or family.

Most of the 147 interviews Lasater has conducted thus far are the stories of soldiers who were away at war for three to four years. Lasater said those who finally came home went to school, got jobs, raised families and paid taxes — "they got on with life."

The interviews include basic information about where the soldiers served, what awards they won and their rank.

He said county residents served in every World War II battle imaginable. Charlevoix County had 14 soldiers that

fought at Normandy.

One of the book's stories of the battle at Normandy came out of Charlevoix's Hayes Township. Two brothers, one serving with the Army, one with the Navy, were both part of the first wave of invasions at Normandy.

Their mother knew both her boys were there and they would possibly not survive. She stayed glued to the radio and four days later died of a heart attack in Charlevoix, in a chair, in front of the radio.

During Lasater's interview one of the soldiers told him, "I survived Normandy, but my mother didn't."

Another chilling tale came from the Norwood area where a woman told the story of her brother, a young man who was drafted to serve in World War II. He went off to basic training in North Carolina and soon after, all leaves were canceled and the troops were preparing to go to England.

Lasater described the soldier

as a local boy who was experiencing his first time away from home. The boy wanted to see his family, so he left camp and hitchhiked to Grand Rapids. Police officers picked him up in Grand Rapids and asked to see his papers.

He explained he wanted to be home. The officers took him to the county line, pointed north and said Charlevoix is that way, go home. After a brief visit, the soldier went to Traverse City, turned himself in and was shipped over in the first wave at Normandy where he was killed.

One humorous story came from a Charlevoix couple — he was just out of high school and was being shipped to Europe and she was attending Charlevoix High School.

The two wanted to get married and she vowed to wait for him. He was gone for over three years, she waited, he survived and they started their family together.

Sheriff said to her, it must have been true love that kept you waiting. The woman playfully responded, "Love had nothing to do with it, there were no boys left."

Other historical stories to be included tell of the joy of reuniting with family after war, survival in the face of peril and county patriotism.

Lasater plans to publish these and many more tales before his term ends. He has three years left to complete it.

This, Lasater's first book, will concentrate on World War II and he said he would like to work on documenting involvement by Charlevoix County soldiers of other wars later.

Profits will go to county American Legion and Veteran's of Foreign Wars posts.

Lasater said he finds the work uplifting, but has had some difficult interviews too where tears were shed and the sadness of the story stays with him.

Setup price for covers was \$2,000

According to Charlevoix City documentation, the setup price for the new "Charlevoix the Beautiful" manhole covers was \$2,000.

East Jordan Iron Works sent the city an invoice for the amount in March 2001. The setup fee is a one-time cost to the city to create the mold for the new covers.

Charlevoix is purchasing the new manhole covers, featuring the image of the Charlevoix lighthouse and channel, for about \$115 each, not including the setup charge. The covers will replace old manhole covers on streets being improved in the city.

Belvedere, Dixon and Michigan avenues will be the first to get the new manhole covers.

Free movies to be shown on Saturday for children

Free movies at Charlevoix Cinema III will be part of the Merchants Open House on Saturday in Charlevoix.

The features will include, "Monsters, Inc." from Walt Disney for little kids, rated G, and "The Musketeer" for bigger kids, rated PG-13. The movies will start at 1 p.m. Charlevoix Cinema III is located on Antrim Street.

Children are asked to bring a can or box of food to help stock up the Charlevoix Food Pantry as they prepare for the Christmas season.

At noon on Saturday, the Charlevoix Fire Department will also be bringing Santa Claus to East Park.

Weather

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Nov. 21	39	32	—		
Nov. 22	46	34	—		
Nov. 23	52	37	—		
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Nov. 25	59	47	.37"		
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OPINIONS

What should be done about traffic?

The responses are in from last month's "What do you think?" question.

The question was: What should be done with the current Charlevoix Middle School building?

We received some great ideas from readers on this question. Suggestions included turning the building into apartments, office space and small retail shops.

While we do have a limit of 250 words for these responses, and many went over that limit, we felt it would be all right to let the lengths slide a little on these ones because they were so good.

Furthermore, we hope these responses help the Charlevoix School District when it decides the fate of this building.

On to this month's question.

As the winter season begins in Charlevoix, the annual traffic difference can be noticed. For the next few months there will not be long lines of parked cars on Bridge Street waiting for the bridge to go down every half hour.

Sure, the break is nice sometimes when the bridge goes up; you can read a book in your vehicle, talk to your passengers, sing along to music or even get out and stretch. However, it seems that the wait and line up

What do you think?

of vehicles has been getting longer each year.

There seems to be more vehicles traveling through Charlevoix and there is more boating traffic going under the bridge. This is creating more of a burden on the traffic situation in the city.

And with the recent discussions on expanding the size of the Charlevoix Municipal Marina, it seems as though there will be more boats, possibly keeping the bridge up longer and creating more traffic struggles.

Therefore, this month's question is: What can be done to alleviate the summer traffic situation in Charlevoix, especially when the bridge is up?

Please keep your responses to about 250 words and remember to sign them. Send your responses to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; fax them to (231) 547-4992; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com or drop them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street.

The deadline is 5 p.m., Dec. 28.

Letters Policy

Readers are encouraged to write letters to the editor addressing pertinent topics of community interest.

The Courier editor reserves the right to edit letters for length, correct grammar and libelous statements. We do not publish letters we judge are a personal attack.

Letters to the editor must be signed by the author, and the name of the author will appear with published letters.

We do not publish unsigned letters. Letters should be typed, double-spaced, and not exceed 450 words.

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Last month's responses

In response to (Jeremy) McBain's urging that we discuss the housing issue in Charlevoix, I offer the following suggestion. We will, within the next year, have available a large building within a block or so of downtown. I refer to the old elementary, now middle school. Might it be possible to renovate parts or all of the building to produce apartments of various sizes that might help reduce the need for additional housing? I am not an architect, but it has been my observation that most architects are less interested in renovation than in building. From prior experience, I know there are architects in both Minnesota and Iowa that specialize in renovation. I suspect that there are such people in Michigan as well. A renovation specialist should be able to tell us the approximate costs and feasibility of successfully renovating the building. Renovation can be less expensive than demolishing and rebuilding, and it would retain a part of the community's history. Most everyone who grew up in Charlevoix spent some considerable time in the building and saving it in some useful form might be appealing.

Roger Knutson
Charlevoix

In the Nov. 7, 2001 issue you pose a question: "What should be done with the Charlevoix Middle School?" The answer is simple; do as New Glarus and Jonesville, Wis. have done with their older schools: Turn them into apartment buildings. The same developer has done the conversion of both schools. Our grandson and his wife have lived in the one in New Glarus, it is beautiful. They are now moving to the one in Jonesville. You couldn't do better for the community.

Bob Brauburger
Bellaire

Here is an idea for the Charlevoix Middle School: Charlevoix Community Center. This includes separate areas for: Food area with soda fountain and coffee shop; art classes, with morning and evening classes for adults and afternoon classes for children; gallery space for community center art; music lessons; dance classes; an after-school program for children; a gym for sports practice and games; tutoring with teens as teachers, especially for computers; meeting spaces for clubs and committees and a computer lab. How about getting a grant for something like this? There might even be space for a senior area and library.

Cara B. Hoehhalter
Charlevoix

The questions you posed in recent weeks which have basically gone unanswered prompted me to answer this one, with tongue in check for most part. Here goes: To what use should the Charlevoix Middle School be put? 1) Turn it into a winter home for robins, as a state bird should be a year-round

Resident causes security alert



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

My neighbor, Kay Heise, went on her annual visit to see how her son, Steve, was doing, and to check out his new living quarters.

Steve is living in a faculty

resident. Ask any chickadee. 2) Convert it into condo-apartments, thus offering some affordable housing. 3) Use the larger areas as a technical school for food service, housekeeping, landscaping, building trades and convenience store clerk occupations. Check the classifieds, the need is evident. 4) In one small room, have a short course on "answering questions posed in the local paper." If you are forced to publish this answer, again the need is evident. 5) Lease it for \$1 a year to those opposed to the Marion Center Road high school location, sewer, traffic or whatever. They would then have a school in town, with no sewer needs, no traffic difference and others and could start their own school if so desired. (Note: Remember the tongue location. I would not know one of these people. If I passed them on the street, nor do I have any opinion on the issues involved. No lawsuits, please.) 6) Convert it into a greenhouse so we can grow our own petunias. 7) Or (he said as tongue was removed from cheek) Frankenthum used their school as a craft and small shops mall. There is room for parking and space could be leased, which would allow new small businesses to get their feet wet while testing the waters without drowning in red ink if not successful.

Dick Curran
Charlevoix

housing complex, on the campus of the Northern Cheyenne Indian Reservation in Montana. This is way out west, 3-and-a-half hours from Big Sky ski area.

Steve teaches history in a public school to fourth and fifth grade Indian children on the reservation. (It is politically correct to refer them as Indian. In fact it is their preference).

The first morning Kay arrived, Steve went off to teach and mother needed something to do. The last time she visited

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Letters to the editor

Thank you

Editor:

The Charlevoix K-Kids, a young people's group of Kiwanis came to my home and spent after-school hours raking and cleaning up the large accumulation of fallen leaves. I can no longer do this myself and the enthusiastic group of young people did a wonderful job.

Mrs. Gail Gennett of Charlevoix Elementary School organized the project.

I am deeply grateful for their help; they demonstrate the willingness to help others which is a vital part of good citizenship. One young lady, Megghan even postponed her birthday celebration so that she could participate. The K-Kids are a wonderful group.

Marabeth Belenski
Charlevoix

Patriots?

Editor:

Since Sept. 11 it has been encouraging to see many new American flags in front of homes and

businesses, on vehicles and clothing and just about anywhere you want to look you see our flag being shown by our new patriotic citizens all over our great nation. But isn't it sad that the events that prompted this new patriotism had to be a catastrophe. Where were our new patriots Sept. 10 with their flags and slogans? I'll tell you where — they were going about their own mundane lives avoiding involvement, interested only in what directly affects their lives, not voting and being satisfied to let someone else carry the responsibility of protecting their way of life, their rights and their freedoms.

And where were the true patriots? They were all around you, in every town, in every state and wherever our military was deployed all over the world. That's where you can find the true patriot. They are our veterans who have served and are now serving their country to protect our way of life, our freedoms and liberties. They are those citizens who take an interest in their communities and na-

tion and are willing to give their all, even their lives for freedom and their country rather than be enslaved by some dictator or new world order. These are the patriots whose patriotism comes from the heart. They have been here and they are here now as they always have been since our country was formed over 225 years ago.

Where does your patriotism originate? Is it a part of your being and radiating from your heart? Or is it only awakened by a Sept. 11 catastrophe, fueled by anger or indignation and worn on your sleeve? Would you be willing to give your life for your country and freedom? I would.

Duty, Honor, Country
Jerry Evans
Ellsworth

Thank you

Editor:

The final figures are in on the 2001 Charlevoix County CROP Walk and once again participants have surpassed their goal.

The total money earned amounted to \$20,713.34. Boyne City walkers collected \$6,407.03, Charlevoix tallied \$8,929 and East Jordan brought in \$5,377.31. A special thank you to all of those who came out that sunny, crisp Saturday (after a week of wind and rain) to walk, thereby helping to feed the hungry, not only in our own communities but in the world!

A special thank you to the Charlevoix Kiwanis for the lunch served at the Ironton Congregational Church. Thanks to the sheriff's department who patrolled the roads and ensured the safety of the walkers, and to those drivers who picked up tired hikers and others who transported walkers back to their towns after the walk ended.

Thanks to all who worked on various committees to make sure the walk went smoothly. We look forward to working with you again in the 2002 CROP Walk.

Diana Walls, Boyne City
Marge Teske, East Jordan
Kay Smith, Charlevoix
CROP Walk coordinators

Where Is It?



Tell us where in the Charlevoix Area you think this is.

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

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Answers for the 11/28
"Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 12.

Only one entry per person per week.

Sorry, but employees of Northern Michigan Review and their immediate families are not eligible for this contest.

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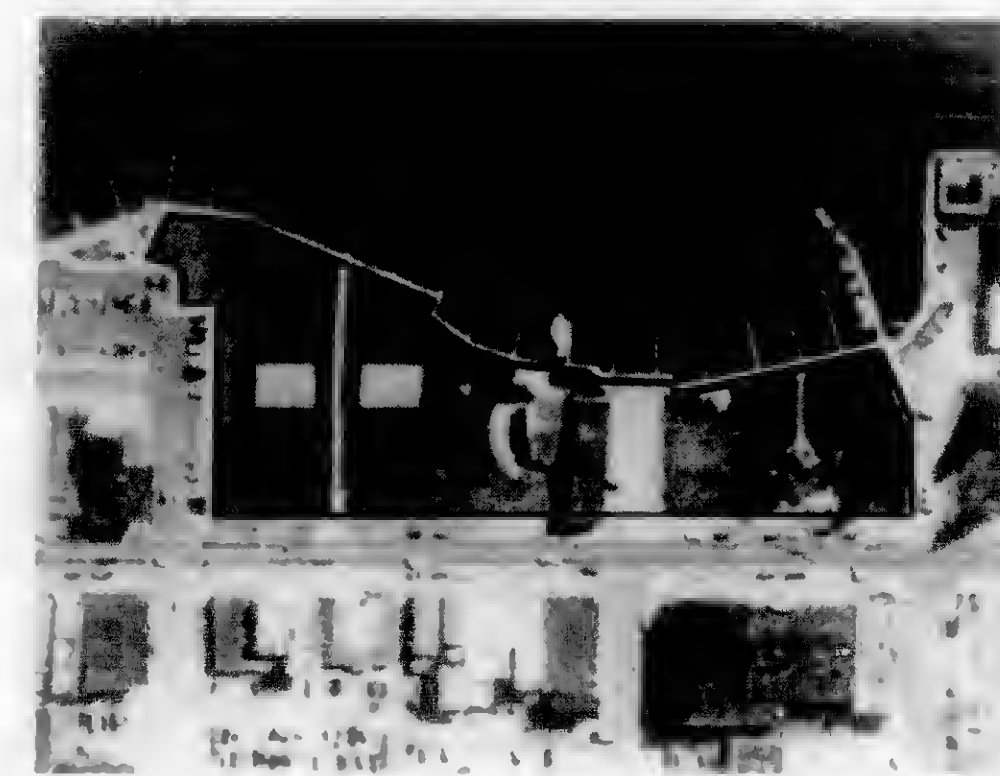
Public Meeting Downtown Park Round Lake Waterfront

Charlevoix's Downtown Park, your thoughts and ideas are important!

The City of Charlevoix will hold a Public Meeting on December 6, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. to gather input regarding the future of the City's Downtown Park, encompassing that area along Round Lake between Antrim and Clinton streets. This meeting, which is being sponsored by the Charlevoix City Council and the Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority, will be gathering information as a basis for the preparation of goals for a long-range plan for the park area. The park area plan will ultimately be prepared by the City's consultant, Peter Pollack of Ann Arbor, after design goals are established by the DDA and City Council following the public meeting.

This meeting will not address the expansion of docks within the City's marina. A similar public meeting to address expansion of docks will be held in the Summer of 2002.

The meeting will be held at the Charlevoix High School Study Hall, 108 E. Garfield Ave., at 7:00 PM. Persons not available to attend this meeting may direct written communications to Michael Wiesner, City Manager, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720, fax (231)547-3617, e-mail to chxmgr@unnet.com, or may call (231)547-3270.



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COMMUNITY

Mother discovers how safe son is

GILBERT

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by and the driver carefully watching her. Maybe he wanted to hire her to wash his windows? The van backed up, drove forward, backed up three times. Finally he turned and asked Kay, "Do you live here?"

"No, I'm Steve's mother," Kay replies. "He teaches at the school."

"Oh," the driver said. "I better get back to the school and tell them that the police don't need to come here. I thought you were breaking in!"

With that he drove off.

At this point two men in suits with "walkie talkies" whizz around the corner and ask Kay, "What are you doing here?"

Kay again explained to the two men what she was doing. They turned out to be the police from the Bureau of Indian Affairs.

"So sorry," they apologized

and drove off.

In the meantime the principal of the school went to Steve's room to alert him of the situation and said, "Steve, I've called the police because someone is breaking into your apartment."

"Oh, no!" Steve cried out. "My mother is in there!"

"If you think your mother is in danger, I will stay with your class and you can leave now."

But before Steve dashed off, the driver in the van, who turned out to be a campus security guard, radioed back to headquarters. "All's well, the burglar turns out to be Steve's mother washing windows!"

I don't know what Steve thinks about his mother's visit, but Kay says she is no longer worried about her son's safety.

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. Her columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.



Hello and goodbye

Above, city council members who recently were elected or reelected to their council seats were sworn in Nov. 19. They are (from left) Norman Carlson, Bill Bellows and Shirley Gibson. Left, outgoing council member A.J. Witthoef was given a plaque for his service by mayor Alvin Russell. (Photos by Julie Witthoef)

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Captain — Holm

Tina Captain, of Gobles, and Tim Holm, of Battle Creek, were married on June 30, 2001 at Barnard United Methodist Church.

Tina is the daughter of Don Captain and the late Elisabeth Captain of Gobles. Tim is the son of Ed and Mary Jo Holm of Charlevoix.

The Rev. Eugene Baughan performed the double ring rites.

The bride wore a white wedding dress off the shoulder that was satin with a beaded design on the top of the dress. She carried a bouquet of satin daisies, lily-of-the-valley and a touch of purple lace.

The maid of honor was Christine Baldwin. Bridesmaids were Misty Gazi, Trish Tieppo and Tammy MacMaster. They wore dark purple long, form fitting, sleeveless dresses and carried a bouquet of long stem, satin, purple and white flowers.

Charity Baldwin and Rachel Baldwin were the flower girls.

Edward Holm was the best man. Groomsmen were Bob Gazi, Chad Low and Harold Holm. Ushers were Garth MacMaster and Scott Sedore.

A reception was given at the Holm's residence, with a pig roast and dancing in the family's pole barn.

The couple went to Gatlinburg, Tenn. for a wedding trip and stayed in a wood cabin.

They are making Battle Creek their home.

Tim is a sixth grade teacher at Athens Middle School and Tina is a secretary at Troxel Realty Company.



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- Dec. 4 — Corn dogs
- Dec. 5 — Scalloped potatoes/ham
- Dec. 6 — Chicken nachos
- Dec. 7 — Cook's choice
- Dec. 10 — Chicken sandwich
- Dec. 11 — Macaroni and cheese or chili
- Dec. 12 — Shepherd's pie
- Dec. 13 — Tacos
- Dec. 14 — Cook's choice
- Dec. 17 — Spaghetti with

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- Dec. 18 — Hot ham and cheese with soup
- Dec. 19 — Chicken casserole
- Dec. 20 — Christmas lunch
- Dec. 21 — Cook's choice

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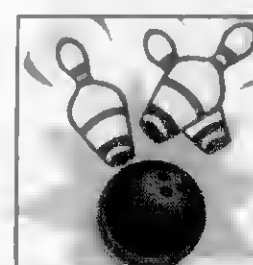
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Obituaries

Louis Bartlett Kohler: April 3, 1924 - Nov. 24, 2001

Louis Bartlett (Bud) Kohler, 77, of Charlevoix, died Nov. 24, 2001, at his home.

A Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 10 a.m., Nov. 28 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. James K. Gardiner will officiate and burial will be in Brookside Cemetery, Charlevoix.

Bud was born April 3, 1924, in Grand Rapids, the son of Carl and Benona (Bartlett) Kohler.

He grew up in Charlevoix and graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1941. He graduated from Alma College, completed his V-12 Marine Corp Officer Training at Oberlin and did his post-graduate studies at Michigan State University.

Bud served in the U.S. Marine Corps from 1943 to 1952, finishing his active duty as a First Lieutenant. He was decorated with the Bronze Star and Korean Service Medal for serving during the Korean War-Chosin Reservoir.

On June 24, 1950, Bud married Frances Rollins in Detroit. He and

Diane Hetherington: Nov. 29, 1943 - Nov. 24, 2001

Diane Hetherington found lasting peace on Nov. 24 after enduring the devastating disease of breast cancer for the last two and a half years.

She was born Nov. 29, 1943 in Indianapolis, Ind. After graduating from high school Diane had many adventures in her life, traveling to many parts of the world.

In 1974, she made the decision to move to Beaver Island and made it home. Diane's voice has been a strong force for the last 27 years in

Ned D. Wagner: June 12, 1921 - Sept. 19, 2001

Ned D. Wagner, 80, died peacefully at his home Sept. 19, 2001.

Ned, one of three children, was born in Charlevoix on June 12, 1921.

Ned, a longtime Hampton resident, was a World War II veteran. He was a member of the Phoebe United Methodist Church, the Peninsula Community Theater, Wythe Exchange Club, Elks Lodge of Hampton, American Legion Post 48, Masonic Lodge No. 197, Scottish Rite of Newport News, Tall Cedars No. 147 and Knights Templar of Newport

J. Houston Witherspoon: Dec. 8, 1900 - Nov. 21, 2001

J. Houston Witherspoon died Nov. 21 in Asheville, N.C.

He was 100 years of age and would have been 101 on Dec. 8. He had the singular privilege of having lived in three centuries.

He retired from the insurance business in 1950.

He was a member of the Belvedere Club, where he had his summer home and the Belvedere Golf Club of Charlevoix. From his early years, he was an avid tennis player and an intense competitor. He continued to play tennis well into his 90s.

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Fran made their home in Detroit, East Lansing and Saginaw, summering in Charlevoix throughout the years. He retired as employment director after 30 years with Michigan Bell, and in 1986, made their home in Charlevoix.

Bud was a member of "Baker Bandits," the USMC Korean War Veterans-Baker Company, First Battalion, Fifth Marines and First Marine Division. He served the Marine Corps League, an organization active with the Toys for Tots Program.

He belonged to the Lake Charlevoix Association-Lake Charlevoix Watershed Project and was committed to WATCH (Water Air Team Charlevoix) and Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council. Bud was a member of the Charlevoix Historical Society, Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club, Ruffed Grouse Society and Friends of Camp Daggett.

He was a Lions Club member, serving as president of the Saginaw Township Chapter from 1977-78, and was an instructor for the AARP 55/Alive Mature Driving Program.

working to maintain the quality of life and preserve the surrounding beauty for herself and the island community.

Diane enjoyed spending time talking with friends and whether you or she were arguing your heartfelt points of view or sharing a laugh you would always be glad you crossed her path. While Diane always stated her beliefs and sought the truth, she constantly challenged us to defend our own thoughts and actions.

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Bud was involved in many Charlevoix projects, especially the realization of the Charlevoix Community Pool, Keep Charlevoix Beautiful's "Operation Petunia" and Substance Abuse Prevention and Education. He was a Parishioner of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix.

Survivors include his wife, Frances; son, Thomas C. (Judith) Kohler of Boston, Mass.; daughter, Judy (Kim) Krzeszewski of Reese; daughter Janet (Dan) Dueweke of Fairfax, Va.; son, William F. Kohler of Orlando, Fla.; grandchildren, John and David Kohler; Foster Findlay and Christy (Rick) Klass; Carey, Sarah and Anne Dueweke, Malori and Jered Klass.

He was preceded in death by his sister and brother-in-law Jane and Bob Lieberman, of Charlevoix.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Charlevoix Alano Club or to any of the above mentioned environmental organizations that were so important to Bud during his lifetime.

She will be sadly missed by an extended family and by her friends.

Funeral mass and burial took place at 11 a.m., Nov. 26 at Holy Cross Catholic Church and Cemetery on Beaver Island. The Rev. Patrick Cawley officiated.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions should be directed to the Beaver Island Hospice or to Hospice of the Straits in Cheboygan. Both organizations provided essential loving and care to Diane.

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Center to have youth concert

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This is the first concert of the year for the youth orchestra. The concert will be at 2 p.m. on Dec. 2 at the Crooked Tree Arts Center.

There is no admission charge.

Young musicians from Wolverine, Harbor Springs, Petoskey, Charlevoix, Boyne City, Beaver Island, Boyne Falls and Pellston have practiced together one night a week since September.

The Beginning Strings Program, offered to the schools in the Char-Em School District, has cultivated many new players for the youth orchestra.

The program includes many holiday favorites including Fantasia on Greenleaves, O' Little Town of Bethlehem, Away in a Manger and Wassail Song.

For more information regarding the concert, please call the Crooked Tree Arts Center at 347-4337.

The arts center is located downtown Petoskey at 461 E. Mitchell Street.

Donations needed for annual project

Once again, the community will pitch in to help make Christmas brighter for about 130 families in Charlevoix in the Charlevoix Community Christmas Project.

To make this project a success, the organizers are asking members of the community to donate new clothing, toys and books for all ages, food and gifts for the elderly. To donate any of these call Cynthia Garland at 547-6707 or Kay Smith at 547-2920.

To volunteer, call Mary Helen Riggle at 547-9515.

To donate funds, send them to the Community Christmas Project at 1202 Matchett Road, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

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Crooked Tree Center to have holiday concert

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Accompanying the orchestra will be the Crooked Tree Treble Choir and soloist Kimberley Dolanski. This concert is a presentation in the 2001-2002 Virginia McCune Performing Arts Series. The concert will be at 7 p.m. on Dec. 9 at the Petoskey Middle School.

Leading the Traverse Symphony Orchestra will be guest conductor, Glenn Klassen. Canadian born Klassen has conducted in a broad range of venues.

He presently serves as assistant conductor of the Battle Creek Symphony Orchestra and earlier was both artistic director and conductor of the Mason Community Orchestra. At Michigan State, where he is pursuing graduate studies, he has conducted the Michigan State University Symphony Orchestra and the Chamber, Philharmonic and Campus Orchestras.

Klassen brought his family to Michigan from his native Manitoba in 1997.

Prior to that time, he served as conductor for the Mennonite Community Orchestra, the Manitoba Conservatory of Arts and Music Orchestra and the Winnipeg Chamber Orchestra. He re-

turned to Canada in the summer of 2000 to act as assistant conductor for the National Academy Orchestra during the Boris Brott Music Festival held in Hamilton, Ontario.

More recent engagements include being invited back to guest conduct the Mennonite Community Orchestra, guest conduct the Rochester Symphony Orchestra and conduct Chimarosa's The Secret Marriage produced by the Opera Theater Department at Michigan State.

A multi-talented musician, Klassen stays active as a violinist, playing in the Michigan State University Symphony Orchestra and the Battle Creek Symphony Orchestra.

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Parents have many choices

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

This is the final package of stories for our series on adoption

Families become families in different ways.

Some families just happen when babies arrive on schedule. Other families, like the Bartlings and the Merrills who were featured earlier in the month, turn to adoption to make their families complete.

Both families initially suffered from infertility and later the Merrills wanted to add to their biological family. But, both the Bartlings and the Merrills were motivated by the desire to give a child a loving home.

According to information compiled by www.family.com, a site monitored by Disney online, families with adoptive children make up 2.2 percent of the nation's households.

The site states, eligibility requirements are becoming less rigid

for prospective adoptive parents who want to adopt infants. Requirements for those interested in adopting older or special-needs children are even more liberal.

However, just because prospective parents meet eligibility requirements does not automatically qualify them to adopt.

Michigan law requires a home study be conducted first.

According to Amy Brodhagen, the adoption/pregnancy supervisor of Child and Family Services of Northwestern Michigan in Traverse City, after a family contacts the agency, reviews the agency's packet and completes adoption preparation classes the home study begins.

The home study consists of four to five visits. An agency representative then meets with the husband and wife. The couple compiles a scrapbook with photos and information regarding their home life. The album becomes part of a pool of possible adoptive parents. Bro-



hagen said from there it takes from eight months to one year to become parents. At Brodhagen's agency the birth mother chooses from a pool of about 12.

Brodhagen said since 1988 adoption has changed. In the past couples expected to be handed a healthy newborn. But now, abortion and infertility rates have in-

creased and more young, unmarried mothers are choosing to keep their babies, fewer infants are available for adoption.

The family information web site states, this is especially true for Caucasian-American babies which are in the highest demand. Waiting lists for Caucasian infants usually range from two to five years; the

wait for newborns of other races is about six to nine months.

Older children are always more readily available for adoption.

Brodhagen said the change over time from closed to open adoption which is used by her agency, has made the process more beneficial to the child, the birth mother and the adoptive family.

Open adoption gives birth mother home options

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Amy Brodhagen, the adoption/pregnancy supervisor of Child and Family Services of Northwestern Michigan in Traverse City believes in the benefits of open adoption.

"The process is healthier for the birth mom, the child and the adoptive family. A child can never have too many people love them," she said.

Open adoption is becoming very

popular; Brodhagen believes its popularity is due to its long and short term successes felt by all the parties involved.

Open adoption allows the birth mother to choose the adoptive family. She may do this by reviewing pictures and profiles of the family or may interview them face-to-face.

Brodhagen said in open adoption, some contact between the baby and birth mother continues as the child grows up. This may be as basic as exchanging photos or as in-depth as

maintaining an ongoing relationship. It is critical to note however that open adoption is not co-parenting; the boundaries are firmly drawn and respected.

Open adoption acknowledges the birth mother's loss and provides her with continuing assurance that her child is well cared for. It also provides the child with answers about his or her identity.

Agencies who handle open adoptions are careful to assure the birth mother that her wishes about the

adoptive family will be respected. According to Brodhagen, birth mothers are counseled as to the merits of the prospective parents, and the birth mother may write letters to the new families and arrange to receive pictures of their children as they grow up.

In a closed adoption, the adoptive and birth parents never meet and all records are sealed after the adoption is finalized. If the adoption is a closed one, parents should obtain as much

information about the birth mother and father as possible during the process. Accessing this information later may be difficult or even impossible.

Relevant medical information includes a history of physical and psychiatric diseases, learning disabilities and blood types. Social information such as the existence of other siblings and birth parents' physical and personality traits can become important to the adopted child as he or she grows older.

Many couples using an outside agency

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Locating a child for adoption can be a confusing and time-consuming process. Many prospective parents use an adoption agency for its expertise and networks, however, other options are available.

Adoptions through a private agency usually cost between \$8,000 to \$20,000. The fees cover such things as legal procedures, health care for the birth mother and staff salaries. Before signing with an agency parents should ask for an agency's references, success record and fee payment schedule.

According to Amy Brodhagen, the adoption/pregnancy supervisor of Child and Family Services of Northwestern Michigan in Traverse City has been working with infant adoption for six years. The agency has a satellite office in Petoskey that specializes in foster

adoption and special needs adoption.

Brodhagen's agency helps Michigan families from 14 counties in open adoption. Brodhagen said the average cost of adoption is \$6,000.

If a couple chooses to adopt

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Foreign/interracial adoption are possible choices for couples

ADOPTION

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Couples wanting to pursue this avenue should hire an experienced adoption attorney so that state adoption laws are not violated.

The process of locating a birth mother often begins with an adoption resume describing the prospective parents home, jobs, interests and reasons for wanting to adopt a child. The resume is sent anywhere contacts might be made.

Independent adoption costs vary widely and are comparable to those of private agencies. Adoptive parents generally pay for the birth mother's medical and legal expenses.

Another choice is interracial adoption. Adopting a child of another race can be a very viable option for many families.

Brodhagen said even though more non-Caucasian children

are available, interracial adoption is not for every family. A couple must examine some personal and possibly prickly issues before adopting across race lines.

Parents must examine their own attitudes about racial diversity. Parents who adopt interracially must ensure that a child considers his birth heritage a valuable asset.

Foreign adoption is an increasingly popular choice — more than 11,000 foreign children were adopted by U.S.

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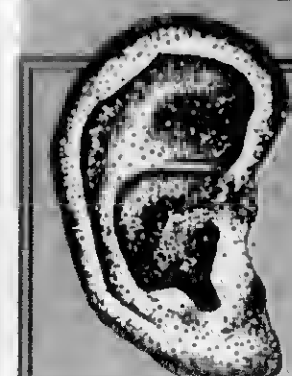
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November 19, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present.

Oath of Office given to Council members Norm Carlson, Jr., Bill Bellows and Shirley Gibson.

Proclaimed December 3-8, 2001, as "Toys for Tots" week in Charlevoix.

Approved the development plan for Woodland Park at 1403 Bridge St.

Approved license which allows access by the general public to the Charlevoix-East Jordan Snowmobile Trail and approved a snowmobile route for the southern portion of the City.

Approved 2000-2001 audit.

Approved purchase of a loader with a snow pusher blade for the airport.

Tabled the bid award for the Marion Center Road sewer construction project until the December 3, 2001 regular City Council meeting.

Approved amendments to the Depot Beach and the Michigan Beach projects.

Appointed Council member Norm Carlson, Jr. as Deputy Mayor. Approved A. J. Witthoeft's continued service on the Big Rock Point Citizen Advisory Board.

Council adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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Sewer ordinances are needed in townships

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Sewer ordinances in Marion and Charlevoix townships are needed before residents or the new high school on Marion Center Road can use the line, but that may change.

Charlevoix City Manager Mike Wiesner recently suggested that city council hold off on awarding contracts for extending the city sewer line up Marion Center Road to the site of the new Charlevoix High School.

Council voted to wait, but Wiesner said it would have been ideal to be able to award the contracts last week.

Wiesner said he made the recommendation to council as issues have come up. He said the city is looking at applying to Marion Township for site plan review.

Both Charlevoix and Marion townships must enter into a franchise agreement with the city. Both this agreement and a sewer use ordinance must be in place before the line can be used.

The city approved the contract Nov. 5 and the Charlevoix School Board approved the contract Nov. 12. The two remaining signatures have to come from Charlevoix and Marion townships.

Wiesner said the sewer ordinance the contract currently requires of the townships allows the city to control

what is put in the sewer.

However, he said Marion Township attorney Scott Beatty of Charlevoix is concerned with the "voluminous" sewer ordinance and asked the city if it has to be this complex.

Wiesner said he told Beatty, "We think so but are willing to look at other alternatives."

The city is currently considering alternatives to the ordinance.

Marion Township Supervisor Wilson "Bud" Boss said there are no immediate hold-ups to signing the contract that relate to negative feelings from the township and Beatty is reviewing the document and helping hash out what the township will do.

At the Nov. 20 Marion Township Board meeting, township residents Joseph Seidel and Robert Mossman, who are both involved in a lawsuit against the school district, asked the board for public hearings and presentations regarding the extension.

Mossman said, "This is a massive project. That sewer will result in massive changes that are irrevocable."

He asked for strict scrutiny from the township in reviewing the sewer contract.

Boss said the township is not required to have a public hearing for the contract between the city and the township. But any additional ordinance or ordinance changes do require public hearings.



Sounds of the holiday

Students from both Charlevoix High School and Northwest Academy and their instructors entertained the crowd Nov. 23 at the annual tree lighting. The two school bands combined for the night to play holiday music near the tree. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Veterans Day

These Charlevoix veterans assembled in Charlevoix's newly renovated Veteran's Park at 11 a.m. on Nov. 12 to pay homage to the living and deceased who served the United States during wartime. They are (front, from left) Kenneth Staley, Chester Otmanowski, Gene Riedel, Charlie Butcher, Bud Come, Howard Horton, (back) Joe Seidel, Mitch Moran and Tom Pence. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

All Hoskins plants close

HOSKINS

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Beatty is helping the township sort out what it's owed and how it is going to get the money.

Getting the money may not be so easy. Musser said the company's many sites closed because of financial difficulty.

"There are a number of payment issues with various creditors being addressed right now. And there are a number of unpaid bills we are addressing right now," Musser explained.

At a meeting of the Marion Township Board that took place Nov. 20, board treasurer Sonja Martin suggested putting a lien on the Hoskins property which is currently for sale.

Township supervisor Wilson "Bud" Boss said the township recently brought the tax abatement issue to the state tax

commission in an attempt to get it revoked. Boss said this is within the township's rights as the plant is no longer operating and no longer employs Marion Township residents.

Hoskins may owe the township money, but the company also owes wages to the employees of the Charlevoix plant that were hurt on the job at Hoskins.

Musser said some of Hoskin's workers hurt on the job are not getting their workman's compensation pay. He added the issue being worked on along with other bills the company owes.

However, Musser offered no immediate solution for the families who were counting on getting their money on time.

"We have laid off all employees company-wide. We are doing whatever we can. Because of financial difficulties with the business, we had to shut down. It is uncertain what to do with the employees," Musser said.

SPORTS

Charlevoix grad tearing down area's hillsides

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

In his drive to prepare for the skiing season, Charlevoix native Steve Pirie found a new sport to excel in.

Pirie, 19 and a 2000 Charlevoix High School graduate, has started competing in several mountain bike races throughout the area. He started mountain biking as a way to get some physical training for the ski season. Currently, Pirie is a student at Northern Michigan University.

"I like the challenge. I like the amount of work and effort you have to put into it in order to get be successful," he said.

But now, it is the mountain biking that is winning him awards. On Nov. 3, Pirie scored first in the Iceman Cometh Challenge near Traverse City in the beginner class for his weight. Additionally, Pirie placed

first in the beginner class for his weight in the Michigan Cup State Finals in September at Boyne Mountain.

Pirie said he was very excited about his win in the Iceman Cometh Challenge. The Iceman is longer than most beginner races at 25 miles. Usually, the races are 10 miles.

"I hope I can do better next year and move up through the ranks," he said. Classifications in mountain bike racing are beginner, sport, expert and elite.

Pirie said the competition at the Iceman was fierce. "I didn't think it was going to be as hard as it was," he said.

For the first 20 miles of the race, Pirie said he was battling it out for first place with about four other racers. But, for the last five miles, he said he started "hammering" and he pulled away for the win.

Pirie ended up finishing three minutes ahead of the other racers.



Charlevoix High School graduate Steve Pirie has gone from skiing down the hillsides to speeding down them on a bike now that he is in college. The 19-year-old has been taking first place in several mountain biking events in the area this fall and is hoping to move up the ranks in this sport. (Courtesy photo)

College soccer

Steve Carland, a 1997 Charlevoix graduate, has been co-captain of the Saginaw Valley State University's soccer team this year. The team had a season of 2-2. (Courtesy photo)



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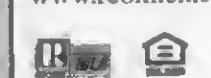
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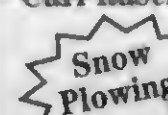
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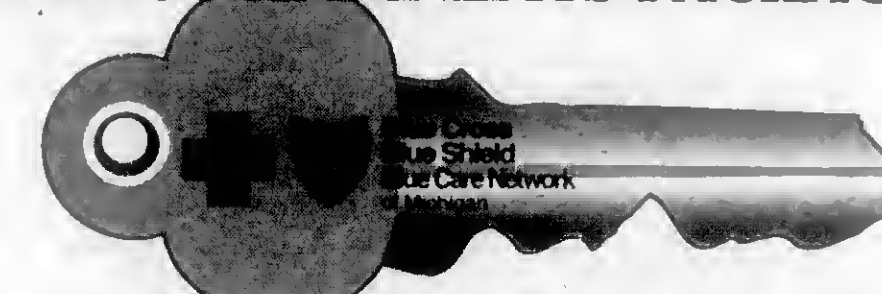
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Heather Jones, from East Jordan High School, was named the winner of last year's Charlevoix Area Zonta Young Women in Public Affairs Award.

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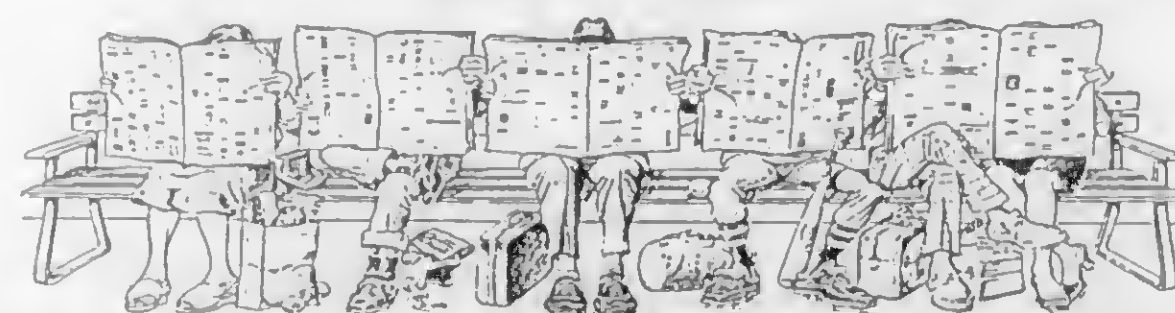
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Decedent's Estate
File No.: 01-010332-DE

Estate of Kathryn N. Wahl,
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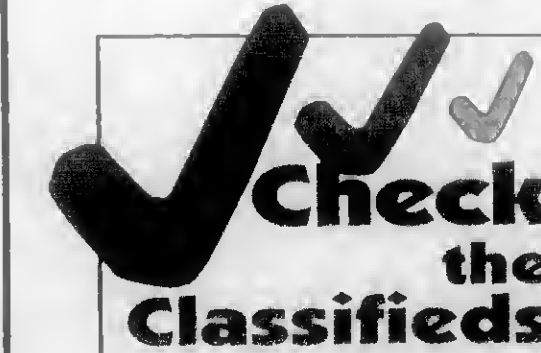
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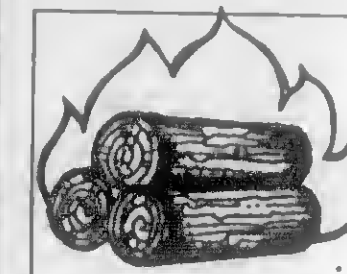
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Ice rink to be built in East Park this winter

RINK

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Porter then crafted a second motion for the authority to donate \$20,000 to the project, with merchants providing the warming hut.

Martin estimated the cost of the hut at \$5,000. The warming hut currently in use at the high school rink is 12 feet by 16 feet.

Dipert said he doesn't see a problem coming up with the resources to provide the hut.

Martin said city staff members worked between 300 and 400 hours at the rink located at the Charlevoix High School.

"I don't think we want to draw kids down by the lake without staffing," Martin said.

Mason said maybe the cost could be reduced by using members of the Coast Guard to supervise the rink. She also suggested harbor master Hal Evans for the job.

Further discussion decided that a snow fence would barrier the lake side as a safety feature. To make the fence more aesthetically pleasing and to block wind the merchants suggested using old Christmas trees in front of the fence and lighting the trees.

Barron also suggested putting in temporary lighting and having music to set the ambience.

Alternatives to using East Park as the location for the downtown rink was the use of Bridge Park, located north of East Park.

Barron said Bridge Park's characteristics that make it well-suited for a rink include a walkway around the park, good visibility, a barrier fence and lighting.

However, Martin said a study would need to be conducted to see if the membrane below the grass layer which protects the roofs of buildings below would be strong enough to withstand the weight of the water. He also said the slope at Bridge Park was too great.

He said if a rink was going to be downtown, it would have to be in East Park, down by where the shuffleboard courts used to be located. Dipert paced off the section that will be used and approximated its size to be 40 feet wide and 60 feet long.





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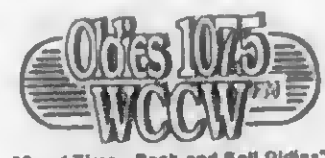
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Shoppers could hit their price with bullseye

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

If you see a red and green bullseye in area windows this holiday season don't load up your hunting rifle or run for your darts, this target is shopping related.

Stores that display the red and green "bullseye sign" on the windows are merchants who are participating in a promotion that could win shoppers one of 10 "gift buck" prizes.

So, starting Dec. 1, when you see the ringed bullseye sign, step inside and fill out a registration form which will enter you to win a \$300 prize, a \$200 prize, one of two \$200 prizes or one of six \$50 prizes.

"We have a lot of stores downtown that are not specifically resort directed. We would like for local people to realize those stores are here for them on a year-round basis, not just during the summer," Kirby Dipert, local merchant and Chairman of the Retail Promotions Committee said.

The promotions committee, a branch of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, is sponsoring the bullseye giveaway.

This bullseye promotion has been a regular happening in Charlevoix off-and-on over the past 10 years. Dipert said the impetus for the promotion is to encourage people to shop Charlevoix.

"The underlying purpose is to generate money downtown. To get people to shop locally and to think Charlevoix first before spending money elsewhere. Money spent locally gets re-spent locally," Dipert explained.

The extra holiday cash can be

used at any of the 25 stores in Charlevoix who are participating in this promotion. Dipert said these participants include stores that specialize in everything from home furnishings, clothing and gifts to drug stores, restaurants and grocers.

In order for stores to participate they pay a fee to the Retail Promotions Committee which funds promotion advertising and gift buck giveaways.

The promotion begins Dec. 1 and shopping winners will be drawn Dec. 3 at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Office located at 408 Bridge Street.

This year, the promotion coincides with the Charlevoix Holiday Open House. Not only will shoppers have a chance to win gift bucks through the Bullseye Promotion, they will also have the opportunity to take advantage of

"The underlying purpose is to generate money downtown. To get people to shop locally and to think Charlevoix first before spending money elsewhere."

Kirby Dipert,
Charlevoix downtown business owner

Charlevoix's characteristic hospitality.

Most merchants will be offering refreshments from noon to 5 p.m. Dec. 1. But before stepping into stores to browse, buy and win, step onto Bridge Street for a glimpse of Santa Claus cruising through town on a city fire engine.

Parents are asked to bring cameras to capture the festive moment on film.

Other afternoon attractions will

include live music and entertainers, who will perform throughout the day.

If at 2 p.m. all of the excitement of the afternoon hasn't tired out the kids then head over to Charlevoix's

Cinema III. Charlevoix State Bank is sponsoring a free feature for area youngsters.

On Dec. 1, Charlevoix wants you to celebrate the holidays and go shopping northern Michigan style. Let area merchants pamper you with gift bucks, complimentary movies and refreshments.

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A lot happening in area for the holidays

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The Christmas spirit is springing up all over Charlevoix. To take advantage of the holiday energy in full swing at local churches, schools and organizations this season you can attend a handful of the Charlevoix events listed below.

• The Charlevoix Middle School annual "Spirit of Christmas" food drive to benefit the local food pantry will begin Nov. 26. Students and staff at the school will be collecting nonperishable items to benefit this cause.

• From Nov. 23 through Dec. 1 Charlevoix Area Hospital has numerous trees on display at the Charlevoix Country Club for their Holly Daze celebration.

• Downtown Charlevoix businesses will sponsor their annual Christmas Open House beginning at noon Dec. 1. Moms and dads are asked to remember their cameras as Santa Claus will be making an appearance at noon; he'll be riding into town on the city fire truck. There will be musical entertainment provided throughout the day. Then, at 2 p.m. Charlevoix State Bank will sponsor a free movie at Charlevoix Cinema III located at 107 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. For more information contact the Chamber of Commerce at 547-2101.

• Christmas crafts made by local seniors will be sold from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Nov. 26 through Christmas at the center, located at 06906 Norwood Road in Charlevoix. The center is also offering frozen meals that will be delivered to those with special circumstances on Dec. 24. The director has asked that all such requests be made by Dec. 1. For more information about meals or crafts call 547-5361.

• The St. Mary Annual Craft Show will take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Dec. 1 at the school, 1005 Bridge Street in Charlevoix. This year, Charlevoix Children's House will have a booth set up with multiple gift baskets including a Michigan State University basket and a Rayder basket.

• A Cookie Walk and Bazaar sponsored by the Women's Fellowship will take place from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Dec. 1 at the Congregational Church at the corner of State and Park streets. Dozens and dozens of beautiful holiday cookies baked by Women's Fellowship Members. Fill containers for \$10, \$12 or \$15.

• "The Mighty Messenger," a children's musical, will take place at 6 p.m., Dec. 2 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix located at 100 Oak

Street. For more information call 547-9482.

• Dec. 3 through 8 is designated "Toys for Tots Week" in Charlevoix. Toy drop-off locations include: ACE Hardware, Don's 1GA, Glen's Market, Kmart, Oleson's Food Store, Pat McKeown Ford, Quality Farm and Country, Island Airways/Charlevoix Airport and Rite Aid.

• The Charlevoix Middle School seventh and eighth grade band concert will take place the evening of Dec. 6 in the school gymnasium located at 204 Grant Street in the city of Charlevoix. For more information contact the school 547-3206.

• Charlevoix's Community Reformed Church located at 100 Oak Street, is hosting an old fashioned caroling party, a night of singing carols, drinking hot cocoa and eating cake. For date and time information contact the church at 547-9482.

• Charlevoix's First Congregational Church is hosting a festival of lessons and carols for the community at 4 p.m., Dec. 9 at the church, 101 State Street in Charlevoix. For more information

call the church, 547-9122.

• Charlevoix Middle School sixth grade band concert will take place the evening of Dec. 11 in the school gymnasium located at 204 Grant Street in the city of Charlevoix. For more information contact the school 547-3206.

• The Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce will judge window decorations of registered downtown businesses from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Dec. 13.

• Kids Corner Preschool will bring handmade gifts to the residents of Boulder Park at 1:30 p.m. Dec. 13. After passing out gifts they will congregate in the common room for a song and dance session.

• Concord Academy Dance Group, in conjunction with music students of Fran Tollas, combine to present community entertainment beginning at 7:30 p.m., Dec. 14 at First Congregational Church, 101 State Street in Charlevoix.

• A community Christmas musical, "Sing We All Noel" will begin at 7 p.m., Dec. 15 at the Community Reformed Church at 100

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Santa is coming to town

The downtown Charlevoix Christmas Open House is from noon to 5 p.m. Dec. 1. Parents are asked to remember their cameras as Santa Claus will be making an appearance at noon — he'll be riding into town on the city fire truck. Music and other events are also scheduled. (File photo)

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School Christmas concerts

Don't miss your chance to be entertained by the young talent of Charlevoix. Both the sixth grade band and the seventh and eighth grade combined band will perform Christmas concerts for area residents and visitors. Dec. 6 the seventh and eighth grade band will perform and Dec. 11 the sixth grade band will take the stage. Both shows will be at the Charlevoix Middle School located at 204 Grant Street in Charlevoix. (File photo)

Many events over the holiday

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Oak Street in Charlevoix. The program will be continued at 6 p.m., Dec. 16 at the church. For more information call 547-9482.

•The Charlevoix Public Library is hosting Patty Clark's Winter Celebration from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m., Dec. 15 in the library basement, 109 Clinton Street. For more information call 547-2651.

•The Children of Family of Faith Ministries Church in Charlevoix will present a Christmas program called "The Mighty Messenger's Big Adventure." The program will take place at 6 p.m., Dec. 15 and again at 10:30 a.m., Dec. 16 at the church, 203 East Upright. For more information call 547-4221.

•Charlevoix's First Congregational Church will have its Community Christmas Pageant at 11 a.m., Dec. 16 at the church, 101 State Street.

•A Christmas tea for the home bound featuring the Charlevoix Men's Chorus will take place at 3 p.m., Dec. 16 at the First Congre-

gational Church in Charlevoix, 101 State Street.

•Charlevoix Public Library is hosting family story time from 7 p.m. to 7:45 p.m., Dec. 18 in the library basement, 109 Clinton Street. For more information call the library at 547-2651.

•The St. Mary parish and school will have their annual Christmas program presentation in the facility's family center beginning at 6:30 p.m., Dec. 19. The facility is located at 1005 Bridge Street in Charlevoix. For more information contact the school office at 547-9441.

•The Bergmann Center Christmas program will take place from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Dec. 20 at the center located at 08855 Martin Road in Charlevoix Township. The program will include lunch and music.

•Charlevoix's First Congregational Church will have Christmas Caroling at the church beginning at 6 p.m., Dec. 21.

•Charlevoix High School Christmas assembly will take place at 1 p.m., Dec. 21 in the high school gymnasium located at 108 East Garfield in the city of Charlevoix.

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Hit the slopes in and around Charlevoix

The earliest snowfalls in history hit northern Michigan this fall and skiers hope that's a sign of good things to come as they head to the slopes to try out new equipment, runs and improvements reported by more than two-thirds of the state's 41 public ski areas, reports AAA Michigan.

The National Weather Service predicts this winter will be similar to last year, with normal or above normal snowfall. That's good news for downhill and cross country enthusiasts, who enjoyed one of the best snow seasons in years in the 2000-2001 season. Many ski resorts also reported great seasons at the cash register and this year 28 are responding with many improvements.

At Boyne Mountain completion of the new multi-million-dollar Mountain Grand Lodge has been pushed back two years to 2005, but it expects to have several new slope-side log cabin condos available to rent this season. The terrain park has been doubled in size and the tubing park relocated to a gentler slope, served by a tow rope. Boyne also has increased snowmaking.

Sister resort Boyne Highlands, near Harbor Springs, is offering new trail-side condos for rent plus guided cross-country and snowshoe tours customized to experience levels, with lunch included. Nordic trails are now groomed for classic and skate skiing.

Nub's Nob, near Harbor Springs, added a double-black-diamond, glazed run that's the resort's steepest, along with one beginner trail. Additional snowmaking, another groomer and all new high-performance demo skis were added to rentals along with women-specific boots and step-in snowboards.

Charlevoix also offers affordable skiing with favorable conditions at the municipal facility, Mt. McSaubia located at the corner of Pleasant Street and McSaubia Road.

Mt. McSaubia was established in 1956 and was recently rated one of the top three small ski areas by Ski Magazine.

McSaubia is a great place to take beginner and intermediate skiers to ski its five runs. The facility offers lit, downhill skiing, snowboarding, lessons for groups or individuals, rentals and spectacular views of lakes Michigan and Charlevoix.

If you enjoy the "silent sport" of cross-country skiing in Michigan during the winter McSaubia also has an extensive trail system. The site offers nordic skiers use of 2K lit, groomed cross country trails, free of charge. McSaubia also has 80 acres of ungroomed trails available for the adventurer.

For more information about McSaubia call (231) 547-3267. The site is open from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday.

According to AAA Michigan, this winter at least 900,000 Michiganiens will be ready to hit the trails in state and national forests as well as a great network of privately operated pathways.

Cross-country skiers weave through trails for the workout — cross-country skiing is one of the best forms of cardiovascular exercise. And they ski to be part of the breathtaking surroundings northern Michigan offers its residents and visitors.

Each year Michigan hosts events catering to all skill levels of cross country skiers. One of this year's events is the Boyne Nordic, 10K and 15K classic style events Jan. 5 at Boyne Mountain. For more information about the Nordic call (231) 549-6088.

Several other similar ski-related events are planned across the state. For more information visit these Internet websites: www.skinordic.org and www.goskimichigan.com.



Ski McSaubia

Above, this Charlevoix skier stands in front of the Mt. McSaubia lodge preparing for an afternoon of skiing. Right, this snowboarder concentrates on making his way up the front hill at McSaubia. (File photos)



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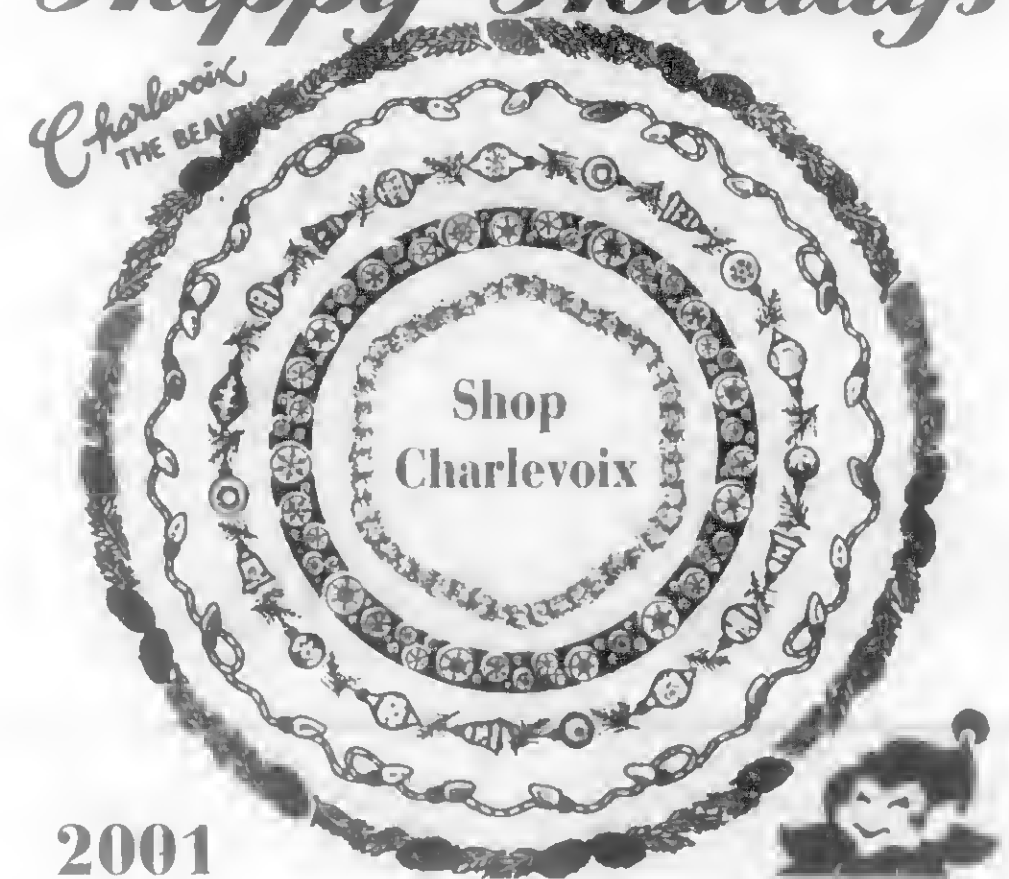


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Angels in Charlevoix

Artist's sculpture remembers victims

BY JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Responses to the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks included tears, fear and generosity — Charlevoix resident, author and artist Kim Left has captured those responses and the event itself in art.

The morning of Sept. 11, Left was working with a new medium, paper maché. As two paste laden balloons exploded in her hands and a third dropped to the floor where it too met its fate, the phone rang.

On the other end of the line was Left's favorite aunt who asked if she was watching TV. Kim said "no" and casually walked over to see what was going on as her aunt told her about the attacks that morning.

Left said she was stricken by what she saw.

After an afternoon of absorbing the images, the news-casts and the devastation she was inclined to get back to work, but not with the same sculpture.

That day, she decided to work with angels.

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Kim Left looks up to her World Trade Center angel sculpture at Kooske Gallery in Charlevoix. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Council member hit by vehicle

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Third ward Charlevoix City Councilman Sherm Chamberlain, 51, has been hospitalized after he was struck by a pick-up truck on Nov. 30, in the city of Charlevoix.

At 3:15 p.m., Nov. 30, Charlevoix Emergency Medical Technicians and the Charlevoix City Police were informed a pedestrian had been struck at the corner of Bridge and Upright streets.

The call said a man, Chamberlain, had been hit by a truck and was bleeding from the head.

John Ferguson, Chamberlain's partner at the surveying company Ferguson & Chamberlain Associates Inc., said, "We thought we lost him. But fortunately there was a nice gal who witnessed the accident and jumped out of her car and attended to Sherm (Chamberlain). It turned out she was a nurse from Charlevoix Area Hospital."

William Emelander, 49, of Lake City was traveling southbound on Bridge Street in a 1997 red Ford pick-up when he struck Chamberlain. City police chief Dennis Halverson said Chamberlain, who was a pedestrian, was crossing

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City council gives OK to ice rink plan

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Once northern Michigan winter weather gets back to "normal" Charlevoix residents and visitors will be able to lace up their ice skates and head downtown.

Action recently taken by Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority and city council has opened the door for skating in East Park. In spite of liability con-

cerns voiced by Charlevoix's city administration, city council reviewed and approved plans for an ice rink to be built in East Park on Dec. 3.

On Nov. 28, Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority authorized \$20,000 in operational funds to be allocated to an East Park ice rink project. Merchants and community members agreed to provide a warming hut for the site. The hut is estimated to cost \$5,000.

According to city manager Mike Wiesner, city administrators met to discuss the rink proposal the same day the authority made their decision, at which time concerns about the rink's location came up.

These administrative concerns were addressed in a memo written Nov. 29 by Wiesner. The memo was distributed to the mayor, city council, members of the authority, Chamber of Commerce director Jacqueline Merta and Linda Ma-

son, a member of the merchants association.

Wiesner stated, "Our main concern is the close proximity to Round Lake, which occasionally ices over in that area and that being inviting to children. In addition if there was an issue in Round Lake, the low water level and lack of immediate access to get out of the lake would be a problem."

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Margaret Ann Pockrandt, 18, Charlevoix. No operator's license on person. Fines and costs totaling \$100.

Christopher James Chapman, 29, Charlevoix. Failure to stop after collision. Fines and costs totaling \$155.

William Frederick Wildman, 28, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Keith James Baker, 18, East Jordan. Breaking and entering a building with intent. Bound over to circuit court.

Roger Michael Erber, 29, Petoskey. Forgery; and uttering and publishing. Bound over to circuit court.

James Lee Wilde, 46, Boyne City. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$690 in fines and costs.

Jessica Lynn Thayer, 20, Charlevoix. Fleeing a police officer-third degree; minor operating vehicle with blood-alcohol

content; and motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Bound over to circuit court.

Steve A. Martin, 48, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended-second offense. Fines and costs totaling \$315.

Timothy Ray McCullough, 25, East Jordan. Driving while license suspended; and motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$1,035.

Cory Mylon Haight, 21, Boyne City. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Six months probation; 90 days in jail, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 85 days held in abeyance; \$365 in fines and costs.

Cory Mylon Haight, 21, Boyne City. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Six months probation; 90 days in jail, five days of community service work, 85 days held in abeyance; \$865 in fines and costs.

Cory Mylon Haight, 21, Boyne City. Driving while license suspended. Jail for five days with credit for one day, serve five days.

Joshua Kevin Houck, 17, Boyne City. Retail fraud-third degree. Seven months probation;

90 days in jail with 90 days held in abeyance; \$210 in fines and costs.

Tiffany Marie McKay, 19, Charlevoix. Controlled substance delivery/manufacturing narcotics/cocaine, under 50 grams; and conspiring to deliver/manufacture cocaine, under 50 grams. Bound over to circuit court.

Steven Wyatt J. Fry, 21, Charlevoix. Conspiring to deliver/manufacture cocaine, under 50 grams. Bound over to circuit court.

Steven Wyatt J. Fry, 21, Charlevoix. Controlled substance delivery/manufacturing marijuana. Bound over to circuit court.

Charles Hudson Butcher, 74, Charlevoix. Domestic violence. In trial by jury, found not guilty.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Crazy Horse Services, 36095 Barneys Lake Road, Beaver Island, by Adam E. Wirth

Roger's Custom Woodworking, 04925 Pearsall Road, East Jordan, by Roger Bolser

Great Hill Herbs, 5084 Mt. Bliss Road, East Jordan, by Margaret E. Beck

Bottom Line Traders Invest-

ment Club, 128 East Cedar Street, Boyne City, by Gary Wheelock and Jerome Swartz

John Dixon Builder, 09522 Cottage Pointe, Charlevoix, by John Dixon

Twin Valley Internet Service, 202 Lake Street Unit E, Boyne City, by Kenneth Bedford

O'Henry Fence Co., 01238 Call Street, Boyne City, by Robert O'Henry

Marriages
The following people have been granted a marriage license by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Brian Timothy Malpass, 28, Charlevoix and Kimberly Faye Leaman, 26, Charlevoix

Divorces
The following people have been granted judgments of divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Joseph W. Bommarito vs. Robin Bommarito

Clare Williams vs. Earl Williams Jr.

Chirron Olstrom vs. Stacy Olstrom

Yvonne Marie Herbon vs. John Paul Herbon

Michelle Hull vs. Robert Hull

Charles Otis Lent Jr. vs. Bonnie Lynn Lent

Births

Trinity Aaliyah, weighing 7 pounds, 14 ounces, was born to Toni Loper of Bellaire on Dec. 2 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Alyssa Danielle, weighing 6 pounds, 10 ounces, was born to Keith Vincent and Mandy Chambers of East Jordan on Dec. 1 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Brett Anthony, weighing 8 pounds, 2 ounces, was born to Gregg and Niki Stackus of Boyne City on Nov. 30 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Makenzie Autumn, weighing 7 pounds, 9 ounces, was born to Timothy and Nichole Zawisza of Charlevoix on Nov. 28, 2001 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Gavriel Dennis, weighing 8 pounds, was born to Christian and Tracey LaCroix of Charlevoix on Nov. 28 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

A stainless steel table was

taken sometime in the evening of Nov. 29 from behind Don's IGA on Petoskey Avenue.

A 22-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 12:30 p.m. on Nov. 29 for the assault and battery of a 25-year-old Charlevoix man.

There was a two vehicle accident around 5:30 p.m. on Nov. 28 near the intersection of East Lincoln and Bridge streets. No injuries were reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 6 p.m. on Nov. 28 near the intersection of State and

Clinton streets. No injuries were reported.

A pair of shoes were stolen on Nov. 28 from a locker at Charlevoix High School.

A domestic disturbance was reported around 6:30 p.m. on Nov. 27 on Nichols Street.

A snowmobile trailer was stolen sometime in the morning of Nov. 26 from a residence on Allee Street.

A flag was stolen sometime in the evening of Nov. 22 from Midwest International on Stover Road.

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ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT

Kohler's impact on area will last forever

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

We are only on Earth for a short time and what we do with that time defines us — Charlevoix resident Bud Kohler respected his time and made the most of it.

Kohler's friends and family said he was one of those guys who set the tone — an officer, a gentleman, a pillar of the Charlevoix community and a man to emulate.

Kohler's eldest son, Tom, described his father: "Dad understood the nature of grace. My father revered his father and I revered them both. I think we all did. He exemplified a model of how to be in the world."

So, on Nov. 24, when Bud, 77, sat back in an arm chair in his warm, comfortable Charlevoix home, closed his eyes and physically left the world he wasn't lost. In fact, you'll discover him in many places.

No, you won't find Bud walking Charlevoix's Dixon Avenue or bopping in and out of local service organizations like he used to. But you will find his legacy and the model he left behind alive and well in the hearts and lives of those he knew.

Tom said his dad lived with a deep sense of responsibility that he wore lightly. He said Bud believed he was obligated to go take care of things and that's just what he did.

In the Korean War he took care of his fellow Marines, at home he took care of his wife and four children and in the community he took care of business.

William Schuiling, of Charlevoix, one of Bud's close friends, said he was a rare breed. "He (Bud) was an American hero. There's very few men like

him in this country. He was a hero in Korea, in this city and in this country," Schuiling said.

Bud believed and pursued his belief that everyone had a responsibility to try and make the world better.

Bud was a member of "Baker Bandits," the United States Marine Corps Korean War Veterans-Baker Company, First Battalion, Fifth Marines, First Marine Division.

Schuiling explained some of Bud's war stories. He said Bud was on the east side of Korea's Chosin Reservoir, 65 miles from the ocean battling the Chinese Army in negative 60 degree weather. It took him 12 days to get his men out, but he did, he persevered and he succeeded.

Bud was everybody's hero at home too. He never forgot anything. During an interview with his daughter, Janet, the secret of Bud's photographic memory was revealed. She ran upstairs and retrieved a white piece of note paper covered in pencil scribbling.

Janet was clutching the paper like it was a Picasso, delicate and priceless. The note was a log of the last conversation she had with Bud, just days before his death. Faithful and organized, Bud would scratch down notes of conversations including details like what the grandchildren were up to and what they wanted for Christmas.

"He paid attention," Janet said. "I have three girls, that day dad signed off the phone call. 'Well, love to you and all the other pretty girls,'" she said as tears rolled down her cheeks.

Places to look for Bud's mark in Charlevoix include environmental meetings. He was an avid outdoorsman who wanted to see Charlevoix's natural beauty pro-

ected. Bud was a member of the Lake Charlevoix Association, Water Air Team Charlevoix (WATCH), Keep Charlevoix Beautiful and Tip of the Mitt.

He was also a member of the local Lions Club, the Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club and St. Mary's Catholic Church.

You can also find him in the woods where he spent time with his children fly fishing and bird hunting. Tom fondly remembers time he, Bud and Tom's eldest child spent at the Vermont Orvis Fly Fishing School. They were near the same place Bud's parents had been buried.

His spirit is also alive and well in the woods off See Road where the Kohler cabin proudly sits, just off the shore of Oyster Bay. During the summer the family would come up from Saginaw where Bud worked for 30 years with Michigan Bell.

He and his father, Carl Kohler built the unassuming log home just after World War II. The cabin layout was based on the wood that was available. They purchased the wood from the Loeb Farm and the land was part of the Charlevoix Boy's Camp.

His blood line stretches back over a century in Charlevoix's history. He was a newborn when he made his way to his home, Charlevoix. His mother, Benona Bartlett Kohler was born in Charlevoix in 1900 and his grandfather, the late Dr. Louis Bartlett and grandmother settled here in



Bud Kohler and his wife, Frances. (Courtesy photo)

the late 1800s. Bud was named after Louis but his mother called him Buddy from birth and later shortened it to the more distinguished Bud.

Bud took Frances to be his wife on June 24, 1950, the day before the Korean War broke out. She

said she has no long range plans and will currently be at their home in Charlevoix.

Bud's friend and fellow Alano Club member Dave Juilleret said, "Today a lot of people talk about God, family and country. That's what Bud was and did."



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Maybe it is too late for ice rink

Images of happy families gliding across the frozen waters of an ice rink in the downtown area is a beautiful thought.

It conjures up a picture of a lovely winter scene straight out of a Norman Rockwell painting: beautiful white snow, bundled up children giggling as they learn to skate and decorative lights illuminating East Park.

Actually, the idea of an ice rink in East Park is a great one. It is something that is perfect for Charlevoix's downtown area in image and in bringing in people during the slow winter months.

It is definitely one that needs further attention, but it may be a little too late for this winter.

Here it is already December and we are just now talking about building a temporary ice rink in the downtown park this winter. The Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority (DDA) already has decided to contribute \$20,000 to the project this year, but there are questions about the

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staffing, there may be a liability problem and winter is fast approaching.

Sure, it is a great idea and a great project for the DDA, but are we moving a little too fast on this? And should the DDA really spend \$20,000 on a temporary ice rink this year? That is a lot of money that can be used in many different ways.

So, is a temporary ice rink the best use for those funds, especially considering it is already December and there are some details that still need to be worked out?

Perhaps it would be better to wait until next winter and spend a year planning for a more permanent ice rink. That way we would have all of those nagging details figured out and can just concentrate on having fun at the rink.

But, even so, the plan seems to be a go.

So, until it is built, dreams of ice skating in scenic downtown Charlevoix will fill our thoughts.

Evergreen trees have the perfect design for winter



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

As we ease into December the color green becomes more and more important and less and less common.

At this time of year it is easy to understand why the ancient Druids in Europe revered the mistletoe plant, because it grew on trees that lost their leaves, but somehow remained green all through the winter. It is not surprising that we use evergreen trees as a Christmas symbol.

Even though a bare maple branch or small tree is just as much alive as the spruce or pine we carry into our homes for the holidays, the maple just doesn't look alive. We quite properly associate green with life and the gray of winter with dormancy, death and decay.

Why some plants manage to remain green through our winter while others lose almost every easily visible characteristic of life is a question that botanists and ecologists have pondered ever since there

were botanists and ecologists.

If we look at the really big picture of the plant world we see evergreen plants dominating the tropical and near arctic regions, with the deciduous (leaf losing) trees in the middle latitudes. Here in Michigan we are just on the northern border of the primarily deciduous forest, and so have a mix of evergreen and deciduous trees. It is a basic rule of evolutionary biology that if some characteristic persists then it must be that it provides some relative advantage to the plant or animal that has it.

It is easy to understand why trees might be evergreen in the tropics where it never freezes and where most forested places have abundant rainfall. Competition for space and light are so severe that trees need the largest and most persistent leaves they can manage. Trees in the tropics can keep the same sort of leaves year round without much problem.

The explanations for evergreen trees in the far north are not so simple. In our part of the world, most all of the evergreen trees have needle-like or scale-like leaves and those leaves, it turns out, are better adapted to maintaining themselves at cold temperatures than are the board, flat leaves of maple or oak.

It's a little like the comfort difference between standing in a cold

wind with your arms spread wide facing the wind, or rolling up into the smallest ball possible and staying out of the wind. Try it next time there is a below zero day with a good breeze.

It is too expensive to maintain broad flat leaves in a climate that, like ours, is seasonally cold. As the cold gets more intense and lasts longer, the advantage to needle like leaves that are green year-round increases and the most northern forests are all evergreens.

The needles of pines or spruces can warm up enough in a winter sun to manage a little food production for the tree even in January or February.

The thought of evergreens in winter served to prop up the spirits of the Druids and can manage the same thing for us in our more knowledgeable age. Enjoy that Christmas tree and give a thought to how lucky we are to be living in a place where there are lessons about life all around us all year.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letter to the editor

Opposition has been acknowledged

Editor:
Recently I was awarded the title of "pompous nincompoop." I am honored by that designation (page 5, Nov. 14). By having the letter published in the *Charlevoix Courier* and the *Petoskey News-Review*, you have acknowledged in print that there is an opposing point of view to the construction of the new high school in Charlevoix.

Any serious student of history or political science knows that legitimization is a goal of any opposi-

tion movement. I, and my fellow nincompoop, appreciate the work that you have done for us. Your actions greatly enhance our credibility in bringing to light the secretive, autocratic mindset that seems determined to bring great urban expansion to what was and is a small country road. Since you seem to think that we are alone in our efforts may I remind you and the public of the results of the last Charlevoix Public School election? The ballot request was turned down and the school board incumbents were returned to office by

only half of the total number of voters. There was also a write-in candidate for one of the school board positions.

Let me also mention support we have received from the front page of the public school paper, "The Insider." According to (Charlevoix High School principal) Gary Grundman, "To me, it's frightening. It would be hard to get to your destination and back in school in the amount of time allotted for lunch (page 1, Fall 2001)." The people of Marion Township voiced

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Charlevoix receives good audit

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The city of Charlevoix recently received a glowing audit report for 2001.

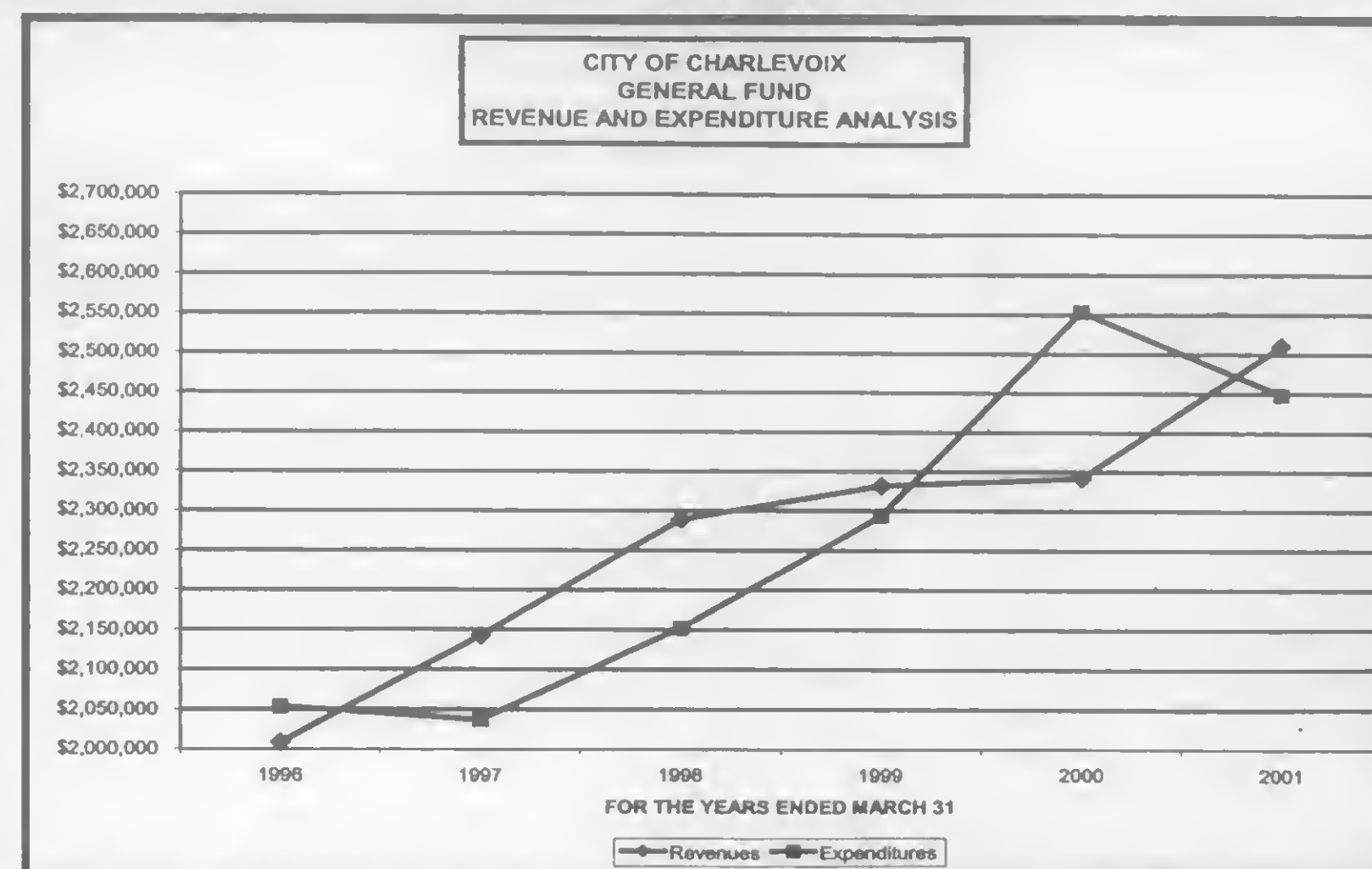
Brian Postma, senior manager and certified public accountant for Rehmann Robson of Traverse City, told city council the audit was clean and unqualified.

City treasurer Rick Brandi said the firm, "doesn't have reservations as to the accuracy of the information and there were no areas of the budget they were concerned with."

Brandi said the report means two things for the city: One — the city is in good financial standing and two — the city's accounting practices and financial record keeping is in order.

In a letter of intention Postma sent to the city in June he states, "As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of city of Charlevoix's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants."

This year the city took in a considerable amount of federal funds in grants for various projects making them subject to a single audit. The



This graph shows the expense and revenue history of the city. The city was recently commended for its work. (Courtesy of the city of Charlevoix)

audit is in place to make sure the city is complying with federal guidelines.

Postma found the city has complied.

Postma highlighted other areas of

interest including the finding that the city spent less money in 2001 than in 2000 and the city's general fund has at least two-and-a-half months of operating cash available to pay bills if a catastrophic occurrence

were to happen.

The city currently has \$492,184 of undesignated funding in their general fund for 2001 and \$8,400 designated. The almost \$500,000 is there should the city need to dip into it.

Letter to the editor

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the concern long ago that Marion Center Road could not possibly support the traffic flow a new school would generate. I may be a nincompoop, but if a school official can voice the fear of potential

traffic accidents and be acknowledged, again in print, then that is also a significant step in the list of complaints which this building generates.

Mr. Grundman very publicly acknowledged the risks that this building is going to cause. The school must cease being more secretive than the Afghan invasion

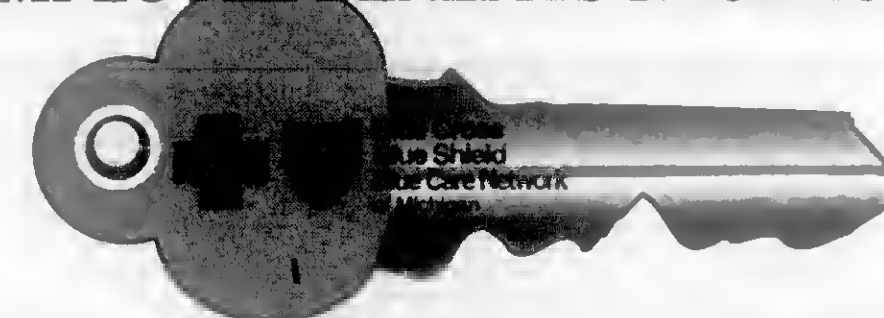
force and accept responsibility for the traffic and resulting accidents which are sure to follow. There was another very nasty accident on Marion Center Wednesday morning, less than a half mile from the construction site. What provisions, if any, are being made to protect the campus, the students and the surrounding homes and farms?

May I bring to mind the results of the drug trial from the last school year? If students could seemingly come and go at will during the school day in town, what is to stop them from doing so in the country?

Once again, thank you for the compliment.

Joseph F. Seidel
Marion Township

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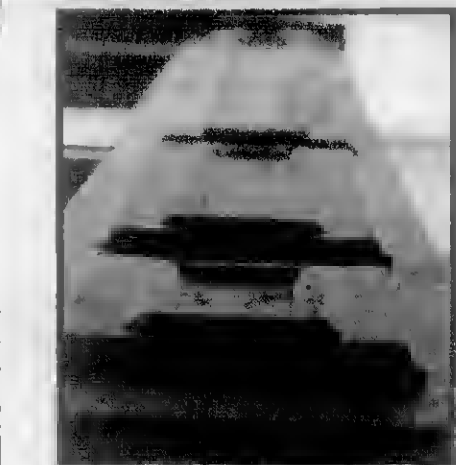


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Wedding



Musilek — Witthoeft

Julie Christina Musilek and Charles Frank Witthoeft, both of Charlevoix, were married in front of 200 guests Aug. 25 in an outdoor ceremony at the Charlevoix Country Club.

Musilek is the daughter of Loren and Paula Musilek of Charlevoix and Witthoeft is the son of Ivan and Lucy Witthoeft, also of Charlevoix.

The 33rd Circuit Court Judge for the County of Charlevoix, Richard Pajtas, performed the double ring rites.

The bride wore a white, spaghetti strap, A-line, satin gown with a hand beaded bodice and a cathedral length train. She carried a bouquet of white calla lilies bound in white satin. She was given in marriage by her father.

The maid of honor was Jean

Musilek, the bride's sister and friend, of Charlevoix. Bridesmaids were close friends of the bride including: Natalie Orenstein of Chicago, Ill., Sarah Martin of Santa Cruz, Calif., Sandra Grene of Austin, Texas and Wendy Stapleton of Santa Monica, Calif. They wore blush Vera Wang dresses and each carried mixed bouquets including white hydrangea, pink roses and bells of Ireland.

Julian Witthoeft, Mikaela Witthoeft and Stirling Witthoeft, nieces of the groom, were the flower girls and Camden Musilek, the bride's nephew, was the ring bearer.

The best men were Brandon Kanoff of Charlevoix, Dan Bickert of Beverly Hills, Andrew Al-bosta of Charlevoix, Shawn Bucklin of Austin, Texas and Wes Cumber-

land of Vail, Colo.

Marvin Witthoeft and A.J. Witthoeft, brothers of the groom, were ushers.

A reception was given at Mahogany's of the Charlevoix Country Club.

The couple spent 10 days on the island of Aruba for their honeymoon. They purchased a home in Charlevoix's Hayes Township where they currently reside.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is the staff writer for the *Charlevoix Courier*. The groom attended Northern Michigan University and is employed by Charlevoix Electrical Service, the Witthoeft family business and is the harmonica player for the local blues band, Mojo and the Boogiemans.

Charlevoix Area Hospital awarded challenge grant

Charlevoix Area Hospital president, William C. Jackson, has announced the receipt by the hospital of a 2-1 challenge grant of \$125,000 from the Frey Foundation. To earn the grant the hospital must raise \$2 for every \$1 from the Frey Foundation.

"We are most grateful to the Frey Foundation. They have already been very generous with an earlier gift of \$200,000. This challenge grant will help us reach our goal," says Jackson.

"For those who haven't yet supported our expansion, we hope this gift will help encourage them. Every time we receive \$2, we earn \$1 from the challenge grant."

While gifts of any size are welcome, those giving \$10,000 or more will have their names listed in permanent display. To assist with the Frey challenge grant, prospective donors may contact the Development Office of Charlevoix Area Hospital by calling 547-8502.

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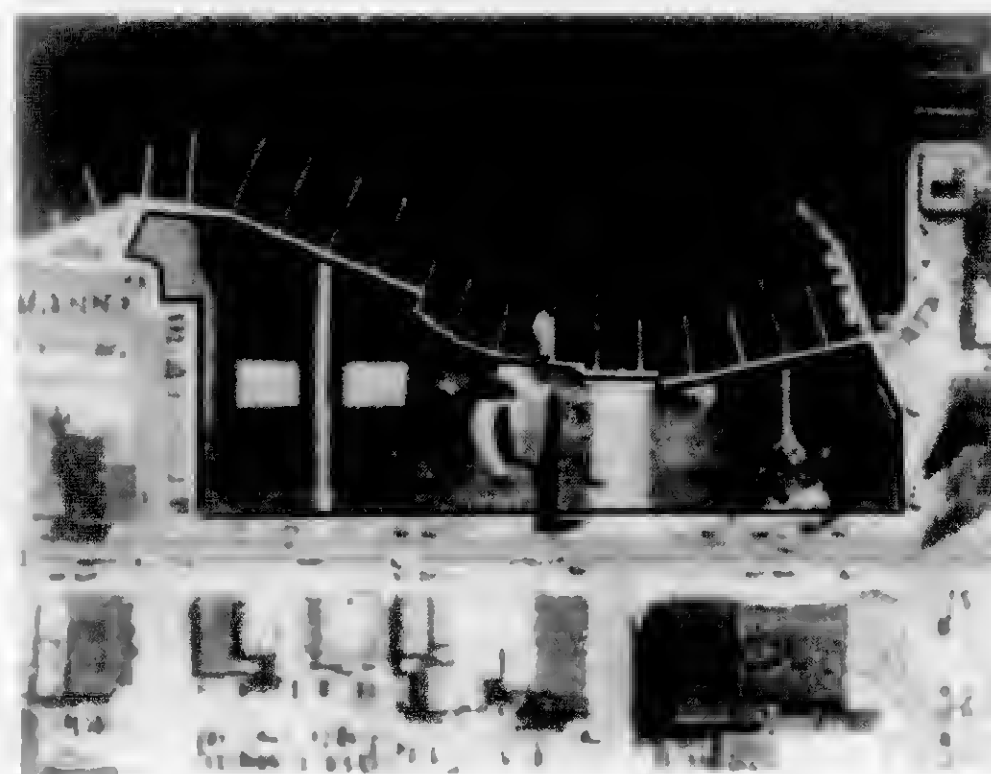
Public Meeting
Downtown Park
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Charlevoix's Downtown Park, your thoughts and ideas are important!

The City of Charlevoix will hold a Public Meeting on December 6, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. to gather input regarding the future of the City's Downtown Park, encompassing that area along Round Lake between Antrim and Clinton streets. This meeting, which is being sponsored by the Charlevoix City Council and the Charlevoix Downtown Development Authority, will be gathering information as a basis for the preparation of goals for a long-range plan for the park area. The park area plan will ultimately be prepared by the City's consultant, Peter Pollack of Ann Arbor, after design goals are established by the DDA and City Council following the public meeting.

This meeting will not address the expansion of docks within the City's marina. A similar public meeting to address expansion of docks will be held in the Summer of 2002.

The meeting will be held at the Charlevoix High School Study Hall, 108 E. Garfield Ave., at 7:00 PM. Persons not available to attend this meeting may direct written communications to Michael Wiesner, City Manager, P.O. Box 550, Charlevoix, MI 49720, fax (231)547-3617, e-mail to chxmgr@unnet.com, or may call (231)547-3270.



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Garden Club names poster contest winners

Members of the Charlevoix Area Garden Club were treated to many colorful and imaginative posters entered in this year's contests given on Nov. 13.

Colin Fitzgerald, a fifth grade student at Charlevoix Elementary School, is the overall winner of the "Smoky the Bear" and "Woody the Owl" contest. Emily Wisniewski, a fifth grade student at St. Mary School, is the overall winner of the Garden Party contest.

Charlevoix school students in grades 1-5 participated in the "Smoky the Bear" and "Woody the Owl" contest and first, second, third place and honorable mention winner were selected.

They include:

First grade — Crystal Batdorf in first, Ryder Hoss in second and Pauline Sheets in third.

Second grade — Ering Holdsworth in first, Diana Beckman in second and Christina Russell in third.

Third grade — Danielle Barron in first, Lynzie Gotshall in second, Lakeiska Lorenz in third and Jacob Baier, Eric Buday and Patrick Kenwabikise as honorable mention.

Fourth grade — Alexandra Lobenhertz in first, Jake Waterman in second and Amanda Fritsch in third.

Fifth grade — Colin Fitzgerald in first, Katie Withrow in second, Alysens Glowney in third and Montana Dominex as honorable mention.

The Garden Club also simultaneously sponsors the poster contest titled, "A Garden Party" and local students in grades 1-6 were eligible to compete. The contest was judged not only for its artistic merit, but for the reasons given by the artists for choosing the plants and animals displayed in their posters.

Winners in this contest were: First grade — Kathy Rajewski in first, Anton Volvsek in second, Grace Glenny in third and Paige Ager, Autumn Sobleski and Mariah Zawisza named honorable mention.

Second grade — Samantha Rajewski in first, Robby Hovie in second, Austin Lobenz in third and honorable mention to Kelby Kehan, Trenton Bradley and Molly Jeakle.

Third grade — Logan Carson in first, Katie Mays in second, Jenna Troppman in third and honorable mention to Abbey

Barnes, Linsea Jelinek and Cassidy Stebe.

Fourth grade — Krista Pischner in first, Jenna Kirby in second, Madeline Jeakle in third and honorable mention to Katie Jones, Taylor Storm and Kathryn Young.

Fifth grade — Emily Wisniewski in first, Brennan Stebe in second, Andy Tuck in third and honorable mention to Nickole Cyr, Rachael Nuttall and Tyler Parkin.

Sixth grade — Arielle Kowal in first, Brooke Whittaker in second, Garrett Troppman in third and honorable mention to Cameron Crain, Alina Dhaseleer and Corinne Simoti.

First place winners of each contest at each grade level will be sent on for further competition at the state and national levels. All of the winners will receive a certificate to be presented by the Garden Club in the spring at the annual tea given in their honor.

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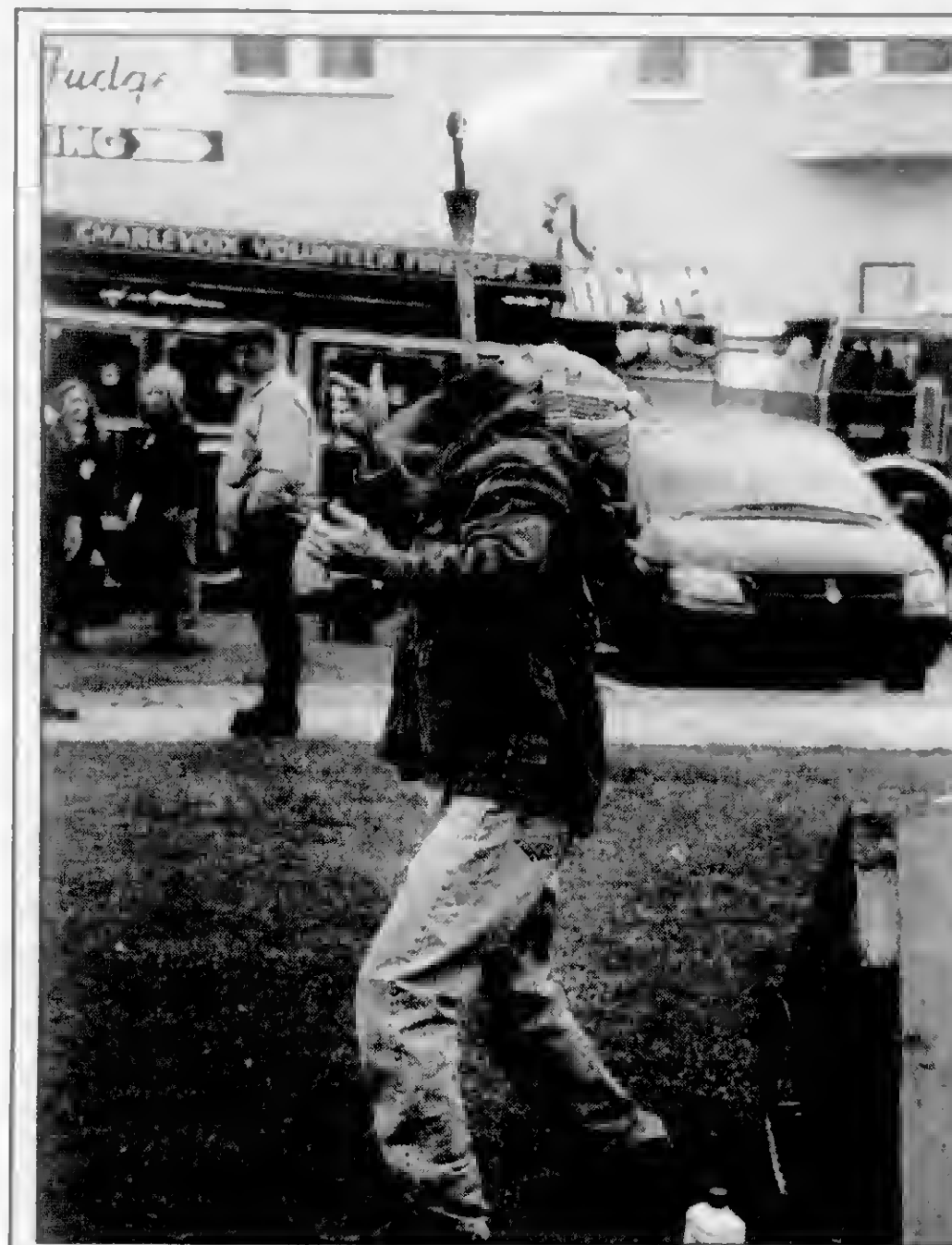
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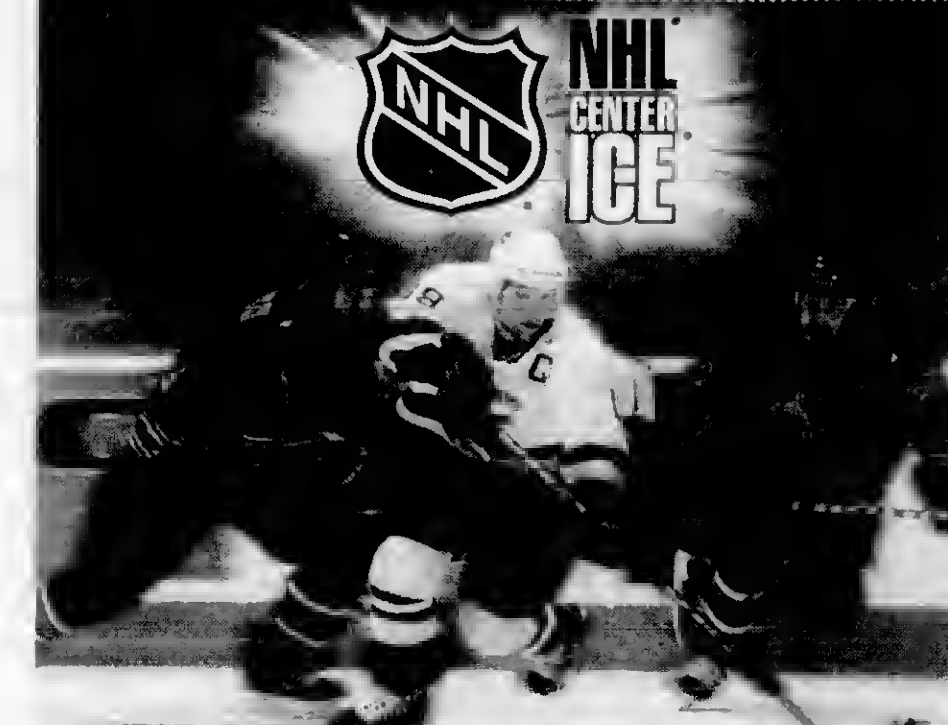
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Pajtas' ruling upheld in state appeals court

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix County's Circuit Court and the Michigan Court of Appeals in Lansing have spoken.

Both courts ruled against granting a stay pending appeal in the third case against the Charlevoix School District.

The case-for which the motion was made questions whether or not the school district is misappropriating bond money. The district plans to pay for a sewer extension from the city of Charlevoix out to the site of the new high school. School officials claim the expense will be reimbursed by fees paid by those who hook into the line.

Robert G. Mossman, a Marion Township resident and one of the five plaintiffs in the case said, "What the motion for stay accomplished was to demonstrate to the taxpayers the utter failure of the school to choose an alternative that would best serve the school's waste needs and would most importantly save the taxpayers considerable tax indebtedness."

The most recent decision in the case was made last week when the appeals court in Lansing denied the plaintiffs' motion for stay pending appeal.

The school district's circuit court lawyer, Bill Ewald of Bay City's Braun, Kendrick and Finkbeiner said lawyers for the school district and for the plaintiffs were not on hand the day of the appellate court ruling.

Ewald said his office received information Nov. 20 stating the

request was made. Ewald said requests for stays are generally granted, expedited review by the Court of Appeals, as they did in this case.

Ewald said the plaintiffs made the motion because they thought irreparable harm would be caused if the school was allowed to connect to the city sewer.

On Nov. 26, Ewald and Scott Strattard, head of the appellate department at Braun Kendrick and Finkbeiner — who is handling the appeal — presented the opposing argument. They claimed the appellate court should deny the stay because the plaintiffs wouldn't suffer irreparable harm if the project were allowed to move forward.

He added the brief also stressed precedent. "And more importantly we won all the other times and I believe we will this time," Ewald said.

Ewald said the appellate court reviewed the briefs Nov. 27 and contacted his office late Nov. 28 to inform Strattard of their decision to deny the motion for stay. Now, the school is free to continue with plans to extend the sewer line up Marion Center Road.

But Mossman maintains the extension is wrong.

"The school continues to demonstrate its recklessness in the handling of bond proposal money and state credit which in the case of the sewer is to be used to facilitate private development and commercial use of farmland in Marion Township. In no way have the taxpayers authorized such uses, and in no

way will we (the plaintiffs) stop insisting that the courts look at such faulty and unconstitutional use of taxpayer money," he said.

The request for a stay was an appeal to the decision made Oct. 26 in the 33rd Circuit Court Charlevoix County where the judge Richard Pajtas also denied the motion.

The case filed in the court of appeals Sept. 27 is still pending. Ewald said the next things to look for in this case are briefing schedules, which will be sent to both Jim Olson, attorney for the plaintiffs of Olson and Bzdok in Traverse City and Strattard.

Then the plaintiffs will order transcripts from the local court and both sides will be given a set time limit as to when they are required to file briefs.

No court date has been set in the Lansing appeals court. Ewald said he expects the appeals court will hear the case in its entirety anywhere from a year to a year and a half from now or sooner. The decision is up to the court of appeals.

According to court documents, plaintiffs in this case include: Kenneth Richard Tunison, Kenneth Staley, Mossman, Paul Richards and Joseph Seidel.

According to court documents, defendants in the case are: superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools Dr. John Sturock, the Charlevoix Board of Education, Charlevoix Public Schools and the Charlevoix Public School District.

Construction contracts call for the new high school to open for business in September of 2002.

Charlevoix chorale and orchestra to have concert

The Charlevoix Area Community Chorale and Orchestra will present its annual Festival of Carols at 4 p.m. on Sunday at the First Congregational Church at 101 State Street in Charlevoix.

Vivaldi's "Gloria" will open the program. The text of this short work is taken from the traditional Latin mass with the biblical announcement of glory and peace given to the shepherds by the angels.

A chamber orchestra accompanies the "Gloria" and features four soloists: Charlevoix sopranos Barbara Dowty and Fran Tollas and Petoskey soloists Mae Charbeneau, soprano, and Helen Kleymmer, Mezzo soprano. Ellen Addington, of Charlevoix, will conduct. Music of the holiday season will be performed by the

chorale and orchestra, including a first performance of a choral composition, "A Tiny Child" by composer, Eric Culver, of Bellaire.

Plus, carols sung by all will be an important part of the afternoon of sounds of the season.

Members of the chorale and orchestra are not only from the Charlevoix area, but from many communities in northwest Michigan have participated in the chorale and orchestra since its inception in 1980.

The public is cordially invited to attend. There is no charge, but a free will offering will be accepted with enthusiasm.

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High school break-ins may be related to others

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix High School was recently the site of repeated instances of larceny and vandalism that claimed money, a computer and stereo equipment.

According to Charlevoix City Police Chief Dennis Halverson the first of three recent break-ins at the school occurred in October when thieves broke a window, entered the building

and stole a computer.

He said the second and third break-ins occurred at some point during the week of Thanksgiving, Nov. 19 to Nov. 25.

Local law enforcement officials investigating the larceny cases are currently unsure how the thieves accessed the building during the second larceny. Halverson said it is a possibility that one of the thieves had a key to the school.

In lieu of the mystery behind the second break-in some locks at the school have been changed.

When the third larceny at the school occurred, the thieves again broke a window which was inset in a door.

Investigators believe the three break-ins are connected and they may even be connected to other larcenies around Charlevoix.

Halverson said other damage

occurred inside in areas of the school that suggest the thieves were most likely looking for money.

During the three break-ins an unknown quantity of money was stolen from the cafeteria office, a lap-top computer was taken and stereo speakers, microphones and a stereo receiver were also stolen.

One juvenile, who recently attended Charlevoix High School, has been apprehended

by the city police department. And the computer stolen in the October break-in has been recovered.

"We are not sure about the others (perpetrators), we will continue to follow up on leads," Halverson said.

Halverson added that the city police department does patrol the site of the high school at night and the school is not equipped with an alarm security system.

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One injured in Horton Bay accident on Nov. 27

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office responded to a traffic crash at 3:30 a.m. on Nov. 27 that had been located by a Charlevoix County Road Commission employee on the Boyne City/Charlevoix Road in the village of Horton Bay.

It appeared that a 1987 Chevrolet Suburban had been traveling west and left the roadway sideways, hit a tree on the driver's side, spun 180 degrees and came to rest leaning against several small trees. The driver fled the scene.

The Boyne City Ambulance, Charlevoix County Road Commission and a motorist assisted the Sheriff's Office in searching the area for any possible victims. The vehicle sustained extensive damage.

The owner of the vehicle, who is believed to be the driver, was located on Nov. 29 at his home. He complained of pain in his left side and had several lacerations on his face and arms.

Alcohol and speed are believed to be factors in the crash. The incident remains under investigation and the victim's name is being withheld.

The Sheriff's Office was assisted at the scene by the Charlevoix County Road Commission, the Boyne City Ambulance Service and Larry Gardner of East Jordan.

Head-on crash sends several to hospital

Several people were injured in a two vehicle accident at about 3:30 p.m., Nov. 30 on Behling Road in Wilson Township.

A 1990 Eagle 2 door driven by Damien Conlin, 17, was traveling eastbound on Behling Road when he attempted to pass a vehicle, striking a westbound 1987 Mercury driven by Carrie Cook, 56, head on.

Conlin, as well as his passengers, Dave Wilson, 17, and Joshua Jenkins, 17, were all injured and transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital and Northern Michigan Hospital.

Cook was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital along with her passengers, Jordayn Cook, 4, and Colton Cook, 3. Cody Cook, 15, also a passenger, was not injured.

Several of the occupants remain hospitalized for multiple injuries.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office is investigating the accident and was assisted at the scene by Boyne City Fire Department, Boyne City Ambulance personnel and East Jordan EMS.



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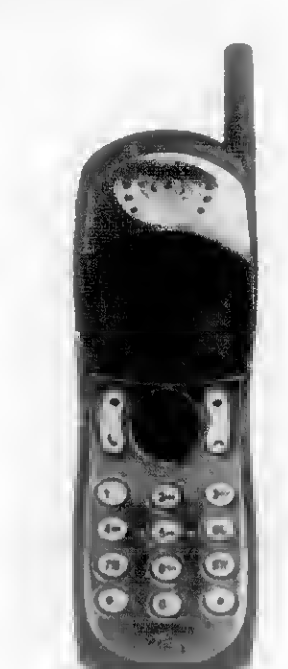
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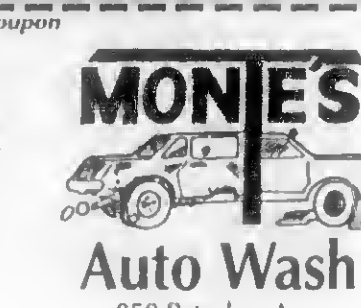
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County takes tower company to court

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix County was recently granted injunctive relief in a circuit court case against American Tower Corporation, a cellular tower construction company with established towers across the county.

American Tower Corporation, based in Schaumburg, Ill., has pursued tower leases in Charlevoix's Hayes and Norwood townships and in Antrim County's Banks Township.

However, two of the townships that are involved say they are having some problems with the company. In Banks Township the company missed lease payments for two years — as was reported in the Oct. 31 edition of the *Charlevoix Courier* — and in Hayes Township it spurred a lawsuit and a court mandated injunction.

The Banks Township issue has been resolved.

The company is currently negotiating a lease agreement for a tower in Norwood Township.

In regard to the Hayes Township issue, county prosecuting attorney Mary Beth Kur said, "The issue is non-compliance with the soil erosion ordinance. We filed the lawsuit because letters and notices were unsuccessful."

In Hayes, American Tower Corporation leased land from Bennett Cunningham at 06248 Brown Road in order to construct a telecommuni-

cations tower.

However, what was built on Brown Road and what was permitted by Charlevoix County were two different things — the plans weren't followed and revised plans, which were requested by Charlevoix County Soil Erosion Officer Wendy Armstrong, were never submitted.

American Tower's environmental consultant, Garth M. Greenan president of E C & S in Traverse City, showed the site would have an open-graded gravel surface with a 12 inch wide unimproved easement to provide access.

However, during a Oct. 31, 2000 site inspection, Armstrong discovered there were two access roads to the site that weren't part of the engineered plans. These roads were also not taken into account for the on-site run-off calculations.

The next day she wrote a letter to American Tower noting the violation of the Charlevoix County Stormwater Ordinance.

Less than two weeks later Armstrong and American Tower representatives met at the site and agreed it was not built as the drawings depicted and American agreed to remove one of the access roads and to update the site plan.

In Charlevoix County Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney John A. Jaroma's request for injunctive relief he stated, "There has been nothing further to date regarding any involvement to either remove the road and/or submit the required, proper

calculations."

On Nov. 7, 2001 the motion for preliminary injunction made by Jaroma was granted by county 33rd Circuit Court judge Richard Pajtas. Representatives for American Tower Corporation did not appear at the hearing.

In his request for the injunction, Jaroma stated, "The violation may be injurious to the public health, safety and or natural resources."

The cellular company has until Dec. 7 to comply with the Charlevoix County Stormwater Ordinance.

Pajtas stipulated compliance as "...submitted, stamped engineering plans which take into account the two access roads and show the proper drainage facilities" or "...removal of any portion of any access road(s) or other improved surfaces which do not comply with the original submitted plans."

Whichever of the two compliance options the company chooses to pursue will be evaluated by Armstrong.

According to Regional Council for American Tower, David Victor, who is handling the litigation in this case, the county and the company are well on their way towards a resolution.

"We are cooperating fully with the county. Engineers have to coordinate so there could still be glitches along the way if the two don't match up," Victor said.

Kur said the county has been contacted by Victor and were informed



County officials say construction for this tower in Hayes Township did not follow submitted guidelines. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

of their intention to comply.

If they choose not to comply by Dec. 7, Armstrong can file a verified complaint/affidavit to stop any revenue generating operations at the site including removal of equipment

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Victor said these two outcomes are not likely.

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"I spent all morning watching Tom Brokaw and Katie Couric. I feel like reporters are the messengers and angels in our society," she said.

Left came into the office of the Charlevoix Courier just two days after the tragedy. She requested extra newspapers with headlines related to the attack. Staff members pointed to the pile of recyclables and said, "have at it."

She took the newspapers home and started clipping the tragic photos, headlines and stories.

"Members of the free press are angels, messengers, that's why I used the headlines," she explained.

She took those clippings and sculpted nine flying angels and 11 grounded angels from original newspapers. Those photos, stories and headlines compose the garments of the angel. The angels are also adorned with a ribbon on which a message is inscribed.

The 20 creations now make up her display, "Messengers of Hope." Left's tag-line for the angels is, "Choose to love in the face of hate, when confronted with destruction, choose to create."

And that's just what she did. "This is therapy for me, the thing I despise most is feeling helpless. I feel like through this I, in my own small way, can help. When someone responds positively to these angels I've had a wonderful conversation with them. Through the angels I said something and they heard it," she said.

One of the 20 angels was auctioned off at the Charlevoix Area Hospital's Holly Daze event Nov. 27 at the Charlevoix Country Club.

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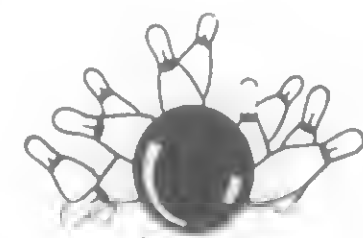
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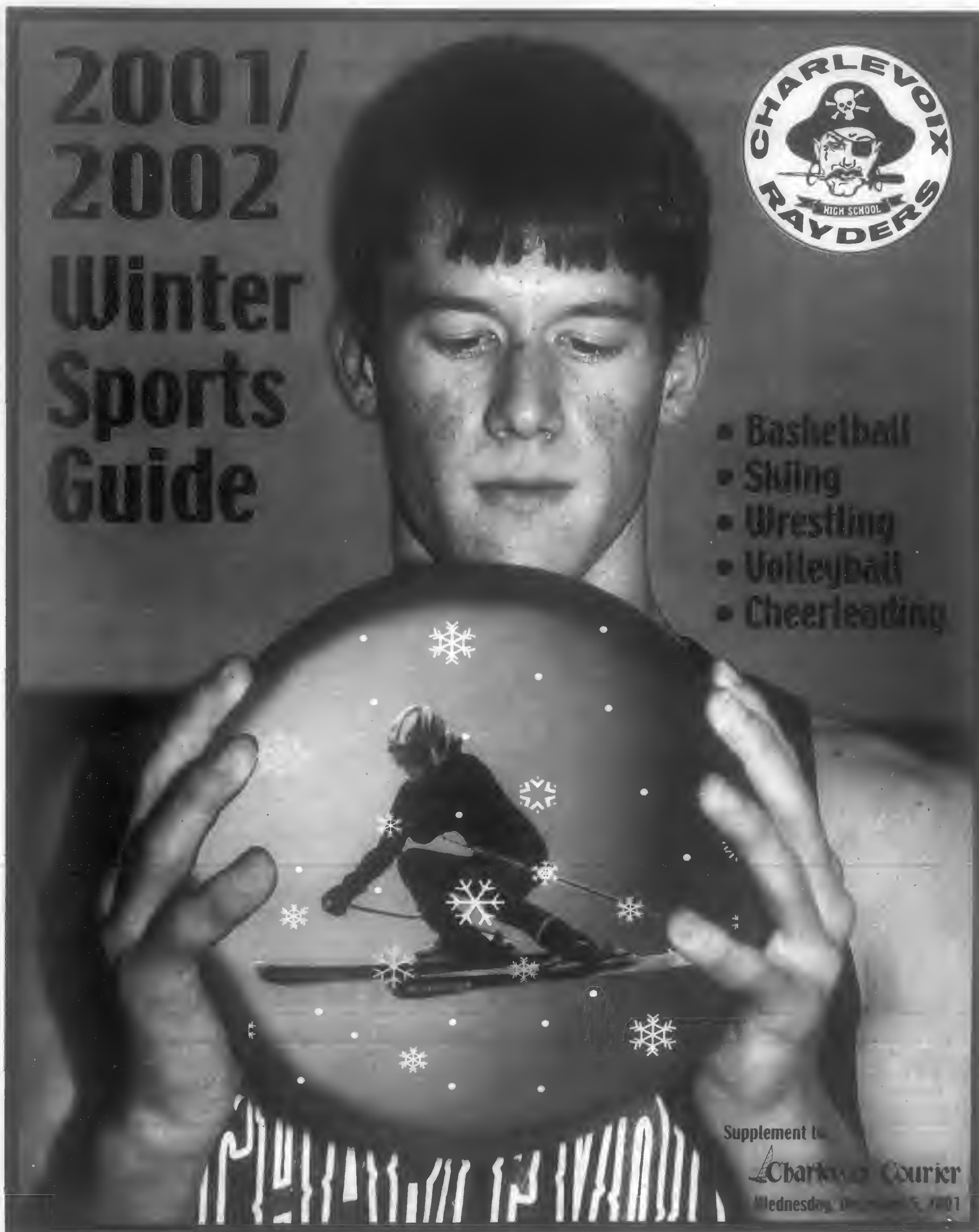
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BASKETBALL

Basketball team ready for new season

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Charlevoix's basketball arsenal is looking even tougher this year.

According to coach Keith Haske, seven of last year's eight are back and they are playing better than ever. Added to this, Haske said he has two new players who transferred from Harbor Light Christian School in Harbor Springs.

"We are pretty excited about it (the new season)," Haske said. "I like their athletic ability; we have great depth. We have a lot of kids that can play and can play well."

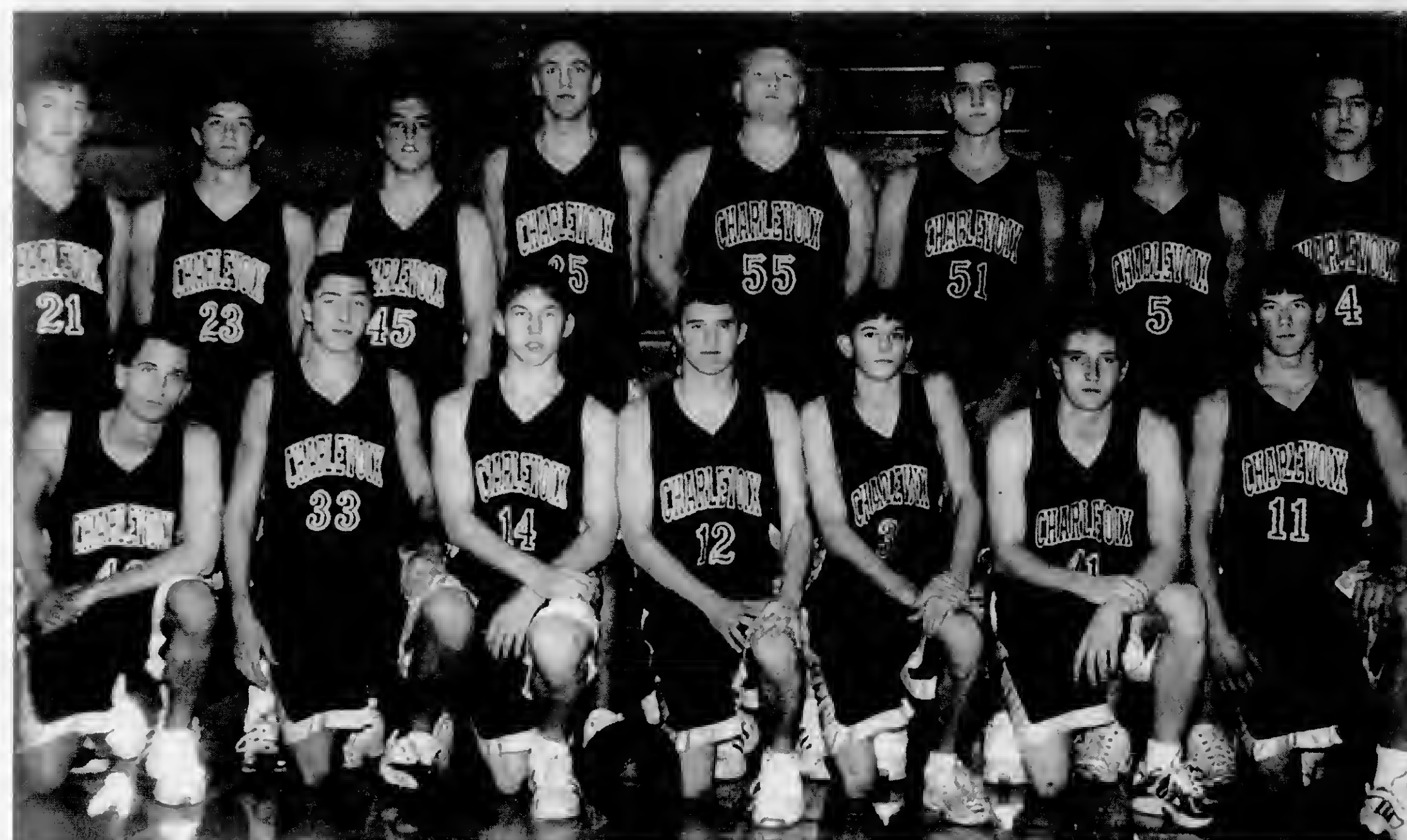
Of the returners Haske said he has a core group of four. They are: Jim Shepherd, Rob Boss, Scott Parrish and Patrick Gowell.

According to Haske, Shepherd — who is known for his three point shooting ability — has come back this year as a great all around basketball player.

"He has made a tremendous improvement from last year," he said.

Additional improvement can be seen in the playing skills of Boss and Parrish — who was first team all state last year. Haske said Parrish has some "tremendous" expectations on his shoulders this year.

Finally is Gowell, who Haske



The Charlevoix varsity basketball team is: (front, from left) Brian May, Jim Shepherd, Ryan Rafacz, Dennis Avery, Travis Smith, Todd Carey, Patrick Gowell, (back) Spencer Bryan, Keith Daly, Donovan Swanson, Scott Parrish, Rob Boss, Scott Friske, Nate Teuscher and Neil Friske. (Photo by Jeremy McBain) (Front page graphic by Carlna Hume)

said is a "real solid player, who has great leadership by example."

Other players Haske said have shown some good skills have been Ryan Rafacz, with his athletic ability; Keith Daly, with his quickness and Dennis Avery, who Haske says will do anything he can to help the team.

New to the team from Harbor Springs are Scott Friske and Neil Friske. Haske said Scott is

probably the best sophomore he has ever coached and Neil plays a real solid game.

Last year, the Charlevoix basketball team went to the finals and ended up second in Class C. But, this has put a lot of pressure on the team to repeat the feat this year and take first in Class C.

Haske said he has talked about this with the team as a group and individually with each player.

"This is a whole different pressure. Last year, we were a surprise, but this year I think people are going to come after us," he said. "I am real concerned about making sure the kids have fun and not having the pressure of winning on our shoulders."

But as far as the team's skill together, Haske said they are really playing well.

"They are working real good together. We have great kids,"

he said.

The biggest problem the team is facing, Haske said, is just the usual "start-of-the-year" kind of problems, like rebounding and defensive rotations.

"These are things I think we can work through," he added.

As far as teams that could give Charlevoix the most trouble, Haske said Harbor Springs has the most talent.

The Rayders first game this year will be Dec. 7 at home.



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BASKETBALL

J.V. team

The Charlevoix junior varsity basketball team is: (front, from left) Kyle Winstove, Matt Burt, John DiMartino, Jake Burns, Jake Pace, (back) Bryce Daly, Colin Seguin, Ben Allen, Andrew Wright, John Billington and Ryan Young. They are coached by Brett Eskine. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Freshman team

The Charlevoix High School freshman basketball team is: (front, from left) Nate Dube, Michael Wojan, Cody Crain, Chris Wyniawskyj, Jaimen Waha, (middle) Jack Teuscher, Mitchell Klooster, Matt Loper, Ben Bergmann, Ezra Bakker, (back) Phillip Steen, Alex Kur, Cyril Jones and Chris Golski. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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VOLLEYBALL

Volleyball team hopes to rebuild this season

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix High School varsity volleyball team may have a year of rebuilding ahead of it, but it is doing so with a new coach and a great group of players.

Liz Grunch, new coach of the team, said the team has a great foundation to work with and the right attitude to improve their game.

"They all hustle. I think they are going to be competitive," she said.

Above all, the group is quickly learning Grunch's style of play. That is: always moving fast, going after the ball and the use of specialized positions that the players work on constantly.

Through this style, Grunch hopes the team will steadily improve as the season progresses. Last year, the Rayders did not win any games.

In addition to a more aggressive style, Grunch is also banking on the leadership of two players: Natasha Kleiber and Krista Swenor. She said Kleiber is her best passer on the team and Swenor is an excellent spiker. These are both areas that the team need to improve on as a whole.

But, with the help of these two girls, Grunch is confident



The Charlevoix High School varsity volleyball team is: (front, from left) Erin Burns, Shayna Drost, Kelly Reid, Rebecca Kanine, Taryn Drost, Katie Swenor, (back) Krista Swenor, Libby Withrow, Kate Madison, Kelly Zimmerman, Jenny Miller and Natasha Kleiber. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

they will see success.

"They lead by example. They hustle all the time and have great attitudes," she said. "They stand out and urge others on. The others are starting to adapt."

Getting the younger players some improved skills will help the team not only this year, but in the future.

Grunch has seven returning seniors on the team, but also has three juniors and two sophomores.

And things are starting to look up for the Rayders and the team seems eager to improve its record.

"I have seen a lot of positive things that I think are going to help me," she said. "The

younger girls I am working with really listen all the time. They are all trying to do exactly what I am saying."

To further improve the team, Grunch said she has scheduled several tournaments to compete in. The first tournament will be Dec. 8 in Roscommon.

This will improve the Rayders by exposing them to many

different teams that use styles that are unique. It also gives the team practice on responding to different situations that come up.

"This gives us a chance to try out the things we are working on," Grunch said.

The team's regular season will begin on Dec. 17 against Harbor Springs.

VOLLEYBALL

J.V. team

The Charlevoix High School junior varsity girls' volleyball team is: (front, from left) Brenna Bergmann, Andrea Ruhlman, Lindsey Miller, Brooke Blanchard, Kari Way, Denise Barta, Theresa Martin, (back) coach Wendy Viles, Maggie Beemon, Amanda Boss, Jessica Pettis, Lauren Eldredge, Samantha Kupka, Maggie Beemon. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



Freshman team

The Charlevoix High School freshman girls' volleyball team is: (front, from left) Elizabeth Madison, Jacky Heckendorn, Betsey Dennis, Lexie Evans, Sonya Plude, Caitlin Travers, (back) Madison McKenzie, Brittini Whitaker, Ashley Jones, Lindsay Withrow, Nicole Sladek, Sammy Kele and team manager Kersten Polena. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)



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SKIING

Skiers striving for the 'big win'

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

While the Charlevoix ski team may not have large numbers, it is expected to be a major force on the ski hills this winter.

The team took second in the state finals last year and is expected to do as well if not better this year, said coach Sue Miller.

"We are going for the big win this time," Miller said.

Part of the reason for this thinking is seven of the team's nine players are returnees from the state final team. This gives Charlevoix some excellent experience on the mountain during high pressure meets.

According to Miller, skiers with competition experience are more comfortable on the slopes and can lead the rest of the team to victory. This would also be beneficial for the two new skiers, as they can learn from their counterparts.

"I think they (new skiers) would just gain another level of competition. Being a small group, I think they can also be very supportive of each other," she said.

Two of her experienced skiers who will help boost the team up are seniors Roscoe



The Charlevoix High School ski team is: (front, from left) coach Sue Miller, Lexi Wilson, Monica Cornell, Michelle Fritsch, AnnaKate Trubilowicz, (back) Chad Johnson, Roscoe Serrels, York Smith, Mike Dupuis, Taylor Fisher and assistant coach George Peet. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Serrels and Lexi Wilson.

"I foresee them taking leadership roles and hopefully taking the team to state finals," Miller said.

This experience and support will come in very handy this winter, especially in Charlevoix's region with so many strong skiing schools. Adding to the pressure, Miller

said, is many of the other teams have not lost any of their experienced skiers as well.

"It is hard to really know. We really don't know who is on or off until the season," she said.

And further making things difficult is the current lack of snow and warm temperatures affecting the area, thus not al-

lowing the team practice time on the slopes.

"There are tensions now because it is (December) and it is 55 degrees out," Miller said in a Dec. 3 interview.

Once there is snow on the mountains, the Rayders will be training at either Boyne Mountain or Mount McSaubia in Charlevoix. In the meantime,

the team is working on its agility and strength training by playing soccer, biking, swimming and running.

Miller said she hopes to be on the slopes as soon as possible.

"Our ski season is short enough. It is December in Michigan, we should have snow...lots of it," she said.



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WRESTLING

Wrestlers working for individual success

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix varsity wrestling team may be out of the running already mathematically — due to its small size — but the grapplers have their eyes on individual greatness.

Coach Jamie Breithaupt said since the team had only seven players, they cannot win as a whole team, but there are individual goals wrestlers can accomplish.

The only obstacle to this is a lack of experience on the team. There is only one senior along with four juniors, one sophomore and one freshman.

The team only has two returning wrestlers: Bo Moore — who is the senior — and Chris Lahr.

"They are the captains. With a lot of hard work and leadership from them, I think they can help the young guys do well this year," Breithaupt said.

Added to their help, Breithaupt said the team's overall attitude is

great.

"They work hard in practice, are very dedicated and want to win. They are all doing a lot of outside running. Their commitment is wonderful," he said.

And with each meet the team takes part in, they learn more.

For example, the team recently competed in two meets. Breithaupt said the team really "got beat up" during the first meet, but put up a real fight in the second meet.

"They learned a lesson: hard work will pay off. If they don't give 100 percent in practice, they are not going to do as well as they expect," he said.

After the first meet, the team became focused and worked hard for the second meet, Breithaupt said this showed.

"I tell them at every meet to learn from their mistakes, whether they win or lose, and to use that to better themselves," he said.

With this knowledge, Breithaupt said he hopes to rebuild the



The Charlevoix High School wrestling team is: Michael Flowers, Delose Lanterman, Bo Moore, Jeff Burke, Devin Shotmiller, Chris Lahr, manager Jeff Golovich and coach Jamie Breithaupt. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Charlevoix wrestling program and make it very successful.

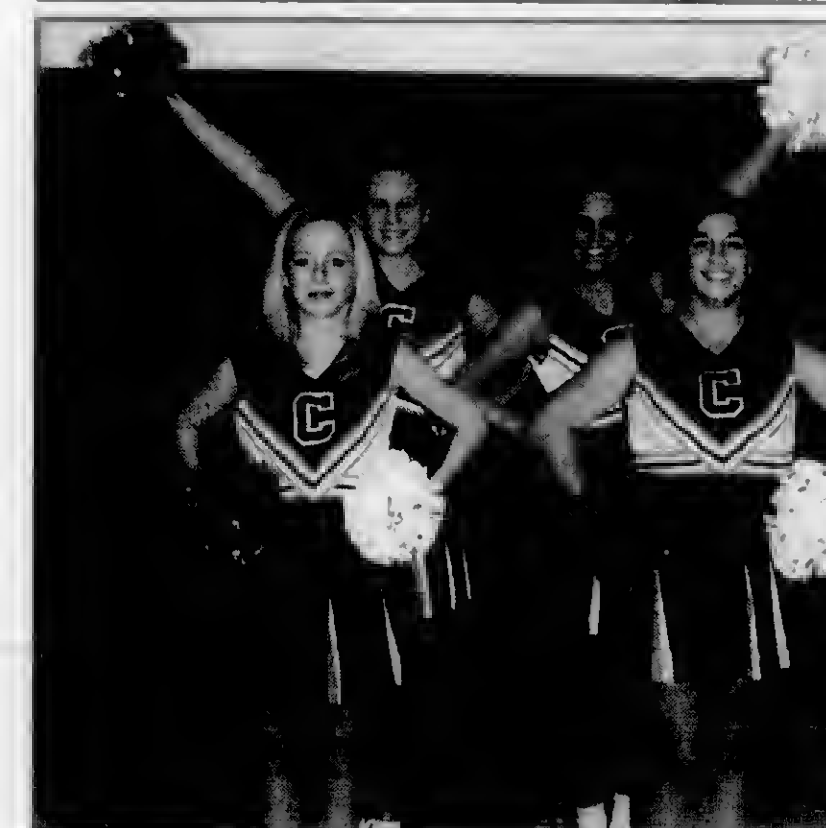
And from the looks of it, he just may be able to do this, especially

with the combination of a successful middle school wrestling program.

"We have a good base for next

year. As long as these kids stay in the program, next year we should have a team with experience," he said.

Cheerleading



Varsity, J.V. cheerleaders

The varsity cheerleading squad is: (front) Courtney English, (middle, from left) Jamie Melke, Danielle Flowers, (back) Katie Way, Candace Boss and Amy Drew.

The junior varsity cheerleading squad is: Charissa Kniseley, Anne Strawbridge, Amanda Salgeon and Allison Holmes. (Photos by Jeremy McBain)



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Varsity: Keith Haske
JV: Bret Erskine
Assistant: Justin Thorp

December				
7 Friday	Suttons Bay	Home	6 p.m.	
11 Tuesday	Cheboygan	Away	6 p.m.	
14 Friday	Benzie Central	Away	6 p.m.	
18 Tuesday	Harbor Springs	Home	6 p.m.	

January				
4 Friday	East Jordan	Away	6 p.m.	
8 Tuesday	St. Ignace	Home	6 p.m.	
11 Friday	Elk Rapids	Home	6 p.m.	
15 Tuesday	Petoskey	Away	6 p.m.	
18 Friday	Boyer City	Home	6 p.m.	
22 Tuesday	Kalkaska	Home	6 p.m.	
25 Friday	T.C. St. Francis	Away	6 p.m.	

February				
1 Friday	Benzie Central	Home	6 p.m.	
5 Tuesday	Harbor Springs	Away	6 p.m.	
8 Friday	E.J.-Homcoming	Home	6 p.m.	
12 Tuesday	Petoskey	Home	6 p.m.	
15 Friday	Elk Rapids	Away	6 p.m.	
19 Tuesday	Roscommon	Away	6 p.m.	
22 Friday	Boyer City	Away	6 p.m.	
28 Tuesday	Kalkaska	Away	6 p.m.	

March				
1 Friday	T.C. St. Francis	Home	6 p.m.	
4-8	DISTRICTS			
12-16	REGIONALS			
23	FINALS			

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL

Coach: Tim Volovsek

December				
7 Friday	Suttons Bay	Home	4:15 p.m.	
11 Tuesday	Cheboygan	Away	4:15 p.m.	
14 Friday	Benzie Central	Away	4:15 p.m.	
18 Tuesday	Harbor Springs	Home	4:15 p.m.	

January				
4 Friday	East Jordan	Away	4:15 p.m.	
8 Tuesday	St. Ignace	Home	4:15 p.m.	
11 Friday	Elk Rapids	Home	4:30 p.m.	
14 Monday	Petoskey	Away	6:30 p.m.	
18 Friday	Boyer City	Home	4:15 p.m.	
22 Tuesday	Kalkaska	Home	4:15 p.m.	
25 Friday	T.C. St. Francis	Away	4:15 p.m.	

February				
1 Friday	Benzie Central	Home	4:15 p.m.	
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18 Monday	Cadillac	Home	6:30 p.m.	
22 Friday	Boyer City	Away	4:15 p.m.	
26 Tuesday	Kalkaska	Away	4:15 p.m.	

March				
1 Friday	T.C. St. Francis	Home	4:15 p.m.	

WRESTLING

Coach: Jamie Breithaupt

November				
29 Thursday	Manton with Farwell	Away	6 p.m.	

December				
1 Saturday	Mancelona Invitational	Away	10 p.m.	
3 Monday	Cheboygan	Home	6 p.m.	
6 Thursday	Sault Ste. Marie	Home	6 p.m.	
13 Thursday	Mio-Ausable			
15 Saturday	w/Houghton Lake	Away	6 p.m.	
19 Wed.	Charlevoix Tourney	Home	10 p.m.	
	Mancelona	Home	6 p.m.	

January				
17 Thursday	Kalkaska w/Frankfort	Away	6 p.m.	
19 Saturday	Rudyard Tourney	Away	10 a.m.	
26 Saturday	Gaylord	Away	10 a.m.	
31 Thursday	Rogers City w/Tawas	Away	6 p.m.	

February				
2 Saturday	Houghton Lake (JV)	Away	10 a.m.	
7 Thursday	St. Ignace	Away	6 p.m.	
9 Saturday	Petoskey Invitational	Away	10 a.m.	
13-14 W/Thursday	DISTRICT-TEAM			
16 Saturday	DISTRICTS-INDIVIDUAL			
20 Wednesday	REGIONALS-TEAM			
23 Saturday	REGIONALS-INDIVIDUAL			

March				
1-2 F-Sat.	FINALS-TEAM			
7-9 F-Sat.	FINALS-INDIVIDUAL			

JV/VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

Varsity Coach: Liz Grunch

JV Coach: Wendy Vites

December				
8 Saturday	ROSCOMMON-INVITATIONAL	Away	10 a.m.	
17 Monday	Harbor Springs	Away	6 p.m.	
29 Saturday	Alma College	Away	8:30 a.m.	

January				
3 Thursday	East Jordan	Home	6 p.m.	
7 Monday	Boyer City	Home	6 p.m.	
10 Thursday	Elk Rapids	Away	6 p.m.	
19 Saturday	Northwood Institute	Away	10 a.m.	
21 Monday	Kalkaska	Away	6 p.m.	
24 Thursday	T.C. St. Francis	Home	6 p.m.	
30 Wednesday	Petoskey w/Grayling	Away	6 p.m.	

February				
4 Monday	Harbor Springs	Home	6 p.m.	
7 Thursday	East Jordan	Away	6 p.m.	
9 Saturday	Grayling Tourney	Away	9 p.m.	
14 Thursday	Elk Rapids	Home	6 p.m.	
21 Thursday	Boyer City	Away	6 p.m.	
25 Monday	Kalkaska	Home	6 p.m.	
28 Thursday	T.C. St. Francis	Away	6 p.m.	

March				
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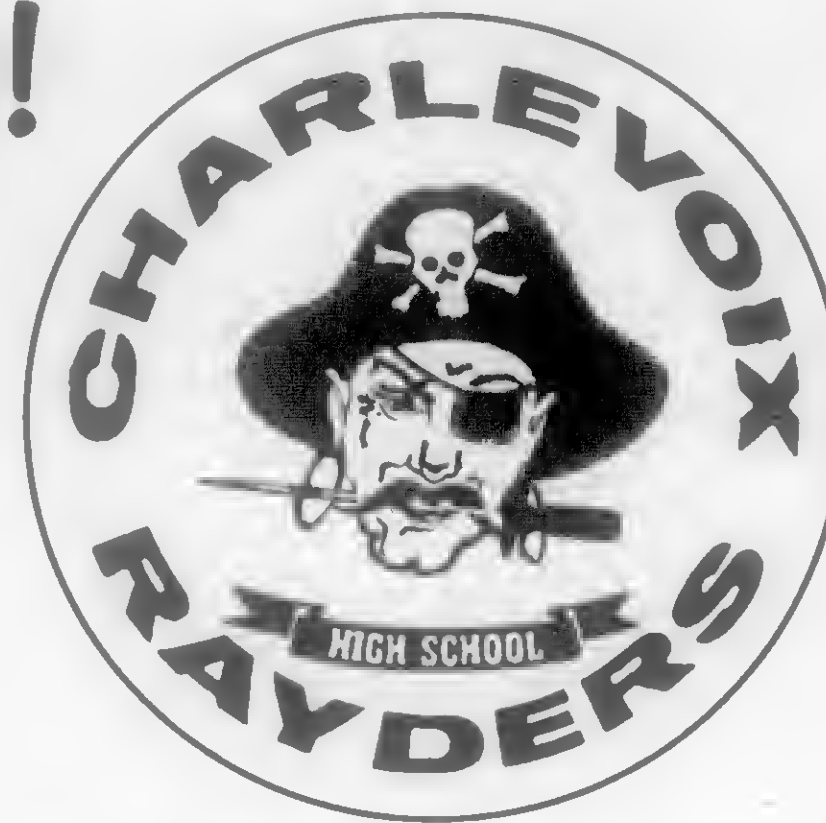
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FRESHMAN VOLLEYBALL

Coach: Lyndsay Biechel

December				
17 Monday	Harbor Springs	Away	6 p.m.	

January				
7 Monday	Boyer City	Home	6 p.m.	
10 Thursday	Elk Rapids	Away	4:30 p.m.	
21 Monday	Kalkaska	Away	4:30 p.m.	
24 Thursday	T.C. St. Francis	Home	6 p.m.	
30 Wednesday	Grayling	Away	6 p.m.	

February				
4 Monday	Harbor Springs	Home	6 p.m.	
7 Thursday	Pellston	Home	6 p.m.	
14 Thursday	Elk Rapids	Home	6 p.m.	
16 Saturday	Harbor Springs Tourney	Away	9 a.m.	
18 Monday	Pellston	Away	6 p.m.	
21 Thursday	Boyer City	Away	5 p.m.	
25 Monday	Kalkaska	Home	6 p.m.	
28 Thursday	T.C. St. Francis	Away	4:30 p.m.	

SKIING

Coach: Sue Miller

Assistant Coach: George Peet

January				
3 Thursday	Boyer Mountain- Scrimage	Away	4 p.m.	
8 Tuesday	Boyer Highlands w/Petoskey	Away	10 a.m.	
10 Thursday	Boyer Mountain-LMC	Away	4 p.m.	
19 Saturday	Invitational-CHX/BC			
	At Boyer Mountain	Away	5 p.m.	
21 Monday	Nub's Nob-LMC	Away	4 p.m.	
31 Thursday	Boyer Mountain-LMC	Away	4 p.m.	

February				
2 Saturday	Invitational CHX/BC			
	at Boyer Mountain	Away	6 p.m.	
11 Monday	League Make-p	TBA		
14 Thursday	REGIONALS-Nub's Nob	Away		
19 Tuesday	LMC CHAMPIONSHIPS			
	AT Boyer Mountain	Away	1 p.m.	
25 Monday	FINALS at Marquette	Away		

Middle school has celebration

The Charlevoix Middle School Celebration took place Nov. 20, with lots of fun and interesting activities for the students.

Under the direction of middle school teachers, Kaye Wasilewski and Jane Garver, there were both off-campus and on-campus activities for the middle school students to choose from. Charlevoix Middle School Celebration is an opportunity for students to try new activities and experiences during the school day.

"Thanks to a lot of cooperation and volunteering of talent and time, we were able to offer the kids some great opportunities to try something that they may have never done before. Community members and the middle school staff couldn't have been more accommodating and fun to work with. Their flexibility and helpfulness really showed how committed they are to our youth," said Dupuis and Haselschwardt.

CMS Celebration offerings included: Jazz dancing and fencing, taught by Harbor Dance Academy; karate, taught by Rich Wojan; ping-pong, taught by Mark Drenth; hair and nails, taught by Shawnee Blanchard; wood-working, taught by Brian Rockafellow and Paul Gelderblom; holiday crafts, taught



Charlevoix Middle School students learned how to fence during the recent celebration. The students took part in many other activities. (Courtesy photo)

by Caroline Smith; Chinese cooking, taught by Tori Fisher; bowling, donut making, ice skating and a private showing of Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone at Charlevoix Cinema III.

The events were planned by celebration coordinators, Molly Dupuis and Sarah Haselschwardt.

Park meeting to be Dec. 6

The City of Charlevoix is hosting a public input meeting for the downtown park renovation project planned for East Park.

The meeting is scheduled to take place at 7 p.m., Dec. 6 in the study hall room at Charlevoix High School.

City Manager Mike Wiesner has stressed this meeting is to discuss renovation ideas for the park area only. At Monday's city council meeting his said changes to the municipal marina will be discussed at a public input meeting in late June 2002.

Wiesner addressed the community concerning the Dec. 6 meeting when he said, "Hope to see you there."

The renovations to the park may start in the fall of 2003, after public comment meetings.

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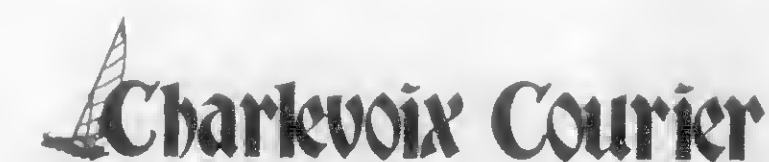
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The deer in the backyard of Jim and Dorothy Willis of Beaver Island.



Kendall Balch Smith and the buck she shot on Nov. 16. It had ten points.



Trevor Campbell and his buck from Oct. 6.



Kevin Campbell and his buck from the Sept. 22 youth hunt in Charlevoix.



Ron Osterland, of St. Clair, and the buck he shot in Charlevoix on Oct. 20.

Jeff Campbell and his buck from Nov. 4.



Jeremy Boss and the buck he shot on Oct. 20.



Michael Jones, of Charlevoix, and the buck he shot on Oct. 31 on Beaver Island.



Jim Wilson and the buck he shot Nov. 15.



A doe captured on film by Heather Jones of Charlevoix while on Beaver Island.

SPORTS

Soccer banquet honors players

The Charlevoix Soccer team recently had its annual banquet and awards ceremony at The Weathervane Restaurant. More than 80 people attended to honor the outgoing seniors and the rest of the 10-9 squad.

Senior Roscoe Serrels was selected Most Valuable Player for the second year in a row, while senior Kyle Tilly and sophomore Scott Friske were awarded the Coach's Award for their effort.

Senior Shawn McDonough earned the Most Improved Player. Serrels and Tilly earned their fourth varsity letters and Spencer Bryan, Trevor Kline, and Travis Smith earned their third. Earning their second was Alax Callihan, Bryce Daly, John DiMartino, Mike Dupuis, Jason Hass, Jake Pace and Craig Stockman. Earning their first were Ezra Baker, Scott Friske, Shawn McDonough and Colin Seguin.

Serrels and Seguin were honored First Team All Conference in the Northern Michigan Soccer League. Bryan and Daly earned second team while Kyle Tilly was Honorable Mention.

Serrels was also named First Team All District as a center mid-fielder while Honorable Mention honors were awarded to Colin Seguin, Travis Smith, Kyle Tilly, Spencer Bryan, Trevor Kline and Bryce Daly.

Coach Josh Block was extremely happy with this year's performance and noted that four of his team's losses came against top 10 teams.

He is also excited about the future of the Rayder program. Next year he returns 12 letter winners, including his entire defensive line, plus leading scorer Spencer Bryan.



Signed to play

Charlevoix senior Scott Parrish recently signed a national letter of intent to play basketball at Lake Superior State University beginning next fall. Scott (front left) was joined by Charlevoix coach Keith Haske (front right), (middle, from left) Faye Parrish, Thomas Parrish, Lisa Parrish, (back) Ken Plude, Jim Parrish and Bret Erkine. (Photo courtesy of the Petoskey News-Review)

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HEALTH

BASES busy teaching about drugs, drinking

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For this article, I thought I would share some of the most recent topics that BASES has been working on.

I'd like to announce that BASES now has a web site through the help of Laurie at LLH Graphics here in Charlevoix. You can find us at: www.bascsteencenter.org

and we hope that it will help to offset the comments that I hear from new customers, "Your business is the best kept secret around." Your comments and feedback would be appreciated.

For those people that have had a hard time reading the small print in our newsletters, now you can download the newsletter from the web site and magnify the print to meet your needs as well as see everything in color.

Last year BASES piloted an educational program at Charlevoix High School where I go to the school and give a presentation to 50 specially selected Peer Educators that represent each of the seminar classes (similar to a home-

The Peer Educators then take the information and share it with the 460 students a few days later.

This year, BASES was asked to come back and do six more presentations during the school year. Peer Educators were involved in selecting a list of "hot topics" to provide our agenda for the year. We started in October and covered "legal issues and consequences" so that teens would know what the legal consequences are for alcohol and drug related offenses. Thanks to the Charlevoix County Prosecutor's office for their help in gathering information and facts to share with the students.

In early November, our topic was "marijuana" to provide information on the most widely used il-

legal drug in the United States. One of the main things we covered addressed the perception that "everyone is doing it."

Last year, many of the Peer Educators believed that 50-80 percent of students were using marijuana. Based on the alcohol and drug survey completed last year, the students learned that only 27 percent of students had reported using marijuana at least once in the past year. In comparison, the national statistics for use of marijuana in 2000 were at 32 percent for tenth graders and 36 percent for twelfth graders (Monitoring The Future Study).

This week we are covering the topic of teen stress. The information for the subject came from

www.teenshealth.org — a great web site for youth related issues.

Upcoming topics for the Peer Educator project include: depression in January, topic yet to be determined by the teens in February and alcohol will be our final topic in March.

BASES had agreed to undertake the project originally without worrying about compensation. As things work out, last week we received a \$500 unsolicited grant from an anonymous donor through the Charlevoix County Community Foundation that will be used to cover expenses for the project. Whoever the anonymous donor is, thank you on behalf of the students of Charlevoix High School.

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BASES offers advice for safe holiday parties

HEALTH

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And lastly, I'd like to share some tips on hosting safe holiday parties that I picked up from a recent article by The National Clearinghouse for Alcohol and Drug Information. Lawsuits have been successful in recent years in holding employers, bars or hosts responsible for serving alcohol to those who have died or been injured in accidents following an event or gathering. Here are a few things to keep in mind:

- Plan games or lively conversation starters to emphasize the group activity and keep the focus on fun — not alcohol.

- Offer a variety of non-alcoholic beverages for those who choose not to drink. Offer plenty of food so

that those who do drink are not doing so on an empty stomach. Avoid salty foods that tend to make people thirsty.

- Never serve alcohol to someone under the legal drinking age and never ask children to serve alcohol.

- If you use an alcoholic punch, use a non-carbonated base, like fruit punch. A carbonated base for an alcoholic punch causes the alcohol to be absorbed into the bloodstream faster.

- Utilize a reliable bartender who is not drinking at the party to mix drinks and keep track of the size and number of drinks that are consumed.

- Stop serving alcohol one hour before the end of the party. Coffee cannot sober a person who has had too much to drink. It takes one hour for the body to metabolize one drink and only time can sober a per-

son.

- If someone has had too much to drink, drive them home or make arrangements for alternate transportation. Just a few drinks can put someone over the legal limit. Having someone remember your party because they spent the night in jail is not something you want.

Be safe, and remember, if you are serving alcohol, you may be held responsible.

P.S. — If you are interested in joining our list of volunteers that we can call for occasional last-minute teen center supervision help, please let us know. Also, we are hosting a teen dance from 7-11 p.m. this Friday for ages 11 — 18. The cost is \$5 at the door.

D. Scott Kelly can be contacted by calling BASES at 547-1144. BASES is located at 208 West Lincoln Street in Charlevoix.



Child at heart

Even adults shared their Christmas wishes with Santa Saturday in East Park. Above, Beth Egler, of Charlevoix, gives her list to Santa. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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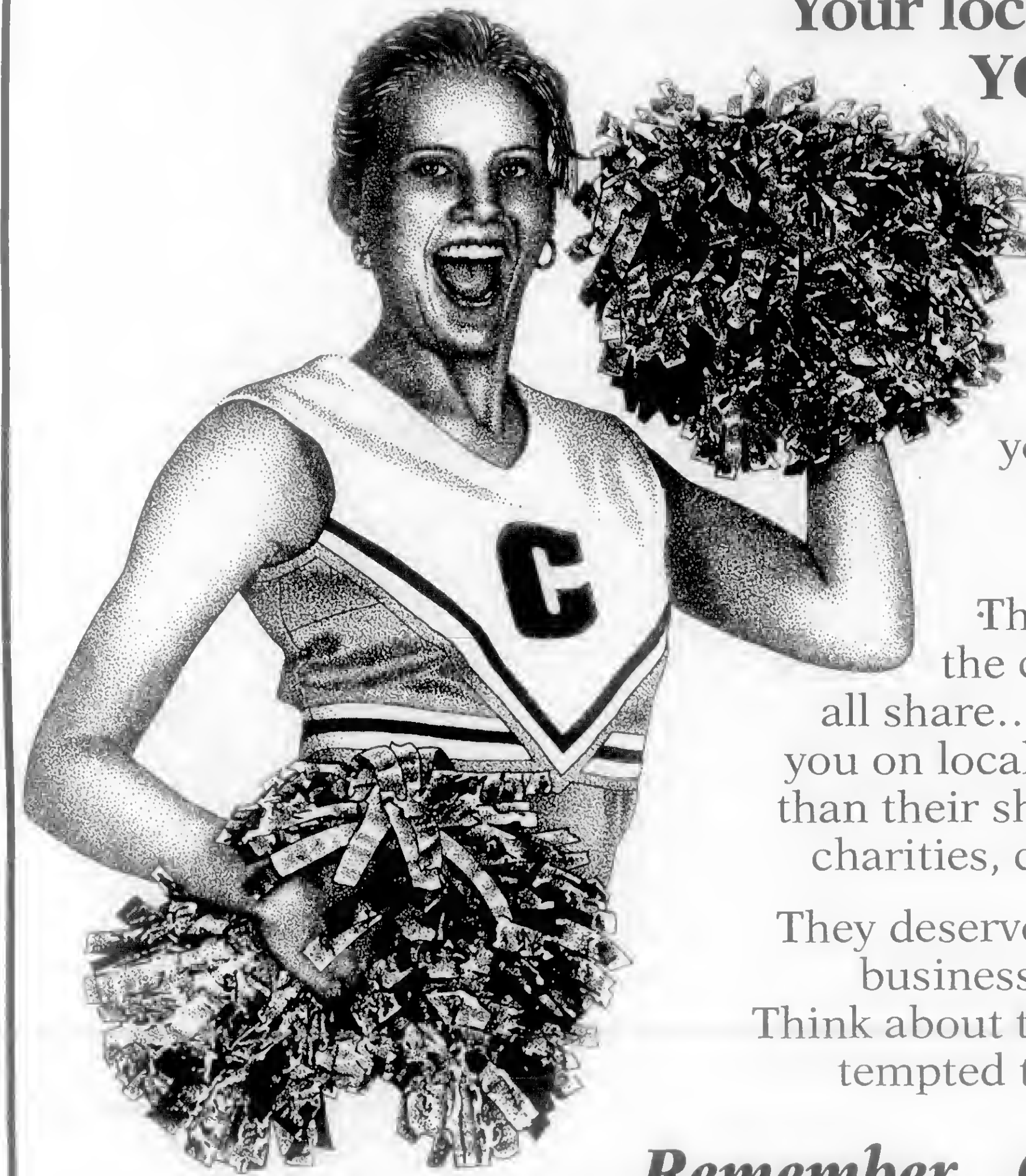
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The holiday season is traditionally a joyful time of the year, but Consumers Energy and the State Fire Marshal warn that it can also be a dangerous one if caution is not exercised with Christmas trees, holiday lighting, candles and cooking.

"We should all pause in the hectic rush of getting ready for the holidays to make sure we are preparing and decorating safely," said Timothy J. Pietryga, senior public information director for the utility.

There were 165 fire-related deaths reported in Michigan in 2000, a significant reduction from the 240 fire deaths reported in

1999. However, in 2000, 90 percent of fire deaths occurred in residential locations. Fewer than 50 percent of the homes affected had working smoke alarms.

"Preventing home fires through safe practices should always be our goal," said Captain Edmund K. Burke, State Fire Marshal. "But when a fire emergency does happen, knowing what to do is the key to survival. Without the early warning of a working smoke alarm, your chances of survival are significantly reduced. The statistics have shown this very clearly."

To greatly enhance your chances of surviving a home fire, have at least one working smoke alarm on

each level of your home, especially near sleeping areas. Test your smoke alarms monthly and replace the batteries at least once a year. Have an escape plan showing two ways out of every room with a designated meeting place outside and practice it with your entire family.

"Give the gift of survival this year," added Burke. "Add smoke alarms, batteries and carbon monoxide detectors to your family's holiday gift list."

Consumers Energy and State Fire Marshal offer these safe holiday suggestions:

- Choose a fresh Christmas tree and water it frequently. Place the tree in a stand that will not tip over

and keep the tree away from heat sources and exits.

- Keep burning candles away from decorations and other materials that can catch fire. Do not leave children unattended in a room with lighted candles. Remember to keep matches and lighters out of children's reach.

- When decorating with lights, purchase only those labeled by a testing laboratory, such as Underwriters Laboratories (UL). Check for frayed or damaged cords and replace them. Don't overload electric outlets and always unplug all decorative lights before leaving home or going to bed.

- Never leave the stove unattended

while cooking. Keep cooking areas clean, wear clothes with tight fitting sleeves and turn pot handles inward on the stove and out of children's reach.

- Special care should be taken around fireplaces during this season. Make sure the flue is open before starting a fire. Never burn wrappings or a Christmas tree in the fireplace.

- When hosting holiday parties, provide guests who smoke with large, deep ashtrays. After the party, remember to check around furniture and trash cans for smoldering cigarettes.

- Always keep a fire extinguisher handy.

Despite staff opposition, rink plan approved

RINK

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Because of these concerns the city staff did not recommend council support building an ice rink in East Park.

City attorney Jim Young advised council at the meeting.

Young said, "If there ever were to be a problem and the city ignored the concerns from staff regarding liability, it would make matters worse."

Kirby Dipert, a member of the merchants association and owner of several local businesses, said to council, "I think everyone is concerned about safety. This isn't something we (local merchants) decided to pursue over coffee. The merchants association has talked actively about the rink for six

months. Everyone will be involved at peak use times to make every effort to ensure safety at the site."

He added, "As a downtown merchant and a parent, I hope you will consider the DDA (Downtown Development Authority) funds."

The aim of the rink is to generate activity in Charlevoix's central business district during the economically slow winter months.

Four of the five council members at the meeting didn't see the city staff's liability concern as outweighing the benefit a downtown rink could bring the community.

First ward councilmen Norman "Boogie" Carlson and Bill Haggard motioned and seconded respectively the approval of the ice rink in East Park.

But second ward councilman Bill Bellows did vote against the

rink. Bellows said he doesn't think two rinks, one at Charlevoix High School and the new addition to East Park, would be used. He added there's also a liability issue to consider.

Third ward council member Shirley Gibson said she sees more of a liability issue with snowmobiles speeding through town than she does with a rink and voted in favor of the project.

Carlson also disagreed with Bellows and gave a first hand account of how both will be used.

He recently spoke with a group of high school girls who said they would skate downtown because they wouldn't be dodging hockey pucks. The downtown rink will be for open skating only.

Second ward councilman Gabe Campbell said to Wiesner, "If you think you can maintain ice, I'm for it. It would look nice downtown."

Wiesner said the unevenness of the ground isn't an issue on the second tier and that will be the 50 foot by 150 foot parcel to be used.

"With the liner and pads, we think we can make ice. There is no temperature difference between here and other sites," Wiesner assured.

The plan for the rink includes snow fencing around the site and the use of used, lit Christmas trees to block wind and mask the snow fence.

Wiesner said in the future, when the marina is renovated, floating docks are installed and the area is bubbled the liability of a rink in East Park would be less. He also said as renovation plans for East Park get underway and if an underground building is included in the design, it would be possible to look at a refrigerated rink to be on top of the building.

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Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

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The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrillie at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Monday of each month. For more information call 547-6321.

American Legion, V.F.W. —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the Legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau

meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Hobby groups —

Charlevoix 4-H Soccer Club meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at the High School Study Hall.

The Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club's general membership meeting is 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information, shooting times and activities, call the club at 547-2785. For membership information, call 547-0552.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Hospital groups —

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild meets at 10 a.m. on the second Monday of the month in the meeting room of the hospital. For more information call 547-8651.

Grandvue Auxiliary meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at the Grandvue Medical Facility in East Jordan.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.



Teddy Bears and Eggnog

The seventh annual Teddy Bears and Eggnog fund-raiser will be from 4 to 7 p.m., Dec. 16 at the Charlevoix Country Club. The event helps to bring Christmas presents to less fortunate children in the community. While children can participate in various activities, adults can relax and enjoy complementary eggnog and snacks by the fireplace. Admission is one gift donation per person. Please indicate on the package what the item is, if the gift is for a boy or girl and age recommended for the gift. For further information or to make a donation, call 547-9796. (Courtesy photo)

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Dubbed the Community Cardiac Response Project, this was a joint effort between the Foundation and the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency of Charlevoix and Emmet counties. The devices, used by first responders and local law enforcement personnel responding to emergency calls of cardiac distress, were given as part of the hospital and the health agency's commitment to outreach in the community.

The device is used to stimulate the heart for patients who are in cardiac distress/arrest. First responders and EMS personnel use the defibrillator at

the scene and while the patient is being transported to the hospital for further treatment.

The Community Cardiac Response Project funds also covered the cost to train first responder personnel in the proper use of the new equipment. The Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency conducted the training sessions. Defibrillators were given to the Michigan State Police in Petoskey, East Jordan Family Health Center, Charlevoix/Emmet County Sheriff departments, the Boyne City, Harbor Springs and Petoskey Police departments, local fire departments along with other area first responders and EMS units.

Each unit cost \$2,595. In all, some 35 units were purchased with the money.



Bert Notestine, of the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency, and Liz Horrom, of the Dean C. Burns Community Health Center, present Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Lasater and undersheriff Don Schnieder with a new defibrillator. (Courtesy photo)

Caregivers should take care of themselves as well

The diagnosis of dementia on a spouse or elder parent usually results in familial changes that affect the person needing care, but it can also alter the life of the one who assumes the caregiving role.

"People can develop dementia from a number of disease processes, including Alzheimer's disease, stroke and Parkinson's disease. While dementia can occur among younger people, it is more commonly seen in older adults," Donna Algase, Ph.D., R.N., professor, University of Michigan School of Nursing, faculty associate at the Institute of Gerontology and director of programs for Acute, Critical and Long Term Care Nursing, said.

People with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias have problems with a wide range of abilities involved with thinking, including memory. Problems with attention, language, judgment and visual-spatial skills such as hand eye coordination can precipitate a range of behavioral problems.

Families, when faced with the need to care for a spouse or parent, often choose to provide that care.

Algase said that often, caring for someone with dementia is a 24-hour a day, seven days a week job and caregivers will become run down if they don't take care of themselves. The caregiver may be up at night responding to the problem behaviors. Then, when the family member takes a daytime nap, the caregiver may be catching up on other responsibilities.

"In fact, the caregiver should be resting too. Fatigue, loss of

sleep, vague physical discomforts or the worsening of a chronic condition are all signs that extra support is needed," Algase said.

When caregiving is long term, the physical and emotional stress can take a toll. These are some of the tips Algase offers her patients' caregivers:

- If your family member has some insight into the fact that memory is slowly vanishing, deal with it honestly with your family member. Don't sweep this issue under a rug.
- Recognize that you won't be able to re-teach your family member what he or she has forgotten. When your family member has a memory lapse, it

is less important to correct the lapse than it is to just fill in the piece of information.

• Focus on older, long-standing memories that are pleasant. Photos, other belongings and music can help the person think of happy times and the good feelings associated with those memories.

• As a caregiver, be realistic

about the future. Even if you have promised to care for your loved one at home indefinitely, that eventually may not be possible. If your physical, emotional, or financial resources are running short, be open to the idea of an outside intervention or moving your loved one to a different facility or setting.

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Charlevoix pool given Frey challenge grant

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The Charlevoix Area Community Pool is looking for financial help from the schools and local governments.

Recently, the pool received a \$50,000 challenge grant from the Frey Foundation. But, in order to get the grant, the pool must come up with \$50,000 of its own money from the government sources and it must do so within the next two years.

"This is a major step forward and a wonderful opportunity for local governmental units to double their support," said Michael Dow, president of the pool.

In response, the Charlevoix City Council voted to give the pool \$6,974.10 at its Monday night meeting.

Dow pointed out, before the Monday night city council meeting, the city did not give the pool financial help. And, other than paying for transportation for its students, the school district does not give financial help to the pool.

Therefore, in order to raise money for the challenge grant, the pool has come up with a couple of challenges of its own.

For the city, Dow said the pool is proposing to create \$1 open swim times in its schedule for the public.

He suggested the city can cover the price difference. Currently, open swim prices are \$3 per person.

Dow said this proposal was created because the city can not give money to a nonprofit organization, such as the pool, unless it has contracted for some service. He added this program will also increase use of the pool by the public.

"This is a great incentive for families to come out and experience the pool. Plus it is a very inexpensive open swim for the public," he said.

For the school, Dow said the pool will challenge it to create a program that will teach all of the children to swim.

"Here we are in our water related community and there is no program to teach children to swim," Dow said. He said the pool does teach children basic water safety, but does not guarantee that each child can swim after the classes.

Dow said a program needs to be created specifically to teach children of the community to swim.

Milt Rohwer, president of the Frey Foundation, said the grant was awarded to the pool for two reasons: 1) Because the pool is very attractive and well maintained and 2) because the pool is used by many people in the community.

"Its numbers are impressive," Rohwer said.



Police and rescue personnel inspect the damaged vehicle that Charlevoix council member Sherm Chamberlain was hit by. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Chamberlain hospitalized

ACCIDENT

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Bridge Street from West Upright to East Upright when the accident occurred.

Ferguson said the impact knocked Chamberlain unconscious

for approximately five minutes.

Chamberlain was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital where he's currently stationed in the Intensive Care Unit. Ferguson reported Chamberlain was "doing better today," Dec. 3.

Ferguson reported Chamberlain's injuries as including: a bro-

ken pelvis, a double fracture to his upper left arm, a broken knee and a had concussion.

Halverson said the accident is still under investigation.

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Court date set

A court date has been set for the fireworks accident at the 1997 Charlevoix Venetian Festival. The attorneys for the plaintiffs have laid out some of their case.

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Season starts



The Charlevoix varsity boys' basketball team started off the new season with a win last week.

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Insurance rates may be lowered

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Many Charlevoix homeowners got a break on their insurance rates because of improvements made to the city's fire department.

Last week the Insurance Service Office (ISO) notified the fire department and the city administration that the company had improved the city's insurance rating.

"We (members of the Charlevoix City Fire Department) have spent the last eight years trying to get this rating improved. Over the years there has been a lot of hard work contributed by everybody. It's a reward to all the people who tried and worked so hard all these years," city fire chief Doug Carver said.

The ISO rates fire departments on their ability and resources to fight fires. Carver explained every 10 years, the ISO rates the effectiveness of the city in three areas: The fire department, the water supply and the dispatch service. For the most recent rating, the ISO inspected Charlevoix's fire department for four days in October 2000.

The rating is done on a scale of one to 10; one being the best rating, 10 being the worst.

The local fire department was last rated 10 years ago and was listed at a seven. Following this year's inspection the department was upgraded to a five.

"This year we received a five because of training, testing and taking care of our equipment. I think we are doing better and this is one way of

proving that," Carver said.

Carver pointed specifically to improvements to the water system, such as work done by the city on new water mains, like those currently being introduced to the system on Michigan and Belvedere avenues.

City Manager Mike Wiesner said when the city worked on its water master plan, it looked at fire protection as a part of that plan.

Charlevoix Township's rating was upgraded a year ago from a seven to a six.

ISO publishes these ratings for use by the insurance industry and the insurance industry uses the ratings to determine homeowner's insurance rates. The new ISO rating for Charlevoix will be published in the Jan. 1 edition of their quarterly publication.

Carver said insurance companies should lower rates in residential, commercial and industrial properties in the city.

Wiesner said he recently received his insurance renewal and he will realize a 5.9 percent reduction in insurance premiums as a result of the rating by the ISO.

The city currently employs 40 fire fighters and emergency medical technicians.



A better rating in fire service by the Charlevoix Fire Department should mean lower insurance rates for homeowners. (Photo by Julie Witthoft)

Input gathered for East Park project

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix residents and visitors recently gathered to draft their East Park wish list.

At 7 p.m., Dec. 6, about 80 people filtered into the Charlevoix High School study hall room where they brainstormed the many possibilities for East Park. Representatives from Ann Arbor's Pollack Design Associates, the firm handling East Park renovation design, were on

"This is really an exercise to see what's important about how the land is used...."

Peter Pollack, of Pollack Design, firm hired to design East Park

hand to absorb the input of the community.

Park additions and subtractions that were mentioned included: the addition of chimneys, a clock and a promenade and renovations to straighten the bulk head and to upgrade the trout pond, bath-

rooms, lighting and the band shell.

"This really is an exercise to see what's important about how the land is used and what we can put in place to facilitate those uses," Peter Pollack, principal of Pollack Design Associates, said

of the meeting's purpose.

"The more permanent things we put in place the less flexible we can be over time. There is a fine line between not enough and too much and we'll have the most fun together figuring out where that line is," he further explained.

One permanent fixture that's proposed for removal is the Wharfside building, located on the water side of the intersection of Bridge and Mason Streets.

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

James Lawrence Kotrys, 22, East Jordan. Motor vehicle driver transporting open intoxicant. Fines and costs totaling \$210.

William Claude Castle, 35, Charlevoix. Driving with no license/multiple licenses. Fines and costs totaling \$240.

Timothy John Bishaw, 24, Ellsworth. Controlled substance-delivery/manufacturing of non-narcotic. Bound over to circuit court.

Daniel Curtis Parker, 40, Charlevoix. Disorderly person-drunk. Community service work for 20 days in lieu of 30 days in jail.

Larry James Ashbridge, 41, East Jordan. Assault and battery. One year probation; no contact with victim; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 79 days held in abeyance; \$690 in fines and costs.

Daniel Russell Anthony, 40, Boyne City. Assault and battery. Jail for 90 days with credit for three days, serve 87 days.

Lorraine Sue Argetsinger, 30, East Jordan. Larceny, under \$200.

Three months probation; letter of apology to the victim; 30 days in jail with 30 days held in abeyance; \$440 in fines and costs.

Jamie Sue Rock, 25, Boyne City. Failure to report accident to fixtures. Fines and costs totaling \$100.

Circuit Court
The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Karl Gene Balch, 31, Charlevoix. Probation violation-driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense. Jail for a minimum of 30 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 379 days.

Shawn David Willis, 27, Boyne City. Attempted sex offender-failed to register. Jail for four months with credit for 24 days, serve four months.

Joseph Edward McCleese Jr., 35, Boyne City. Malicious destruction of fire or police property; and assault and battery. Destruction charge — jail for a minimum of 18 months and a maximum of 48 months with credit for 96 days; and assault charge — jail for a minimum of 90 days, serve 90 days; fines and costs totaling \$241.12.

Joseph Edward McCleese Jr., 35, Boyne City. Probation viola-

tion-driving while under the influence of alcohol-third offense. Jail for a minimum of 18 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 186 days.

Paige Lynn Tobias, 35, Atlanta. Probation violation-third offense. Court recommended mental health and substance abuse treatment; jail for a minimum of 24 months and a maximum of 60 months with credit for 39 days.

David Jay Radle, 20, Charlevoix. Larceny in a building. Two years probation; follow any recommendations from substance abuse assessment; jail for three months with credit for one day, serve three months; \$810 in fines and costs.

Dean David Fish, 19, Boyne City. Attempted sex offender-failed to register. Jail for 30 days with credit for two days, serve 30 days.

Melvin Andrew Wolgamott, 30, Boyne City. Probation violation-conspiracy to deliver controlled substance-delivery/manufacturing (schedule four and marijuana.) Probation revoked; three months in jail with credit for 31 days, serve three months.

Christopher Gerald Rauszer, 40, East Jordan. Driving while under the influence of alcohol-third of-

fense-felony. Conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; a minimum of 18 months in jail and a maximum of 60 months with credit for one day.

Donna Josephine Mandoskin, 40, St. Ignace. Two counts of controlled substance-obtaining by fraud. Two years probation; Conviction reportable to the Secretary of State; license suspended six months; follow recommendations of substance abuse evaluations; nine months in jail with credit for 118 days, serve six months; \$760 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names
The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Bald Eagle Network, 05845 South Ranney Road, East Jordan, by Charles Willette and Linda Ann Willette

Happy Days Day Care, 4045 Thumb Lake Road, Boyne Falls, by Lana Lorencz

L.C. Specialty Merchandise, 5555 Brook Drive, Boyne Falls, by Lisa L. Cunningham

Marriages
The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office: Joshua Rembrandt Dhaseleer, 26, Charlevoix and Tennille Lynn

Chozeski, 24, Charlevoix
Patrick Steven Russell, 29, East Jordan and Tammy Kay Hague, 20, East Jordan

Divorces
The following people were granted Judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Mary Jo McFalls vs. David McFalls

Bruce Henley vs. Norma Henley

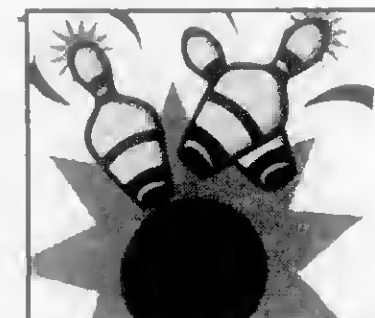
Births

Sullivan Ford, weighing 5 pounds, 8 ounces, was born to Jeremy Bogart and Erin Ford of Charlevoix on Nov. 26, at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Kyle Fredrick, weighing 7 pounds, 5 ounces, was born to Steven and Kelly Boggs of Elmira on Nov. 26 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Weather

	Hi	Lo	Rain	Snow
Dec. 4	50	37	—	—
Dec. 5	54	47	.02"	—
Dec. 6	63	42	.28"	—
Dec. 7	44	35	—	—
Dec. 8	36	28	—	—
Dec. 9	40	31	.05"	trace
Dec. 10	39	31	—	—



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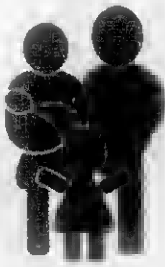
On the front page of last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, the outline for the angels of Charlevoix picture misspelled Koucky Gallery. Also, in the sports tab included with last week's edition, Kyle Winstone's name was misspelled on the junior varsity basketball team.

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Sequel to Bob Miles' book to be printed

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix was settled in the late 1800s and has since blossomed into a twenty-first century community — but how did the area get where it is today?

For a taste of Charlevoix's transition from archaic to modern, one could thumb through a copy of Bob Miles' Charlevoix which delves into the town's long, rich history. That is, if you can find a copy, the book is a limited edition — only 2,000 copies were printed.

In fact, demand for Bob's book is so high that last year it sold on eBay for \$560.

The author died in 1986, 10 years after he published the book. Bob chose 1976 as it coincides with the centennial anniversary of the United States.

Now, a quarter of a century later, Bob's son, Charlevoix native Dave Miles, is grabbing ahold of the reigns and adding to his father's collection.

Dave started working at the Charlevoix Historical Society's museum and headquarters, the Harsha House, in April 2000 and replaced his mother, Esther Miles, on the Historical Society's board in 1997.

"It's important for me to carry on the legacy of my father," Dave said.

He plans to carry on this legacy with a sequel, Bob Miles' Charlevoix II.

The idea was planted in 1998 when Mike Bergeon, vice president of the Charlevoix Historical Society Board, said it was time to update Bob's book.

Dave said a lot of information has filtered into the society over the past 26 years, warranting updates in the book. From there, the work began.

"So many people are unaware of the absolutely incredible history of this town. I have learned the history of Charlevoix is a bottomless well. There are so many great stories that have come out of this town," Dave said.

Dave and a committee of Charlevoix researchers and writers started the book three years ago. The committee is made up of five Charlevoix women. They are: Kay Heise, Mary Ann Chew, Sharon Knutson, Wanda Rann and Carolyn Minch.

Dave assures prospective readers that while the new book, Bob Miles' Charlevoix II, is similar in title and will include some of the information from Bob Miles' Charlevoix, it will not be a clone.

Dave said his father's book was roughly chronological. The second edition will be organized by topic and chronologically within each topic.

In its final stages the sequel will have around 35 chapters/topics including, professions, schools, social life and early settlers and will have at least 350 pages. His father's book was 247 pages.

In preparation for the January 2002 print date, Dave said he has sifted through roughly 10,000 photos and negatives — 300 of which made the final cut. Dave said his favorite part of this intense project has been the photos.

Dave said he has basically been

living at the Harsha House, preparing for the publication. He spent most of the day Dec. 6 picking out photos for the "Bridges" chapter.

"It's the most exhilarating and exasperating thing I have ever done. This is a seven day a week job until we get it to the printer," he said.

Bob's original book sold for \$20 a copy and within three years earned \$40,000 for the historical society.

"That's what built this museum," Dave said as he looked around the memorabilia covered Harsha House.

This, the second edition, will not be a limited edition. For those who partake in the pre-sale of Bob Miles' Charlevoix II, the book will cost \$35. After April 1, the price will go to \$45. Proceeds from the sale will benefit the Charlevoix Historical Society.

The book will be on shelves by Memorial Day weekend.

Order forms will be distributed from various locations including the Harsha House. The society plans to mail 1,500 order forms to historical society members and all of those on the hospital's mailing list. The Harsha House is located at 103 State Street in Charlevoix.

The museum phone number is (231) 547-0373.

The museum hours are from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. They also have evening hours on Thursday when they are open until 9 p.m.

Credit cards are accepted and gift certificates are available.



David Miles shows off the stack of papers that will make up the sequel to Bob Miles', his father's, book on Charlevoix's history. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

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What we think is reality, may not be the truth



Jeremy McBain

'Just a thought'

Sometimes we tend to lose our grasp of reality, especially when it is what we think of our enemies.

We want to think of them in a bad light so much that we twist it into impossible forms and create an image far from the truth. Then we take that image and engrave it into our minds, never wanting to change it.

Reality is something a lot of us do not want to see or accept. We would rather stick with the impressions we have always had. It's easier that way.

I realized this recently when I helped host a group of 13 Russian newspaper delegates for a week. The group wanted to know more about American journalism and business and it was up to the

Charlevoix Rotary Club and me to design training sessions for them. Along with training our guests, the Russian delegates stayed with many Charlevoix residents for the week. I had the honor of hosting one of them.

My guest's name was Konstantin Astafeyev. He was 31 and the general director of a business magazine near Moscow, Russia, along with owning another magazine. In addition to him, the delegation was composed of several other newspaper and magazine directors and owners, many of them under 35.

Before they came to Charlevoix, I was stuck with the impressions I had of Russians while growing up during the Cold War. For most of my life, until the early 1990s, Russians were regarded as the enemy. They were cold, heartless communists who were bent on taking over the world.

They were nothing like us, I thought. I soon learned how wrong I was.

Many times, during that week, Konstantin and I were up late at night talking. We talked about politics, freedom, the press, family, love

and money. While most of the time we struggled to find the right words in our Russian-to-English/English-to-Russian dictionaries, we both seemed to enjoy the conversation.

As we talked I realized, here I was, talking with someone who once was regarded as my country's enemy. Someone I grew up fearing and hating. Someone who was not like me.

But, I discovered Konstantin and the rest of the delegation were more like me and the rest of America than I thought.

Beyond politics, beyond religion, beyond all those "hot-point" issues, he was as human as me. He loved the beauty of a woman, the joy in a child's face, the freedom to think and say as he pleases and the feeling of a job well done. He missed his family and friends, but was excited at the chance to see a new land and meet new people during his trip.

If you couldn't hear his accent or watch as he struggled to find the correct English word, you would think he was an ordinary American businessman.

Here I was looking at the enemy

and all this time my enemy was really a mirror of myself.

To make matters even more interesting, during that visit I took notice of the national news. I noted the cooperation between our two countries in recent years.

Instead of hating each other, we are helping each other. Instead of getting ready to attack our enemy — and they us — we are helping hold each other up.

It's funny to think how someone you could hate one day, can end up helping you the next.

It started me thinking about my everyday life. How one minute I can speak out against the city council and the next support them or how a person can hate me for an editorial one week, but love my editorial the next.

The reality is, no matter how much you dislike an idea or person, you may need their help some day and they may need yours. Why don't we realize this more often?

Why do we put so much into what we think of a person or country based on that person or country's opinion or political philosophy? The reality of what that person

or country is may be completely different than what we interpret from these opinions.

This holiday season, I would like for our readers to think about this. When you find yourself hating a person or group, think to yourself, "Is this reality?"

I think when we start separating our impressions from reality, our community and nation will be an even more wonderful place to live.

Happy holidays.

Jeremy McBain is the editor of the Charlevoix Courier. He can be contacted by calling 547-6558 or e-mailing charlevoixcourier@charlevoix-courier.com.

Side note: Remember to send in your responses to our monthly question. The question is, "What should be done about Charlevoix's summer traffic?" Keep them to about 250 words and turn them into the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; fax them to (231) 547-4992; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or drop them off at our office located at 112 Mason Street. The deadline is 5 p.m., Dec. 28.

Camp is not just for the kids



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

As my mother used to say, "Now I've heard everything!"

When I asked my nephew, Larry and his wife Maryellen, who visited me again from North Carolina, "What did you do with your dog, Coco?" They replied, "We took her to camp."

"Camp?"

"Yes, we take her to Camp Canine and she loves it," Larry said. "Come, I'll show you on the internet — www.campcanine.com."

After booting up, sure enough,

there on the screen is Camp Canine. It is located in Cary, N.C. and we are invited to take a tour and are shown doggy pictures in full color! We read that for overnight stays, pets are promised, "individual personal attention in a clean homelike environment and the staff is interactive with campers for 16 hours a day, 7 days a week."

OK, but in addition there is TV in the community room, music is piped in and there are surveillance cameras.

Naturally, we are told, as in all camps, one may sign up for extra-curricular activities such as a gym class, which is a one hour group activity or there are mountain hikes with individual mini-mountain hiking over a creek and through a nature trail. (But no big bad wolves.)

Camp also offers — and I kid you not — additional group activ-

ities such as watching canine movies with a counselor, including everyone's favorite, "1002 Dalmatians." Not to be overlooked is the tub of cheese buttered "pupcorn" to munch on. No, not for the counselors, but for the pups.

Finally there are bedtime stories to be read to the campers. Honest!

Pet owners are kept informed through a "News-Paw-Per" that among other things advertises an Airport Shuttle Service. "Just leave your car at camp and our driver will chauffeur you to the airport in a minivan."

In addition we learn that owners may enroll in training sessions and seminars, such as, "Learn to walk your dog on a leash," "Control jumping, barking and general attention seeking," "Nutrition" and "Pet First Aid."

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What do you think?

What should be done about traffic in Charlevoix:

Please mail this to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI, 49720, fax it to (231) 547-4992 or drop it off at our office located at 112 Mason Street in downtown Charlevoix. Answers can be e-mailed to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com. Please keep your answers under 250 words and turn them in by 5 p.m., Dec. 28. Remember to sign your opinion.

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Letters to the editor

East Park suggestions

Editor:

Suggestions — Move the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce off Round Lake, remodel the building for marina offices and restroom facilities. If rebuilt, please keep the building on the same side of hill, keep our quaint small town. We also have restrooms in the Beaver Island/Coast Guard building. Remove Wharfside building. We have grants to help and availability to purchase same. With the Wharfside gone we will need to redesign the back of the band shell. Could add on public restrooms for all the park activities. Remodel the pond. Don't elevate East Park. Keep the same soft slopes. Keep the angles of the docks, they blend with the natural shoreline. Keep the walkway along the shoreline. We don't need the clutter up Round Lake with 400 foot docks and a pier. No full time boats at dock slips. Make time limits so more boating families can use the facilities without expansion.

Our harbor and marina are being compared to cities and towns with many alternate routes through town. Charlevoix has one — the bridge. The bridge separates the town in half and everyone has to cross sooner or later. Let's try not to make it any busier. We need to plan for future growth, for future generations, when Big Rock and Cemex become Bay Harbors and the countryside is crowded.

Sandy Beaudoin
Charlevoix

ice rink in East Park. Children, "kids," should not be used as "bait for business." Downtown, near the lake, Bridge Street, traffic.

The last local drowning under the ice on Round Lake was Donald Mol, early 1990s.

Our children cannot be replaced. Thank you.

C. Marilyn Gibbons
Charlevoix

Jesus video coming

Editor:

Residents throughout Charlevoix and East Jordan are about to receive an unexpected gift in the mail. This week, Jesus Videos will be mailed to each address.

In these troubling times, since Sept. 11, our nation and Northern Michigan is filled with many frightened and hurting people. Jesus said: "Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not be afraid." We need hope, and Jesus is our hope.

With Christmas coming, the celebration of Jesus' birth, people throughout the county have donated time and money to get the Jesus Video sent to their neighbors. A lot of people know bits and pieces about what Jesus did, but this video tells the story of his life, as taken from the book of Luke in the Bible. Warner Brothers Studio in Israel produced the video in 1973. It will help people understand who Jesus is and what he can do for them.

Each video is being sent out of the love of area business owners, churches and individuals, who donated \$27,000 to pay for the videos and the mailing. In spring, the Charlevoix County Jesus Video Project hopes to complete the county mailing by using an additional \$14,000 to send videos to residents in Boyne City and Boyne Falls.

Merry Christmas and God bless Charlevoix County.

Lisa Huckle
Charlevoix County Jesus Video Project Coordinator

Thank you

Editor:

I would like to thank the Charlevoix Courier for their article about the Reach to Recovery program of the American Cancer Society. Because of the article, I am now a Reach to Recovery breast

cancer survivor volunteer for the Charlevoix County area.

Anyone (patient, doctor, or nurse) can request a visit by calling either me, at 547-4603, or the Traverse City Coordinator of the American Cancer Society, Teresa Haske, at (800) 723-0370. I am also currently looking for a beauty salon that would be willing to furnish wig styling and other services to breast cancer patients at no charge.

Gay Pung
Charlevoix

Get U.S. out of U.N.

Editor:

When the people are armed, the state can govern, but it cannot rule. The Second Amendment: "A well regulated militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed."

It is almost absurd to have to say it but no person is made safe if his right to defend himself is taken away.

The move to ban gun ownership is well organized and well-financed.

In matters of disarmament, all roads lead to the United Nations. Veteran journalist, William Norman Grigg, exposes the U.N. crusade with his book, "Freedom on the Altar" and now with "Global

Gun Control." He exposes their gun control agenda, he takes the reader to bloody Rwanda and to the Balkans for a close-up look at the U.N. backed civilian disarmament in action.

We must bring pressure to bear, says Grigg, on House of Representatives that would end U.S. membership in U.N. HR 1146 (the American Sovereignty Restoration Act) sponsored by Rep. Ron Paul, R-Texas.

He demonstrates that the U.N. has the same agenda for the U.S. as it did in the above action in Rwanda and the Balkans.

Section Eight of the Constitution states that congress shall have the authority to commit U.S. forces to make rules for government and regulations for land and naval forces.

We do not want the U.S. insignia on uniforms of our soldiers changed to world order insignias.

Resolution to put our army under U.N. command should never be allowed. Plans for Fort Dix to become a U.N. training center should not be allowed.

In the land of the free and home of the brave, the course is clear: Get us out of the U.N., cut off further funds, focus on restoring our institutions at home before our liberties are but cherished memories.

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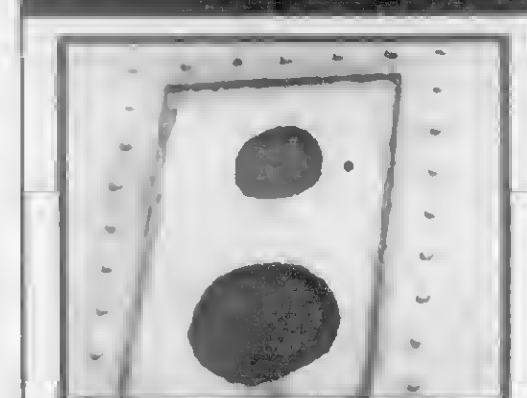
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The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for \$100⁰⁰ that will take place on December 31, 2001.

Answer to the 11/28 Where is it?

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State St., Charlevoix

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GILBERT

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My mouth was still open when we finished watching the screen, and Larry informed me a bit whimsically, "You know, Aunt Edith, when we dropped Coco off at the camp and she saw her counselor, she was so glad to see him, she wagged her tail and ran up to him and began licking him. That's more than she does when I come home!"

"Well," I said, "you better start reading her my Courier Columns at bedtime!"

Edith Gilbert is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. Her columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. She can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by e-mailing her at egilbert@freeway.net.

Northwest to have concert on Dec. 18

The Northwest Academy department of music will present an evening of music for the season on Dec. 18.

You will be able to listen to the first public performance of the Northwest Academy Choir under the direction of Jeff Londgren, the very popular "Four Man Fish'n Tackle Choir," various solos and ensembles, all fifth through twelfth grade students that are currently enrolled in instrumental music and a special guest appearance of Kristin Stutzman performing with the Northwest Jazz Band. The bands are under the direction of Gary Stutzman.

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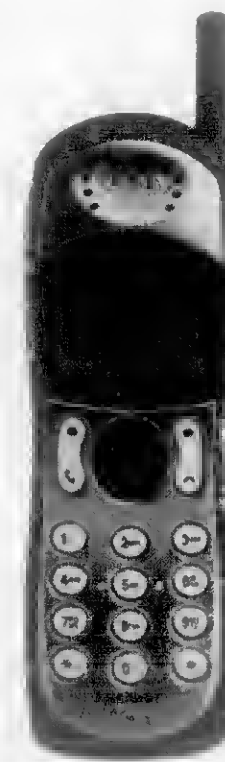
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Reformed Church to have Christmas Cantata

Members of a volunteer choir and instrumental ensemble, more than 60, are preparing for the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix's Annual Community Christmas Cantata.

This year's program, "Sing We All Noel," will be presented at 7 p.m. Dec. 15 and at 6 p.m. Dec. 16 at the Community Reformed Church, located at US-31 north — at the corner of Meech and Oak streets in Charlevoix.

Admission is free and a free will offering will be received to defray expenses.

The choir and instrumental ensemble is made up of community members representing several area churches. The program features the choir singing many familiar Christmas carols enhanced by the instrumental ensemble which includes Laura Potter, Prudy Kurtz, Marcy Bennett, Mary Beth Kur, Mike

Washburne, Dee Hoadley, Ev Wujcik and piano accompanist Theda Williams.

"Sing We All Noel," arranged by Richard Kingsmore, tells the story of Christ's birth using a variety of traditional favorites, with narration provided by Jeff Ricks, Mary Ann Cox, Ron Williams and Nancy Whitley.

For more information about the cantata, call the church at (231) 547-9482.

Obituaries

Doris M. Morlan: March 10, 1925 - Dec. 5, 2001

Doris M. Morlan, 76, of Beaver Island, died Dec. 5, 2001 in Charlevoix.

She was born on March 10, 1925 in Bellaire, the daughter of Delbert and Laura (Wilcox) Mason.

Doris graduated from Bellaire High School in 1941, then moved to Detroit where she worked for Kroger's for 20 years.

She married Thomas A. Morlan on June 12, 1954, in Angola, Ind. They made their home in Detroit, then moved to Coldwater in the early 1970s where she worked for Bargman Recreational Vehicles.

They bought their home on Beaver Island in 1968, then retired

there in 1985.

Doris was a world traveler, having visited Israel five times, as well, traveling to Egypt, Jordan, Africa, Greece, Austria and Alaska, and she maintained pen pals from all her travels.

She was a member of the Beaver Island Christian Church, the Beaver Island Fire Department Auxiliary and participated in several fundraisers for the island community.

Doris is survived by her husband, Thomas, of Beaver Island; sisters, Gladys Matthews of Flint, Zora Smith of North Lewisburg, Ohio, Maxine Babbitt of Gowen and

Bea (Willard) Ransom of Remus; brothers, Dorr (Betty) Mason and Earl (Doris) Mason, all of Bellaire and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by brothers, Glenn, Lee, Carl and Nick Mason; and sisters, Thelma Dewey, Hilda Bradshaw, Ruth Cornett and Dorothy Bailey.

Doris was very well loved by all of her family. A memorial service will be held on Beaver Island in the spring.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the Beaver Island Christian Church. The family is being served by the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

Thomas Hodgkinson: April 24, 1928- Dec. 5, 2001

Thomas Edward Hodgkinson Sr., 73, of Charlevoix, died Dec. 5, 2001 at Northern Michigan Hospital in Petoskey.

A funeral service took place at 11 a.m., Dec. 8 at Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Petoskey. The Rev. Jonathan Arndt officiated. Interment was in Greenwood Cemetery in Petoskey.

Thomas was born April 24, 1928 in Sandusky, Ohio, the son of Willard and Sally (McCartney) Hodgkinson. He graduated from Margretta High School in Castalia, Ohio in 1946. He served in the United

States Army during the Korean Conflict from 1950 to 1952.

Tom married the former Betty J. Meehan on Sept. 12, 1953 in Venice, Ohio and they made their home in Castalia, until moving to Charlevoix in 1967.

He worked 32 years for Portland Cement Company as an analytical chemist before retiring in 1989. He was a member of the Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church in Petoskey and VFW Post 1153 in Charlevoix.

Tom enjoyed hunting and fishing and the out-of-doors.

Tom is survived by his wife, Betty, of Charlevoix; sons,

Thomas (Donna) Hodgkinson of Charlevoix and Gary Hodgkinson of Conway; daughters, Lynn (John) Marquardt of Petoskey and Sandra (Jeffery) Himebauch of Charlevoix; nine grandchildren; brother, Richard (Shirley) Hodgkinson of Castalia, Ohio; stepbrothers, Tim and Ted and stepsisters Gerry and Donna.

Memorial contributions may be made to Beautiful Savior Lutheran Church.

Envelopes are available at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix, where friends called from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Dec. 7.

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

• A vehicle backed into another vehicle around 6:35 p.m. on Dec. 9 in the McDonald's Restaurant parking lot on Bridge Street.

• A 16-year-old Charlevoix girl was caught trying to steal alcohol on Dec. 7 from the Villager Pub on Bridge Street.

• A 20-year-old Charlevoix woman was arrested for being a minor in possession of alcohol and furnishing alcohol to minors around 4 a.m. on Dec. 8 at Pine Cove Apartments on

May Street.

• A 17-year-old boy was caught trying to steal around 8:30 p.m. on Dec. 6 at Ole-son's grocery store on Antrim Street.

• An unknown vehicle struck another vehicle around 2:30 p.m. on Dec. 6 in the parking lot of Charlevoix City Hall on Mason Streets.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 4:30 p.m. on Dec. 4 near the intersection of Bridge and Upright streets. No injuries were reported.



Charlevoix Area Church Services

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Evening Service 6:00 p.m.	Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Philip Starks 547-4221
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Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.	Pastor: Eugene Baughan 536-2161
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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
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Marriage

Keem — Smith

Michelle Marie Keem and Keith N. Smith were married on July 21, 2001 at the Michigan State University Alumni Chapel in East Lansing.

The Rev. Kelly Chapinan performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mike and Mary Keem of Charlevoix. The groom's parents are Chuck and Sally Smith, formerly of Petoskey.

The maid of honor was Amie Livingston and bridesmaids were Terah Lamer, Cathy Craig, Amy (Smith) Reno and Sarah (Moore) Campbell.

The bestman was Marshal Perkins and groomsmen were Mike Tesch, Brandon Oaks, Jeff Reno, Vince Frattinardo and Steve Applebee.

Ushers were Bryan Keem and Ben Caine. Readers were Todd and Tonya Rebig. Jake Porath provided a flute solo.

The reception was at the Michigan State University student union parlor with special guest, Sparty. The wedding cake was made by Frances Cuthbertson, grandmother of the groom. The flowers were provided by Craig Steltvriede, uncle of the groom.

The couple spent their honeymoon in Maine and Nova Scotia. They are residing in Flint.

Michelle is currently employed as a clinical dietitian. Keith is a chemistry teacher at Grand Blanc High School.



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A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

University of Michigan graduate

Michael Saltonstall Post, of Charlevoix, received a bachelor of fine arts degree, cum laude, from the University of Michigan School of Art and Design in May 2001.

Graduate of basic training

Army Private Christopher A. Reeves has graduated from basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Reeves of Charlevoix. Christopher is also a 2000 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

Murray State University graduate

Lisa Lynne Wheat, of Charlevoix, graduated recently from Murray State University in Murray, Ky. with a bachelor of science degree.

Townships agree to donate to pool

Hayes Township and Charlevoix Township agreed to donate to the Charlevoix Area Community Pool's Frey Foundation Challenge Grant at their Monday evening meetings. Hayes Township has pledged about \$9,000 and Charlevoix Township has pledged about \$4,000.

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Public input gathered through meeting

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Pollack updated the audience on the progression of the acquisition and demolition plans for the building. He said the city has an option to buy which may be complete as early as January 2002. Its removal will leave the band shell standing alone in the middle of the park.

This sparked band shell fever in the crowd. Charlevoix resident Dawson Way said he thinks the band shell would better serve the park on the Clinton Street side. Other thoughts were the inclusion of a better sound system at the site.

It has also been discussed that Mason Street, which runs along the south side of the Wharfside, be removed and integrated into the park as green space.

Former first ward Charlevoix City Councilman Bob Timms opposed the transition for this portion of Mason Street. He said his main concerns are parking and access to the dock area by emergency personnel, delivery companies and repair service people.

"My main concern is eliminating the east end of Mason Street. It would destroy 15 parking places and it would eliminate access to the dry hydrant that is down there now," Timms explained.

Pollack said access will be one of the more complicated issues

his design firm will deal with in the East Park project.

No one stood up and echoed Timms' claims about leaving the east end of Mason Street as is, but access was discussed by many.

Round Lake homeowner John Winn said, "I disagree on closing the east side of Mason Street. It would be a real mistake to have a street in the middle of our park. I don't think the city has an obligation to provide boat side parking."

One concerned party, Mary Beth McGraw, director of the Waterfront Art Fair Committee, said the park is used extensively during Venetian Festival, the Waterfront Art Fair and Apple Festival and access should be addressed.

McGraw also said space was a concern. She said currently, her committee sells 10 feet by 10 feet booth spaces and they need 12 feet by 12 feet, so the vendors can have space to store inventory.

McGraw further cautioned those who attended to keep in mind the park's greatest attraction is the lake and anything artificial that's added may take away from the natural beauty that's there.

Additions brought to the table included: a more natural trout pond, a flag pole, a clock, chimneys, the band shell and lighting.

When Timms raised lighting concerns, he was supported by

members of the audience, including Winn.

Timms said, "The lights in the park are atrocious. They almost blind you at eye level. They should be shielded or something so they'll illuminate what needs to be illuminated."

Bob Tambellini, of Charlevoix, said all the possible additions will attract pedestrian traffic and Charlevoix is not a pedestrian friendly town. He challenged the designers to modify the way things currently are to get people from one side of the street to the other.

"We have to do something about the chaotic situation with pedestrians and traffic at the corner of Clinton and Bridge streets," Tambellini stressed.

Tambellini suggested defined cross walks and appropriate signs so people know where to cross.

Michael Buttigieg, of East Jordan, said he's noticed there are few eating areas and suggested adding picnic tables and trash bins to make the site more "user friendly."

Charlevoix resident Dale Boss said he would like to see the bathrooms located outside of the park. Boss suggested using Hoopskirt Alley so when people park in the lot behind the businesses on the west side of Bridge street they can use the facilities.

He said the land is too valuable

to use it for bathrooms.

"Right now, we are porta john city. Everywhere you go, porta johns, porta johns, porta johns," Boss said.

In February, the design company will meet with the Charlevoix Downtown Park Renovation Committee which is working on the East Park/ Chamber Park project.

The committee is made up of mayor Alvin "Butch" Russell, second ward councilman Bill Belows, Downtown Development Authority chairman Hugh Mason, authority member Janine Wallace, city manager Mike Wiesner, harbor master Hal Evans, city police chief Dennis Halverson, city planner Gerry Harsch and city street superintendent John Martin.

Pollack said when he and Christie Dunbar, project coordi-

nator for Pollack Design Associates, return to Charlevoix in June 2002 for a second public meeting, they won't bring a recommendation. Instead, the firm will return with three or four possibilities for the community to review.

Other design possibilities are currently being drafted by the environmental group Water and Air Team Charlevoix (WATCH).

At the conclusion of the meeting Pollack said, "Some of the thoughts tonight are simple and pragmatic and big, like the bulk head. Let's develop the best possible facility and then find a way to fund it. Let's design the facility, cost it and incrementally put things in place. It's really important to use the money wisely and not spread it too thin. Rather, let's do fewer things really well."

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Airport gets upgrade, \$1 million in funding

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

With its recent upgrade in status, the Charlevoix Municipal Airport will receive up to \$1 million in extra funding from the federal government.

The Michigan Department of Transportation recently announced the airport has been elevated to "Primary Air Carrier" status because it is the primary hub for air transportation to Beaver Island and other northwest Michigan islands. This upgrade also makes the airport eligible for federal funding.

According to airport manager Karyn Brooks, this upgrade was also due to an increase in passengers flying out of the Charlevoix airport.

A Primary Air Carrier airport must have at least 10,000 passengers annually. Brooks said the Charlevoix airport has over 13,000 passengers to the islands annually.

This is mostly daily travel to Beaver Island by construction workers and professionals meeting residents on the island for appointments.

"Other than that, we needed to show the Federal Aviation Administration the importance of this airport and its service to the community. We are the ambulance service for the island and provide transportation of other critical services, such as postal service," Brooks said.

This new designation gives the airport \$1 million this year and up to \$1 million every year after this. Previously, the airport was only eligible for about \$150,000 from the federal government.

Brooks said the airport is already in the process of buying some new snow removal equipment and may use some of the money for that. Other uses for the funding this year include the construction of a building to house the equipment.

"Beyond that, I don't know what (the city will use the money for). We will be looking," Brooks said.

She said the city is starting work on an airport master plan. Once that is complete, she will have a better idea of what the additional funding can be used for.

Brooks added a big reason for this upgrade and additional funding was the work by Jim Downer of the Michigan Department of Transportation. Downer put the proposal together and presented it to the FAA, she said.

"I just really thank Jim (Downer) and give him all the credit," Brooks said.



Another deck

Charlevoix High School buildings trades students built a new deck for the press box at Kipke Field. The students helped put the deck on top of the original deck last week. All of the material and the lifting equipment for the project was donated by area businesses. (Photos by Julie Witthoeft)



Employees create book for friend

Employees from the Northwest Michigan Community Health Agency's Administrative offices in Charlevoix have created a cookbook in honor of their good friend and co-worker, Sandy Puhl.

Puhl died last April, after a 2-and-a-half year battle with ovarian cancer.

While reminiscing this past summer about Sandy's love of cooking, a group of employees came up with the idea of a cookbook to gather their favorite recipes as well as Puhl's.

"Everyone was enthusiastic about the idea, and welcomed the opportunity to share their memories of Sandy in a creative way," said Donna Kujat, one of the project's coordinators.

The cookbooks, titled "Per Your Request," contain over 300 recipes in a hardcover format, and are on sale at the Health Department office in Charlevoix for \$10.

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Julie Witthoeft
'Stepping out'

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Sorry to point right at men, but I only know how women work and what many of us want for Christmas. So guys, answer this question, "When was the last time you gave your girl something she really needs?"

And by "really needs" I mean, something other than a blender, a vacuum or a set of Teflon pots and pans. I mean the gift of hot rock relaxation.

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This therapy is pampering and it just so happens that LaStone, one of the latest developments in the massage industry, has arrived in Charlevoix. LaStone originated in Tucson, Arizona in August of 1993 by creator Mary Nelson-Harrington.

This new treatment hit the Charlevoix market this year. Charlevoix resident and reflexologist Mary Lou Smith is trained and ready to deliver.

"The notion is to use heat in combination with massage to benefit the body more medically and therapeutically," Smith said.

After receiving LaStone myself, I found one of its greatest attributes to be long lasting effects. I've found decreased muscle tension from the typical relaxation massage will last that day and into the next.

But LaStone makes you feel like you're walking on air for at least three days. For the skeptics who need scientific jargon to back up claims of thermal therapy relief I offer you this: The process of LaStone involves hot and cold rocks and Swedish massage strokes which means the treatment is not deep tissue.

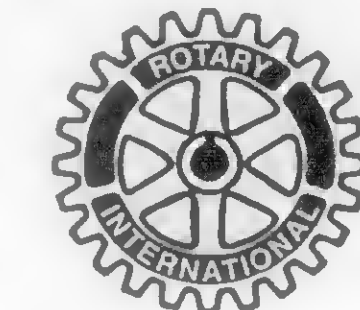
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(Above) Julie Witthoeft relaxes under the warmth of the LaStone stones during her massage. She suggests this technique as a gift for this Christmas. (Left) Mary Lou Smith gets the stones ready for the session. The therapy was invented in Arizona in 1993. (Photos courtesy of Julie Witthoeft)

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Don't try and improvise by administering the treatment yourself; these aren't just any rocks. Hot "basalt" rocks and cold "marble" stones are used. The temperature variations cause a chemical reaction in the body that releases muscle tension and lactic acids and balances the system.

The rocks themselves are harvested in different states across the United States including Montana and even in Michigan's Lake Superior, one of the premier hiding spots of basalt rocks. Basalt stones retain heat for a long period of time.

The size and shape of the stones relate to different body positioning and target areas.

The stones are placed on the body in such a way as to promote healing and relaxation. When I went in for the treatment, I was nervous at first. There I was lying down in front of a lady holding hot, "basalt" rocks, I thought how hot are the rocks and how cold are the marble stones. But Smith walked me through it and deep breathing went a long way.

The hot rock temperature is monitored by a roaster and a cooler keeps the cold ones

chilled.

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Those not familiar with massage should be forewarned the treatment requires you to strip down to your skivvies so the modest woman may not be hip on this.

The moral of this trip to the therapist, guys, this year instead of getting caught up in the Christmas shopping grind, order your girl geo-thermal therapy. Whether she's young or old, chunky or skinny, lazy or active, you can't go wrong with LaStone.

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Lois Becker, massage therapist at Randall Chiropractic Clinic, also offers LaStone massage. She can be contacted by calling 237-0665.



Computer construction

Charlevoix's Northwest Academy students were given new computers recently. In order to make it a learning experience, on Nov. 28 teachers had the students assemble them. A total of 25 computers were given away to students. In order to keep the computers, students are required to keep their grades up in class. Above, Bob Tripp, Hagen Robin and Dave Ruehley work to assemble two computers in the class period. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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December 3, 2001 - 7:00 p.m.

The Charlevoix City Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Alvin Russell presiding. All Council members were present except Council member Sherm Chamberlain.

Adjourned the Hoffman, Soderberg and Kirby request for a change in zoning until another public hearing is scheduled.

Approved funding a portion of reduced-rate swim periods at the Charlevoix Area Community Pool for one year, in response to a 2 year challenge grant offered to the Pool by the Frey Foundation.

Approved construction of an electric substation.

Reappointed Dan Nuttle and alternate Gene Ostling to the Zoning Board of Appeals, Council members Bill Bellows and Gabe Campbell to the Board of Review, Ralph Doan to the Board of Review, Steve Bennett to the Planning Commission and Bob Irving to the Shade Tree Commission. Appointed A.J. Witthoeft to the Zoning Board of Appeals to replace Richard Hodgson II, who recently resigned his position.

Approved an ice rink in East Park, with the City and the DDA working together to ensure public safety.

Council adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

A complete copy of the Council Minutes are on file at the City Clerk's Office, 210 State Street.

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Contractors need licenses to work

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Homeowners should always make sure contractors working for them are licensed according to the Charlevoix County Building Department.

Robert Hilton, plumbing and mechanical inspector for the department, said recently there has been an increase in reports of unlicensed contractors performing work for homeowners in Charlevoix.

However, state code requires that any contractor performing construction work over \$600 must be licensed. Anyone, other than the homeowner, doing any plumbing or electrical work must be licensed as well.

"We would like homeowners to be aware. They should always ask to see the contractor's license," Hilton said. He also invites homeowners to call the building department at 547-7236 or the State Construction Code office at (517) 241-9302 to check a contractor's license.

Hilton said the county building department writes about one ticket a month to contractors doing plumbing or electrical work without a license and about one ticket a week for those doing construction

work without a license.

"We have really been trying to enforce this part (of the code). The hardest thing is homeowners not knowing what the rules are," Hilton said.

Article 24 of the Occupational Code for the State of Michigan states a contractor or builder cannot do any work that costs over \$600 in labor and materials without a license. This includes anyone doing "handy-man" type work.

Contractors and other builders who do not have a license cannot even advertise for these types of jobs, Hilton said.

If a homeowner suspects they had work that was done by an unlicensed contractor, they can contact the Charlevoix Building Department and an investigation will start.

If the investigation finds that the contractor is unlicensed, that contractor can be ticketed for \$500 or 90 days in jail or the county can file charges for fraud. The homeowner can also sue the contractor in civil court.

"Usually, once we prosecute them, we don't see them reoccurring. But, if we get rid of two of them (unlicensed contractors), especially on the building end, it seems like we see another one pop up," Hilton said.



Fund to help Afghan refugees

Notes printed with colorful holiday themes from original block prints designed by the youth of First Congregational Church are being offered to help raise funds to aid Afghan refugees. The group also made miniature white peace doves as tree decorations. Elizabeth Ulrich, and her brother, Adam, are part of the group assisting Cara Hochhalter, (rear) Youth Education Director, who suggested the project. Church World Service describes the situation in Afghanistan as "possibly the worst humanitarian crisis in history." Donations to alleviate the refugee's desperate circumstances will be forwarded to the CWS program of food and quilts for 20,000 of the three million refugees. All supplies are purchased in the region to further benefit of the people.

To order notes and doves or to make a contribution, call the church office at 547-9122. (Courtesy photo)

Annual Christmas light contest Dec. 18

This year Keep Charlevoix Beautiful is sponsoring its sixteenth residential Christmas light display contest.

Judging for the contest will take place from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., Dec. 18.

An overall winner will be selected and recognition will be given to three homes in each of the following areas: North of the bridge, east of US-31, west of US-31 and "out of town" — a four mile radius around the city limits.

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Fireworks lawsuits are scheduled for trial

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

After over four years of settlement discussion, nine plaintiffs claiming damages from the 1997 Venetian Festival fireworks accident will have their day in court.

A final pretrial settlement conference for the nine cases took place in Charlevoix County Circuit Court Dec. 3.

Judge Pajtas ruled those cases that arose following the July 27, 1997 Charlevoix Venetian Festival explosion that killed Charlevoix resident Mark Yager and injured several others, couldn't be settled out of court and will be part of a lengthy jury trial.

The trial will be April 9-12, 15-17, 22-26 and 29-30 and May 1, 6-10, 14-15, 20-24.

The plaintiffs' joint trial brief explained what occurred the day of the accident. The brief states, "This explosion occurred when a 12 inch ball type pyrotechnic shell exploded prematurely while still in the mortar. The explosion shattered the mortar and caused a sympathetic explosion and mortar break in one or more of the adjacent launching tubes."

The plaintiffs state a lawsuit was filed against the defendants seeking compensation for injuries sustained when they

were hit by fragments and debris from the explosion.

The nine plaintiffs are Charles and Diana Craddock, Tadeusz and Janet Dobrowolski, Gary and Bryan Kress, Frances Ladi, James Sr. and Winifred Snider, Mark and Lisa Sokolowski, Laura Wilson, Shannon Wilson and Deborah Yager.

The plaintiffs' brief was filed jointly by their attorneys who are the following: Robert M. Scott is Yager's attorney, Craddock's attorney is Daniel P. O'Neil, Charles F. Glass is the attorney for Ladi, Wilson, Snider and Kress, both Louis G. Corey and Christopher J. Hastings are attorneys for Dobrowolski and John D. Tallman is Sokolowski's attorney.

Scott of Toledo, Ohio, the attorney for the Yager family said, "I'm happy to finally have a trial date."

The primary claim stated in the brief is against Richard Davis, display operator, permit holder for the fireworks display and defendant in the cases. Davis is also owner and president of Fireworks North, a corporation he formed to conduct fireworks displays throughout Michigan.

The plaintiffs argue Davis violated well-known and universally accepted industry standards as well as common sense



A law enforcement officer looks over some of the destroyed fireworks canisters following the 1997 accident. A trial regarding it has been scheduled. (File photo)

in the conduct of the display.

The plaintiffs' brief states, "The most outrageous of his many violations was allowing the spectators to assemble at less than 10 percent of the required separation distance. According to the standards promulgated by the National Fire Protection Association the separation distance for the Charlevoix display should have

been 840 feet."

The brief states the standards used by the fire protection association base crowd separation distance on the size of the fireworks being displayed. It states, "Spectators should be set back 70 feet for each diameter inch of the largest display mortar."

The plaintiffs claim and Davis testified, 12 inch mortars

were used at the Charlevoix display. Thus, according to the fire protection agency's standard, the crowd should have been 840 feet from the trailer but the brief states people gathered 50 feet away.

It states that during Davis' deposition he admitted to having no formal pyrotechnics

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Plaintiffs in fireworks lawsuit state their case

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training. He further claims that before the 1997 Venetian accident he had no knowledge of the National Fire Protection Association or any other of the generally accepted industry standards or guidelines concerning the discharge of fireworks.

The brief further states during Davis' deposition he said he constructed homemade launching trailers to perform the Charlevoix display.

The plaintiffs claim the design of the trailer he used also violated standards for fireworks launching equipment and posed a significant risk of injury.

The plaintiffs also filed suit against Wolverine Fireworks Display Incorporated, a defendant in the case. Wolverine Fireworks Display is a fireworks supply company based in Kawkawlin who sold shells as well as mortar tubes to Davis in 1997.

Davis testified these were used at the Charlevoix display.

However, according to the

brief, no expert has been able to identify the shell involved in the accident as being supplied by Wolverine, as it was consumed in the explosion.

Wolverine Fireworks Display Inc. also sold Davis launching equipment at the beginning of the 1997 season.

The plaintiffs are claiming negligent sale and product liability against Wolverine.

The plaintiffs explain their negligence claim in the brief. It states, "In addition, Wolverine supplied fireworks and launching equipment to Davis despite its knowledge that he intended to handle and display these explosives in violation of industry standards and federal law."

Glen Crawford is Davis' brother-in-law and a defendant in the cases. The plaintiffs' brief states Crawford played a role in the construction of the launching trailer and participated in the Charlevoix display.

Crawford also testified that there were several modifications made to the trailer he and others constructed before the Charlevoix Venetian festival display.

Lawrence Grise, a defendant in the case, played a role in the construction of the launching

trailer and participated in the Charlevoix display.

The brief states, Michael Jaye, a defendant in the case, participated in the Charlevoix display and investigating police officers noted he had been drinking.

Davis and Fireworks North Inc. carried no liability insurance for public fireworks displays.

The court cases are currently consolidated for jury trial. If any of the plaintiffs or defendants involved object to the consolidation, judge Richard Pajtas will hear those objections at 2:15 p.m. Jan. 4, 2002 in Charlevoix County's 33rd Circuit Court.

Motions and briefs for the jury trial were ordered to be filed by Feb. 7, 2002 and responses will be filed by Feb. 21, 2002. Any reply briefs will be filed by Feb. 28, 2002.

A joint pretrial order will be presented for entry by the court on or before March 22, 2002.

At the Dec. 3 pre-trial settlement conference, defendants Hunan Provincial Fireworks and Firecrackers Import/Export Corp., Temple of Heaven and Marvin McKay were dismissed from the case.



Shopping season

A shopper searches for the perfect holiday gift during the Downtown Open House Dec. 1 at Momentum on Bridge Street. Shoppers were seen scouring the stores throughout the day. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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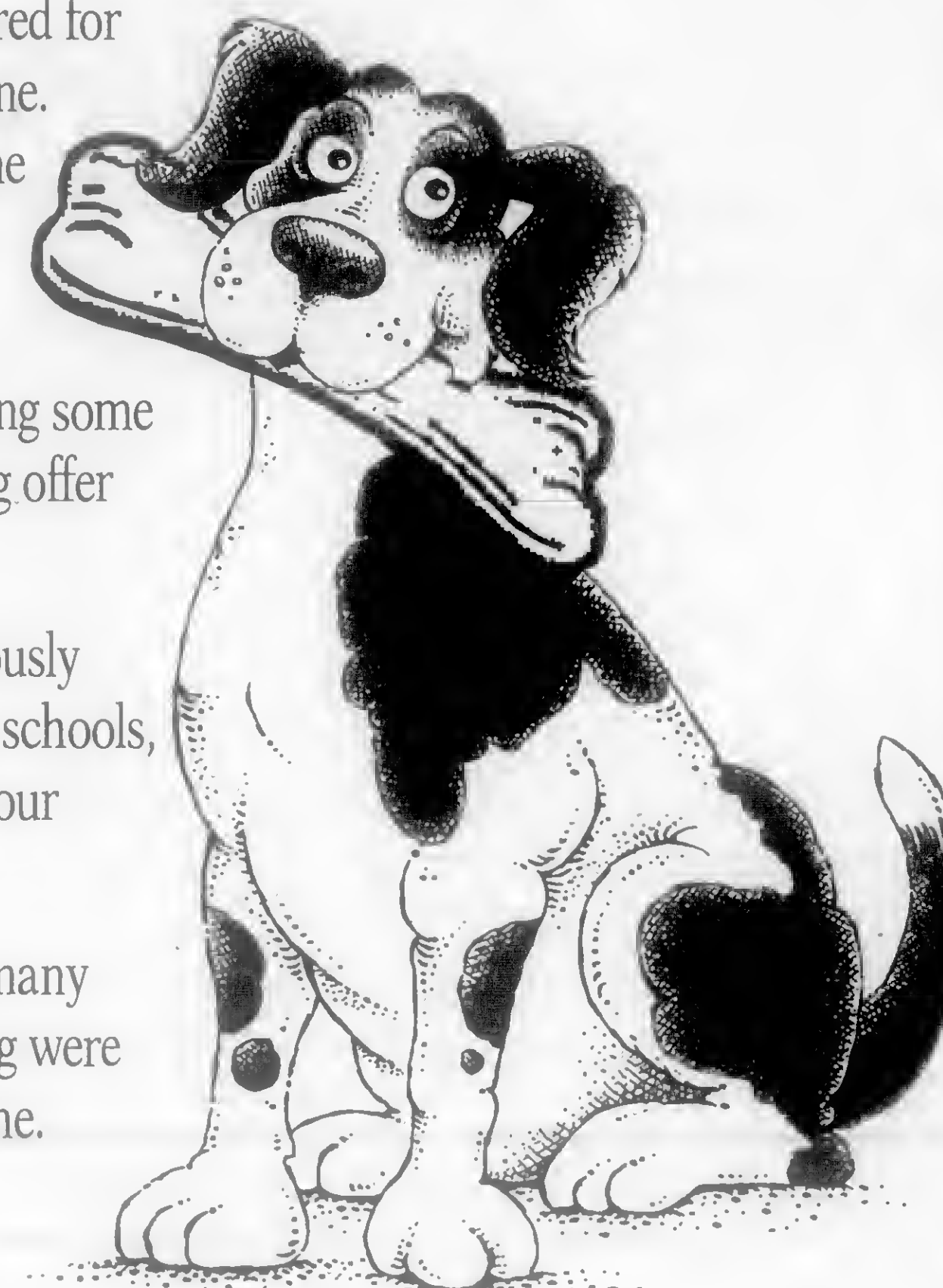
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New school director named

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James Clement	W	L	21	Carl Burby	Series	232	665	Hart	9	15			
James Insurance	27.5	24.5	31	Lianne Moszycky	750	207		MacIsador	9	15			
White Plant & Stan	27.5	24.5	30	Kim Doran	Series	209		Evans/Salmor	6	13			
Central Dry Cleaning	27.5	24.5	30	Joanne Bogert	654				5	19			
Paul's Dry Cleaning	26	26						HIGH SCHOOL SCORES					
Speedy	20.5	31.5	52	Double Deckers Mixed League Nov. 11, 2001				Alne Petro	602	23	Spentane	30	
Team 6	0	52		W	L			John Hovory	574	211	3	Ally Cats & Igal	29
HIGH SCHOOL SCORES				Game	Series			Scott MacIsador	654	207	4	Gayle Calk	29
Don DeYoung	655	225		Spencer	14.5	5.5		Sheryl John	494	204	24	Funny Four	24
Chuck Pack	580	220		Orlando Chamberlain	13	7		Debbie Howe	537	198	21	Has Beens	22
Scott Doran				Blanchard	12	8		Melanie Evans	520	201	19	Twilighters	12
Tuesday Night Ladies at Meadows Dec. 4, 2001				Series	Game			Craino League Dec. 6, 2001				HIGH SCHOOL SCORES	
Don Burry/Lane	W	L		Russell Early/Larry	12	8		W	L				
Angie's Key Club	24.5	21.5	31	Heather/Laakley	11.5	8.5		Brimley Burnel	84	66	44	Kari Schoenheit	585
Janet's Ladies Circle	32	24		Heather/Moszycky	11.5	8.5		Raf Cook	66	44		Maury Dunn	
Valerie's Floral Clinic	28.5	28.5		Whitley	10.5	9.5		Sally Workington	61	49		Edie Polster	580
Paula's Beauty Shoppe	28.5	28.5		Duchowski/McDonald	10	10		Sally Workington	61	49		Edie Polster	580
Paul's Dry Cleaning	26	30		Doran/Cash	9	11		Carol Gambieri	60	50		Jan Bowman	577
Paul's Dry Cleaning	21	35		McFarlan/Russell	9.5	10.5		Christy Kavan	54	50		Maury Dunn	580
Maeger Bus	18	38		Doran/Cash	7	13		Get a Name!	45	65		Dolly Cook	488
HIGH SCHOOL SCORES				Ferguson	4	18		Spuds Cha	42	62		Liz Meadows	468
Series				Game	Series			Get a Name!	42	62			
Andrea Evans	556	200		Chick Brown	Series	290		HIGH SCHOOL SCORES					
John O'Brien	595	195		John Spencer	616	243		Chuck Brock	Series	290		Church League Dec. 5, 2001	
John Merston	524	193		John Ferguson	561	241		Don Brown	428	223		W	
Guys and Gals Mixed Doubles Nov. 18, 2001				Roger Carr	585	213		David Botton	367	194			
Series				Game	Series			Lindie Wyland	367	194		Howard's Optical	311
Horn	18	6						Betty Holtschek	367	199		St. Mary's	408
Neville	17	7						Debbie Storm	347	186		Ferguson & Chamberlain	363
Evans	15	9						Lynette Wald	347			Matchsticks	382
Alene M&E	15	9						Guttert Gals Dec. 6, 2001				Paul Burry/Lane	350
Lane	15	9						Agnesie Supper Club	196	114		Townhouse Bar	331
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Gulovich	12	12						Pink Lady Winies	132	132		Lutherna	276
Proctor/McDonald	12	12						Burger King Ladies	101	179		HIGH SCHOOL SCORES	
Pittman	11	13						Series				Game	
O'Brien	11	13						Jan Pittman	545	193		Randy Del Rio	720
Shaw/Willis	10	14						Mike O'Brien	555	191		Don Porter	642
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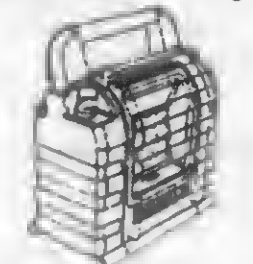
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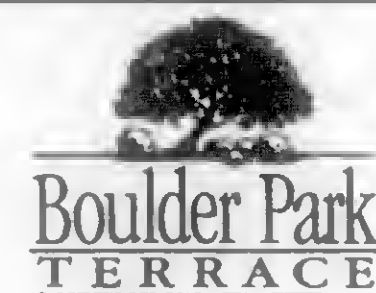
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SPECIAL NOTICES 076

THIS IS TO INFORM MaryBeth Kele, last known address: 208 Mason Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #164. A brief description would be a television, cross-country skis/poles, chair, pictures and clothes. You have until January 3, 2002 to reclaim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US 31 Highway S., Charlevoix, MI 49720. (231) 547-5838.
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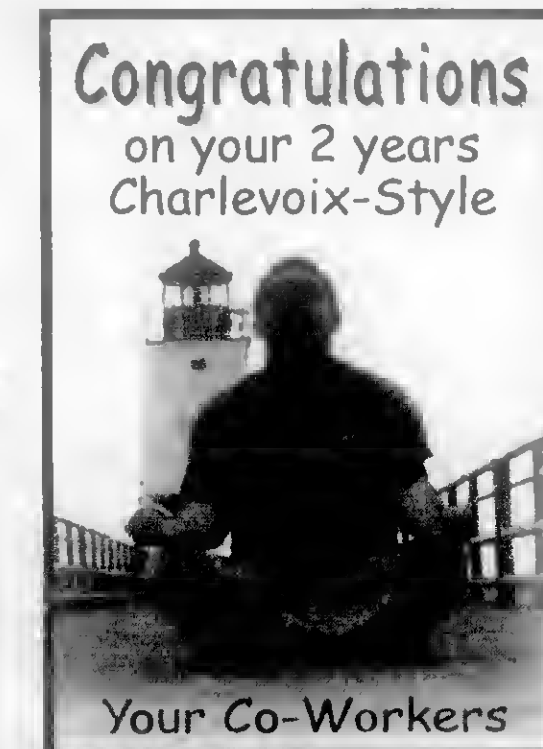
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PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
OF HEARING
File No. 01-010227-NC

In the matter of Jessica Mae Mellios
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including: Those whose address(es) are unknown and whose interest in the matter may be barred or affected by the following:

TAKE NOTICE: A hearing will be held on Wednesday, January 9th, 2002 at 2 p.m. at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, MI before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser P28895 for the following purpose:

The Petition(s) to Change Name filed by Cheri Jean Vallance requesting that the name of Jessica Mae Mellios be changed to Jessica Mae Vallance

Date: 12-7-01

Cheri J. Vallance
P.O. Box 1329/403 4th
East Jordan, MI 49727
231-536-0238

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LEGAL NOTICE 210

STATE OF MICHIGAN
PROBATE COURT
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
PUBLICATION OF NOTICE
OF HEARING
File No. 01-010227-NC

In the matter of Shelley Kay Titus
TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS including: Those whose address(es) are unknown and whose interest in the matter may be barred or affected by the following:

TAKE NOTICE: A hearing will be held on Wednesday, January 9, 2002 at 9:00 a.m. at 301 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan before Judge Frederick R. Mulhauser P28895 for the following purpose:

The Petition(s) to Change Name filed by Shelley Kay Titus requesting that the name of Shelley Kay Titus be changed to Shelley Kay.

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CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

A BIG SUCCESS

With help from the weather, our Christmas Open House was a HUGE success. Congratulations to all those who won gift certificates in the drawing: **\$300 - Ashlee Carter; \$200 - Donna Cross; \$100 - John Fraterick and Flo Wojan; \$50 - Sue Herzog, Joe Powell, Rod Stevens, Crystal Sweet, Karen Tank and Carol Torres.**

To all the businesses who participated - Thanks for a great day! A special thanks to all those who volunteered to make it such a special event: The "Charlevoix" Barbershop Quartet - John Lignell, Bruce Shanahan, Ron Willey, and Byron Wright; Crazy Richard; The Ragamuffins; and the St. Mary's Children's Choir who entertained us as we shopped; Jerry and Vicki Wheat who provided hay rides; and to Charlevoix State Bank for sponsoring the children's movie at Charlevoix Cinema. To all who participated as customers - **Thank You for Shopping in Charlevoix!**

2002 Board of Directors and Officers Announced

Welcome to the following new members of the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors: Jacqueline Mabee, The Clothing Company; Joe Maltese, J.R. Maltese Construction; and to Linda Mason, Mason Interiors who was re-elected for a three year term. Other board members are Kurt Haag, Big Rock Point Restoration Project; Joe Hayes, Attorney at Law; Laurie Lesser-Hodgson, LLH Graphics. Congratulations to the 2002 officers Roger Nesburg, Chairman; John Campbell, Vice Chairman, and Maura Snabes, Treasurer. We also want to thank departing members Jim Kanary, Citizens Bank, and Mark Maynard, CPI Products for their service to the Chamber and community.

Business Briefs

Trademark Clothiers and Morning Glory Gifts & Collectibles will be consolidating the apparel and gift businesses into The New Trademark, which will be located in the facilities presently used by Morning Glory at 113 Bridge Street. The New Trademark will continue to feature ladies fine apparel along with high quality gifts and collectibles. It will also continue with tuxedo rentals, Charlevoix Rolyer wear and varsity jackets.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to newly promoted Lieutenant J.G. Sam Kasten, and Lieutenant J.G. Marc Van Zetta, from the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter, Acacia. To both of you - may this be the first of many promotions!



Annual Meeting

This year's annual dinner meeting will be held on January 10, 2002, at Grey Gables Restaurant. We'll be presenting the awards for the Outstanding Citizen, Ambassador of the Year, and the Chairman's Award. Sean Ryan will provide his usual outstanding entertainment. We thank the following businesses that have agreed to sponsor the event: Big Rock Point Restoration Project, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan, Charlevoix State Bank, Citizens Bank, and Site Planning Development, Inc. This meeting is open to all members of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce. Come for a great time, and an outstanding opportunity to meet with your fellow businessmen.

First Friday Business Breakfast

Our first Business Breakfast in 2002 will be Friday, January 4, 2002 at 7:30am at Grey Gables Restaurant. The speaker will be Greg Shumaker, of Wildlife Management and Nuisance Control. Start off the New Year with a great breakfast, excellent speaker, and networking with your fellow businessmen.

Next Retail Committee

The Retail Committee will meet December 20, 2001, 9am at Stafford's Weatherlane Restaurant.



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Grapplers



Charlevoix wrestlers hosted the Charlevoix Invitational on Saturday. While the team didn't win, it did get some valuable time on the mat.

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Beach bids in, still over cost

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Extensive renovation work is being done at two local beaches, but the work is costing the city more than it anticipated.

A big chunk of the projects at Michigan and Depot beaches are being handled by H & D of Bay

Shore. However, in late October when H & D entered their bid, the city found some of the company's estimates were higher than expected.

The high bids entered by H & D prompted city council to deduct a picnic shelter at Michigan Beach and bathroom facilities at both beaches from the project list and

re-bid them.

The re-bidding process started in mid-November and produced eight bids which were returned in early December, all of which were again higher than the city had envisioned.

The city found itself short \$8,700 for construction of the re-bid items at Michigan Beach and

\$24,000 for the Depot Beach project.

"We found out the original bids (H & D) were pretty close. We certainly have a competitive market (eight re-bids entered). We did get some reduction, but are still short (on budgeted funds). We (the city administration) feel

See BEACH, page 19

We might have snow for holidays

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

According to the National Weather Service, Charlevoix has a slight chance for a white Christmas this year.

"I would still remain optimistic," said Bruce Smith, meteorologist for the National Weather Service.

He said while temperatures are expected to hold slightly above normal until about Christmas, long term weather models show a system might come in around Dec. 25 that will bring significant snow.

Smith stressed that it is difficult to make a prediction a week in advance.

"We are gazing quite a ways into the crystal ball," he said. "It looks like we will have a shot at some snow."

Additionally, he said the Charlevoix area may see some small amounts of snow today and this weekend.

"Neither look like they will be large events," Smith said. Smith added, the area's current lack of snow is due to the jet stream being further south than normal. This is not allowing cold air from Canada into the region.

Roger Nesburg, chairman of the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, said the weather, in combination with a poor economy, has had an impact on some local businesses.

"Winter sports do bring people north. I sure wish the ski hills were going great guns," he said.

Have a merry Christmas



Charlevoix is getting into the holiday spirit. (Above) Students in first through fifth grades gathered in the Charlevoix Elementary School Gym to present parents and teachers with a Christmas carol concert Dec. 14. (Left) Ethyle Marshall, Kay Smith and Cynthia Garland, of the Community Christmas Project, pack gifts for needy children. (Photos by Julie Witthoeft)

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Donna Josephine Mandoskin, 40, St. Ignace. Driving while under the influence of alcohol. Jail for 93 days with credit for 57 days, serve 36 days.

Kevin Randall Potter, 37, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended-second or more. Fines and costs totaling \$635.

Tasha Nickole Curtis, 19, Novi. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; \$200 in fines and costs.

Wayne Keith Cosselman, 49, Boyne City. Driving without insurance; and reckless driving. Six months probation; 33 days in jail with credit for three days, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 20 days held in abeyance; \$810 in fines and costs.

Circuit Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Kathy Ann Brenn, 49, Boyne City. Conspiracy to commit arson of a dwelling house. Court recommended mental health treatment while incarcerated; prison for a minimum of three years and a maximum of 20 years with credit for two days; \$96,945.79 in fines and costs to be paid jointly and severally with co-defendants.

Shannon Michael Rake, 27, East Jordan. Home invasion-second degree. Prison for a minimum of four years and a maximum of 15 years with

credit for 128 days.

Shannon Michael Rake, 27, East Jordan. Attempted controlled substance-obtaining by fraud. Prison for a minimum of 24 months with credit for 129 days.

Lydia Sue Murphy, 44, Boyne City. Attempted fraud-welfare-over \$500. Two years probation; mental health rehabilitation; jail for 12 months with credit for one day, serve three months; \$2,899.63 in fines and costs.

Daniel Joseph Jenkins, 19, East Jordan. Larceny-less than \$200. Jail for 14 days with credit for two days, serve 14 days; \$40 in fines and costs.

Richard Grant DeMastes, 34, Alanson. Probation violation-motor vehicle-unlawful use. Defendant shall continue on probation; jail for 90 days with credit for 30 days, serve 90 days.

Jonathan Lee Snively, 19, Boyne Falls. Attempted breaking and entering a coin operated device; and resisting and obstructing a police officer. Two years probation; substance abuse treatment as recommended by the probation department; jail for 12 months with credit for 81 days, serve eight months; \$1,080 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Advanced Cleaning, 4218 Mt. Bliss Road, East Jordan, by Jennifer Marie Stutzman
American Peace Products, 501 Spring Street, Boyne City, by Kenneth E. Allen

G.L. Shauer, 05169 Church Hill Drive, Charlevoix, by Gary L. Shauer
Bedrock Cut Stone, 3383 Cobb Road, Boyne Falls, by Rory S. Bremer

Marriages

The following people have been granted marriage licenses by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

Michael Scott Merrill, 25, East Jordan and Jennifer Lynn Iser, 22, East Jordan

Matthew Walter Kondrat, 17, Boyne Falls and Diane Marie Gofourth, 16, Petoskey

Kevin Allen Schlickau, 23, East Jordan and Rochelle Rae Harm, 21, East Jordan

Divorces

The following people have been granted judgments of Divorce in the 33rd Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Roxanne Marie Pair vs. Scott Edward Pair

Gaye Schroeder vs. Clifford Schroeder

Karen Lindsay vs. Jeffrey Lindsay

Amelia Elliott vs. David Elliott

Robert C. Gutcher vs. Katherine D. Gutcher

Jennifer Pardee vs. Robert Pardee

Peggy Sue Dario vs. David Michael Dario

Shelby Ann, weighing 8 pounds, was born to Christopher and Tatum McClellan of Petoskey on Dec. 12 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Daniel John, weighing 6 pounds, 9 ounces, was born to Matthew and Marisol Stallman of Charlevoix on Dec. 12 at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports, and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

A radar detector was turned in to the Charlevoix Police Department on Dec. 17.

A 19-year-old Charlevoix woman was arrested around 11 p.m. on Dec. 16 for domestic violence and being a minor in possession of alcohol on West Carpenter Street.

A 42-year-old Central Lake man was arrested around 8:30 p.m., Dec. 15 near the intersection of May and Eaton streets for driving while his license was suspended.

A bicycle was reported stolen on Dec. 15 from Pine Cove Apartments on May Street.

A 20-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 2:30 a.m. on Dec. 15 near the intersection of M-

66 and US-31 for operating a vehicle under the influence of alcohol.

A 24-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 11:30 p.m., Dec. 14 on Antrim Street for driving while his license was suspended.

A vehicle hit a deer around 10:30 p.m. on Dec. 12 near the intersection of Petoskey Avenue and Fairway Drive. The deer was killed. There were no other injuries reported.

There was a two vehicle accident around 12:30 p.m. on Dec. 14 near the intersection of Michigan and Dixon avenues. No injuries were reported.

A 21-year-old Charlevoix man was arrested around 3:30 a.m., Dec. 14 on Petoskey Avenue for driving while his license was suspended.

A vehicle was damaged sometime between 8 and 10 p.m. on Dec. 12 on Clinton Street.

A vehicle backed into a parked vehicle around 4 p.m. on Dec. 10 in the parking lot of the Next Door Food Store on US-31.

There was a two vehicle accident around 2:30 p.m. on Dec. 10 near the intersection of Bridge and Upright streets. No injuries were reported.

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High school implements new rules for gym

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Charlevoix's new school will have some new rules.

In less than a year students and staff will move into the new Charlevoix High School on Marion Center Road. To prep students and community members for the new environment school administrators have made some changes.

The Charlevoix High School gym has been a site of soft drink sipping and pizza eating for Raydor sports lovers ever since the indoor concession stand made the change to bottled soft drinks.

But, in the middle of the varsity

girls basketball season, high school principal Gary Grundman said the food mess started getting bad. So, the school adopted a new policy banning most foods and all soft drinks from the gym.

Grundman said Slurries and other open containers posed challenges to the custodial staff, as this "sticky stuff" isn't easy to clean up.

At the Dec. 10 school board meeting Dr. John Sturock, superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, explained the rationale behind the decision to limit consumption in the gym.

"As we get into the new gym we want to try and protect the facility

"By starting now, we are trying to educate the public as to what the rules will be."

Dr. John Sturock,
superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools

we spent \$15 million on. By starting now, we are trying to educate the public as to what the rules will be," he said.

However, not all school board members agreed with the new policy. Barney Way asked high school principal Gary Grundman if administrators weighed the pros and the cons of not allowing the food products when they had been allowed before.

Grundman said after discussing it with the school custodians and reviewing how the new facility should be treated they found it would be best to ease sports fans, students and players into the new system by starting now.

Not all food and drink have been banned from the gym — popcorn and water are allowed. Other food and drink will be sold at sporting events, but they have to be eaten

outside of the gym.

Grundman said five people had talked to him about the new policy and all agreed it was the appropriate course of action.

Keith Haske, Charlevoix Middle School principal and varsity boys basketball coach said, "I don't think it's unreasonable just to allow water."

Grundman said other changes relating to food products may also be instated at the new school.

Students are currently permitted to snack and sip soft drinks in the hallways during their open period "seminar," Grundman said, once in the new school this privilege may be revoked to protect the carpet.

Business decoration contest winners picked

The winners of the Charlevoix business decoration contest have been announced.

They are:

• Overall winner — Re/Max of Charlevoix. Runner up — Charlevoix Area Hospital.

• Downtown professional — Re/Max of Charlevoix. Runner up — Northern Michigan Title.

• Downtown retail — The Clothing Company. Runner up — Mason Interiors.

• Hospitality — Bridge Street Inn. Runner up — The Lodge Hotel.

• Outside of downtown retail — The Paint Center. Runner up — My Sister's Closet.

• Professional/service manu-

facturing, outside of downtown — Charlevoix Area Hospital. Runner up (tie) — Charlevoix Manufacturing and Haggard's Plumbing and Heating.

Volunteers and judges for this event were: Judy and Jerry Corley, Jasmine Olson, Curt Urani, Jimmy Greenlee and the U.S. Coast Guard Lifeboat Station Charlevoix.

Weather

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Dec. 12	46	30	—	—
Dec. 13	44	38	.39"	—
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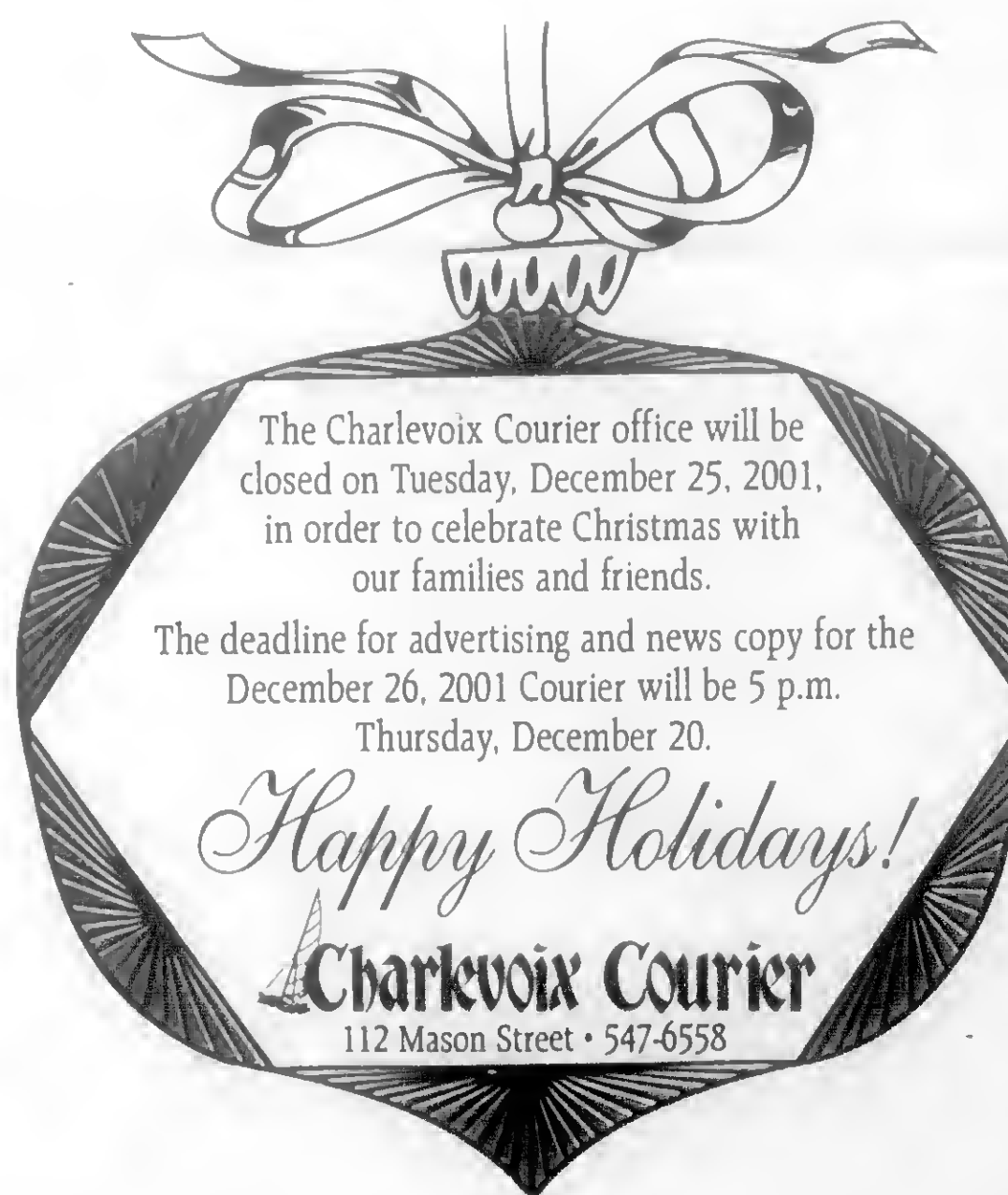
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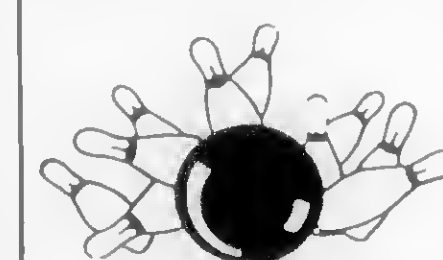
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Correction

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, in the Stepping Out column on page 13, reflexologist and LaStone massage therapist Mary Lou Smith's fax number, 547-8031, was listed. Smith's phone number is 547-8032.

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Keep a tragedy from happening

It is reported all too often in the media around the holidays.

The stories are about the same: a driver loses control of his or her vehicle, smashes into another vehicle at a high rate of speed, someone is killed, alcohol was involved, someone goes to jail and a family mourns the loss of a loved one instead of celebrating the season.

The driver could have been coming from a family holiday get-together, an office Christmas party, a romantic holiday dinner with their loved one or a friend's party.

The driver knew he or she drank maybe a little too much, but they felt fine. The driver felt like he or she could drive safely.

But, the driver's reaction time was slower, his or her vision was poorer and they were really not the safe driver they thought they were.

They always find this out too late. Maybe the second before they lose control of the car, maybe right before they realize they are about to get into an accident, maybe before they see the bodies of their passengers or the people in the

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other car or even maybe right before they close their eyes forever, they realize they were not as sober as they thought.

Too often we in the media have to report on deaths or tragedy that occurs as a result of drinking and driving over the holidays. Too often we have to see the horror that results from it and the pain that is caused by losing loved ones.

And too often do we hear the statement: "I thought I was OK to drive."

We urge our readers as they celebrate the holidays to not drink and drive. Please have fun, but please don't ruin the joy of the holidays for everyone else with a bonhead decision to drive drunk.

Plus, if you see someone about to drive intoxicated, please get a sober driver to take them home. Hide their car keys if you have to, just don't let them drive.

Let's hope the only bells we hear are those of the Christmas season and not of an ambulance rushing to the scene of an accident.

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Should dove hunting be allowed in Michigan?



Roger Knutson
'Ear to the ground'

The Michigan legislature is considering a bill to place decisions about what should be legally hunted in Michigan in the hands of a governor-appointed board of the Natural Resources Commission.

Now on the surface that doesn't sound like a bad idea, but all the debate has been about whether this is a sneaky way of making it possible to hunt doves in Michigan.

Apparently the opponents of the bill under consideration is convinced the Natural Resources Commission favors dove hunting and will initiate it as soon as they are able. Those same opponents feel the legislature, as representatives of the people of Michigan, should make decisions about what is to be legal game in the state.

The debate about doves has quickly polarized into two camps. One camp says hunting is a good and healthy outdoor sport which leads the hunter into a greater appreciation for and support of the environment generally. The opposing camp says, "Why should anyone be allowed to shoot those gentle birds?" Clearly, there is no

compromise in the offing. Some factual information may help us all move toward compromise. We already legally hunt more than 14 species of birds in Michigan. The bird in question is the gray mourning dove, not the pigeon or other birds that might be called doves.

The normal mortality rate for the mourning dove is such that for every 100 birds born, only 13 or 14 survive for two years. That means that they have a reproductive rate that is far above the capacity of any environment to support it.

Doves are no more gentle than other less favored birds and no bird or animal has the sort of human characteristics that we like to give them. They are just doves: They are not kind or gentle or loving or caring. They are birds doing what they must do to survive and produce offspring. The numbers of doves in the state of Michigan will in no way be affected by hunting.

Should dove hunting be decided by a majority vote of either the people of Michigan or their representatives? Hunters are, and will be in the future, an increasingly small minority of Michigan residents and, if hunting as a legal activity is to survive decisions like these, the decision will have to be made by something other than a majority vote.

I hesitate to think of what the outcome of a statewide vote on deer hunting might be. Even deer hunters in their millions are a minority of the voters in the state.

Will many people hunt doves in Michigan? Almost certainly not. Is that a reason to prohibit dove hunting? Almost certainly not.

Both snipe and rails are legally hunted in Michigan and both are much more rare than mourning doves. If put to a vote now do you suppose a majority of people in or out of the legislature would support the hunting of rails and snipe? Most people do not even know what a rail or a snipe is. I was for many years a dedicated hunter of rails and snipe in Iowa, one of three such hunters I knew of in the state.

I don't know if I would hunt doves in Michigan. I understand they are quite tasty and not all that easy to shoot. They fly fast and erratically. I do know that hunting doves in Michigan would have no effect on the numbers of the birds and that people who might not otherwise spend much time outdoors might do so in pursuit of doves.

Tell your legislator that you support both dove hunting in Michigan and the bill to put those decisions in the hands of the Natural Resources Commission and away from the legislature. The legislation is HB 5478.

Roger Knutson is a Charlevoix resident and columnist for the Charlevoix Courier. His columns appear every two weeks in the Charlevoix Courier. He can be reached by calling the Courier at (231) 547-6558 or by writing him at 408 Burns Street, Charlevoix, MI 49720.

Letter to the editor

Thank you

Editor:
The Boyne City Presbyterian Women would like to express their gratitude to the community and surrounding areas for supporting their

annual Christmas Cookie Walk and Holiday Sale that took place Dec. 8. Thanks to all, this fund-raiser was a success.

We greatly appreciate all who participated! Many, many thanks!

Helen Chappell and Mary Lou Gardner

Co-chairpersons of Christmas Cookie Walk

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Crooked Tree gets large grant

The Crooked Tree Arts Center's capital campaign, Building on our Heritage, was awarded a grant of \$52,500 recently at the Fiscal Year 2002 Grant Award meeting of the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs (MCACA).

A special project, titled CTV Grants, entitles any city, township, village, county or recognized municipality to submit a grant on behalf of an arts organization within their jurisdiction. Emmet County wrote a grant to support the restoration and expansion project for the arts center's building on the corner of Mitchell and Division streets in downtown Petoskey.

Crooked Tree Arts Center's director, Dale Hull and development director Donna McDougall attended the public meeting of the MCACA of the Department of History, Arts and Libraries in Lansing.

"This is a wonderful exam-

ple of how arts organizations can bring state dollars back to their hometowns," said Hull.

Support for the campaign has been received from businesses, government agencies, foundations and individuals.

When Bob and Mary Pew, summer residents of Charlevoix, were asked why they pledged their support to the project, Bob Pew said, "Mary and I are interested in the community and in the arts as a whole ... music, dance and all the rest. An emphasis on Arts in Education programs is what drew us to support the programs of Crooked Tree Arts Center, and we are very impressed with the total arts program there. The arts foster a certain level of sensitivity and civility in life."

Crooked Tree Arts Center announced the public portion of the campaign to raise the remainder of the goal of \$4 million of the Building on our

Heritage Capital Campaign in June of 2001. Architectural plans for the restoration and expansion for the facility were disclosed at a press conference on June 26 and are on display at the arts center.

Pledges, cash, grants and gifts in-kind total over \$3,300,000 as of Dec. 14.

A \$400,000 challenge grant from the Kresge Foundation was also awarded in June. To receive this challenge grant, the goal of \$4 million dollars must be met within 18 months. The arts center is actively seeking the remaining \$700,000 and is accepting donations and pledges for the Building on the Heritage Capital Campaign.

Restoration plans of the 110-year-old structure include returning the exterior of the building to its original state including the removal of the aluminum siding. The original Victorian color scheme will

echo the most recent work on the restored landmark tower. A ramp will be added to the Division Street main entrance for greater accessibility. Interior flow of the building will be redesigned with the addition of an elevator and repositioning of staircases. An exhibition hall will be added on the main floor with a new dance studio directly below on the lower level. For comfort of visitors and to meet exhibition standards, a climate controlled environment is an integral portion of the plans. Programming will be expanded and improved, including new music studios, art room and pottery lab.

For more information regarding the capital campaign please contact Dale Hull at the Crooked Tree Arts Center. The arts center is located at 461 E. Mitchell Street, in downtown Petoskey. The telephone number is (231) 347-4337.



Toys for Tots

Toys are still being accepted for the Toys for Tots program at many area businesses, such as Pat McKown Ford, Ace Hardware, Olesons, The Clothing Company, Glen's, Rite Aid, Kmart, Gillings Chiropractic Center, Harbor Industries, Don's IGA, Charlevoix Airport and Suzie's Restaurant in Ellsworth. Please drop off a new unwrapped gift in a box at one of these locations. (Courtesy photo)

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The names of each week's correct guesses will be entered into a drawing for \$100⁰⁰ that will take place on December 31, 2001.

Answer to the 12/5 Where is it?
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Answers for the 12/19 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m.

Friday, Dec. 28.

Only one entry per person per week.

Sorry, but employees of Northern Michigan Review and their immediate families are not eligible for this contest.

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Library story time

Over 20 children and adults gathered in the basement of the Charlevoix Public Library for a "Winter Celebration" from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Dec. 15. Patti Clark presented stories and songs. Children even did a few crafts before snacking on cookies and sipping on punch. Here Clark acts as "Mother Goose" as she tells the children the tale of a boy named Ivan who lost his red glove in the woods. The animals of the forest made it a home. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)



Oh boix

A collection of praises, awards and accomplishments of Charlevoix area people.

Northwood dean's list

Jill M. Ramsey, a sophomore from Charlevoix, was named to the Northwood University dean's list recently. She is the daughter of Gary and Margaret Ramsey of Charlevoix.

Top honors

MacGregor Plumbing and Heating Inc., with locations in Charlevoix and Harbor Springs, recently won top honors in an international marketing competition due to its brochure.

Inducted into the hall of fame

David Irish, of Irish Boat Shop in Charlevoix and Harbor Springs, was recently inducted into the Michigan Boating Industries Association Hall of Fame for the year 2001. The organization determined he had made outstanding contributions to the recreational boating industry in Michigan.



Donation

When the tax refund check arrived for the late Ronald William Haggard, his family decided to honor his memory by donating it to the Charlevoix Historical Society. At the society's recent holiday party, Mary Adams, (right) president of the Charlevoix Historical Society, accepts the donation from Ron's sister, Barbara Haggard Sheets, for maintenance of the memorial rose garden at Harsha House, 103 State Street.

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Keem — Smith

Michelle Marie Keem and Keith N. Smith were married on July 21, 2001 at the Michigan State University Alumni Chapel in East Lansing.

The Rev. Kelly Chapman performed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mike and Mary Keem of Charlevoix. The groom's parents are Chuck and Sally Smith, formerly of Petoskey.

The maid of honor was Amie Livingston and bridesmaids were Terah Lamer, Cathy Craig, Amy (Smith) Reno and Sarah (Moore) Campbell.

The best man was Marshal Perkins and groomsmen were Mike Tesch, Brandon Oaks, Jeff Reno, Vince Fratinardo and Steve Applebee.

Ushers were Bryan Keem and Ben Caine. Readers were Todd and Tonya Rebiag. Jake Porath provided a flute solo.

The reception was at the Michigan State University student union parlor with special guest, Sparty. The wedding cake was made by Frances Cuthbertson, grandmother of the groom. The flowers were provided by Craig Stelivriede, uncle of the groom.

The couple spent their honeymoon in Maine and Nova Scotia. They are residing in Flint.

Michelle is currently employed as a clinical dietitian. Keith is a chemistry teacher at Grand Blanc High School.

Editor's note: Due to an error, we are republishing the wedding announcement for Keem — Smith.

Gagnon — Wegener

Cheryl Ann Gagnon, of Charlevoix and Farmington Hills, and Robert Andrew Wegener, of Farmington Hills, were married Aug. 18 at St. Mary's Church in Charlevoix.

Cheryl is the daughter of Carol and John Gagnon, of Charlevoix. Robert is the son of Robert and Shirley Wegener, of Kawkawlin.

The Father Thomas Neis performed the double ring rites.

The bride wore a modern strapless A-line gown in candlelight ivory with a sautache lace design, covered buttons and a chapel-length train with a fly-away veil. Her bouquet was made of black beauty roses, burgundy snaps, deep purple lis, purple stock and deep greenery.

The maid of honor was Mary Beth Gagnon, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Shelly Thompson, Kelly Prime and Susan Elder.

They wore floor length wine-colored gowns with spaghetti straps with embroidered waists.

Sarah Addy and Emmy Irwin were the flower girls. Spencer Hardy was the ring bearer.

The best man was Bob Wegener, father of the groom. Groomsmen were Rodney Hardy, Todd Dillon and David Gagnon.

John Rathjens and Erik Kunze were the ushers.



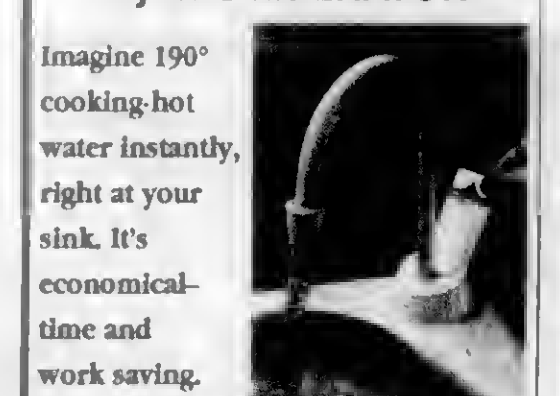
A reception was given at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Petoskey. The couple took a six day wedding trip to Alaska.

They are making Farmington Hills their home.

The bride is a graduate of Western Michigan University and is a high school English teacher in Brighton. The groom is a graduate of Alma College and is the IT manager for DaimlerChrysler in Southfield.

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Vera Irene Hallman: March 25, 1925 - Dec. 17, 2001

Vera Irene Hallman, 76, of Huntington, Ind. and formerly of Charlevoix, died Dec. 17, 2001.

Vera was born on March 25, 1925 in Indiana to Elisha and Irene Murlin Losh.

She was a graduate of Jackson Township High School in Wells County, Ind. She lived her early

years in Wells County before moving to Michigan where she was a secretary with Consumer Power Company in Charlevoix.

She returned to Indiana in October 2001 due to health.

Vera was married to Frank Hallman on Jan. 1, 1981 in Michigan. She had five stepchildren. Her hus-

band preceded her in death.

She was a member of the Horton Bay United Methodist Church.

Vera has one sister, Dorothea Hensley, of Muncie, Ind.

A memorial service will be planned for a later date. Burial will be at Lake Forrest Cemetery in Grand Haven.

Mary Ewing: Feb. 19, 1906 - Dec. 7, 2001

Mary Ewing, 95, of Fort Myers, Fla. and Charlevoix's Sequanota Club, died Dec. 7, 2001 at the Pavilion, Shell Pointe Village, Fla.

She was born in Macomb, Ill., Feb. 19, 1906 to James and E. L. a. n. o. r (Eads) Bailey and married H. e. n. r. y Dewey Ewing on May 11, 1928. He died Dec. 30, 1986 in Fort

Myers.

She is survived by one son, Jack (Virginia) Ewing of Macomb, Ill. and one daughter, Harriet (Brian) Harburn of Seattle, Wash. A brother, Albert, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Ewing graduated from Western Illinois State Teachers College Training School, 1923, and Knox College, Cum Laude, 1927. She was employed as vice-president, marketing and public relations at Union National Bank from 1956 to 1983 and also served as a board

member from 1950 to 1983. Further she served as a board member of the State Bank of Industry in Illinois from 1950 to 1983.

Mrs. Ewing was very active in the community. She was a board member of the American Association of University Women; treasurer, trustee and president of Women's Organization of the First Presbyterian Church; founding member and on Advisory Committee of Girl Scouts; board member Home for the Aging of PEO; trustee of the Iowa Wesleyan College in Mount Pleasant; class chairman for alumni of Knox College; board member of the McDonough County Heart Association, McDonough County Tuberculosis Association, McDonough County Welfare Services Committee and Wesley Village; life member of the Advisory Board for the Salvation Army of Macomb; chair of the Illinois Advisory Council for Small Business Administration; member of Macomb Beautiful and co-chair of the 1982 United Way Campaign.

In 1956 she received the Macomb Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Citizen Award. On the national level,

she was a delegate to the White House Conference on Children and Youth and co-founded the National Association of Banking Women.

Mrs. Ewing also supported Western Illinois University. She was on the Advisory Board to the President (Leslie Malpass); funded, along with her husband, the Mary B. Ewing and H.D. Ewing Scholarship and aided the Western Illinois University Museum. She and Dewey received the coveted Macomb Chamber of Commerce and the College of Business Recognition Award in 1975.

Her past memberships include Altrusa, charter member; American Association of University Women; Fortnightly; League of Women Voters; McDonough County Historical Society; War Dads Auxiliary; XXMD Club; McDonough District Hospital Auxiliary; PEO and Tri Delta Sorority.

Mrs. Ewing will be cremated in Fort Myers, Fla. and buried at a later date in the Oakwood Cemetery in Macomb. At her request no services are planned.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

Lucile J. Martin: Oct. 15, 1915 - Dec. 8, 2001

Lucile J. Martin of Cary, N.C., and formerly of Charlevoix, died Dec. 8, 2001 at the Glenaire retirement community in Cary, N.C.

A funeral will take place at 11 a.m., Jan. 10 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. The Rev. Nancy Rohde will officiate and burial will be in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Lucy was born in Detroit on Oct. 15, 1915, the daughter of Roy E. and Ethel (Ayers) Gustafson. In 1938 she earned a bachelor of arts degree from North Central Michigan College in Naperville, Ill., and later earned her certification in library science at Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant.

She married Robert G. Martin, M.D., on July 10, 1940 in Detroit where they made their home. They later moved to New Jersey and

then to Cheboygan before settling in Charlevoix in 1954. Bob preceded her in death on March 11, 1996 and Lucy moved to Cary, N.C. in 1997 to be near her two children.

Lucy was employed by Charlevoix Public Schools from 1957 until 1979, first as a high school English and speech teacher and later as the middle school librarian.

She was a member of the First Congregational Church and its Pilgrim Circle, where she is still an associate member. She helped establish the Charlevoix Community Food Pantry and was a Girl Scout leader for several years. Lucy was also a member of White Plains United Methodist Church in Cary.

Lucy is survived by her daughters, Ann (Maynard) Sherwin of

Raleigh and Elaine (John St. Laurent) Martin of Naperville, Ill.; son, Paul (Beth Gilbert) Martin of Superior, Wis.; grandchildren, Cynthia (Matthew) Gresham of Houston, Texas, Craig (Alecia) Sherwin of St. Paul, Minn., Monique St. Laurent of Portland, Ore., Caroline Martin of Raleigh and Kristin Martin of Superior, Wis.; brother, Roy J. (Jeanne) Gustafson of Ypsilanti; sister Elinor (Lloyd) Vincent of Phoenix, Ariz.; and many loving nieces and nephews. Lucy was also preceded in death by a granddaughter, Adele St. Laurent who died in 1984.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix. Visitation will take place from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., Jan. 9 at the Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix.

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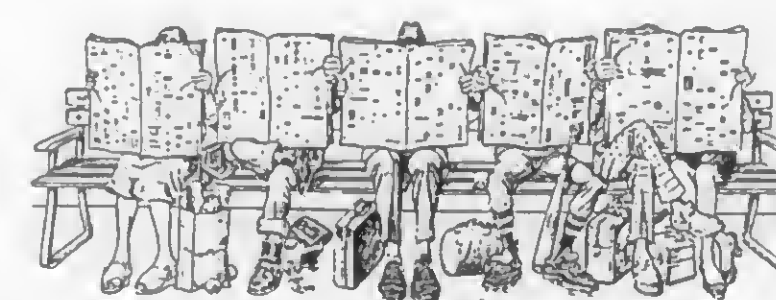
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BUSINESS

Local company doubles its size with expansion

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

Seeing a need for more room and a boom in business, DCL, of Charlevoix, added 24,000 square feet to its building and is hoping to increase its workforce by 10.

Reinhard Matye, president of the company located in the Charlevoix Industrial Park, said the expansion was needed for several years.

"We were running out of room. We were spending much of every day moving things in and out of the way so we could do business," he said.

In addition to this space constraint, the company was also seeing an increase in business, according to Tim English, sales manager for DCL.

"We saw a need to increase our product capacity and capabilities. Customers wanted larger and bigger equipment," he said.

So, the company started an expansion project in late 2000 that would double the size of its building. The new expansion was completed this fall.

This is not the first expansion DCL has seen since it started in 1981.

Matye said when the building was purchased for the business, it was only 6,400 square feet. In 1990, another 12,000 was added.

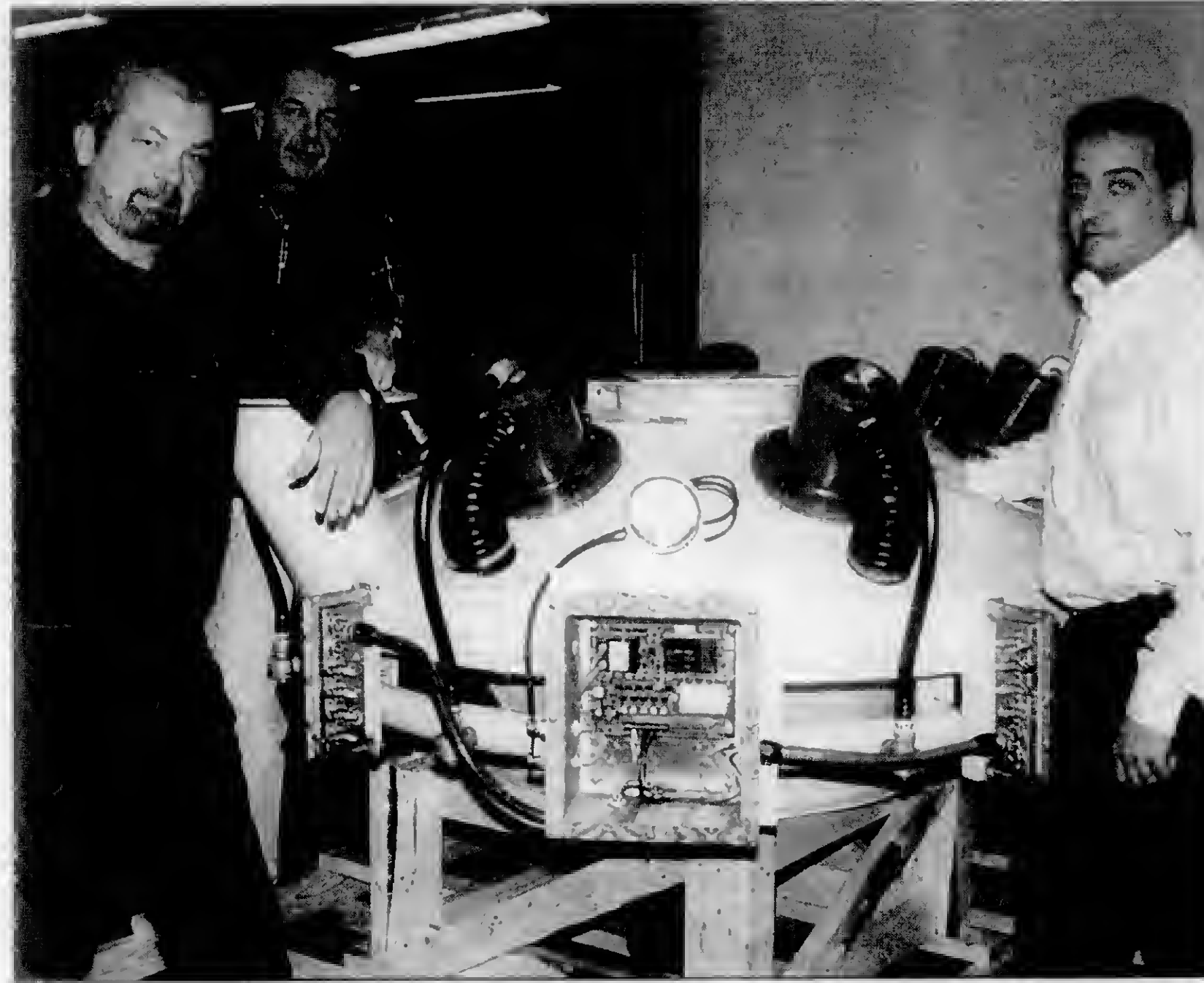
With the additional 24,000 square feet, the building is up to 42,000 square feet. DCL also has a total of 46 employees.

So how does a company experience growth during a recession? Matye said it is timing.

"We serve the right industry at the right time," he said. This is because the company deals with a lot of cement and building trades companies, during a time when there is a lot of construction taking place throughout the world.

Additionally, Matye said the company spends a lot of its resources on research and development of new products, which adds to its growth.

DCL — also known as Dust Control and Loading Systems — manufactures equipment used in the handling of dry bulk materials, such as cement, coal and grain. The company has five product lines, orders from around the world and a new manufacturing plant in India.



DCL founders Reinhard Matye (left) and Warner Egger (center) and sales manager Tim English stand near one of the products manufactured by the company. DCL recently expanded the size of its building. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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Office space planned for former church property

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The site where the parish of Charlevoix's Bethany Lutheran Church used to congregate and worship will soon be office space.

The church started a construction project at a new site located off US-31 North across from the community pool last year. The project increased their available space from roughly 2,500 square feet to almost 11,000 square feet.

William H. McNaughton of Burr Ridge, Ill., and East Jordan closed on the former Bethany Lutheran Church, located at 1403 Bridge Street, Dec. 18.

McNaughton plans to start demolishing the church in February.

Ed Amick, co-owner of Amick Lakeside Realtors and leasing agent for the office facility to be located at the old church site, said McNaughton is planning to start building at the site in April. Amick said both he and McNaughton hope to have construction completed in August 2002.

McNaughton has proposed to construct a one story, 10 suite office building at the one acre site.

The office facility McNaughton calls "Woodland Park" will contain around 12,357 square feet of floor area with 10,503 square feet of usable floor area.

Amick said, "I took a look around and saw what appears to be substandard office space and what I perceive to be a need for some

upscale ground floor office space which prompted us (McNaughton and Amick) to do the project."

The local zoning ordinance requires a building of the dimensions proposed to have 53 parking spaces available and McNaughton has shown his intention to provide 57.

The Charlevoix City Planning Commission recommended certain conditions apply to the property. These include: not stacking snow in the parking lot and only removing snow from 6 a.m. to 1 p.m. so as not to disturb the nearby residential zone.

The office uses are restricted to business/professional offices unless it's demonstrated that there's sufficient parking for other uses. Amick said this means no offices can be leased for retail at this time.

The building at the site McNaughton purchased was built in 1948.

Bethany Lutheran Church Pastor Mike Teuscher said the parish will be moving into the new facility after Christmas. This year, they will celebrate their last Christmas at the old site. Teuscher said they plan to open the new year at a new church. He added the move will most likely begin Dec. 26 and 27.

Teuscher said the decision to relocate involved a number of factors including: the need for more space and a newer facility. He expects a dedication service will take place in late January or early February. The church is waiting for sanctuary furnishings to come in, the furnishings are expected to arrive in mid January.

Nov. 12 the Charlevoix Planning Commission voted to recommend city council approve the development plan review.

At the meeting the commission found the plan complies with the city zoning ordinance, proposes no negative impacts and flows with



This old church property is being planned for an office building. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

the surrounding uses.

Amick said he hopes Woodland Park will open the door for new businesses to locate in the city.

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County decides not to plow on weekends

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Statewide funding cuts hit the Charlevoix County Road Commission's operating budget hard forcing cutbacks in weekend plow service for the 2001-2002 winter.

"We have to cut somewhere, the money is less than last year and we can't keep doing the things we have been," Charlevoix County Road Commission Manager Pat Harmon said.

"I felt there would be a considerable costs savings by cutting the secondary road system (from the plow schedule) on weekends."

At the Dec. 10 meeting of the road commission Harmon recommended that this winter "local roads" not be plowed during ordinary weekend snows. Harmon said the commission supported the cutback.

"Under normal snowfall, we won't plow local roads. If there is

four inches of light, fluffy snow on a local road on a Saturday morning, it won't be plowed. If we have a major snowfall, a foot or 14 inches over the weekend, we are all going to work — our guys will be there," he assured.

County plows will also clear roads for emergency situations. But most of the 370 miles designated "local roads" won't be plowed during winter weekends.

The 34 employees who work for the commission will continue to maintain the county's 75 miles of state highway, its over 183 miles of primary roads and a few miles of its local roads.

Harmon said there are between 10 and 12 roads classified as local roads that function as primary roads and these 10 to 12 will be serviced as primary roads.

Some of these primary/local roads include: Bay Township's Camp Daggett Road, Ridge Road near Eveline Township, Charlevoix Township's Waller

and Mt. McSauba roads and Behling Road in Wilson Township.

This winter's policy is not entirely new. Harmon said when he started with the commission in 1986 the only roads that were always plowed on the weekends were state highways and main primaries.

He said in the last three to four years the Charlevoix County Commissioners voted to increase the winter plow coverage area in an effort to offer residents and visitors "the best service possible."

However, the best service possible recently became impossible to offer.

The county road commission was informed of an executive order issued by Governor John Engler that took away Michigan Transportation Fund money from counties across the state. Engler made the order in an effort to balance the state budget.

Harmon said the order cut \$85,000 of the commission's operating budget.

The local commission's total budget is \$3 million.

Harmon said the state cuts weren't the only unexpected loss in revenue this year. He explained an increase in salt costs has also hit hard.

Salt for the 2001-2002 winter season went up \$10 a ton over last year. The commission carries between 1,500 and 2,000 ton at each of its three garages which are located in Boyne City and Charlevoix and on Beaver Island.

Harmon said the decision to make cuts now was also made to accommodate some of the county's townships in the spring and summer.

He explained 10 of the 15 townships in Charlevoix County have a road millage to raise money for road improvements. And, this money is supplemented by the road commission in a cost

share.

"I didn't want to get caught. I felt it was more important in the spring to participate with the townships in road projects. If we spend a bunch of money this winter, in the spring we would have to say we can't cost share on road improvements. I wanted money left in the budget to continue these policies with the townships next summer," Harmon explained.

Harmon added that the commission has saved money so far this winter as snow hasn't really fallen in Charlevoix County. But, he isn't counting this winter as a snow free fluke just yet.

"I've seen winters like this, when it finally starts snowing and it won't stop for 30 days. There's plenty of time left between now and the end of March," he said.

The Emmet County Road Commission also voted to eliminate routine plowing of local roads on weekends.

Masonic Lodge installs officers

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge 282, installed its new officers for 2002 on Dec. 8.

A special meeting was given that evening to install the officers. It was open to friends and family.

Dr. James Stewart was the installing officer, Charles Davis was the installing secretary, Donald Bowers was the installing marshal and Thomas Carr was the installing chaplain.

Those installed were: worshipful master — Roger Silvertson; senior warden — Richard Sayward; junior warden — William Block; treasurer — John Taylor; secretary — Robert Kelly; senior deacon — Tony Lee; junior deacon — Russell Brown; chaplain — Scott Kelly; senior steward — Ervin Barrett; junior steward — Sam Wilcenski; tyler — David Smith and marshal — Donald Bowers.

After the guests were introduced, all retired to the dining room for refreshments.

The lodge meets, beginning with a 6:30 p.m. dinner served by the Charlevoix Eastern Star, on the second Tuesday of each month. It was chartered in 1871.

The lodge currently has a membership of 121, counting both life members and regular members. Men must be a Mason before they can be a Shriner.

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In speaking with Mr. Certa, he said that the owner of Charlevoix Electric, Ivan Witthoeft was very helpful in not only lifting the structure but was instrumental in setting up the whole process and I am thankful for that.

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Middle school getting ready to move

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

The move to the new Charlevoix High School in Marion Township, scheduled for fall 2002, promises changes for all students in the Charlevoix School District.

Fifth grade students currently attend classes at Charlevoix Elementary School. But, starting in the fall they too will make a move. The fifth grade will join the middle school students making the middle school program one that serves grades five through eight.

This change will open up space at the elementary school which will get rid of its portable classrooms.

All middle school students will move from their current facility, located at 204 Grant Street, into

the old high school located at 108 East Garfield, leaving their current facility vacant.

Superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, Dr. John Sturock said the future of the Grant Street middle school building is uncertain.

"We are getting the building appraised right now. Then the building and grounds committee will sit down and figure out a process," he said.

Charlevoix Middle School principal Keith Haske estimated the middle school will have 440 students next year.

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Haske met with Bret Croneline, an architect with BETA Design — the company handling the design

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Keith Haske,
Charlevoix Middle School principal

of the new high school, to see what changes need to be made to the old high school to accommodate the needs of middle school students.

Haske said the two decided on minimal renovations to the facility, but came up with some ideas to augment the students' learning environment.

He said the middle school is currently looking into doing more team teaching and he suggested the addition of doors in between two rooms to make them adjoi-

ing.

As they toured the site Haske highlighted one of its many benefits — increased space.

"Most of the rooms are bigger — the shop room, the art room, the cafeteria, the gym. Overall it will be more roomy," he said.

Some of the most exciting space is green. Haske said increased outdoor open space will allow for the construction of a playground.

He's also excited about the prospect of having a large group gathering area, with the current

high school study hall room. This will be utilized for instruction of large groups.

He said this room used to have a stage that came out from the rear wall which he hopes to have reinstalled to benefit a performing arts program at the school.

He's also looking forward to picking up another computer lab that teachers will have the opportunity to check out throughout the day.

The middle school will also be expanding their technological opportunities. Haske said the plan is to install a technology lab to be used for career planning classes.

This is Haske's first year as a principal. He said thus far, it has been a success.

"It's really been fun. The kids are fun to be around," he said.

Jeff Haas Trio to be at Crooked Tree Arts Center

The Crooked Tree Arts Center will host the Jeff Haas Trio at 8 p.m., Jan. 11 and 12 in the Ross Stokes Theater.

The group will be featuring Chuck Hall on bass and Alex Trajano on drums with new original music and some very hip arrangements of jazz classics.

"There is magic in a performance and we see it every time Jeff Haas comes to Crooked Tree Arts Center and fills our house with his special brand of jazz. For two years in a row we've had packed houses, so I suggest you get your tickets now. I've got mine," said Dale Hull, director of the Crooked Tree Arts Center.

Joining Haas for tunes from Ellington, Monk and Irving Berlin are special guests, legendary sax man George Benson and Chicago vibraphonist Jim Cooper.

Benson's resume reads like a who's who of jazz including extended stints with Ella Fitzgerald,

Dinah Washington, Errol Garner and Tony Bennett. During the Golden Age of Motown in the 1960s, he was the featured soloist with all the great Motown groups, including the Temptations, Four Tops, Supremes, Marvin Gaye and Stevie Wonder.

Cooper is one of the handful of first call vibraphonists in the country having performed and recorded with a long list of jazz notables. Also joining Haas and his trio will be regulars multi-instrumentalist Rob Smith and percussionist John Alfieri.

Haas, pianist/composer, began receiving national attention in 1996 with his unique blend of Jewish, African-American and European musical traditions.

Combining his passion for two musical traditions and classical music, he has developed a very personal and fascinating musical style. The musicians who join Jeff on stage are incredibly talented and quite well traveled.

Hall, a regular with the Trio since 1992, has performed with jazz legends Dizzy Gillespie, Johnny Griffin and Freddie Hubbard. Smith tours regularly with the Woody Herman Band and was a featured artist on their recent Live in London CD. He is a professor of music at Central Michigan University. Trajano, the newest member of the Trio, performs with a wide variety of groups. Alfieri, an instructor at Interlochen Arts Academy has per-

formed throughout the country with the Eastman Jazz Ensemble.

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Coast Guard warning of winter weather dangers

The U.S. Coast Guard recently warned boaters and sportsmen of the dangers of cold water and the rapidly changing weather of the Great Lakes.

While the weather may be mild, it may be misleading some boaters, fishermen and hunters into a false sense of security, the Coast Guard said in a press release. Every year, outdoor enthusiasts become vic-

tims of cold water's greatest danger — hypothermia and rapid changes in the weather.

Hypothermia becomes the biggest danger after a person enters the water. It begins to set in quickly as the body's core temperature drops below 95 degrees.

One of the keys to increasing your chance of survival is wearing a personal flotation

device, such as a lifejacket or survival suit, the Coast Guard said.

If you find yourself in the water, your first concern is to get out as fast as possible. If there is no way of exiting the water, then try to get as much of your body out as you can, by climbing onto any debris or floating objects.

Get help as soon as possible.

In addition, everybody who lives on the Great Lakes knows how fast the weather can change. If you are not ready on the water, it can be deadly.

The biggest threat this time of year are the gales that sweep the water out of the shallows, leaving boaters and hunters stranded on mud flats, the Coast Guard said. These gales normally bring foul weather

and a drop in temperature, making hypothermia a real threat.

The Coast Guard is suggesting these items when boating on cold waters: A cold weather survival suit, a marine band radio or cellular phone — carried in a waterproof, zip-style bag — and a strobe or chemical light and signaling device, such as a whistle.



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Council member gets beach project bid

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we can budget for this in the upcoming budget and feel we should proceed," city manager Mike Wiesner said to council at its Dec. 17 meeting.

Second ward councilman Gabe Campbell moved to award the entire project to low-bidder, Carlson Home Improvements, a Charlevoix based building company owned by first ward councilman Norman "Boogie" Carlson.

Carlson and first ward councilman Bill Haggard abstained from the vote.

H & D's original bid to reconstruct the concession/bathroom building at Michigan Beach was \$101,390. The city estimated the re-bid amount for the building would be \$86,181.50.

Their estimates were about \$10,000 low. Carlson agreed to construct the new concession/bathroom facility at

Michigan Beach for \$96,429.66.

The second piece removed from H & D's Michigan Beach project list was a picnic shelter, 28 feet by 34 feet. Carlson bid the shelter at \$44,679.86.

H & D is being paid \$347,594.04 for their work at Michigan Beach and the side projects that were re-bid to Carlson are costing the city an additional \$141,109.52. For a Michigan Beach total of \$488,703.56, engineering costs are not part of this figure.

The city originally budgeted \$136,782 from its Lake Michigan Public Improvements Fund to be allocated to the Lake Michigan Beach project and Charlevoix's Downtown Development Authority offered up almost \$100,000 for the project. Adding to the city dollars are those of two granting agencies, the Department of Natural Resources Trust Fund and the Coastal Zone, who combined to offer the city just short of \$300,000 to spruce things up at Michigan Beach.

All these funding sources combined for \$522,182 in estimated funds for the project.

H & D estimated its cost for constructing a bathroom facility at Depot Beach to be \$105,000. During the re-bid Carlson said he could construct the building for \$92,311.99. He will also be installing some sidewalks at the site. Carlson documented his total cost at Depot Beach to be \$99,603.99.

Even though the bid was below H & D's it still left the city \$24,000 short.

Council agreed to fund the \$32,700 shortage for Michigan and Depot beaches in the 2002-2003 budget year.

Carlson said the contract states work on the project must begin within 10 days of signing. He plans to start the Michigan Beach bathroom/concession stand first and then, when the winter weather breaks, he will get started on the picnic shelter at Michigan Beach and the bathroom facility at Depot Beach.



Some of the work on Michigan Beach has already started. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

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By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Jan. 1 will mark the moving date of a long standing business in downtown Charlevoix and the expansion of another.

Trademark Clothiers, a local men's and women's clothing and accessory retailer, has been a fixture at 221 Bridge Street for over two decades. But according to Barney and Kris Way, Charlevoix residents and owners of the store since 1996, "business reasons" have put an end to it.

"We are consolidating for business purposes," Barney said.

The couple made the decision to end operations at the current Trademark Clothiers location in mid October after building lease rates increased. Building owner Fred Dimartino, who started Trademark Clothiers in 1980, said he did increase the rent at the site.

Other factors also played a role in their decision to close up shop including the difficulties they face in operating two businesses downtown. Aside from Trademark Clothiers, Kris and Barney own and operate Morning Glory Gifts at 113 Bridge Street. And, out of town, Barney is co-owner of Dry Harbor Motor Sports.

They explained by scaling operations back to one store they will decrease their overhead costs and limit summer scheduling and personnel issues.

"I think we can provide a better single store than two stores, with more personal service," Kris said.

But they stressed the primary

benefit they see to operating one store downtown is increased time to focus on their family — they have five children.

"I want to be more involved in their (their children's) lives," she said.

So, rather than throwing in the retail towel, the two have opted to consolidate under the name, Trademark. Trademark will be located at the Morning Glory building which Kris and Barney own.

The consolidated store, Trademark, will not offer men's apparel as Trademark Clothiers did, but will offer accessories for men including hats, wallets and belts. Their inventory of fine women's apparel will continue at the new site.

Kris said many concerned residents have asked about Rayder school wear that Trademark Clothiers once specialized in.

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palis? Please lev sumthing
for my mom and dad.
Your Friend,
Carly Thompson

Dear Santa,
I lav you. You are thotfol
to go urownd the wrold
and giv the grls and boys
toys. Ples cum to my hows
kus I have a tret for you.
Your Friend,
Ryder Boss

Dear Santa,
You are the best! I like
rander. I like cooks doo
you like cooks? I like
boys and grls. I lik
milk. I like crismis.
Your Friend,
Greyson Spegele

Dear Santa,
My sester would like
please a merecl doll I
would like a eze bac aven.
Your Friend,
Hannah Herboldsheimer

Dear Santa,
I hope you like pop and
cuces and I am goen to
lev sum caris for the
rader and can you please
bring me a aletric gtr
and a cemishte set with
a micisop and my cur
modl tran with conchrols
and eze bak uvin.
Your Friend,
Chris Young

Dear Santa,
I like cooes. Do you like
cooes? Santa will you
cum to my hous?
Your Friend,
Troy Vandenberg

Dear Santa,
Im going to leve you som
carits for your randears.
Your Friend,
Sierra Louiselle

Dear Santa,
May I have a moovy?
Thak you. Cum thru my
dore. I love you.
Your Friend,
Felicia Habel

Dear Santa,
Please kum to my hous.
I luv you. We hve green
and red cookies.
Your Friend,
Jeremy Whitley

Dear Santa,
How ar you? I hop you
have a grat day Santa.
And I want a amaracin
(girl) dall. I love you
Santa.
Your Friend,
Erica McCormack

Dear Santa,
How duos your radeer
fly? Will you please tell
me? Please? Please can
I have a Noy cumputr
gam please?
Your Friend,
Katie Paramo

Dear Santa,
Please can I have blue
lipstik? I love you Santa.
You are the best!
Your Friend,
Haley Herzog

Dear Santa,
I love Santa but I wish
you would brink my parin
sum thin speshal.
Your Friend,
Kelsea Stevens

Dear Santa,
I love you. Please get
me a robo robot. I am
bringing you cookies for
you and for your rander
I will brg food.
Your Friend,
Kyle Ellis

Dear Santa,
I love sno! I know you
love sno to. My mom and
dads mop is berokin. And
my brother wons teraks.
Your Friend,
Shelby Isaac

Dear Santa,
I wnt a grl cat. I love
Santa. Have a good
Christmas. And will you
brnig my cats toys?
Your Friend,
Paige Ager

Dear Santa,
I wish you can bring me
a pak of cards. Plesae
can me bring.
Your Friend,
Brandon Eubanks

Dear Santa,
I would like a new bike. I
would like a jacknife. I
want a bracelet for my
mom. I would like a game!
Your Friend,
Allan Johnson

Dear Santa,
What do you want for
Christmas? Santa do
you wnat cookies? Do
you want blanket can
you please can you ge
me set of earrings.
Your Friend,
Paige Birier

Dear Santa,
I want a bed macr. Is
Rudolph reel? I will bri
kis. I been good. How
can rade fly?
Your Friend,
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I want racecar track and
cars and a basketbal
hoop tohoree stirs to. I
am goen to gev you rores.
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Devan Drain

Dear Santa,
I hope at you have a good
Christmas. Can you get
my mom and Dad and
Santa will you get me a
dog. Santa I love you.
Your Friend,
Autumn Sobleski

Dear Santa,
I want a bear and I want
Rudolph and I want a
playset and I want a yo
yo and I want pogstick
and I wa sant I am go to
give you some cookies.
Your Friend,
Anna Way

Dear Santa,
Please can I have a pole-
man. I will giv you cuces.
Your Friend,
Drew Seymour

Dear Santa,
I want a jackknife and all
I want for Christmas is
my to front teeth. Is
rudolph really real?
Your Friend,
Justin Erskine

Dear Santa,
Will you get me sode
games, a cd's player. and
some thin for my family.
I haev brigtot what will
you get me.
Your Friend,
Jarod Reibel

Dear Santa,
I hope I git a present
and I hope I be good.
How is Rudolph and I
hope I git lots uf fun.
Santa is nice.
Your Friend,
Matthew Steele

Dear Santa,
I want a beach ball. I
want a small white board.
Is Rudolph really rea?
Your Friend,
Adam Russell

Dear Santa,
I want gooeey animals
things. I want a pogo-
stick. I want a bead kit
where I can string bead.
I want lava lamp.
Your Friend,
Grace Glenney

Dear Santa,
What are you get me?
Is Rudolph real? I been
good. I want a blueva
hot lava lamp.
Your Friend,
Jordan Jelinek

Dear Santa,
Is Rudolph real? I want
a pig. I want a tau tran.
I want a gam for my
gamboy. Can Rudolphs
nos rile lit up?
Your Friend,
Chandler Novotny

Dear Santa,
Santa, I wd have a catn.
Santa, I will lef you sam
chaklit chip cacees.
Your Friend,
Haylee Stoops

Dear Santa,
Please could I have somi
pak of pokemon cards.
Could I have a pasashain
and a gaboy and a
snowboarded and a trdo
sixdefour gam and with
the gaboy lea could I
have ga. I will lev you cos.
Your Friend,
Joshua Wade

Dear Santa,
I will lev you a glas av
mlc. Please can I get a
remotrantiid barot.
Your Friend,
Sawyer Russell

Dear Santa,
Could I plesse Have a new
Barbie? My Mother meics
the bests cokies and I
wold gev you som melck.
Your Friend,
Zuleima Garcia

Dear Santa,
I will put out kerets. I
woant a trax tath.
Your Friend,
Jonathan Bearss

Dear Santa,
Could you please get me
a Arthre book. Thank for
the haremonic.
Your Friend,
Zach Shepard

Dear Santa,
Please will you git me a
chan set. I like you.
Your Friend,
Jacob Johncheck

Dear Santa,
I wash I could have my
on pupe. And I have
coes wth mlc.
Your Friend,
Katelyn Kurchinski

Dear Santa,
Could I please have a sut
uv pucnnis cus. Please and
a ruo. Plesae and a cd.
Your Friend,
Andrew Robarge

Dear Santa,
I lav you Santa. Can I
have a drti bick?
Your Friend,
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Santa Letters

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Dear Santa,
Could you please get me a barbie key house? I will make sure I leave you some chochletchip cookies and carrots for you and your raindeer. Your Friend,
Carolena Elowsky

Dear Santa,
I rell rell wot a pet. I will givv you cackes and fod four your ran der. Your Friend,
Charlie Hamilton

Dear Santa,
Can I please have a scrtr please and a katnchalt chap kcns. Your Friend,
Ciara Kuzmik

Dear Santa,
Could I please have a worm blaket like my moms. Do you wont some cookys and a glas of hot chancel? Your Friend,
Corbin Turkelson

Dear Santa,
I like you like a frind. But thank you four the toes. Your Friend,
Chris Scholey

Dear Santa,
Could I please have a new dog and cat. My Mother mays good cuckles I ben good. Your Friend,
Karley Pearsall

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control motor boat. Have a Merry Christmas. Your Friend,
Ian Cavendar

Dear Santa,
How do you make your reindeer fly? I want a toy motrsucl with a goy. Your Friend,
Casey Swadling

Dear Santa,
I want Mercan dol. I want a doll. Your Friend,
Carly Scholey

Dear Santa,
How do your reindeer fly? I want a box of crayons. Your Friend,
Brooke Farmer

Dear Santa,
Do you reymebr wut I wot for crismis from you? How do you get sum of the toys? Your Friend,
Jesston Whitley

Dear Santa,
I wish I had a cat. I dont haph to have a cat. I thnk you are spcial. Your Friend,
Rachel Shull

Dear Santa,
How do your reindeer floy? I wot a powrangr. Your Friend,
Joseph Rich

Dear Santa,
How do you mak toys? I wont a truck. Your Friend,
Buddy Schroeder

Dear Santa,
You are special bec3 you mke toys and you make presns for us. I wat a flag. Your Friend,
Patricia Anderson

Dear Santa,
What kind of caces do you like? What are your reindeer nemas. Your Friend,
Aaron Duckworth

Dear Santa,
I wot to now how your reindeer fliy? I wot a red white and blue flag. Your Friend,
McKenzie Skidmore

Dear Santa,
I wot a rel dog. And a remot cntrol cur. I lic you. Your Friend,
Steven Dunn

Dear Santa,
Will you bug me a toy powr rnjr. Your Friend,
Micheal Germainsmith

Dear Santa,
Please will you breing a dolls! and Santa Ho Ho Ho. Your Friend,
Nicole Wilding

Dear Santa,
How are you? Please can you get me a playstashaioon game? I am good. i am kind. I love you Santa. I very very very very very love. you Santa. I very love you Santa. I very very very very very love you Santa C. okey. Your Friend,
Brent Musser

Dear Santa,
How are you? It is warm outside today. I am being good. I love my classmats. Santa ses ho ho ho. I love him. I bleve in Santa. I like all the toys that he gave me. I had a shor throt. Your Friend,
Melina Brown

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I wot a fish and a uniform of a cop. I wot spicle klos and a microfon. I love Santa. Your Friend,
Erica Darrah

Dear Santa,
I wot you to give my sister ples ssumin vare splechl like a glass doll and me to ples. Your Friend,
Cassidy Marfuta

Dear Santa,
I wish you could get me a toy. It is nice uv you! And you are special! Your Friend,
Kimberley Johnson

Dear Santa,
I wont a skovt bord and I wont a coloc. I wil lev vu sartococes our jos I have the cores mis move I lov you I hop thouet you mke it. Your Friend,
Beth Gohs

Dear Santa,
Santa can you giv m a sno bord and can you get me a dog. Your Friend,
Thomas Sutton

Dear Santa,
I would like amcan dol namd kit. Do you no my sisers name? Your Friend,
Pauline Sheets

Dear Santa,
I would like a carieyoucey masheen and a amairicin dall and atther things thank you. Your Friend,
Sydney Carlson

Dear Santa,
Can you please get me a now pans. and can you please get me a now chrt. and can you please get me a now shos. Santa how are you? Your Friend,
Megan Clees

Dear Santa,
I love you please can you get me a guitar and tol your alf dos Rodofs nos glo. Your Friend,
Dustin Prevo

Dear Santa,
Can you pleas giv me a gae boy advanced and a TV cobo for my room. Your Friend,
Gage From Michagin

Dear Santa,
Thank you for my mission impossible game. How is rudolf? I'll leave you milk and cookies. Your Friend,
Connor Currier

Dear Santa,
Please will you get me a Polly Pocit please. I love you Santa. Ho Ho Ho Ho. Please will you get me to horses? Your Friend,
Stephanie McCallum

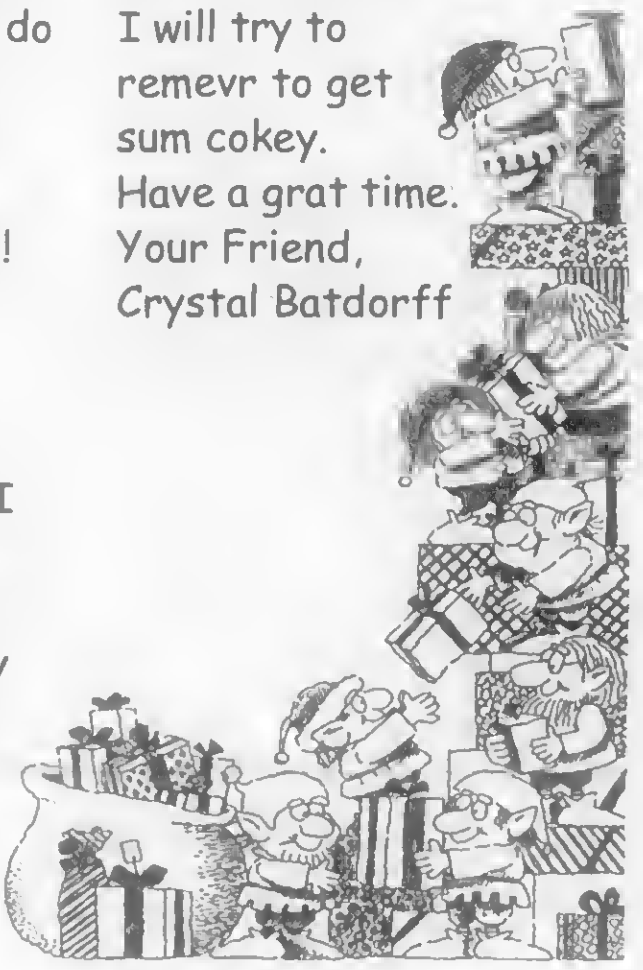
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I love you Santa. Please get me a mshe buocs car it at mar what car woue gett mew. Love Corey
Your Friend,
Corey McClanathan

Dear Santa,
How are you? It is warm today. Could you get me a stuffed animal. I have been good. I hope you do not give me a lump of coal. I love you Santa. You are nice. i have friends. Ho!! Ho!! Ho!!!! Your Friend,
Elizabeth Hodgson

Dear Santa,
I love you Santa, and I love my family. Please get me a ro biut and I want me and my family to get closer to gathr and please do not get me a lump of cold. Your Friend,
Morgan Holeccheck

Dear Santa,
Can you please get me a marcgirl doll? I have ban god. Please do not give me a lump of coal. Thank you. I love you. Your friend,
Bailee Stevens

Dear Santa,
I have been good could you ples get me a pet rebit? I will try to remevr to get sum cokey. Have a grat time. Your Friend,
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HEALTH

The causes, treatments of headaches in children



Roderic Tinney, M.D.

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To many parent's surprise headaches are quite common in children. In fact children as young as 1 year have been reported to develop migraine. While occasionally a headache may indicate serious disease such as tumor or infection, the majority of children with headache are generally in good

health.

Common causes of headache in children include minor viral illnesses, strep throat and sinus infection. Recurrent headaches are often migraine or psychogenic (stress) headaches. Poor vision which parents usually worry about is a very rare cause of headache in children. Fortunately life threatening causes of headache in children such as tumors and meningitis are rare and usually can be determined by the history and physical exam.

Migraine is one of the most common causes of recurrent headache in children and by definition is recurrent with symptom free intervals. Migraine in children will often have associated abdominal pain, nausea

and/or vomiting. It is often a throbbing headache located on one side of the head although children will often be unable to describe it that precisely. Older children may describe an aura or strange feeling, visual changes, flashing lights or the Alice in Wonderland syndrome where things appear bigger or smaller than they actually are. Parents may describe younger children as being pale, "acting strange" or unsteady before or during a migraine.

Migraines are usually relieved by sleep and sometimes by vomiting and there will be a family history of recurrent headaches in most cases.

Migraines occur in about 5 percent of school age children.

Interestingly in younger children (less than 10) boys are more apt to develop migraine, whereas they occur more commonly in girls during adolescence and adulthood. At least half of all boys who develop migraine in early childhood will stop having them after 10 years of age.

The exact cause of migraine remains unknown. The pain appears to come from the blood vessels in the head (the brain itself actually has no pain receptors) and there is a definite genetic tendency (if you have migraines your children are a lot more likely to). Women often find hormonal changes precipitate migraine. Other precipitants include certain foods (for some), stress, physical activity, loud

noise (concerts) bright lights (sunshine), fatigue, certain drugs, and hunger. Children with certain personality types such as the "high achiever" are also more prone to migraines.

There are a number of reported "migraine variants" in children where symptoms other than the headache may predominate. These include states of temporary confusion, recurrent or cyclic vomiting, ataxia or unsteadiness and even a temporary paralysis. Diagnosis of these variants may be challenging as there is not test for migraine.

Treatment of migraine in children depends on the frequency. For the child with occasional

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What to do about your child's headache

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headache the best treatment appears to be a nap as most are relieved by sleep. Occasional use of Tylenol or ibuprofen is also appropriate, but frequent use should be avoided as some children can actually experience some rebound symptoms. For children that need something else there are a number of different prescription "abortive" treatments for migraine available from your child's physician.

For children with more frequent migraines there are preventative medications which can be prescribed, but must be taken every day to be effective. Behavior management, stress reduction, bio-feedback and avoiding known precipitants when possible are also effective ways to prevent or at least decrease the frequency of migraines.

Unlike migraine, stress headaches are rare in the young child. They do occur in the adolescent and are often associated with school or home stress and sometimes a depression. Like migraine, the diagnosis is based on the history and exam. Treatment often requires some counseling and occasionally antidepressants.

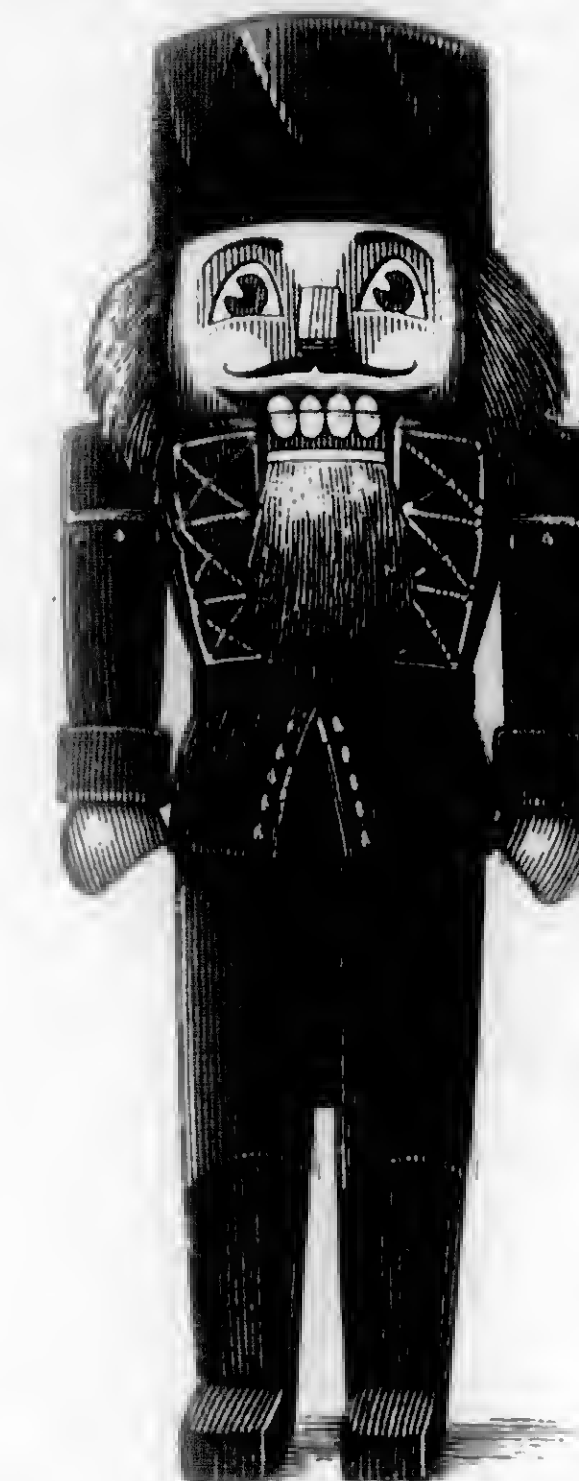
While the majority of headaches in children will be due to non-life threatening causes there are signs and symptoms which raise concern. These include headaches which awaken a child during sleep or occur early in the morning. Headaches which are increasing in severity and frequency. Headaches associated with school failure, behavioral changes, or any neurological changes. There are also certain physical exam findings that alert a physician to the potential of a more serious cause.

If your child has recurrent headaches he/she should see a pediatrician or family physician. Keeping a log of the headaches may be very helpful in the evaluation and in helping our children understand what might be causing their headaches. Encouraging them to take things less seriously, creating a loving stress-free home and supporting them in a positive way in school will be the best prevention of headaches and several other potential problems in our children.

Dr. Roderic Tinney can be contacted at Pine River Medical, located by Charlevoix Area

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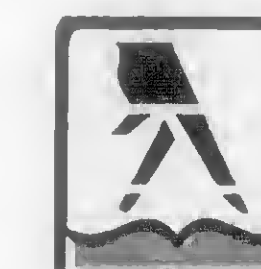
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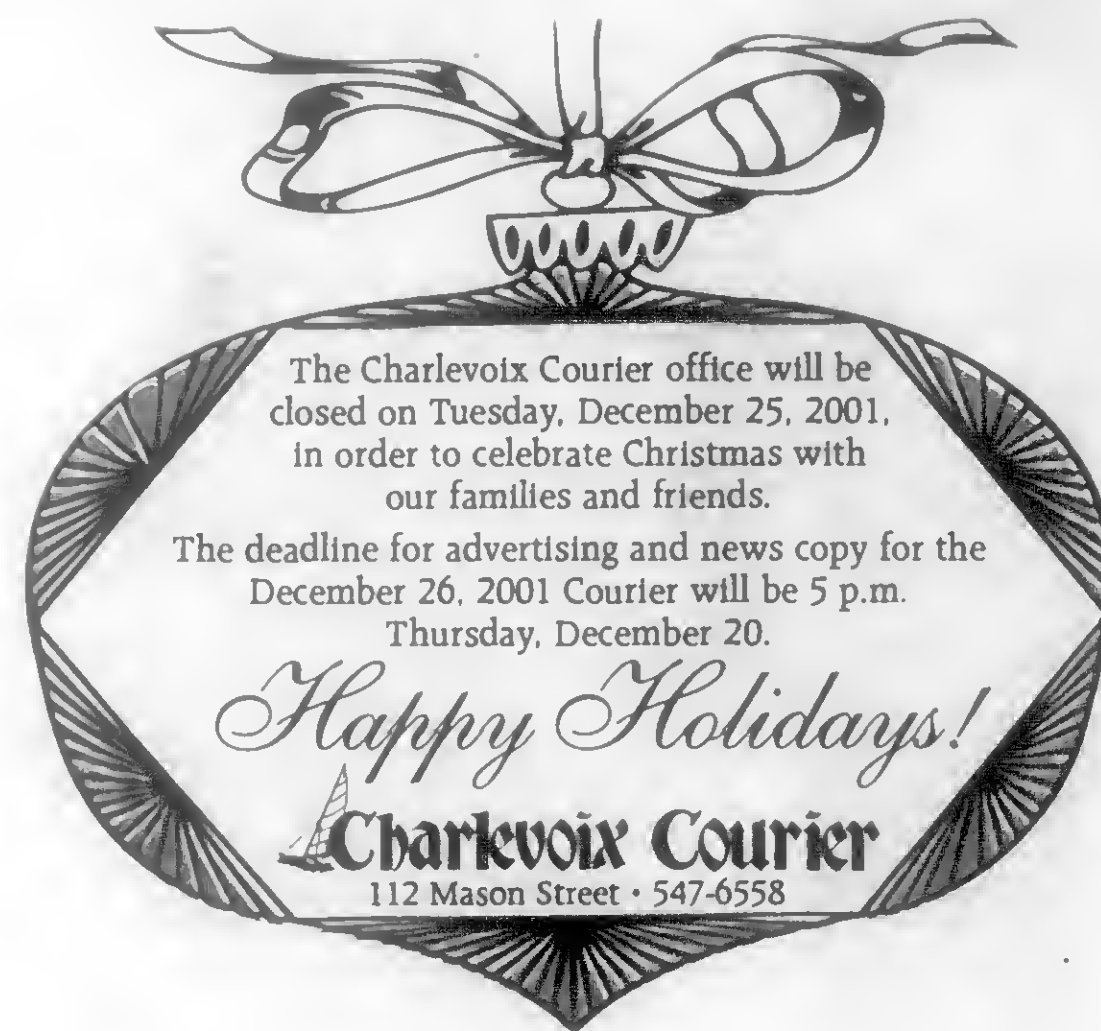


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Men hurt in head-on collision Friday

Two men were injured in a head on crash around 7:30 p.m., Dec. 14 on C-48 near Ranney Road in South Arm Township.

According to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, a 2000 Chevrolet S-10 pickup driven by Ryan M. Fisher, 24, of Boyne City, was traveling east on C-48. The truck crossed the centerline at the crest of a hill and struck a 1997 Chevrolet Astro van driven by David J. Feldman, 31, of Houghton Lake, who was traveling west.

Both of the drivers were pinned inside their wrecked vehicles. They were extricated by the East Jordan Fire Department and Emergency Medical Service.

East Jordan Ambulances transported both to Charlevoix Area Hospital for multiple injuries. Feldman was admitted to the Intensive Care Unit.

According to Sheriff George T. Lasater, both drivers were using their seatbelts and their vehicle's air bags deployed upon impact. This resulted in less serious injuries and saved the lives of the drivers, he said.

Both vehicles were totaled and the road was closed for almost three hours due to the crash.

The incident remains under investigation.

East Jordan man hurt in accident on Dec. 14

A 19-year-old East Jordan man was injured around 12 a.m., Dec. 14, in a one car injury accident on Behling Road near Pleasant Valley Road in Wilson Township.

According to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office, the man received a severe laceration to his left eye when the 1997 Jeep he was driving west on Behling Road left the roadway and struck a tree head on.

He was transported to Northern Michigan Hospital by the Boyne City Ambulance.

Alcohol was found to be a factor in the crash.

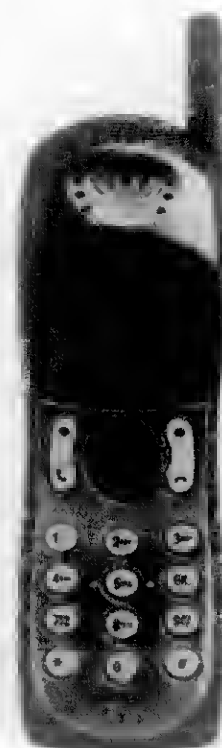
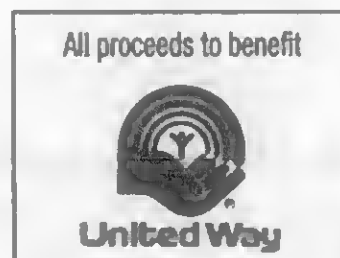
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Downtown stores combine into one

TRADEMARK

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But, the business will keep the school gear, Rayder paraphernalia will include varsity jackets, t-shirts, sweatshirts and more.

They will also be offering tuxedo rental and a discounted bridal registry which will cater to the store's extensive collection of gifts and collectibles.

Until the move on Jan. 1 Trademark Clothiers is clearing their men's section and offering large discounts on all men's merchandise.

Barney said the building they are

moving to is 400 square feet larger than Dimartino's building.

The future of Dimartino's building is not yet set in stone. Dimartino said he would like to see it kept as one large retail space as opposed to breaking it into two stores.

He added that he received a call Dec. 11 from an interested lessee but the outcome of that conversation is uncertain at this time.

"This is a rough time to have a building come open. It's hard to know what will happen there. But I'm confident, Charlevoix is so strong, someone will come along," he said.

Dimartino owns no other retail buildings in downtown Charlevoix.



Trademark Clothiers will soon move to the same downtown location as Morning Glory as the two businesses combine. (Photo by Julie Witthoef)

Basketball team gets two more wins last week

BASKETBALL

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The Huskies were held scoreless for over four minutes. Seven different Charlevoix players scored during the surge and Haske emptied the bench, using 12 different players in the half.

"All the guys that came in did something positive," Haske said. "That is a key for us."

The rout was accentuated by three straight Scott Parrish buckets, the last a flying, two-handed slam dunk. Charlevoix led 53-19 at the half.

In the third quarter, Shepherd got into the act, scoring to open the second half and later hitting back-to-back three pointers to extend the lead to 65-23 at the 5:35 mark of the third quarter. The 40 point lead mandated that the Michigan High School Athletic Association "mercy rule" go into effect, meaning that the clock would not stop on dead balls, but would continue to run to get the game over more quickly.

The mercy rule accomplished something that no team has been able to do this year. It slowed the Rayders down as Charlevoix scored only four points in the fourth quarter.

"We were emotionally ready for Benzie," Haske said. "They've kind of had our number in football; they beat us in cross country. I think the guys were up for them."

Despite the fact that no one played much more than half of the game, the Rayders had four players in double figures. Parrish led all scorers with 14 points and 10 rebounds. Sophomore sixth man Scott Friske scored 13. Shepherd had 12, Boss tallied 11 and Pat Gowell added seven. Teuscher didn't score, but dished out five assists.

Earlier in the week, however, the Rayders had a scare from Cheboygan on Dec. 11. For three quarters, at least, then it was back to busi-

ness as usual.

buckets.

"We didn't shoot the ball well," Haske explained. "That was a tremendous run to end the game — one of the best I've ever been involved in. It was good for us to go on the road, have some things going against us, not getting some calls from the refs and having to struggle through."

Although it was an away game, the crowd wasn't entirely unfriendly, however.

"It was about 2 to 1 Charlevoix fans. It's fun to have that kind of support," Haske said.

"All of the guys that came in did something positive. That is the key for us."

Keith Haske,
Basketball coach

Parrish paced Charlevoix with 22 points and had 11 rebounds and three blocks.

Haske said, "Parrish played an excellent game. He kept us in it at times."

Scott Friske had a double-double of his own with 13 points and 10 boards. Boss chipped in with 11

points and nine caroms. Teuscher keyed the defense with nine points and five steals.

The Rayders opened league play against Harbor Springs on Tuesday; however, results were not available at press time. The next game is at East Jordan on Jan. 4.

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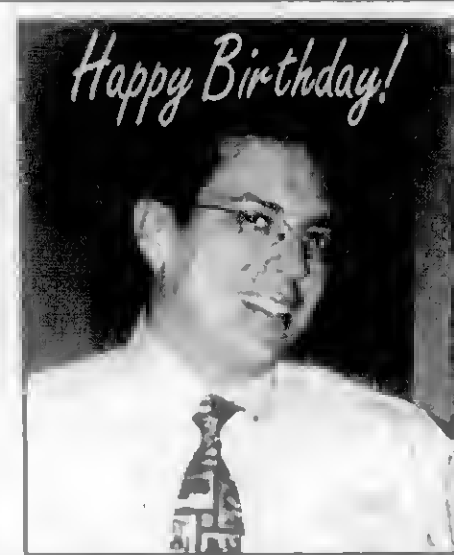
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Alano Christmas

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Drivers needed

More Good Samaritans are needed to be drivers for Meals-on-Wheels through the Charlevoix Senior Center, Tuesdays in January, February and March are critical right now. Also, substitutes are always welcome. Call Peg

Mitz at 547-5361 or 547-0631.

Community lunch

A community lunch will be served Christmas Eve Day from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Dec. 24 at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church at 104 State Street. A roast beef dinner is featured on the menu with candle-light setting and music of the season.

Historical New Year's party

The Charlevoix Historical Society invites the public to its annual New Year's Eve Party, proceeds of which will support the preservation of local history. The evening begins with an exclusive showing of

the British art film, Greenfingers, directed by Joel Herschman and starring David Kelly, Helen Mirren and Natasha Little. Ticket holders will gather at the Charlevoix Cinema at 7:15 p.m., Dec. 31, with the film starting promptly at 7:30 p.m.

Following the show, everyone will head to the historic Depot for hors d'oeuvres, dancing and a champagne toast to the New Year at midnight.

Tickets are \$100, which includes a \$75 donation, and are available at the Charlevoix Historical Society. Call 547-0373 for more information.

Noon services

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of East Jordan has announced the

dates for the next five months of special noontime prayer services, to be on Wednesdays, at 7855 Rogers Road in East Jordan. Services are open to all in the community and will last only 20 minutes. The next service will be on Dec. 19, at the church and will focus on the concerns and prayer needs of those present.

Services will begin at 12:10 p.m. and end at 12:30 p.m., to be followed by a lunch of soup or sandwich. There is no charge for the meal, although donations will be accepted to help cover the cost of the meal. To accommodate lunch breaks with varying lengths and times; the church will repeat its prayer service at 1 p.m., ending at 1:20 p.m. The church is located at 7855 Rogers Road in East Jordan.

Business Breakfasts

The Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce will host the First Friday Business Breakfasts in 2002. The first of seven scheduled First Friday Business Breakfasts for 2002 will be on Feb. 1, 7:30 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn Restaurant. Greg Shumaker, of Wildlife Management and Nuisance Control, will be the featured speaker.

Additional breakfasts are scheduled to be at the Grey Gables Inn Restaurant on the following dates: March 1, May 3, June 7, Oct. 4, Nov. 1 and Dec. 6, 2002. Cost for the breakfast is \$5 per person.

For further information, please contact the Charlevoix Area Chamber of Commerce by calling (231) 547-2101, or visit its web site at www.charlevoix.org.

Area meetings

Service organizations —

The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6 to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen

Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrilee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at

Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month. For more information call 547-5444.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the Legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Panakee Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday

of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month at the Grange Hall on

Barnard Road.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

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NO OUTDOOR LIGHTS IN HOLIDAY SEASON

Holiday Decorations Are Banned As Conservation Measure

For the second successive year, Charlevoix will have no community Christmas tree or outdoor lighting decorations, in accordance with a recent ruling of the war production board.

Restrictions prohibiting installation of temporary extensions for Xmas lighting fixtures were ordered by WPB as a measure to conserve critical resources. By curtailing outside lighting for the holiday season, rationed fuel oil for the diesel plant will be conserved.

Charlevoix Courier Dec. 15, 1943

LETTERS from the ARMY CAMPS

Dear Mr. Usher,
I have been receiving the Courier for some time but just never got around to writing. Old Uncle Sam keeps us pretty busy most of the time.

I sure enjoy getting the home town paper very much, for through it I kind of keep in touch with the people I know back home.

People don't hear much about the Coast Guard as yet, but it's one of the most important parts of our military forces and people will come to know more about it I am sure.

Since I have been in the service I have covered the largest part of the east coast and am in Boston now. The people out here are very nice to men in uniform and much the same as the people there in Charlevoix.

I guess I have said enough for this time, so will knock it off by giving you my new address and thanking you very much for the paper.

Vernon O. Cook
Co. B, Room 216
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ADOPT A STUDENT'S YANK FOR SHARE IN WAR PROGRAM

CSO, KIWANIS WANT SERVICE MEN'S ADDRESSES

Central Drug Store Bulletin Board Gives List Charlevoix Men's Addresses and Birthdays

People who have no relatives or close friends in the country's armed forces will have a chance to "adopt a Yank" to send a Christmas gift, according to a plan presented by the Charlevoix Service Organization.

A bulletin board placed in the Central Drug Store lists names and addresses of Charlevoix men in the service, thumbtacked to the board on separate slips so that each person may make his choice simply by removing a name, or more than one if they so desire.

This list is being compiled by the Kiwanis Club and CSO, and will be available to any service group or individual for reference.

Names and address of soldiers to be put on the list should be left at the Central Drug Store, either in person, by phone or mail. A card index file of this information is kept, to which birthdays of service men are also to be added for the convenience of those who wish to send gifts or cards on those occasions. People who have already sent in addresses of soldiers are asked to supply the information about their birthdays at the earliest possible time, to complete the filed records.

Some people who are already preparing Christmas packages for soldiers or sailors will welcome this opportunity to do a bit more. As only about 175 names will be on the bulletin board, applicants are urged to pick their Yank at once, the earlier the better to insure he gets the package. Overseas mail must be sent by Nov. 1 and mail within the continental United States should also be sent well in advance of the Christmas season.

Charlevoix Courier Oct. 21, 1942

PHYSICAL FITNESS DRILLS INAUGURATED MONDAY

High School Youths are Given Commando Training; Girls Also Share Effort

After several weeks in the experimental stage, a physical fitness program for Charlevoix High School boys from seventh to twelfth grades was officially inaugurated Monday.

Designed to form a vital part of the high school's contribution to the war effort, class periods have been re-arranged to allow for 45 minutes of calisthenics and stunts in the school gymnasium, patterned on the commando training given United States soldiers, coach Ray Kipke and assistant coach Max Novak are directing the program.

Equipment to be used in the project consists of bars upon which many feats of balancing and turning can be performed; overhead ladders, ropes, mats, walls and other obstacles employed in the commando training courses. Adapted at the beginning to the abilities of the students, the training will be gradually intensified as their muscles are developed.

Physical training for high school girls will consist of short periods of light calisthenics. The major portion of the girls' participation in the war effort will be sewing and Red Cross work, which will be directed by teachers. Work done outside of school will be credited. Definite plans for the girls' program have not yet been completed.

That the high school students are eager and anxious to do everything within their capabilities for the nation is shown by the fact that 35 students are registered for duty at the airplane spotting station, forming fully a third of the crew needed to man the station full time.

Charlevoix Courier Dec. 11, 1942

How to drive safely in winter

Navigating through snow-covered streets can be challenging, even for experienced drivers. But reviewing winter driving techniques can help ease the stress and difficulties involved in driving, AAA Michigan says in its brochure: "How to Go on Ice and Snow," which is available, free at AAA branches statewide.

The pamphlet presents information on driving on slippery surfaces, regaining control of the vehicle if it skids, and braking on ice and snow, among other tips and precautions.

To drive on slippery surfaces remember: Traction is greatest just before the wheels spin. Gentle pressure on the accelerator pedal when starting is the best method for retaining traction and avoiding skids — especially if your vehicle is not equipped with a traction assist device. If your wheels start to spin, let up on the accelerator until traction returns.

Sometimes all four wheels lose traction. This generally occurs when the vehicle is driven at a speed too fast for conditions. The most effective way to get your vehicle back under control when all four wheels skid is:

- Ease your foot off the accelerator or take your foot off the brake.
- Shift to neutral (if you are certain of finding neutral immediately) on a vehicle with automatic transmission.
- Look and steer in the direction you want the front of the vehicle to go.
- Wait for the wheels to grip the road again. As soon as the wheels regain traction, the vehicle will travel in the desired direction.

Shift to drive and maintain a safe speed.

The most common driver action preceding a crash is the inability to stop. Remember to increase your following distance from three seconds to between eight and 10 seconds when driving on icy, slippery surfaces.

To brake on ice and snow with anti-lock brakes, use the heel-and-toe method to make a controlled stop. Keep the heel of your foot on the floor and use your toes to apply firm, steady pressure on the brake pedal.

You will notice a mechanical sound and typically feel the brake pedal pulse back against your foot. Do not pump the pedal or remove your foot from the brake.

Another key suggestion: Carry a winter driving kit in your vehicle should an emergency develop. These items should include abrasive material (sand, salt or cat litter), shovel, jumper cables, warning devices (flares or triangles), flashlight, snow brush, windshield washing solvent, cellular phone and blanket.

From a mechanical standpoint, winter conditions — wet, cold and icy weather — present the greatest challenge to your engine's operating efficiency.

Since these conditions cannot be avoided, AAA Michigan recommends drivers prepare for winter by getting a complete vehicle checkup.

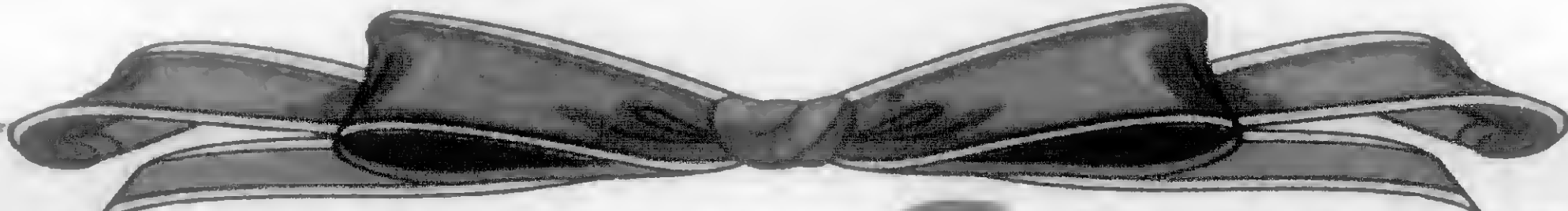
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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Board will hold its scheduled monthly meeting on Thursday, December 20th at 3:30 p.m. in the Board Conference Room, Second Floor, One MacDonald Drive, Petoskey, MI 49770. Anyone who has special needs or information to be brought before the NCMH Board should contact Joan Booth at (231) 347-7890.

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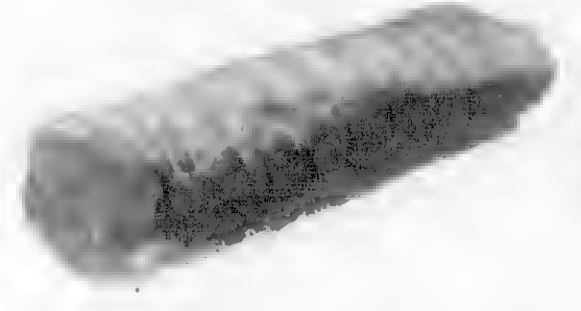
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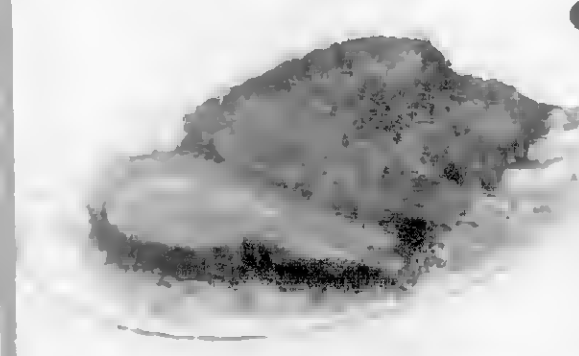
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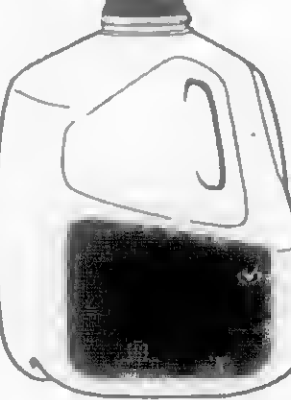
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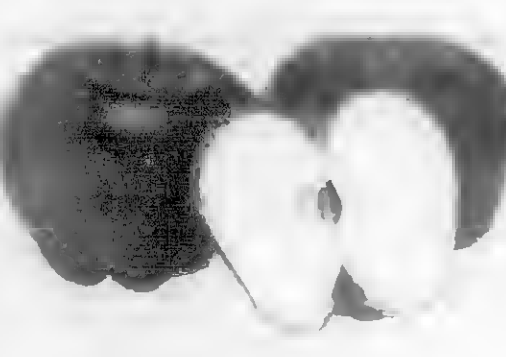
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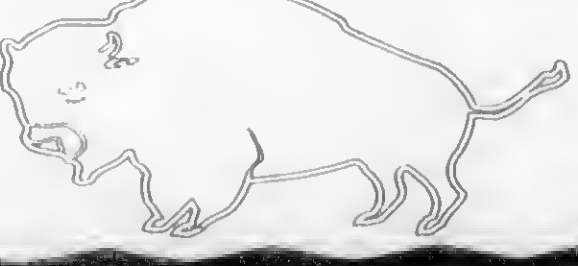
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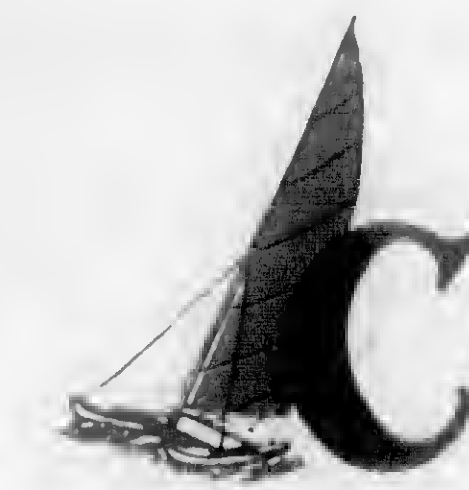
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The Charlevoix High School basketball team took another win last week, this time against Harbor Springs.

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Last bridge



The SCRAPBOOK series on the Charlevoix bridges comes to a close with the final bridge.

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Acacia back downtown

Was docked at Coast Guard station since Sept. 11 attacks

By JEREMY MCBAIN
Editor

The U.S. Coast Guard Buoy Tender Acacia is back at its downtown dock.

The ship was moved out to the U.S. Coast Guard Station Charlevoix on the channel between Round Lake and Lake Charlevoix after the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. This was mostly because the alert status the ship was under would not allow vehicles or containers anywhere near the ship, something that officials could not control at the city dock.

This ship was given the OK to return to the downtown dock on Dec. 19.

Coast Guard Commander Mike Shomin, captain of the Acacia, said the ship's crew is happy to be back downtown in a "more comfortable" location.

"Being downtown is nice. We are more visible and close to town," he said. Plus, the crew no longer has a long walk to the ship from the parking lot.

While at the station, the Acacia's crew had to park at Depot Beach, several blocks from the ship, Shomin said. This would have been a very uncomfortable walk in snowy weather, he added.

The ship was allowed to go back to the dock after it was put on a lower alert status. Shomin said while the ship is still on a heightened awareness, it is no longer required to keep vehicles and containers away from the ship.

However, the crew is still required to search and identify anyone who boards the ship, Shomin said.

The ship was out on Lake Michigan pulling shipping buoys when the announcement was made that it could dock downtown again.

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The U.S. Coast Guard Ship Acacia is back at its downtown Charlevoix dock. (Photo by Jeremy McBain)

Council member recovering well

By JULIE WITTHOFT
Staff Writer

Third ward Charlevoix City Councilman Sperm Chamberlain, 51, is well on his way to making a full recovery after recently being hit by a car.

"Things are going well. In four weeks my leg and pelvis should be healed. My arm will take a little longer," Chamberlain said.

Chamberlain was hit by a pickup truck on Nov. 30, while walking across Bridge Street, causing

him to sustain multiple injuries including: a broken pelvis, a double fracture to his upper left arm, a broken knee and a bad concussion.

Doctors implanted a permanent rod in his left arm where the breaks occurred to encourage straight healing.

The current councilman is undergoing occupational and physical therapy at Boulder Park where he's also living.

While his physical setbacks and therapies sound painful, they

aren't getting him down. Chamberlain said the worst part of the accident's aftermath has been the restrictions.

"The hardest thing is being dependent on others. I went from being a single parent who does all the cooking, laundry and cleaning and the co-owner of a business to being thrown into a situation where I am totally dependent on people. It's shocking to say the least," Chamberlain said.

The accident Chamberlain was involved in happened around 3

p.m. when he walked from the site of his surveying business, Ferguson and Chamberlain, over to the United States Postal Service drop box. As he crossed Bridge Street from West Upright to East Upright, William Eme-lander, 49, of Lake City traveling southbound on Bridge Street in a 1997 red Ford pickup struck him, knocking him unconscious.

Chamberlain said three hours of his life, starting from just before

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On the record

District Court

The following cases were heard recently in the 90th District Court for the County of Charlevoix:

Laurence Richard Radle, 33, Charlevoix. Driving while license suspended. Jail for 21 days with credit for one day, serve 20 days; \$660 in fines and costs.

Dennis Wayne Andrick, 55, Boyne City. Retail fraud-third degree. Jail for 42 days with credit for 42 days; \$8 in fines and costs.

Douglas James McClelland, 43, Boyne City. Disturbing the peace. Five months probation; 90 days in jail with credit for one day, 89 days held in abeyance; \$315 in fines and costs.

Michael Ivan Martin, 17, Charlevoix. Minor in possession of alcohol. Fines and costs totaling \$60.

Michael Ivan Martin, 17, Charlevoix. Retail fraud-third degree. Six months probation; 40 days in jail, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$210 in fines and costs.

Susan McNutt Michael, 42, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Six months probation; 34 days in jail with credit for one day, three days of community service work in lieu of three days in jail, 30 days held in abeyance; \$645 in fines and costs.

Diana Lynn Tank, 22, Charlevoix. Driving with no license. Fines and costs totaling \$260.

Jennifer Sue Cox, 30, Boyne City. Embezzling agent/trust, under \$200. Six months probation; 30 days in jail, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 25 days held in abeyance; \$315 in fines and costs.

Paul Joseph Wicker, 26, Boyne Falls. Breaking and entering-illegal entry without permission. Nine months probation; 30 days in jail with credit for one day, 10 days of community service work in lieu of 10 days in jail, 19 days held in abeyance; \$315 in fines and costs.

Kevin Joseph Bousquet, 22, Beaver Island. Driving while li-

cense suspended; and unlawful use of license plate registration. Fines and costs totaling \$275.

Matthew Joseph Gusmano, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Maureen Elizabeth Fruge, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Christopher Logan Noblett, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Heidi Michelle Towne, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Jesse Nicholas Grove, 18, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Lucas John-Fred Reinhardt, 20, Boyne City. Minor in possession

of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Dustin Gerald Schrader, 17, Boyne City. Minor in possession of alcohol. Sixty hours of community service work; attend BASES classes; \$60 in fines and costs.

Thomas Shubel Moore, 46, Charlevoix. Driving while impaired. Eight months probation; 46 days in jail with credit for one day, five days of community service work in lieu of five days in jail, 40 days held in abeyance; \$715 in fines and costs.

Rodney Dee Roberts, 46, Boyne Falls. Indecent exposure. One year probation; 180 days in jail with credit for one day, 15 days of community service work in lieu of 15 days in jail, 174 days held in abeyance; \$435 in fines and costs.

David Paul Davidson, 38, Boyne Falls. Domestic violence. Nine months probation; 45 days in jail with credit for one day, 44 days held in abeyance; \$535 in fines and costs.

Assumed Names

The following businesses have filed for an assumed name with the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:

MDB Logging, 09888 Old 31 North, by Daniel S. Berg
Edie's Cleaning Service, 1980 Marion Center Road, Charlevoix, by Edith I. Bierschbach

Copper Ridge Woodworking, 03925 US-31 South, Charlevoix, by James K. Williams

Williams Consulting, 03925 US-31 South, Charlevoix, by James K. Williams and Suzanne W. Williams

Ranger & Associates, Inc., P.O. Box 382, 06759 US-31 South, Charlevoix, by Arthur R. Ranger and Beth H. Ranger
Norwood Group, P.O. Box 335, Charlevoix, by James R. Mabec

Marriages

The following people have been granted a marriage license by the Charlevoix County Clerk's office:
Charles Joseph Skop, 33, Vanderbilt and Marsha Kay Joles, 30, Vanderbilt

Police log

The information contained in this report has been compiled from the Charlevoix Police Department's log book, which is open to public inspection under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act. Because some officers are still working on their reports,

and they were not available before press time, not all of the reports from this period are listed. If you have any information on these reports, please contact the Charlevoix Police Department at 547-3258.

• A 27-year-old Charlevoix man

was arrested around 8 p.m. on Dec. 29 near the intersection of Bridge and Antrim streets for driving while his license was suspended.

• A vehicle lost control on slippery roads and hit a sign around 11 p.m. on Dec. 19 near the inter-

section of Marion Center and Vernida roads. No injuries were reported.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 7:30 p.m. on Dec. 19 near the intersection of Carpenter Avenue and State Street. No injuries were reported.

• A Buyers Guide Book was reported stolen on Dec. 19 at Coldwell Banker on Bridge Street.

• There was a two vehicle accident around 12:30 p.m. on Dec. 17 near the intersection of Bridge Street and Garfield Avenue. No injuries were reported.

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Officials: Local cocaine supplier busted

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Law enforcement officials say a major cocaine pipeline running from Florida into Charlevoix and Antrim counties has been broken up.

Officials believe cocaine from this source has been sold in the city of Charlevoix and the surrounding townships.

The Traverse Narcotics Team (TNT), the Straits Area Narcotics Enforcement Team (SANE) and the United States Postal Service teamed up to investigate the pipeline and recently located and arrested its alleged ring leader, William D. Altman, 40, of Miami.

"This was an exciting investigation. It's always good to be able to go back and get the main source of the supply, cutting it off where it's coming from. More times than not you end up with just locals and the cocaine obviously isn't produced here," Chet Wilson, detective/first lieutenant of the Traverse Narcotics Team, who is involved in the investigation said.

"In this particular case as we know most cocaine in the United States comes through Mexico to Florida and Texas; we were able to track it to the Florida connection."

The aforementioned local enforcement agencies worked with the Florida authorities, including the FBI and Florida's local drug task force and were able to locate Alt-

man.

Wilson said the dealers were mailing packages of drugs and money back and forth.

"If my memory serves me right there was an informant that gave information," he explained.

"Some of the cocaine was put inside toys and mailed. They may have used other carriers as well, but the U.S. mail was one of the main ones."

Wilson said the Traverse City based narcotics crackdown team worked the investigation for over a year. Wilson said the ring was most likely functional for well over a year and may have operated for a couple of years.

Altman has been extradited and charged with multiple felony counts of delivery and possession of cocaine including: delivery of 225-649 grams, delivery of 50 to 225 grams and a third count of delivery of under 50 grams.

If convicted on all three counts, Altman faces up to 80 years in prison.

Altman is currently being held in Charlevoix County Jail on a \$500,000 cash bond.

An informant helped law enforcement officials find Altman in Florida. In February of 2000, almost a year before Altman's arrest, three of his alleged connections who lived in Charlevoix and Elk Rapids were arrested, Wilson said. All three are currently in prison for the delivery of cocaine.

Wilson explained Altman apparently knew one or more of the people involved in northern Michigan, but their exact connection is unknown. He said Altman may have lived in Michigan at one time.

Wilson alleges that Altman had other clients in places across the state.

The three local busts were Susan Verecke, 42, of Elk Rapids, Mark Donker, 38, of Charlevoix and Megan Jones, 22, of Elk Rapids.

According to a police report authored by William Sybesma, a Michigan State Police Officer and an officer with the narcotics team out of the Straits, in January and February of 2000 a confidential informant purchased cocaine twice from Donker.

Through the confidential informant and receipts from the United Parcel Service and Western Union, Sybesma said it was discovered that Donker, Verecke and Jones had been conspiring to deliver cocaine.

On Feb. 2 and 3, 2000, the informant contacted Donker to arrange a purchase of two to three ounces of cocaine. Sybesma states during their conversation Donker told the informant the cocaine would be delivered to the Verecke/Jones residence in Elk Rapids and he would pick the cocaine up from the residence Feb. 4, 2000.

But, the package was intercepted

"It's always good to be able to go back and get the main source of the supply, cutting it off where it's coming from."

Chet Wilson,
of the Traverse Narcotics Team (TNT)

by the police and an officer posing as a Fed Ex employee delivered it to the Verecke/Jones residence.

After the package was delivered the surveillance team observed Donker enter the Verecke/Jones home, leaving two minutes later carrying the package just delivered by a police officer.

Donker was then pulled over and the cocaine was recovered from the package.

On Feb. 4, 2000 both Verecke and Jones were interviewed about their involvement with Donker.

Both women said they sold cocaine while living in Charlevoix at a trailer park off US-31 North.

Sybesma's report states, "They indicated they would receive the cocaine from Donker and sell it. Jones indicated sometimes Verecke would give her the cocaine to deliver to people including the confidential informant. Jones indicated that on several occasions she received the cocaine from Verecke at the Charlevoix trailer and she delivered it to the confidential informant in Elk Rapids."

The report added both women admitted to receiving an ounce of cocaine semi-weekly from Donker to sell.

Jones admitted to over 100 sales in the Charlevoix area from 1998 to February of 2000, when the three were arrested. According to court documents, Jones sold the drugs to Charlevoix residents.

Jones was charged with conspiracy to deliver under 50 grams of cocaine. She was sentenced to a minimum of two years in prison and a maximum of 20 years.

On March 23, 2001, Verecke who had no prior felony convictions and no prior drug convictions was charged for delivery of between 50 grams and 224 grams of cocaine. She was sentenced to prison for a minimum of 10 years and a maximum of 20 years and fined \$10,000.

Donker was sentenced in August of 2001 for the charge of conspiracy to deliver between 225 grams and 649 grams of cocaine. He was sentenced to prison for a minimum of 14 years and a maximum of 30 years.

Corrections

In last week's edition of the Charlevoix Courier, a story on page 15 regarding the installation of Masonic officers had two names misspelled. The article should have stated Thomas Carey was the installing chaplain and Roger Sievertson was named worshipful master.

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What do you do in the winter?

The results are in from this month's "What do you think?" question.

The question was: What should be done about the traffic in Charlevoix during the summer? We had one response to this question, but it was a good one.

Charlevoix resident Robert D'Alcorn took a little time to ponder this question and give us a finely detailed response, which is printed at right. He makes some great points and has some interesting suggestions on keeping things safe for pedestrians as well as improving the traffic flow. Take a moment to read it.

On to this month's question.

While it seems like this winter is having a little trouble getting off the ground, many residents are dreaming of their favorite wintertime activities. Some like to snowmobile, ski, snowshoe or just drink hot chocolate.

What do you think?

However, some of us — especially those who go south for the winter — are not really fond of all this cold weather and wonder why people get excited about it.

Therefore, this month's question is "What is your favorite winter activity and why?" Convince the winter-haters among us why this is a great time of the year in Charlevoix.

Try to keep your response to about 250 words and remember to sign your name.

Send your responses to the Charlevoix Courier at P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, MI 49720; fax them to (231) 547-4992; e-mail them to charlevoixcourier@charlevoixcourier.com or just drop them off at 112 Mason Street.

The deadline is 5 p.m., Jan. 25.

What do you think?

What is your favorite winter activity and why:

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Response to last month's question

This is my response to the question of what should be done about traffic in Charlevoix: A solution without major disruption to existing neighborhoods is to keep traffic on Bridge Street. I would make Bridge Street three lanes wide by eliminating parking from the east side. This leaves only one block of merchants without parking in front of their businesses. The three lane section would run from about Upright to Dixon. The center lane could have a series of pedestrian refuge islands and dedicated left turn lanes between Antrim Street and Bridge Park Drive. The length of the left turn

lanes and islands would vary depending on turning capacity at the various intersections. Studies would have to be conducted to determine the most efficient layout.

Traffic activated lights with pedestrian signals would be placed at both the Clinton and the Park/Bridge Park Drive intersections because left turn lanes would be needed both north and south of these two intersections. These two traffic signals would be interconnected to provide breaks in the traffic flow. Mason Street east of Bridge would be closed, eliminating the need for a left turn lane north of this inter-

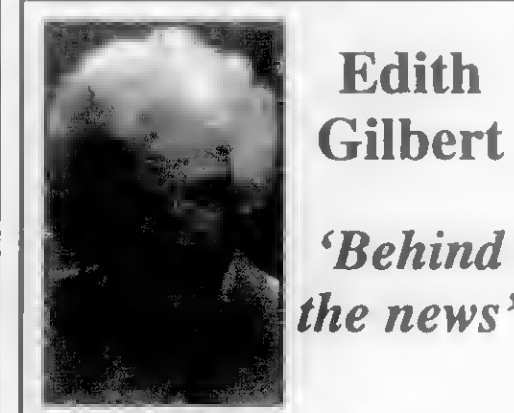
section.

Marked mid-block pedestrian crossings would be installed across the islands without signals. Pedestrians crossing Bridge would only have to contend with traffic approaching from one direction when using these islands, making crossing much safer.

These suggestions conform to the walkable community concept with emphasis on pedestrian safety. Since Bridge Street is a state trunkline, any changes to Bridge Street require Michigan Department of Transportation's approval.

Robert D'Alcorn
Charlevoix

A surprise birthday party



Edith Gilbert

'Behind the news'

Bonnie Staffel expected to go to the country club for dinner. Instead, 90 of her closest friends sang "Happy Birthday" to her as she walked through the door of her daughter Marell's home on Sunday.

The living room was filled with fellow artists from all over Michigan. There was Ed Grey from Saugatuck — I recall his early support, along with Bonnie, that helped the Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair get off the ground over 30 years ago. There were local artists like Sue and Russ Bolt, Barbara Godwin, Jan Glass, Ray and Tami Bier, Joann Moffitt and June and David Otis, among others.

There were the collectors from Suttons Bay, who started their Staffel collection in 1957 when they were honeymooning in Charlevoix. They reminded me that in 1998 they loaned a piece of her finest pottery to the Crooked Tree Arts Center for Bonnie's "Fiftieth Retrospective Show."

The surprise eightieth birthday party went off without a hitch in

spite of all the cars parked in front of the house.

"Isn't Bonnie going to be suspicious when she sees all these cars?" I asked Marell.

"No, we told her the neighbors are having a party!"

A surprised Bonnie circled the room smiling. "Everyone who was part of my life is here," she said.

To the strains of Jim Owen, guitarist, we were invited to partake of lovely refreshments and to proceed downstairs where a video showed photographs of Bonnie, the great-grandmother and professional potter.

She first fell in love with ceramics when she studied at the Toledo Art Museum and, believe it or not, her first potter's wheel was made out of an old Edison phonograph machine! Here she learned how to make three firings: bisque, glaze and gold decorations. In 1951, Bonnie received a scholarship to Cranbrook Academy of the Arts.

Maijo Grotel, her mentor, chose one of her pots as the best glazes he had ever seen, which she still considers a supreme compliment.

After running a successful shop seven miles south of Charlevoix for many years, with more orders than she had time to fill, Bonnie felt "the tail was wagging the dog." She accepted a position as resident potter at the John C. Campbell Folk School in North Carolina.

She traveled to Denmark for three winters as an exchange potter in five

folk schools. Later she was recruited by the city of Canton, Miss. to help create a new arts and crafts campus in the town square, where the movie "A Time to Kill" was filmed. In addition, Bonnie has received numerous awards and honors from major museums and Japan. She has traveled to Guatemala and England in pursuit of her work.

For Bonnie, the biggest surprise of the evening was when Bob Tambalini, executive director of the Charlevoix County Community Foundation, presented her with the news that her family and friends had established a "Bonnie Staffel Fund." The income from this will be used to support the arts in Charlevoix County. The principle will last forever and will create a permanent legacy in Bonnie's name.

As Tambalini read the letter aloud, all Bonnie could softly say was, "Oh, my!...Oh, my!"

Hosts Marell Staffel, owner of the Charlevoix Camera Shop, Shannon Cummings and Heather Harrod, daughters and granddaughters, were proud as peacocks that they were able to pull this hush hush surprise party off in a town as small as Charlevoix.

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Letters to the editor

Correction

Editor:
It was reported in the article about the Frey Challenge grant for the Charlevoix Area Community Pool (Dec. 5, 2001) that the open swim price is \$3, which is incorrect. The fee is \$3.50 for adults and \$2 for children.

However, starting with the New Year, Dollar Nights from 6 to 8 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays

and Fridays the cost will only be \$4 for a family of four. This compares to \$11 at the regular rate.

So, join your friends and family in the hot tub.
Bruce MacArthur
Charlevoix

Northwest did a great job

Editor:
We had a special privilege to at-

tend the Christmas concert at Northwest Academy. We attended because we had children performing. We were pleasantly surprised at how well the beginning band performed. We were equally pleased at the performance of the choir in their first year of development.

Out of politeness, we stayed for the rest of the concert. The advanced band was pure joy. We felt

we had been transported to a professional concert. Never have we heard such a quality sound from a high school band. It was a privilege to be there.

What we experienced at Northwest Academy was quality education in action! It also reinforced our belief that facilities do not determine quality education.

Bill Keehn
Charlevoix

Residential Christmas light contest winners announced

Judging for Keep Charlevoix Beautiful's Sixteenth Annual Residential Lighting Display contest took place Dec. 18.

Winners in the six different Charlevoix judging regions are:

• Out of Town, north: First place, Roger and Annette Nesbitt, 8823 Central Avenue. Second place, Marell Staffel, 13100 Campbell Court. Third place, Louis and Rita Orlovski, 8494 Mt. McSaubia Road.

Honorable mention, Jim and Linda Boss, 110 Cedar Street. • Out of Town, south: First place, Rick and Angie Bush, 12730 Castle Pines Drive, Pine Bluff. Second place, Robert Smalley, Charlevoix Estates, lot 31. Third place, Keith and Mary Ramsey, 5070 Lone Pine Trail, Pine Bluff.

• City, north of the Bridge:

First place, Lyle and Marilyn King, 325 Meech. Second place, Jan Boss, 418 Prospect. Third place, Don and Kay Heise, 200 Auld Avenue.

• City, west of Bridge Street: First place, Don and Laura Wells, 410 West Upright. Second place, William Novotny, 702 Sherman Avenue.

• City, east of Bridge Street: First place, Dennis and Diane Priess, 516 Meadow Lane. Second place, A.J. and Michelle Witthoft, 102 Belvedere Avenue. Third place, Al and Liz Gooch, 101 Hampton Village.

• Christmas Spirit Streets: First place, Hurlbut/Lincoln/Upright streets area. Second place, Bay Street/North Point area. Third place, North Prospect Street.

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Tell us where in the Charlevoix Area you think this is.

Each week, the Charlevoix Courier will publish a picture of some item on a local landmark or building. We invite our readers to send in their guesses on where this picture was taken.

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Answer to the 12/12 Where is it? On the Lighthouse Charlevoix

Correct answer for 12/12 Where is it? provided by: Bob D'Alcorn, Charlevoix

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Answers for the 12/26 "Where is it?" must be received by 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 4.

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Wedding



Marcie Ray Beaudoin and Brian Keith Sladics, both of Charlevoix, were married on Aug. 18, 2001 at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix.

Marcie is the daughter of Joseph and Sandra Beaudoin of Charlevoix. Brian is the son of Robert and Margaret Sladics of Rochester Hills.

The Rev. Philip Schairbaum performed the double ring rites in front of 200 guests.

The bride wore a white satin organza sheath a-line gown, with a square beaded neckline, a lace back and a detachable semi-cathedral length train beaded in crystal and pearls. Her veil was white with organza trim attached to a crystal tiara and she carried a bouquet of white roses.

The maid of honor was Jenny Supernaw and the matron of honor was Heather Parrish. Bridesmaids were Erin Dailey, Jessica Hisey, Devra Sladics, Amy Beaudoin and Michelle Carlson. They wore plum satin gowns with tank-style necklines and bows down the back.

The flower girl was Kaeli Bales. The ring bearer was Haden Beaudoin.

The best man was Ryan Haberek. Groomsmen were Jim Lynch, Kyle Kornoely, Chris

Beaudoin — Sladics

Johnson, Brett Eberlein, Jeff Bafs and Brad Barnard.

Ushers were Mark Beaudoin and Bruce Beaudoin.

A reception was given at the Charlevoix Country Club. A rehearsal dinner was given at the Grey Gables Inn in Charlevoix on Aug. 17. On Aug. 19, a brunch was given at the home of

Jim and Laurie Keller on Lake Charlevoix.

The couple took a wedding trip to Maui, Hawaii. They are making Charlevoix their home.

The bride is a contract designer at Northern Office Suppliers in Petoskey. The groom is a dentist with the Maple Ridge Dental Group in East Jordan.

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Community pool to start dollar night

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This new program, which will last all year, is the result of the combined efforts of the councils of the city of Charlevoix, Charlevoix Township and Hayes Township, plus the Frey Foundation. The Frey Foundation offered a matching grant, which was taken up by these municipalities.

The pool will use the money to underwrite this lower-fee swim program. The "dollar night" price and all the pool fees are the same for everyone, regardless of where they live.



Winter chorus line

The Charlevoix High School Christmas Assembly, on the afternoon of Dec. 21, was full of comedy, music and holiday cheer. Above, teachers at the school perform for the Miss Christmas Break contest. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

Historical society to have New Year's bash

The Charlevoix Historical Society invites the public to its annual New Year's Eve Party, proceeds of which will support the preservation of local history. The evening begins with an exclusive showing of the British art film, *Greenfingers*, directed by Joel Hersman and starring David Kelly, Helen Mirren and Natasha Little. Ticket holders will gather at the Charlevoix Cinema at 7:15 p.m., Dec. 31, with the film starting promptly at 7:30 p.m.

Following the show, everyone will head to the historic Depot for hors d'oeuvres, dancing and a champagne toast to the New Year at midnight.

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Coast Guard ship's alert status lowered

ACACIA

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Shomin said the Acacia will be in port for at least the next three

weeks.

Currently the crew is on search and rescue detail until Dec. 31, Shomin said. This means it will remain at its dock unless there is an emergency on the lakes.

After Dec. 31, the ship will be in

"maintenance status" for two weeks.

After this period, the Acacia will remain in port unless it is called out to clear the shipping channels.

"It depends on the ice and traffic (on the lakes)," he said.

City council member in rehab after accident

ACCIDENT

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the accident and extending into his hospital stay, are a total mystery to him.

As the Christmas season kicks into full swing, Chamberlain will have to let his imagination take him to London, England where he was scheduled to meet his daughter Rebecca and her husband for a week-long stay.

They were planning to partake in a traditional English Christmas

in Bath, that would have included running of the foxes and the hounds on Dec. 26.

The animals weren't the real excitement though. Chamberlain was looking forward to being with his daughter before she boards a plane to Israel. She plans to be in Israel for eight days beginning the second week in January.

"I'll be biting my nails," he said.

Even though his Christmas plans have been called off and his daily routine has had a wrench thrown in it Chamberlain said his experience has gone very smooth-

ly and his recovery has been fast.

"I think it confirms all the comments I've heard over the years about the quality of health care services in the Charlevoix area. I've heard the EMTs, doctors and caregivers are good around here and I found out first hand, it's true," Chamberlain said.

He explained small town generosity and help from his family has really made a difference.

"You don't really know how much you do until you are stuck in a hospital bed. A lot of people stepped in and really helped out," he said.

Obituaries

Catherine J. Neff: May 21, 1915 - Dec. 20, 2001

Catherine J. Neff, 86, of Charlevoix, died Dec. 20, 2001, at Boulder Park Terrace Nursing Home in Charlevoix.

A funeral was given on Dec. 23 at Winchester Funeral Home in Charlevoix. The Pastor Kenneth G. Bernthal officiated and burial was in Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix.

Catherine was born on May 21, 1915, in Chicago, Ill., the daughter of Gustaf S. and Rebecca M. (Anderson) Walgren. She was raised in Chicago, Ill., and graduated from Deerfield Shields High School in Highland Park, Ill. She then graduated from the Ray Vogue School of Design in Chicago, Ill. and later became a certified milliner.

On Jan. 23, 1938, she married

Gordon N. Neff in Chicago, Ill. The couple moved to Charlevoix in 1944, where Catherine worked with her husband at the Neff Brother's Grocery for 25 years.

She managed Wharfside Condominiums in the early 1970s, then owned and operated Neff's Bird-house gift shop for 10 years.

Catherine later became a home health care provider through Northern Michigan Hospitals doing private duty.

She was a founding member of Bethany Lutheran Church in Charlevoix.

Mr. Neff preceded Catherine in death on Feb. 2, 1994.

She is survived by her son Gordon Brian (Betty K.) Neff of Petoskey; daughters, Catherine

Marilyn Gibbons of Charlevoix, Karen (Donald) Hoffman of Petoskey; grandchildren, Kathy A. Dufek, Michelle R. Fettig, Holly M. Howard, Christopher M. Gibbons, Timothy M. Gibbons, Patrick M. Gibbons, Matthew M. Gibbons, Peter D. Hoffman, Steven D. Hoffman and Douglas D. Hoffman; 15 great-grandchildren; four Swedish step-brothers and sisters; cousin, Joan Nelson; dear friends, Lucy Witthoef and the Ernest Loeb family; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Robert and Eleanor Neff; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Edna Marie (Neff) and Basil Kennedy and many other extended relatives.

Memorial contributions may be made to the estate of Catherine J. Neff, c/o the Neff family.

William Joseph Macy: Died Nov. 21, 2001

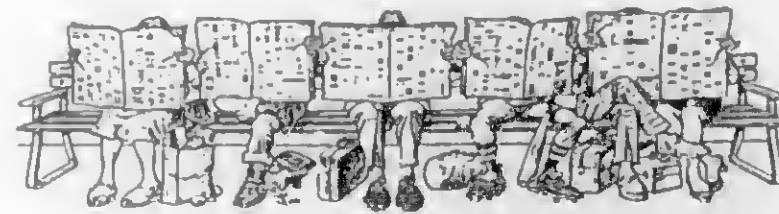
William Joseph Macy died on Nov. 21, 2001 in Newberry.

His ashes will be buried in

Newberry. William is survived by his daughter Tammy Macy and his ex-wife Bernice Macy.

He and Bernice were married in 1960 in Charlevoix. He lived most of his life here.

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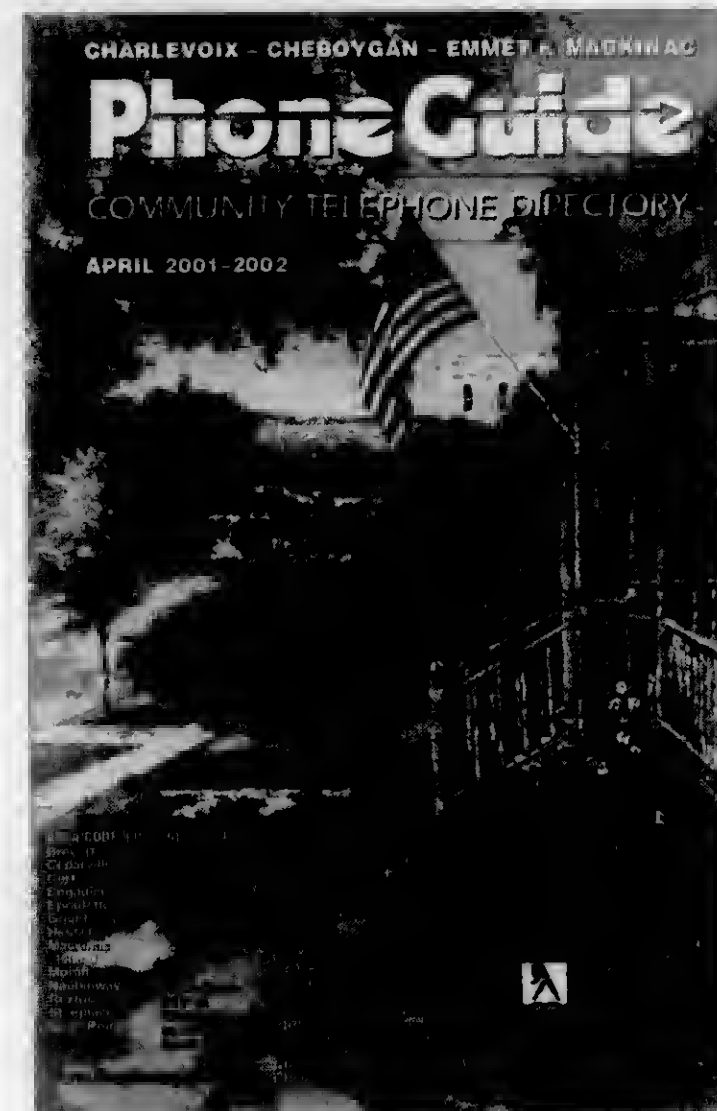
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Charlevoix High School hires new teacher

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

Don Richards has joined the staff at Charlevoix High School as the new special education teacher.

The position was opened after former high school special education teacher and former varsity girls' basketball coach, Jason Otter, submitted his resignation in August, just before school resumed.



Don Richards

After bouncing substitutes in and out of the position, Charlevoix resident Kim Keller was appointed to the interim position for the remainder of the first semester in the 2001-2002 school year.

But, on Dec. 10, nearly four months after Otter's resignation, the Charlevoix School Board approved the appointment of Boyne City resident Don Richards.

Richards is now a new permanent special education instructor at the school.

High school principal Gary Grundman told the board, "I think we really struck it rich with this one. He's a fine candidate and I'm looking forward to working with him."

Richards, 23, is fresh out of college. In fact, he graduated last week from Marquette's Northern Michigan University with a bachelor of science in emotional impairments.

Richards recently completed what Grundman referred to as a successful student teaching experience in Munising.

He worked with grades two through six in Munising and is looking forward to working with older students at Charlevoix High School.

Richards' is one of three special education instructors at Charlevoix High School. His typical class size is between six and 10 students. He is teaching the students applied math, consumer math and earth/life science.

His choice to join the high school staff was not easy; Richards was

offered positions at Petoskey Middle School and in Vanderbilt. He narrowed the field to Petoskey and Charlevoix and called teachers from both school districts to try and make his decision.

"Both had nice things to say which made it hard in the end. I chose Charlevoix because it's a smaller school and I like being able to get to know the community," Richards said.

Last Monday he was approached by staff to be part of the Charlevoix boys' junior varsity baseball team. He said he was excited about being

asked.

He said he became interested in special education as a career when he attended Boyne City High School, his alma mater. While a Rambler, Richards took part in a peer tutoring program in a special education classroom.

From that experience he said he gained insight into what his future may hold.

"I saw that I wanted to be able to help kids with difficulties, kids that needed that extra support," Richards said.

He and his wife, Mandi, are liv-

ing in Boyne City, where they met. She is working toward her degree in elementary education through a satellite program offered at Petoskey's North Central Michigan College.

Even though Richards' roots are closely tied to Boyne, he said he plans to be a Rayder fan from here on out and he doesn't feel like a traitor.

The selection committee that recommended Richards to the board includes: Grundman, Mary Lieberman, Dawn Hovic, Deb Devitt, Ann Gorney and Lori Urban.



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Barcenas may not be fit for trial

By JULIE WITTHOEFT
Staff Writer

A question of competency has delayed the preliminary examination of a Charlevoix man charged with murder.

Juan Antonio Barcenas, 23, of Charlevoix was charged Nov. 14 with first degree murder. Barcenas has since been arraigned and he was scheduled to appear for preliminary examination in Charlevoix County District Court Dec. 13.

However, on Dec. 10, Barcenas' court appointed attorney, Christopher Turkelson of the Charlevoix law firm, Joseph, Corcoran, Telgenhof & Snyder, entered a motion for a competency examination to precede preliminary examination. The examination will decide whether Barcenas is fit to stand trial.

On Nov. 29 Turkelson made a motion for two court appointed interpreters to be assigned to the case. One to be present at the preliminary examination and the other to assist at Charlevoix County Jail when he and Barcenas communicate.

Turkelson's motion states, "Even with the appointed interpreter the undersigned (Turkelson) had a very difficult time communicating with Barcenas and because of that, the defendant is unable to assist in his defense."

Turkelson states that based on these conversations, it is his belief that Barcenas may be incapable of understanding the nature and proceedings he is facing.

If found incompetent, "he cannot be the subject of criminal proceedings," Turkelson's brief states.

As of Dec. 19 Turkelson said he was unaware of the status of the evaluation. He added it usually takes 60 days.

Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Mary Beth Kur is representing the plaintiff in the case, the people of the State of Michigan.

Kur said the Center for Forensic Psychology in Ypsilanti is

conducting the testing.

Of the testing, Kur said, "If found incompetent he (Barcenas) will be treated until he is found competent."

Charlevoix County 90th District Court Judge Richard May will review the findings of the competency examination at a status conference set for 9 a.m., Feb. 12.

At the review May will decide whether he accepts the report or not, Kur said.

During Barcenas' preliminary examination, which may follow the status conference, Kur will attempt to prove to May the evidence she has is enough to hold Barcenas for trial.

The crime for which he's accused is punishable in Michigan by life in prison.

The charge made against Barcenas followed the death of Carissa Nicole Kuzmik, an 18 pound, 8-month-old girl. Both the infant and Barcenas lived in apartment 704 of Pine Cove Apartments, located at 1001 May Street in the city of Charlevoix.

Barcenas was the live in boyfriend of Kuzmik's mother, Renee Kuzmik. He was neither married or divorced and had no children of his own. There were two other children living in the apartment.

According to the affidavit authored by Michigan State Police Detective-Sergeant Gwen White-Erickson, at 9:54 a.m. Nov. 12 Charlevoix City Police were dispatched to Pine Cove Apartments. The call referenced a baby not breathing, who had possibly fallen down the stairs.

City police officer Gerard Doan and city emergency medical technician Audrey Roloff were met by Barcenas' neighbors who directed them to the living room where the baby was lying on the floor. The report states Carissa did not appear to be alive.

Carissa was transported to Charlevoix Area Hospital and died shortly thereafter.

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Future divas

Above, Ann Strawbridge, Jenna Van Loo and Brittini Whittaker performed "Angel's Song," a nativity number, at the Charlevoix High School Christmas Assembly on Dec. 21. (Photo by Julie Witthoeft)

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Murder suspect being given competency tests

MURDER

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After the baby was taken to the hospital, Doan questioned the witnesses who explained how the baby had come to be in their apartment.

The affidavit states the witnesses told Doan, Barcenas brought the baby to their apartment and told them he and the baby had fallen down the stairs. The neighbor called 9-1-1 and Barcenas eventually left the baby at the apartment. He was wearing a white T-shirt and dark shorts when he left the room. The neighbor told Doan he then came back after changing his clothes.

They added Barcenas left again saying he was going to try and find the baby's mother.

At the hospital, Renee was interviewed.

The affidavit states, "She (Renee Kuzmik) stated she left the baby alone in bed with her boyfriend Juan Barcenas at approximately 9:10 a.m. and left to go to a doctor's appointment in Petoskey. She stated the baby was awake, playful and otherwise healthy when she left her with Juan (Barcenas)."

An autopsy was performed by

Dr. David Start at Blodgett Hospital in Grand Rapids on Nov. 13. The autopsy showed the cause of the child's death to be blunt force trauma to her mid-section.

Start also found a fractured rib that appeared to be more than two weeks old and an old bruise which he believed to have been caused by an earlier blow to the child's stomach.

The affidavit states, "Start also stated, in his opinion the death was in no way accidental and could not have been caused by a fall down any type of stairway."

Late Nov. 13 Kur authorized the charge of felony murder against Barcenas, marking the second homicide charge in the city of Charlevoix this year.

In a previous interview city police chief Dennis Halverson said Barcenas was at the police department when Kur's authorization was made.

The arrest warrant states that Barcenas, "did, while in the perpetration or attempted perpetration of child abuse in the first degree, murder one Carissa Nicole Kuzmik."

Barcenas' prior record shows he was charged for driving under the influence of alcohol. Halverson said before Nov. 12 the city

police department had never been called to the apartment.

On Nov. 15 Barcenas was arraigned on the charges. At the arraignment Charlevoix County 33rd Circuit Court Judge Richard Pajtas sat in for 90th District Court Judge Richard May.

Pajtas found Barcenas indigent as he is unemployed, has no source of income, owns no property and has no money. Barcenas said he speaks but can't read English. And he was not a lease holder at Pine Cove Apartments; the baby's mother is the sole lease holder.

She further explained there is a likelihood he is a Mexican national who is possibly in the United States illegally. She said he has been in Michigan one year and was previously living in Florida for at least four years.

Kur added that while in the United States he has possibly used a false social security number. The number he purports to be his own was issued in the State of Washington in the 1950s and Barcenas was born June 17, 1978.

Before ruling Barcenas would be held without bond; Pajtas said, "This is serious, if not the most serious offense one could be charged with."

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Each year the National Sheriff's Association recognizes deputy sheriffs and police officers who have accomplished outstanding service to the citizens of Charlevoix County.

This year, Sheriff George T. Lasater, his Undersheriff, William D. Schneider, and Deputy Sheriff George Robert Lasater of the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office were recognized, along with East Jordan Police Chief Jerry Alward and East Jordan Sergeant Dan Reece.

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Reece and Deputy Lasater confronted the man, secured the scene and talked with the man in an attempt to reason with him.

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ually surrendered the knife.

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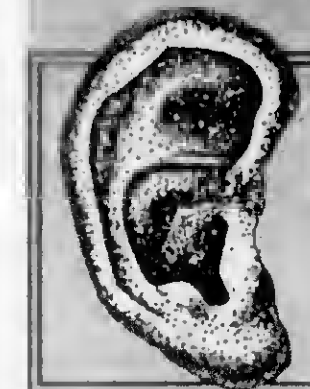
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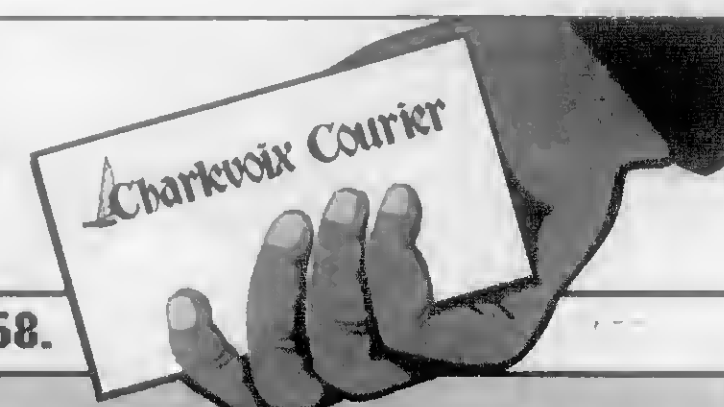
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NOTICE OF **SHOW CAUSE HEARING** AND **JUDICIAL FORECLOSURE HEARING**
NON-PAYMENT OF PROPERTY TAXES

On March 1, 2001 real estate with **unpaid 1997 and/or 1999 property taxes** was forfeited to the Charlevoix County Treasurer pursuant to the General Property Tax Act, Public Act 206 of 1893, PA 206, **MCL 211.1 to 211.157, as amended.**

The State of Michigan is acting as the Foreclosing Governmental Unit in proceedings to foreclose on this property for **unpaid property taxes.**

There are **two hearings** scheduled to finalize the foreclosure process. This publication is intended to provide additional notice to parties of interest in these parcels as to the nature, time, and location of these hearings.

A **Show Cause Hearing** is scheduled for Jan 15-Feb 3, 2002 at 608 S Washington, Lansing MI 48933.

Any person with an interest in the property forfeited to the county treasurer may appear at the show cause hearing and redeem that property or show cause why absolute title to that property should not vest in the Foreclosing Governmental Unit.

A **Judicial Foreclosure Hearing** is scheduled for Feb 15, 2002 1:30 PM at 33rd Circuit Court, 301 State St, Charlevoix MI 49720.

At this hearing the Foreclosing Governmental Unit shall ask that the court enter a judgment foreclosing the property as requested in the petition for foreclosure. A person claiming an interest in a parcel of property set forth in the petition for foreclosure, who desires to contest that petition, must file written objections with the clerk of the circuit court and serve those objections on State of Michigan, the Foreclosing Governmental Unit. The docket number of the petition is 01-895-19-CZ.

If you are a person with an interest in property being foreclosed:

- ! You have the **right to redeem** this parcel from the foreclosure process by **payment** of all forfeited unpaid taxes, interest, penalties, and fees prior to the expiration of the redemption period. **You should contact the Charlevoix County Treasurer for the amount required to redeem.**
- ! You may lose your interest in the property as a result of the foreclosure proceeding.
- ! The title to the property shall vest absolutely in the Foreclosing Governmental Unit unless all forfeited unpaid delinquent taxes, interest, penalties, and fees are paid within 21 days after judgment is entered in the foreclosure proceedings.

PLEASE NOTE :

The following list represents parties that appear to have title, lien, or other apparent rights to the parcels being foreclosed by the Foreclosing Governmental Unit.

This notice is required to be given by law, even if the party no longer claims or desires an interest if it appears they hold any **undischarged, apparent, or potential** title or lien right to the property.

Listing of a party does NOT necessarily indicate that they are the owner of a parcel, or that they are liable for the property taxes.

This list is NOT an offering of property for sale. These parcels are **NOT** being sold, auctioned, or otherwise made available by virtue of this notice.

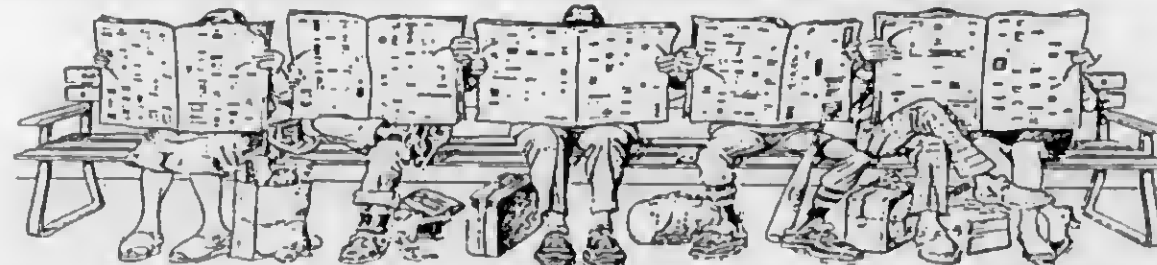
There is **no procedure** for purchasing these parcels from the Foreclosing Governmental Unit at this point in the foreclosure proceedings. Those parcels that are foreclosed and not redeemed may become available at **public auction** in July, September, and November of **2002.** **These parcels remain the property of their current owner** until redemption rights have expired. **No party should make any attempt to inspect or enter upon these parcels** assuming them to be for sale. This may constitute trespassing and subject the offender to criminal prosecution. The street address of the parcels listed is based on local records and is not guaranteed to be the actual location of the property.

The **amount due** listed indicates the balance which was due **as of forfeiture on March 1, 2001.** The **current amount** required to redeem **must be obtained from the Charlevoix County Treasurer**, as additional penalties, fees, and interest have accrued since forfeiture.

Name	Parcel #	Address	Amount	Name	Parcel #	Address	Amount
ALTEGRA CREDIT CORP		041-202-004-10	\$840.35	CHARLEVOIX STATE BANK		013-753-016-00	\$4985.40
ANDERSON, PATRICIA		013-753-016-00	\$4985.40	CHARLEVOIX STATE BANK		013-755-001-00	\$6341.08
ANDERSON, SHELDON G		013-753-016-00	\$4985.40	CHARLEVOIX STATE BANK		052-270-064-00	\$1951.38
ANTRIM INN CONDO ASSOC		051-410-011-00	\$8885.87	CHIPMAN PLUMBING AND HEATING		051-320-001-10	\$15750.38
BALCH, DEBORAH S		015-011-024-65	\$1247.64	CITIZENS BANK		013-575-004-00	\$1626.68
BANKERS TRUST CO OF CALIFORNIA		007-116-008-15	\$414.50	CITY GROUP		051-467-251-00	\$1386.79
BEAVER ISLAND MARINE INC		013-227-010-45	\$1518.40	COMBS, RANDY		001-450-029-00	\$379.97
BEAVER ISLAND MARINE INC		013-750-013-00	\$1399.71	COMBS, SHARON		001-450-029-00	\$379.97
BEAVER ISLAND MARINE INC		013-753-013-00	\$2422.31	CONTIMORTGAGE CORP		051-467-251-00	\$1386.79
BEAVER ISLAND MARINE INC		013-755-001-00	\$6341.08	COOPER, KEVIN		051-477-055-50	\$1939.46
BELL, ARTHUR		013-708-655-00	\$256.04	COOPER, LORENA		051-477-055-50	\$1939.46
BELL, MARY L		013-708-655-00	\$256.04	DAWSON, SUZANNE R		014-025-042-40	\$271.26
BIBIN, LEO H		051-435-004-00	\$1306.29	DOMNOSKE, LAWRENCE		015-019-020-10	\$713.02
BODA, RENNE LYNN		007-116-008-15	\$409.87	DUBY, MILTON		007-550-057-00	\$289.45
BOYNE RIVER INN INC		051-340-074-50	\$4837.69	DOWNES, TIMOTHY M		007-550-058-00	\$289.45
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THIS IS TO INFORM Larry Drew, last known address: 2000 Auction Rd., #20, Fallon, NV 89406, of the disposal of stored goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage, Unit #33. A brief description would be a compressor, dresser, dumbbells, bike, chairs, organ, air conditioner, microwave, boxes and tools. You have until January 21, 2002 to reclaim the goods at the Charlevoix Mini Storage at 06795 US 31 Highway S., Charlevoix, Michigan 49720, 231-547-5838. (12-26-2002)

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FOR THE COUNTY OF
CHARLEVOIX

County Building, 301 State Street,
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File No. 01-1194-19-CH
Honorable Richard M. Paltes
GERALD J. VAN ACKER, Plaintiff,
v.
FRANKLIN L. HARTMAN, Defendant.
Larry L. Burgess (P25246)

BARRON & GOLSKI, P.L.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff
309 Petoskey Avenue
P.O. Box 309
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720
TO: FRANKLIN L. HARTMAN
IT IS ORDERED:

1. You are being sued by Plaintiffs in this Court to quiet title after tax sale of real property located in St. James Township, Charlevoix County, State of Michigan and described as Lot 24, Plat of Port St. James No. 1, accord-

ing to the Plat thereof recorded in Liber 2, Pages 132-133 of Charlevoix County Records, pursuant to a Quit Claim Deed for the Real Estate which was issued to the Plaintiffs by the Department of Natural Resources, State of Michigan, on August 30, 2000 and recorded on November 29, 2000, in Liber 409, page 915 of Charlevoix County Records. You must file your written answer or take other action permitted by law in this Court at the Court address above on or before January 24, 2002. If you fail to do so, a default judgement may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.
2. A copy of this Order shall be published once each week in the Charlevoix Courier for three consecutive weeks, and proof of publication shall be filed in this Court.
3. A copy of this order shall be sent to Franklin L. Hartman, 525 Kern Road, Fowlerville, Michigan 48836-9251 by certified mail, return receipt requested, before the date of the last publication of January 9, 2002 and the affidavit of mailing shall be filed with the Court.
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Area meetings

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The Lions Club meets at noon every Monday at Stafford's Weathervane. For more information call 547-5512.

The Kiwanis Club meets at noon every Tuesday at Stafford's Weathervane.

The Charlevoix Masonic Lodge meets at 8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the lodge at the corner of Mason and Bridge streets. A 6:30 p.m. dinner precedes each meeting. For more information call 547-9078.

The Zonta Club meets at 11:45 a.m. at the Grey Gables Inn on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

The Oddfellows meet at 8 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month at the Charlevoix Senior Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month at the Masonic Temple on Mason Street.

The Charlevoix Rotary Club meets at 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at the Flap Jack Shack. For more information call 547-0360.

The Pierre Charlevoix Knights of Columbus meet at 7 p.m. on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Building located at 15144 Bell's Bay Road. For more information call 547-3589.

Addiction help groups —

A.A. meets at 12 p.m. and 8 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays at the Alano Club on Mason Street (smoking). There is a Men's A.A. meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the club (smoking). There is a Young People's A.A. Meeting from 6

to 7 p.m. at the BASES Teen Center on Mondays and Thursdays. There is a non-smoking A.A. meeting at 7 p.m. on Wednesdays, at the back of the St. Mary's Church. There is a women's A.A. non-smoking meeting at 7 p.m. on Mondays and 9 a.m. on Saturdays at the Alano Club. A.A. non-smokers meeting at 10:30 a.m. and a smoking A.A. meeting at 8 p.m. on Sunday at the Alano Club.

There is an Al-Anon Meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesdays at St. Matthew's Church located at 1303 Boyne Avenue in Boyne City. There is also an Al-Anon meeting at 8 p.m. on Wednesdays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7 p.m. every Thursday at the Alano Club. For further information call Merrill Lee at 547-2104.

Alateen meeting at 7 p.m. on Sundays at the Alano Club on Mason Street.

Church groups —

The St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society meets at 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of every month except July and August in the Parish Center.

Community Men's Fellowship Breakfast meets every Saturday from 7:30 to 9 a.m. at Christ Episcopal Church at State and Clinton streets. For more information call 237-9392.

Sororities, fraternities —

Preceptor Beta Mu meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month. For more information call 547-5444.

American Legion, VFW —

The American Legion hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Monday and at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month, the legion meets at the American Legion Hall located at 106 East Garfield. The American Legion also hosts an All-You-Can-Eat Pancake Breakfast from 8 a.m. to noon the first Sunday of the month.

The American Legion Auxiliary meets at 7 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-6943.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars post meets at 7 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month at the VFW Hall on Petoskey Avenue. The VFW also hosts bingo at 6:30 p.m. every Friday. For more information call 547-9384.

The VFW Auxiliary meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of the month. For more information call 547-6670.

Agricultural groups —

The Charlevoix Evening Garden Club will meet at 7 p.m. on the first Tuesday of the month. For more information please call 547-5199.

The Charlevoix Area Garden Club meets at 1 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-7545.

The Barnard Farm Bureau meets at 7:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month. For more information call 547-2920.

The Barnard Grange meets at 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of the

month at the Grange Hall on Barnard Road.

Adolescent groups —

BASES Teen Center is open from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. It is located at 208 West Lincoln. Call 547-1144 for more information.

Support Group —

The Northwest Michigan Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association support group meets from 1:30 to 3 p.m. each third Tuesday at the Charlevoix Commission of Aging office at 207 Antrim Street in Charlevoix. Call (800) 337-3827 for more information.

Historical groups —

The Harsha House Historical Museum is open 1 to 4 p.m.

Monday through Saturday at 103 State Street.

Charlevoix Historical Society Board meets at 4 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Harsha House. For more information call 547-0373.

Community activities —

There is a Community Lunch at 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church located at 104 State Street.

The Charlevoix Community Pool has an open swim from 6-8 p.m., Mondays through Fridays. There is an additional open swim from 3 to 4:15 p.m. on Tuesdays and 1 to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays.

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SCRAPBOOK

The groans of the taxpayers in Charlevoix

By DAVID L. MILES
 Charlevoix Historical Society

Has our latest bridge ever struck open to cause the ultimate back-up and frustration? Yes.

Once, early in its tenure, it opened on an extremely hot day and stayed up quite a while for either a lot of water traffic or the passage of a lake freighter loaded with coal for the rural electric plant down at Advance near Boyne City.

Apparently, while up the steel expanded and when they were lowered the two halves wouldn't mesh normally. Someone recalled that happened with old number four, too, and the fire department was put into action hosing it down to cool the steel until it would cooperate and fit into place.

Again, on an August day in 1987 the bridge opened at 12:30 p.m. then a high voltage switch on the south side blew, affecting some 400 businesses and houses plus the bridge. With the two leaves standing wide open, traffic started backing up and eventually reached the city limits and beyond on both sides of town. The lines of vehicles reached an estimated five miles if not more in length.

A crew of eight was finally assembled to hand crank the bridge back down, but in the scorching heat of midday they could only turn, in teams of two at each of the bridge's four corners, a few revolutions before having to stop from exhaustion. After 40 minutes of work they had the beast tamed and back in its cage and the power came back on at 1:40 p.m. for a stack of vessels waiting to pass. T-shirts were produced at once proclaiming survival of the great gridlock of 1987.

In 1988, the state, after a few rejected grandiose and expensive plans, spent a mere \$9,000 for simple electrical switching equipment that could utilize another circuit should one of the two main power lines that junction near the bridge ever go out.

Beyond the teeth-grinding frustrations of a long ago power failure and normal everyday opening delays, how have people reacted to the bridge? At the Lodge Motel, where I worked for many years, one man came every year just to lie on the bed for hours and listen to the hum of the tires across the grating. His wife took their children and left him alone, for in her words it was the best therapy for a stressful job he could ever have. He was in Charlevoix and could forget about everything for a week.

Another man came here for the first time ever, he had heard our town's virtues and attractions extolled for years, and on his first night in the motel, he slept with the south balcony windows open. He

came down the next morning enraged at the machinery we kept running in the building.

"Off, on, off, on, all night long; didn't get a wink of sleep," he said.

He too had been listening to nighttime tires going over the bridge and would not be mollified at my patient explanation and assurance that he would pay no attention the next night. He checked out and left.

My house is only a block from the bridge on Park Avenue and the guest room faces the channel on the top north end. Many years ago, a cousin turned out the light, went to bed and within seconds had the sheet pulled over her head because the sound of the tires coming in the window made her think she was being attacked by giant mosquitos.

First-time guests whom we neglected to warn of the sound often showed up at the breakfast table looking like zombies from a sleepless night. Once they knew what the sound came from, they didn't even hear it next time.

But for one woman, a bridge sound scared the bejebees out of her to the extent she left Charlevoix forever (we think). The original signal horn was so loud and piercing it was claimed the people of Green Bay, Wis. could hear it and it could peel a grape at 100 yards.

One day, the lady had driven parallel to the control house just as the bridge tender Chick Gallagher pulled the rope to blast a reply signal to an incoming boat. She screamed to a halt on the grating, leaped from her car, walked back to the concrete and just stood there. He stepped out to ask her to please move her car. She refused.

He asked her twice and she replied if she ever had to drive north again, she would go 50 miles out of her way to bypass



The current bridge over the Pine River Channel in Charlevoix. (Photo courtesy of the Charlevoix Historical Society)

Charlevoix because she never, never, NEVER would cross the bridge again. So Chick had to get in her car and back it off the bridge. Once it had been raised and lowered, he asked her once more to get in and drive off. She again refused and traffic needed to cross. So, he got back into the car, made a U-turn to point it south. She got behind the wheel at last and drove back through town and away.

Perhaps she wasn't so much frightened at the screeching ban-shee noise that jolted her to a stop as she was insulted to the depths of her very soul by the biggest raspberry she ever received. The signal horn has since become more friendly to him.

Olds took ill at his cottage at the Belvedere Club in the early summer of 1950 and was taken back to Lansing where he died not long after.

For one man, the sound of the bridge represented an element he despised regarding government and public works.

Ransom E. Olds, founder of the Oldsmobile automobile company,

was one of Charlevoix's most prominent summer residents for much of the first half of the 20th century. He was a true rugged individualist, a firm believer in laissez faire capitalism, hater of government interference and regulation. And above all, the bane of his existence was the whole idea of taxation. The fact that tax dollars could be put to good use, such as constructing something so needed, functional and beautiful as the Charlevoix bridge, meant nothing to him.

Olds took ill at his cottage at the Belvedere Club in the early summer of 1950 and was taken back to Lansing where he died not long after.

ter, so he had only the summer of 1949 to enjoy the new bridge. But he didn't enjoy it because it represented everything he didn't believe in. And what was that?

Once, as Olds was driving some friends across the bridge and that low, mournful buzzing sound rose to meet their ears he told them in no uncertain terms, that the sound they were hearing represented nothing less than "the groans of the taxpayers."

The next time you drive across the bridge and the rubber hits its metal, remember the words of Ransom Olds, titan of American industry, lover of Charlevoix and hater of the bridge.

Official Notice

CHARLEVOIX CITY COUNCIL 2002 MEETING SCHEDULE

The Charlevoix City Council will hold regular meetings on the following dates in 2002. All regular meetings will be held in the Council Chambers of City Hall and will begin at 7:00 p.m. unless posted otherwise.

January 7**	May 6	September 3***
January 21	May 20	September 16
February 4	June 3	October 7
February 18	June 17	October 21
March 4	July 1	November 4
March 18	July 15	November 18
April 1	August 5	December 2
April 15	August 19	December 16

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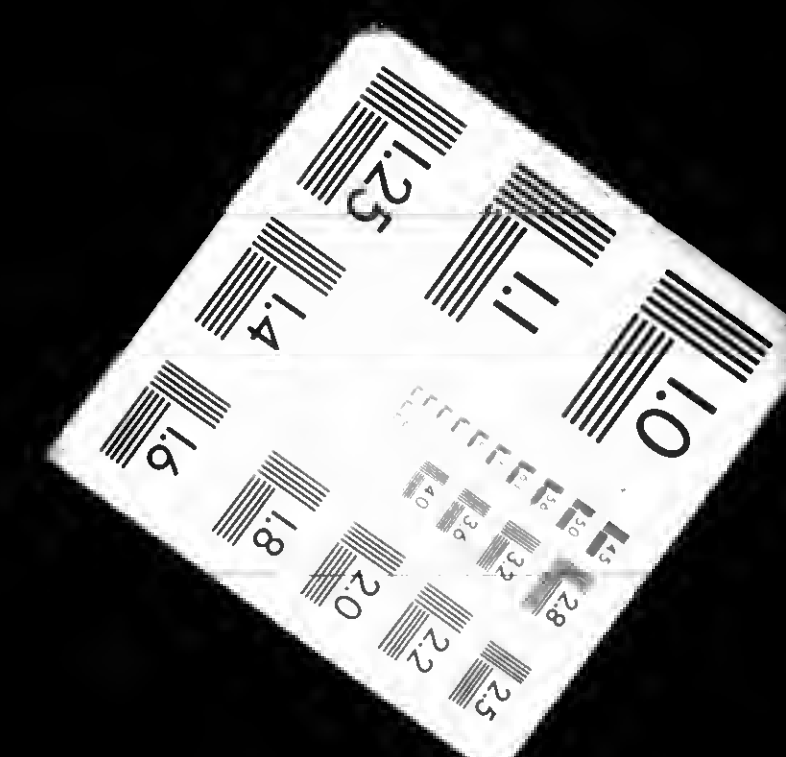
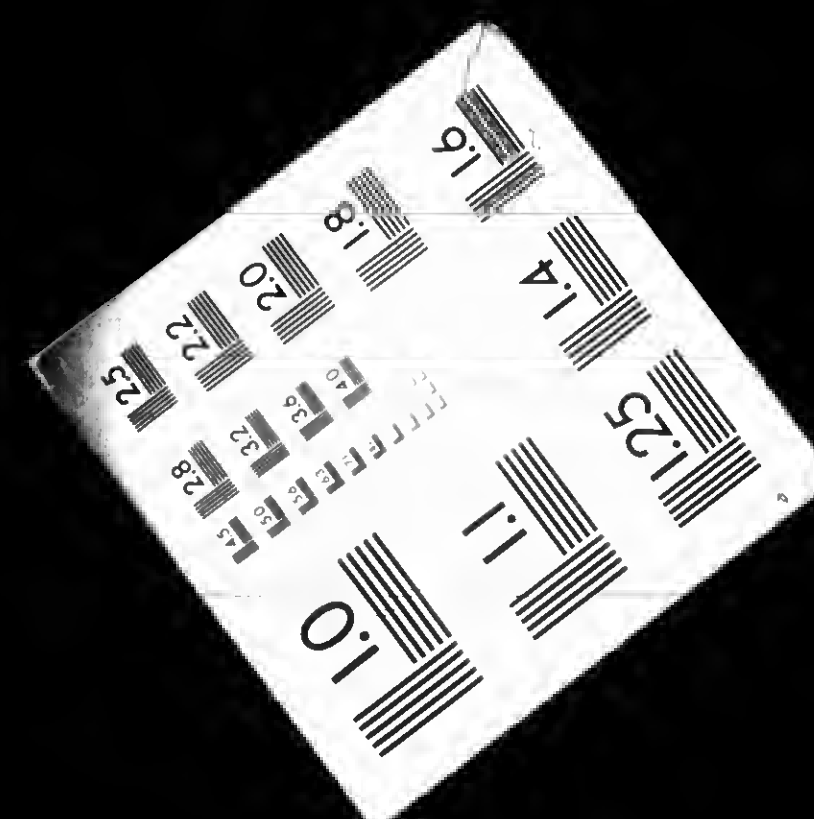
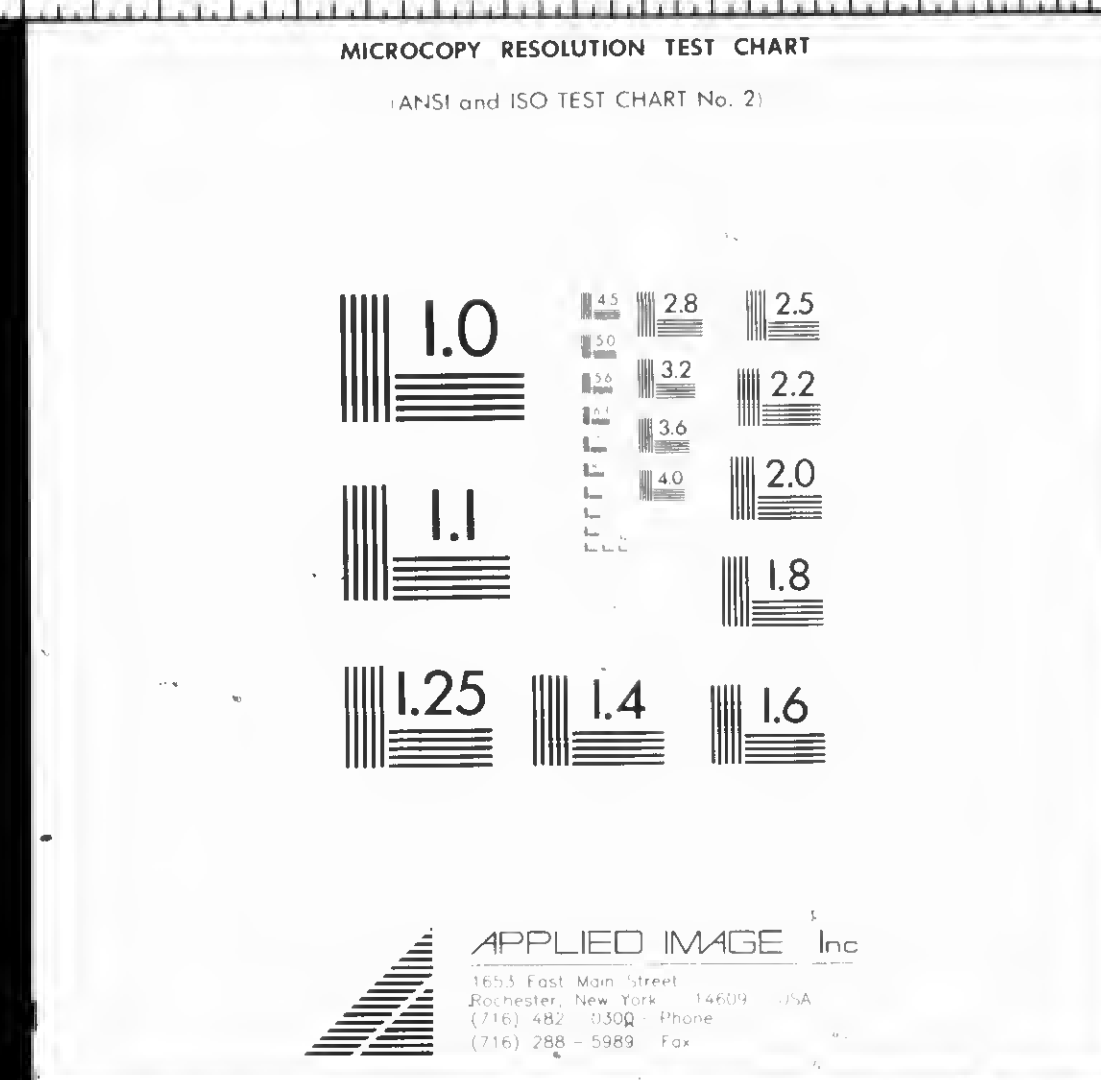
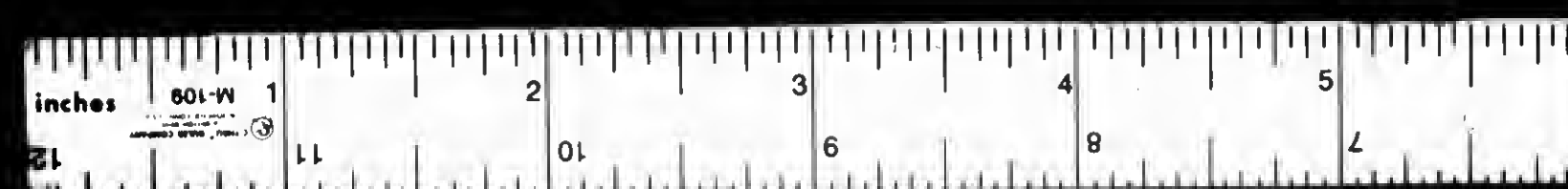
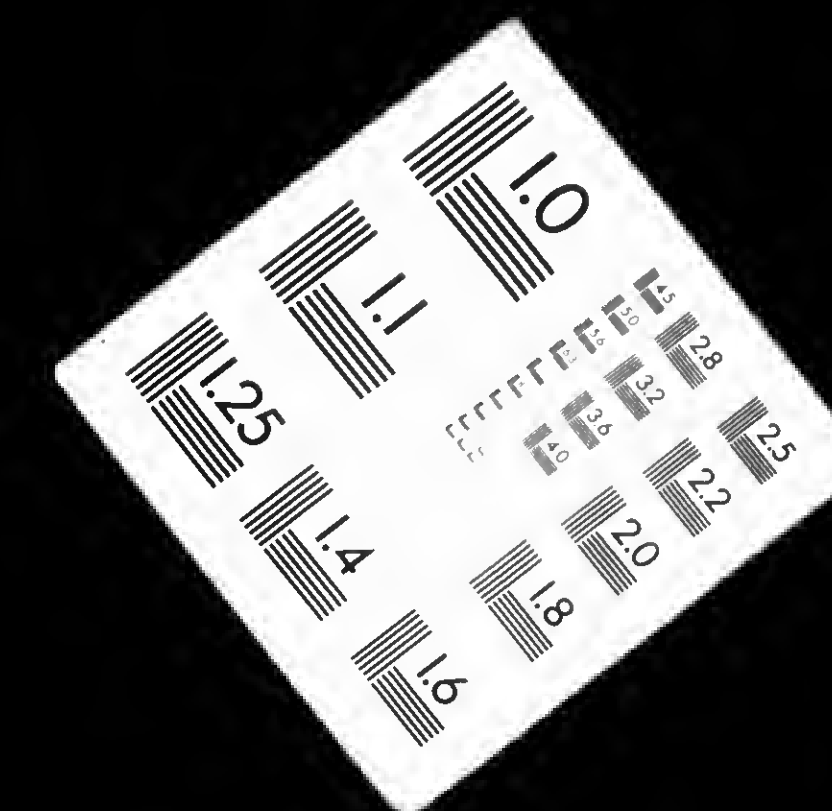
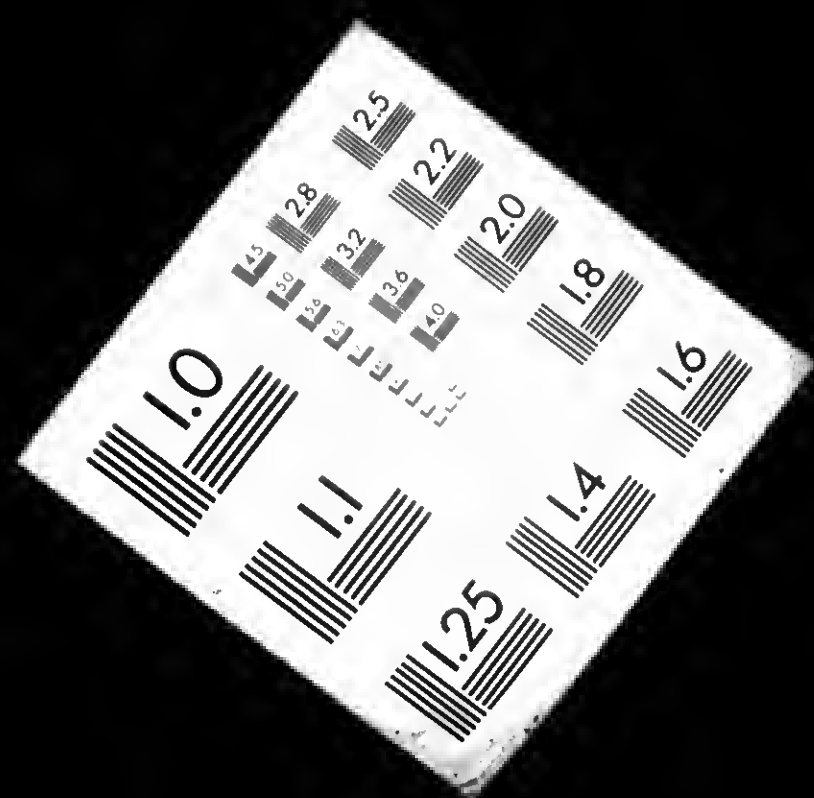
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